## A Celebration of Life for Joyce Elizabeth Woods

Prelude

Welcome

Words of Gathering & Grace

Greeting

Hymn #707 (UMH) "Hymn of Promise"

Prayer

**Epistle Reading** 

1 Corinthians 13:1-8, 13 (NRSVUE)

Psalm 23 KJV (unison)

The LORD is my shepherd; I shall not want.

- <sup>2</sup> He maketh me to lie down in green pastures: he leadeth me beside the still waters.
- <sup>3</sup> He restoreth my soul: he leadeth me in the paths of righteousness for his name's sake.
- <sup>4</sup>Yea, though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I will fear no evil: for thou art with me; thy rod and thy staff they comfort me.
- <sup>5</sup>Thou preparest a table before me in the presence of mine enemies: thou anointest my head with oil; my cup runneth over.
- <sup>6</sup> Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me all the days of my life: and I will dwell in the house of the LORD for ever.

Gospel Reading

John 14:1-7 (NRSVUE)

Eulogy by family

Sharing from Family and Friends

Any who wish to share are invited to raise a hand and a handheld microphone will be brought to you. Please introduce yourself before you offer words.

**Prayers of Commendation** 

Prayer of Thanksgiving

The Lord's Prayer (unison)

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. Amen.

Hymn #378 (UMH) "Amazing Grace"

Benediction

Worship Leader: Pastor Teressa Music: Sean Stafford

Message



And now faith, hope and love remain, these three, and the greatest of these is love.

1 Corinthians 13

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