Jeanne Louise Exline

A Service of Celebration and Remembrance



June 26, 2021 Richfield United Methodist Church Minneapolis, Minnesota

Jeanne Louise Exline June 1, 1937—November 14, 2020

Prelude

The Words of Grace and Greeting

Rev. Nate Melcher

Hymn

"Morning Has Broken" Hymnal No. 145

- 1. Morning has broken like the first morning, Blackbird has spoken like the first bird. Praise for the singing! Praise for the morning! Praise for them, springing fresh from the Word!
- 2. Sweet the new fall sunlit from heaven, Like the first dewfall on the first grass. Praise for the sweetness of the wet garden, Sprung in completeness where his feet pass.
- 3. Mine is the sunlight! Mine is the morning, Born of the one light Eden saw play! Praise with elation, praise every morning, God's re-creation of the new day!

Prayer

The Lord's Prayer

Our God, 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.

Poem

"You Are the Sun" written and read by Mara Exline

Witness of the Family

John Exline

Scripture Reading Galatians 5:22-23

NRSV

By contrast, the fruit of the Spirit is love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, generosity, faithfulness, gentleness, and self-control. There is no law against such things.

Romans 8:26-28

NRSV

Likewise the Spirit helps us in our weakness; for we do not know how to pray as we ought, but that very Spirit intercedes with sighs too deep for words. And God, who searches the heart, knows what is the mind of the Spirit, because the Spirit intercedes for the saints according to the will of God.

We know that all things work together for good for those who love God, who are called according to his purpose.

Sermon

Rev. Max Richter

Witnesses

Mavis Voight Kathy Johnson Dorothy DeFreese

Solo

"How Can I keep from Singing"

arr. by Taylor Davis

Paige Armstrong, soloist

Commendation

Benediction

Postlude

"Fugue in Eb"

by J. S. Bach

Thank you for gathering to celebrate and remember our dear friend, Jeanne today. Her family expresses their heartfelt gratitude for your prayers and support.

You are encouraged to send along your memories and stories about Jeanne to Jack and the rest of the family by email at exlin001@umn.edu.

Obituary Link: https://www.startribune.com/obituaries/detail/0000374658/?fullname=jeanne-louise-(leland)-exline

Worship Leaders:

Ministers: All Members of the Congregation Musicians: Paige Armstrong, Nancy Dierauer Liturgists: Rev. Nate Melcher, Rev. Max Richter Technicians: Ann Johnson, Rev. Bill Johnson Ushers: Gail Johnson, Jan Kirchner, Steve Kirchner

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