

A Celebration of Life Memorial for



Carol Ann Flatt

March 2nd, 1944 - April 7th, 2026

***Gathering Table a Faith Community
in the Anglican Church of Canada***

Celebrant and Preacher: Rev. Ann Camber
Crucifer and Lay Reader: Brenda O'Neill
Reader: Eleanor Bennett, Brenda O'Neill
Guest Organist: Sandra Cosby
Altar Guild: Lisa Long

September 19th, 2026

2 p.m.

Prelude: ***Sandra Cosby***

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Processional *Please stand as you are able*
with Scripture Lead by Crucifer

I am Resurrection and I am Life, says the Lord.
Whoever has faith in me shall have life,
even though he die.
And everyone who has life,
and is committed to me in faith,
shall not die for ever.

John 11.25–26

Let not your hearts be troubled;
believe in God, believe also in me.
In my Father's house are many rooms;
if it were not so, would I have told you
that I go to prepare a place for you?
And when I go and prepare a place for you,
I will come again and will take you to myself,
that where I am you may be also.

John 14.1–3

I am sure that neither death, nor life,
nor angels, nor principalities,
nor things present, nor things to come,
nor powers, nor height, nor depth,
nor anything else in all creation,
will be able to separate us from the love of God
in Christ Jesus our Lord. *Romans 8.38–39*

Celebrant: The Lord be with you.

***People:* And also with you.**

Celebrant: Let us pray.
God of all consolation,
in your unending love and mercy
you turn the darkness of death
into the dawn of new life.

Show compassion to your people in their sorrow.
Be our refuge and our strength
to lift us from the darkness of grief
to the peace and light of your presence.
Your Son, our Lord Jesus Christ,
by dying for us, conquered death
and by rising again, restored life.
May we then go forward eagerly to meet him,
and after our life on earth
be reunited with our brothers and sisters
where every tear will be wiped away.
We ask this through Jesus Christ, the Lord.
All: Amen.

Welcome

Please be seated for the welcome

Opening Hymn: CP 508

I Heard the Voice of Jesus Say

Eulogy:

By: Kenneth Flatt

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Please stand as you are able

Celebrant: The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ,
and the love of God,
and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit,
be with you all.

People: **And also with you.**

In the midst of life we are in death; from whom can we
seek help? From you alone, O Lord, who by our sins are
justly angered.

**Holy God,
holy and mighty,
holy immortal one,
have mercy upon us.**

Lord you know the secrets of our hearts; shut not your
ears to our prayers, but spare us, O Lord.

**Holy God,
holy and mighty,
holy immortal one,
have mercy upon us.**

O worthy and eternal Judge,

do not let the pains of death
turn us away from you at our last hour.

**Holy God,
holy and mighty,
holy immortal one,
have mercy upon us.**

The Collect

Celebrant: Let us pray.

O God, the maker and redeemer of all, grant us, with your servant **Carol Ann** and all the faithful departed, the sure benefits of your Son's saving passion and glorious resurrection; that in the last day, when you gather up all things in Christ, we may with them enjoy the fullness of your promises; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, God for ever and ever. **Amen.**

Psalm 23

***Refrain: The Lord is my shepherd, I shall not
be in want.***

The Lord is my shepherd; I shall not be in want. He makes me lie down in green pastures and leads me beside still waters.

***Refrain: The Lord is my shepherd, I shall not
be in want.***

He revives my soul and guides me along right pathways for his name's sake.

Though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I shall fear no evil; for you are with me; your rod and your staff, they comfort me.

Refrain: The Lord is my shepherd, I shall not be in want.

You spread a table before me in the presence of those who trouble me; you have anointed my head with oil, and my cup is running over.

Surely your goodness and mercy shall follow me all the days of my life, and I will dwell in the house of the Lord for ever.

Refrain: The Lord is my shepherd, I shall not be in want.

The Proclamation of the Word Old Testament Reading is from Ecclesiastes

Ecclesiastes 3: 1 – 8

Everything Has Its Time

For everything there is a season, and a time for every matter under heaven:

² a time to be born, and a time to die; a time to plant, and a time to pluck up what is planted;

³ a time to kill, and a time to heal; a time to break down, and a time to build up;

⁴ a time to weep, and a time to laugh; a time to mourn, and a time to dance;

⁵ a time to throw away stones, and a time to gather stones together; a time to embrace, and a time to refrain from embracing;

⁶ a time to seek, and a time to lose; a time to keep, and a time to throw away;

⁷ a time to tear, and a time to sew; a time to keep silence, and a time to speak;

⁸ a time to love, and a time to hate; a time for war, and a time for peace.

This is the Word of The Lord
Thanks be to God.

Gradual: CP 565
Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah

Please stand as you are able

The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to
John

All: Glory to you Lord Jesus Christ

John 11: 17 - 27

Lay Reader

Jesus the Resurrection and the Life

¹⁷ When Jesus arrived, he found that Lazarus had already been in the tomb for four days.

¹⁸ Now Bethany was near Jerusalem, some two miles away,

¹⁹ and many of the Jews had come to Martha and Mary to console them about their brother.

²⁰ When Martha heard that Jesus was coming, she went and met him, while Mary stayed at home.

²¹ Martha said to Jesus, 'Lord, if you had been here, my brother would not have died.

²² But even now I know that God will give you whatever you ask of him.'

²³ Jesus said to her, 'Your brother will rise again.'

²⁴ Martha said to him, ‘I know that he will rise again in the resurrection on the last day.’

²⁵ Jesus said to her, ‘I am the resurrection and the life. Those who believe in me, even though they die, will live,

²⁶ and everyone who lives and believes in me will never die. Do you believe this?’

²⁷ She said to him, ‘Yes, Lord, I believe that you are the Messiah, the Son of God, the one coming into the world.’

This is The Gospel of Christ.

People: Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

Homily: **Rev. Ann Camber**

Please stand as you are able

The Apostles’ Creed

Lay Reader

Lay Reader: Let us confess the faith of our baptism, as we say,

All: I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth.

I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord. He was conceived by the power of the Holy Spirit and born of the Virgin Mary. He suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried. He descended to the dead. On the third day he rose again. He ascended into heaven, and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again to judge the living and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church,

**the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins,
the resurrection of the body, and the life
everlasting. *Amen.***

Please be seated or kneel as you are able

The Prayers of the People

Lay Reader

Lay Reader: Let us pray.

Almighty God, you have knit your chosen people
together in one communion, in the mystical body of
your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord. Give to your whole
Church in heaven and on earth your light and your peace.

People: **Hear us, Lord.**

Lay Reader: May all who have been baptized into Christ's
death and resurrection die to sin and rise to newness of
life, and may we with him pass through the grave
and gate of death to our joyful resurrection.

People: **Hear us, Lord.**

Lay Reader: Grant to us who are still in our pilgrimage,
and who walk as yet by faith, that your Holy Spirit may
lead us in holiness and righteousness all our days.

People: **Hear us, Lord.**

Lay Reader: Grant to your faithful people pardon and
peace, that we may be cleansed from all our sins and serve
you with a quiet mind.

People: **Hear us, Lord.**

Lay Reader: Grant to all who mourn a sure confidence in
your loving care that casting all their sorrow on you, they
may know the consolation of your love.

People: **Hear us, Lord.**

Lay Reader: Give courage and faith to those who are bereaved, that they may have strength to meet the days ahead in the comfort of a holy and certain hope, and in the joyful expectation of eternal life with those they love.

People: **Hear us, Lord.**

Lay Reader: Grant us grace to entrust ***Carol Ann*** to your never-failing love which sustained ***her*** in this life. Receive her into the arms of your mercy, and remember ***her*** according to the favour you bear for your people.

People: **Hear us, Lord.**

Please stand as you are able

The Commendation

Give rest, O Christ, to your servants with your saints, where sorrow and pain are no more, neither sighing, but life everlasting.

You only are immortal, the creator and maker of all; and we are mortal, formed of the earth, and to earth shall we return. For so did you ordain when you created me, saying, “You are dust, and to dust you shall return.” All of us go down to the dust; yet even at the grave we make our song: Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia.

Give rest, O Christ, to your servants with your saints, where sorrow and pain are no more, neither sighing, but life everlasting.

Celebrant: Into your hands, O merciful Saviour, we commend your servant ***Carol Ann***. Acknowledge, we pray, a sheep of your own fold, a lamb of your own flock, a sinner of your own redeeming. Receive ***her*** into the arms of your mercy, into the blessed rest of everlasting peace, and into the glorious company of the saints in light. **Amen**
Let us go forth in the name of Christ.

People: **Thanks be to God.**

Grace will be said before we go into the Parish Hall.

Closing Hymn: **CP 423 How Great Thou Art**

***The Nunc Dimittis is said/sung as we leave
followed by the family***

Nunc Dimittis

Lord, now lettest thou thy servant depart in peace according to thy word. For mine eyes have seen thy salvation; Which thou hast prepared before the face of all people; To be a light to lighten the Gentiles and to be the glory of thy people Israel. Glory be to the Father, and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost; as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be world without end. **Amen.**

*We will continue our celebration for ***Carol Ann*** with food and fellowship in the Parish Hall here at Gathering Table.*

Donations to Thunder Bay Public Library, and Gathering Table would be appreciated by the family. They can be left in the Treasurer Chest at the back of the church.

Envelopes are also available beside the Treasurer Chest.

Family of Carol Ann Flatt

Son: Kenneth Flatt

Brother: Wayne Milne

Sister: Lauraine Bailie (Jack)

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