

## THE ACT OF REMEMBRANCE

*With God's people throughout the New Testament Church, we remember all those who have finished the race and have kept the faith. We note this day those who have gone to the Church Triumphant during the days of this last year. The following members of St. Paul were ministered to during their time on earth:*

### **Paul Brunnquell, March 20, 1931-November 4, 2023**

Pastor: But as for you, continue in what you have learned and have firmly believed,

**People: knowing from whom you learned it. (2 Timothy 3:14)**

### **Dorothy Andrews, February 5, 1933-November 13, 2023**

Pastor: 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?

**People: And if I go and prepare a place for you, I will come again and will take you to Myself, that where I am you may also be. (John 14:2-3)**

### **Dennis Kranz, April 14, 1936-November 29, 2023**

Pastor: Jesus, remember me when you come into your kingdom.

**People: I tell you the truth, today you will be with Me in Paradise. (Luke 23:42-43)**

### **John Eckhart, July 20, 1948-December 3, 2023**

Pastor: He will wipe away every tear from their eyes, and death shall be no more,

**People: neither shall there be mourning, nor crying, nor pain anymore, for the former things have passed away. (Revelation 21:4)**

### **Elvira Brunnquell, October 25, 1935-December 3, 2023**

Pastor: The Spirit Himself bears witness with our spirit that we are children of God and if children, then heirs—heirs of God and fellow heirs with Christ,

**People: provided we suffer with Him in order that we may also be glorified with Him. (Romans 8:16-17)**

### **Helmuth Thiele Jr, October 4, 1951-January 30, 2024**

Pastor: "My sheep hear my voice, and I know them, and they follow Me.

**People: I give them eternal life, and they will never perish, and no one will snatch them out of my hand." (John 10:27-28)**

### **Deborah Riebe, June 4, 1955-February 13, 2024**

Pastor: For to me to live is Christ,

**People: and to die is gain. (Philippians 1:21)**

### **Shirley Neubauer, January 1, 1928-February 19, 2024**

Pastor: Thy Word is a lamp unto my feet,

**People: and a light unto my path. (Psalm 119:105)**

**INTERLUDE** (Traditional) "For All the Saints" LSB 677, St. 1-2  
(Contemporary) "Well Done" (see screens)

### **Karen Schmidt, October 12, 1937-February 21, 2024**

Pastor: Be faithful unto death,

**People: and I will give you the crown of life. (Revelation 2:10b)**

### **Robert Koopmann, September 18, 1946-March 17, 2024**

Pastor: Even though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I will fear no evil, for You are with Me;

**People: Your rod and Your staff, they comfort me. (Psalm 23:4)**

### **Donald Block, May 22, 1945-March 24, 2024**

Pastor: The thief comes only to steal and kill and destroy. I came that they may have life and have it abundantly.

**People: I am the good shepherd, The good shepherd lays own His life for the sheep. (John 10:10-11)**

### **Esther Leiphart, May 28, 1927-April 21, 2024**

Pastor: Jesus said to him, I am the way, and the truth, and the life.

**People: No one comes to the Father except through Me. (John 14:6)**

**Ronald Block, May 22, 1945-April 27, 2024**

Pastor: We believe that Jesus died and rose again.

**People: And so we believe that God will bring with Jesus those who have fallen asleep in Him.**  
(1 Thessalonians 4:14)

**Dorothy Rutz, June 19, 1932-May 5, 2024**

Pastor: "I, I am he who blots out your transgressions for my own sake,

**People: and I will not remember your sins."** (Isaiah 43:25)

**Harold Schmidt, March 16, 1930-May 25, 2024**

Pastor: When the perishable puts on the imperishable and the mortal puts on immortality,

**People: Then shall come to pass the saying that is written, "Death is swallowed up in victory."**  
(1 Corinthians 15:54)

**Sean Kaul, January 3, 1997-June 4, 2024**

Pastor: The Lord is my light and my salvation; whom shall I fear?

**People: I believe that I shall look upon the goodness of the Lord in the land of the living.**  
(Psalm 27:1a)

**INTERLUDE** (Traditional) "For All the Saints" LSB 677, St. 3-4  
(Contemporary) "Well Done" (see screens)

**Erwin Schmidt, May 25, 1927-June 22, 2024**

Pastor: For now we see in a mirror dimly, but then face to face.

**People: Now I know in part; then I shall know fully, even as I have been fully known.**  
(1 Corinthians 13:12)

**Jay Jorgensen, April 18, 1942-June 23, 2024**

Pastor: And we know that for those who love God all things work together for good,

**People: for those who are called according to His purpose.** (Romans 8:28)

**Richard Wolf, March 31, 1942-June 30, 2024**

Pastor: Jesus said "I am the resurrection and the life, whoever believes in me, though he die yet shall he live,

**People: And everyone who lives and believes in Me shall never die."** (John 11:25-26)

**Cheryl Hafemann, January 7, 1948-August 21, 2024**

Pastor: And He died for all, that those who live might no longer live for themselves

**People: but for Him who for their sake died and was raised.** (2 Corinthians 5:15)

**Christine Groth, July 4, 1960-September 11, 2024**

Pastor: For I am not ashamed of the Gospel,

**People: for it is the power of God for salvation to everyone who believes.** (Romans 1:16)

**Gladys Hartmann, February 18, 1935-September 17, 2024**

Pastor: I have fought the good fight, I have finished the race, I have kept the faith.

**People: Henceforth there is laid up for me the crown of righteousness.** (2 Timothy 4:7-8a)

**Theodore Otto, January 16, 1940-October 5, 2024**

Pastor: Sovereign Lord, as You have promised, You now dismiss Your servant in Peace.

**People: For my eyes have seen Your salvation.** (Luke 2:29-30)

**Milayna Meyers, August 14, 2024-October 22, 2024**

Pastor: For God so loved the world, that He gave His only Son,

**People: that whoever believes in Him should not perish but have eternal life.** (John 3:16)

(Traditional) "For All the Saints" LSB 677, St. 7-8  
(Contemporary) "Hymn Of Heaven" (see screens)