

**Please stand if possible*

Gathering

Greetings

Words of Grace

Revelation 14:12-13

This calls for patient endurance on the part of the people of God who keep his commands and remain faithful to Jesus. Then I heard a voice from heaven say, "Write this: Blessed are the dead who die in the Lord from now on. Yes, says the Spirit, "they will rest from their labor, for their deeds will follow them."

***Hymn**

"Amazing Grace" (vs. 1, 2, 4, 5) *UMH #378*

Prayer

Old Testament Reading *Kate Neuswanger*

Ecclesiastes 3:1-8

"There is a time for everything, and a season for every activity under the heavens: a time to be born and a time to die, a time to plant and a time to uproot, a time to kill and a time to heal, a time to tear down and a time to build, a time to weep and a time to laugh, a time to mourn and a time to dance, a time to scatter stones and a time to gather them, a time to embrace and a time to refrain from embracing, a time to search and a time to give up, a time to keep and a time to throw away, a time to tear and a time to mend, a time to be silent and a time to speak, a time to love and a time to hate, a time for war and a time for peace.

Hymn

"Great is Thy Faithfulness" (vs. 1, 3) *UMH #140*

***New Testament Reading** *Annie Neuswanger*

John 16:21-23

"A woman giving birth to a child has pain because her time has come; but when her baby is born, she forgets the anguish because of her joy that a child is born into the world. So with you: Now is your time of grief, but I will see you again and you will rejoice, and no one will take away your joy. In that day you will no longer ask me anything. Very truly I tell you, my Father will give you whatever you ask in my name. Until now you have not asked for anything in my name. Ask and you will receive, and your joy will be complete."

Hymn

"Softly and Tenderly" arr. K. McChesney
Glory Ringers Bell Choir

Moment of Sharing

Message

From Sorrow to Joy *Pastor Kyabuntu*

Hymn

"Swing Low, Sweet Chariot" (vs. 1, 2) *UMH #703*

Commendation

***The Lord's Prayer**

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, the power, and the glory, forever and ever; amen.

Announcements

*Hymn

"In the Garden" (vs. 1, 2, 3) UMH #314

*Benediction

Song

"Sunshine On My Shoulders" John Denver

Postlude

*Blessed Be Her Memory.
Thank you for your presence and prayers.*

Joan's Family

Children

Pete (Amy) Neuswanger
Kurt (Patty) Neuswanger
Linda (Dave Merrifield)
Eastwood

Grandchildren

Kate (Andy Fischer)
Neuswanger
Annie Neuswanger
Alena (Roman Breig)
Neuswanger
Vio Neuswanger
Nick Pierschalla
Cassy Pierschalla

Participants

Jenny Chuang - Organist, Bruce Krenzke - Sound Tech
Randy Pierce - PC Operator, Ellyn Wagner, Linda
Hansen - Hospitality Team

Celebration of the life of Joan Neuswanger



July 31, 2026
11:00 a.m.

Rev. Banze Kyabuntu wa Kiluba



Cedarburg
Community
United Methodist Church

W68N563 Evergreen Blvd.
P. O. Box 617 Cedarburg, WI 53012