

Memorial Sunday

August 30th, 2026



ORDER OF SERVICE AT CEMETERY

P: God shall wipe away all tears from their eyes;
C: **and there shall be no more death, neither sorrow nor crying, neither shall there be any more pain; for the former things are passed away.**

Scripture Reading: John 5:24-29

Truly, truly, I say to you, whoever hears my word and believes him who sent me has eternal life. He does not come into judgment, but has passed from death to life. "Truly, truly, I say to you, an hour is coming, and is now here, when the dead will hear the voice of the Son of God, and those who hear will live. For as the Father has life in himself, so he has granted the Son also to have life in himself. And he has given him authority to execute judgment, because he is the Son of Man. Do not marvel at this, for an hour is coming when all who are in the tombs will hear his voice and come out, those who have done good to the resurrection of life, and those who have done evil to the resurrection of judgment.

This is the Gospel of our Lord!

Collect Prayer for the Faithful Departed

O Lord, You are the Resurrection and the Life. Comfort all the families and friends of those who have died in the faith especially this Memorial Sunday we remember your servant(s); **Claire, Elmer, David, Shirley, Darlene, Gladys and Myra**. Often in the midst of our grief, it is only You who can give us the peace that the world cannot give. Bring always to us the remembrance of the hope of everlasting life which You give in Your beloved Son, Jesus Christ. Instill in all of us the assurance that our loved one who died in the faith are presently among the angels and archangels singing Your praises and awaiting the final resurrection of the dead. Amen.

The Lord's Prayer

Versicles:

P: Blessed are the dead, which die in the Lord. Hallelujah!

C: **They rest from their labors, and their works do follow them. Hallelujah!**

TODAY, WE COMMEMORATE the following whom the Lord called to Himself and that were laid to rest in Grace Cemetery since October 2024. We give thanks for all who have finished their course in faith and now rest from their labors. We look forward to a happy reunion in heaven and the day of the final resurrection when, in both body and soul, we shall together praise the Lord for all eternity. Those being remembered are:

*CLAIRE LEAN	Interred October 4, 2024
*ELMER SCHAUER	Interred October 25, 2024
DAVID CLARKE	Interred May 4, 2025
*SHIRLEY WHITWORTH	Interred July 2, 2025
DARLENE RAGLIN	Interred August 21, 2025
GLADYS NAGORA	Interred October 14, 2025
MYRA WITT	Interred October 27, 2025

** indicates a non-member/previous member*

DEDICATION OF CEMETERY BENCH

CLOSING HYMN: FOR ALL THE SAINTS

- And when the fight is fierce, the warfare long,
steals on the ear the distant triumph song,
and hearts are brave again and arms are strong.
Alleluia! Alleluia!
- The golden evening brightens in the west;
soon, soon to faithful warriors cometh rest;
sweet is the calm of paradise the blest.
Alleluia! Alleluia!
- But, lo there breaks a yet more glorious day:
The saints triumphant ride in bright array;
The King of glory passes on his way.
Alleluia! Alleluia!
- From earth's wide bounds, from ocean's farthest coast,
Through gates of pearl streams in the countless host,
Singing to Father, Son, and Holy Ghost:
Alleluia! Alleluia!

Benediction

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