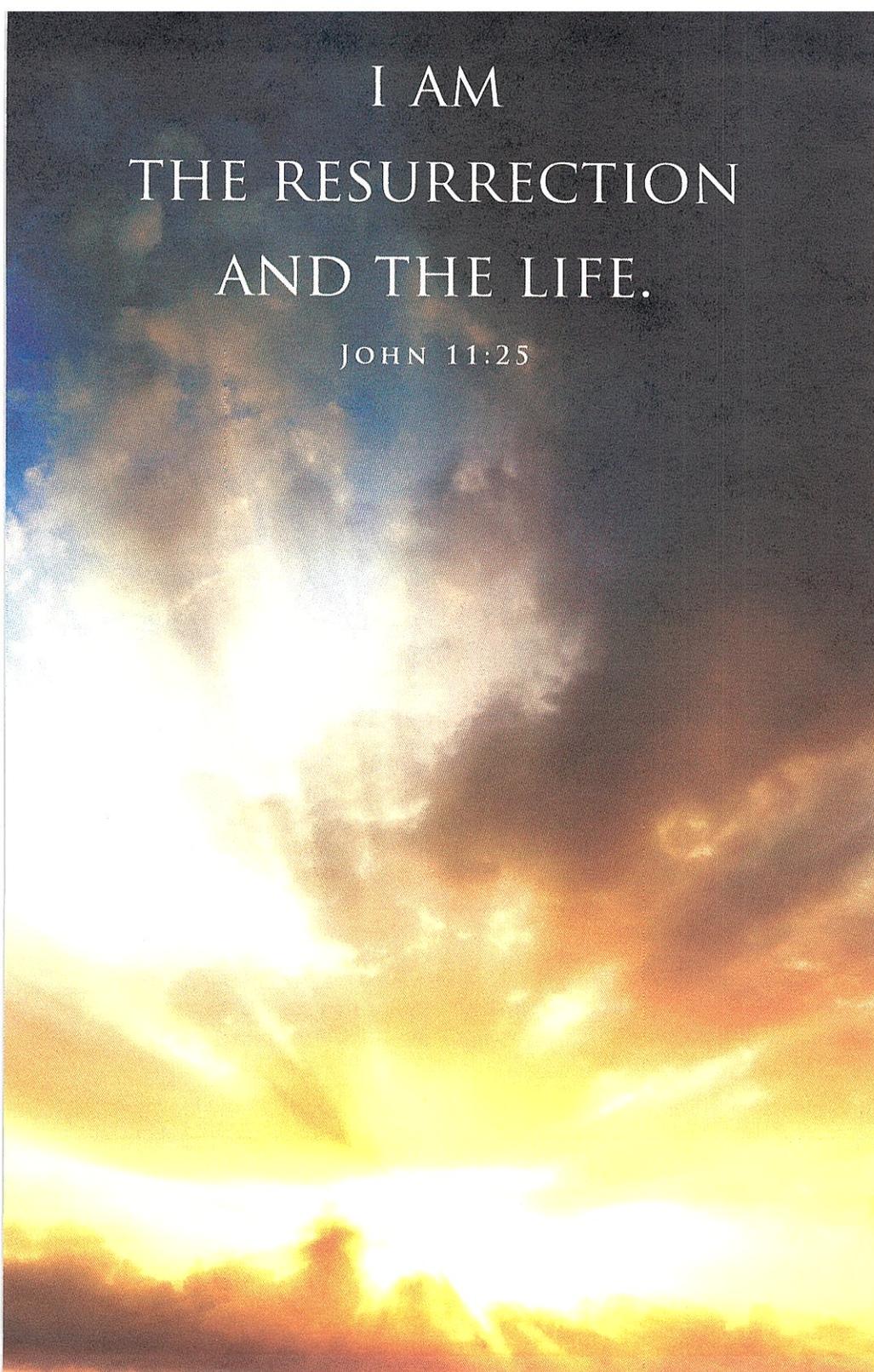


I AM
THE RESURRECTION
AND THE LIFE.

JOHN 11:25



† *From Life to Eternal Life with Jesus* †
A Service of Celebration, Thanksgiving and Victory

for

Norma W. Warnkey

August 11, 2020

7:00 PM

INVOCATION

Pastor: In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

Cong.: **Amen**

COMFORT FROM GOD'S WORD

Psalm 23

PRAYER

SCRIPTURE READINGS

2 Corinthians 12:7b-10

⁷ So to keep me from becoming conceited because of the surpassing greatness of the revelations,^[a] a thorn was given me in the flesh, a messenger of Satan to harass me, to keep me from becoming conceited. ⁸ Three times I pleaded with the Lord about this, that it should leave me. ⁹ But he said to me, "My grace is sufficient for you, for my power is made perfect in weakness." Therefore I will boast all the more gladly of my weaknesses, so that the power of Christ may rest upon me. ¹⁰ For the sake of Christ, then, I am content with weaknesses, insults, hardships, persecutions, and calamities. For when I am weak, then I am strong.

Matthew 6:25-33

²⁵ "Therefore I tell you, do not be anxious about your life, what you will eat or what you will drink, nor about your body, what you will put on. Is not life more than food, and the body more than clothing? ²⁶ Look at the birds of the air: they neither sow nor reap nor gather into barns, and yet your heavenly Father feeds them. Are you not of more value than they? ²⁷ And which of you by being anxious can add a single hour to his span of life?^[a] ²⁸ And

why are you anxious about clothing? Consider the lilies of the field, how they grow: they neither toil nor spin, ²⁹ yet I tell you, even Solomon in all his glory was not arrayed like one of these. ³⁰ But if God so clothes the grass of the field, which today is alive and tomorrow is thrown into the oven, will he not much more clothe you, O you of little faith? ³¹ Therefore do not be anxious, saying, 'What shall we eat?' or 'What shall we drink?' or 'What shall we wear?' ³² For the Gentiles seek after all these things, and your heavenly Father knows that you need them all. ³³ But seek first the kingdom of God and his righteousness, and all these things will be added to you.

DEVOTION

Dan Berres (Norma's shut-in visitor)

MESSAGE "Made Perfect in Weakness" Pastor Nieman

HYMN: "I Know that my Redeemer Lives" LSB 461 v.1,7

I know that my Redeemer lives;
What comfort this sweet sentence gives!
He lives, He lives, who once was dead;
He lives, my ever living Head.

He lives and grants me daily breath;
He lives, and I shall conquer death;
He lives my mansion to prepare;
He lives to bring me safely there.

PRAYER OF THE CHURCH

THE LORD'S PRAYER

All: Our Father who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy name, Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For Thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory forever and ever. Amen.

† Christian Obituary †
Norma W. Warnkey
October 13, 1924 to August 3, 2020

Norma W. Warnkey (Voeks), age 95 years, of West Bend was called home to be with the Lord on August 3, 2020 at Ivy Manor in West Bend.

Norma was born on October 13, 1924 in the town of Farmington to August and Anna Voeks (Schultz). She was united in marriage to Robert Warnkey on February 5, 1949 in Kewaskum. Robert passed away on June 26, 1967.

Norma worked at Amity Leather in West Bend and prior to that, served as a Nanny to special "Miracles," Bernie and Norman, whom she remained in contact with until her passing. After retiring, she went on to teach a weekly craft class at the Washington County Senior Citizen Center for decades and also organized their Senior Center Craft Sales. She coordinated Samaritan Bingo events during many of those years.

Norma was active at St. John's Lutheran Church in West Bend, where she was a long time member. She taught both Sunday School and Vacation Bible School, and volunteered for many duties at St. John's Lutheran School, including working in the school library and helping in the lunchroom.

She was an avid gardener and enjoyed crafting, sewing, cooking & baking, fishing, and the occasional Bingo trip.

Those Norma leaves behind to cherish her memory include her son, Scott (Nicki) Warnkey; four grandchildren, Tammy Voeks, Toni Voeks, Ronald S. Voeks, Jr., and Laura Voeks; and daughter-in-law, Bernice Voeks. She is further survived by nieces, nephews, other relatives and friends.

In addition to her parents and her husband, Robert; Norma was preceded in death by her son, Ronald S. Voeks; two sisters, Leona (Lloyd) Reysen and Celesta (Donald) Jones.

Norma's family extends their heartfelt appreciation to the staff at Ivy Manor II for the loving care they provided.

Norma's perseverance in life remained with her throughout her many years. She faced challenges with optimism and determination. She was fond of saying "You can always find something good in everything," and truly believed it.