Celebration of Life of **Scott Eugene Eckas**

April 2, 2025

Faith Lutheran Church Eaton, Colorado

ORDER OF SERVICE

PRELUDE: Chelsea Hansen

GREETING:

P Welcome in the name of Jesus the Savior, who died and was raised to new life by the grace of God. We are gathered here to worship, to remember before God our brother, Scott, to give thanks for his life, to commend him to our merciful redeemer, and to comfort one another in our grief.

PROCESSIONAL HYMN: Amazing Grace ELW 779

- P The blessed and holy Trinity, one God, who gives life, salvation, and resurrection, be with you all.
- C And also with you.
- P When we were baptized in Christ Jesus, we were baptized into his death. We were buried therefore with him by Baptism into death, so that as Christ was raised from the dead by the glory of the Father, so we, too, will walk in newness of life. For if we have been united with him in a death like his, we will certainly be united with him in a resurrection like his.
- C Thanks be to God!
- P Let us pray: O God of grace and glory, we remember before you today, Scott Eugene Eckas. We thank you for giving him to us to know and to love as a companion in our pilgrimage on earth. In your boundless compassion, console us who mourn. Give us your aid, so we may see in death the gate to eternal life. Grant us faith big enough to continue our journey on earth until we are reunited with those who have gone before us; through your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord.
- C Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit; as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.

PSALM 23 (responsively)

- P The LORD is my shepherd I shall not want.
- C He makes me to lie down in green pastures, He leads me beside the still waters. He restores my soul.
- P He leads me in paths of righteousness for his name's sake.
- C Yea, though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I will fear no evil. For You are with me. Your rod and Your staff they comfort me.
- P You prepare a table before me in the presence of my enemies. You anoint my head with oil, my cup runs over.
- C Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me all the days of my life; and I will dwell in the house of the Lord forever.

CELEBRATING SCOTT'S LIFE: Craig Lundquist

SONG: You Raise Me Up -- Soloist Craig Lundquist

SCRIPTURE: Philippians 4:4-9

MEDITATION

SONG: On Eagle's Wings ELW 787

APOSTLES CREED

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 into hell.
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.

PRAYERS

P Lord, in your mercy,

C Hear our prayer.

LORD'S PRAYER Soloist Craig Lundquist

PRAYER OF COMMENDATION

- P Into your hands, O merciful Savior, we commend your servant, Scott Eckas. Receive him into the arms of your mercy, into the blessed rest of everlasting peace.
- C Amen.
- P The Lord bless you and keep you.
 The Lord make his face shine on you and be gracious to you.
 The Lord look upon you with favor and grant you, his peace.
- C Amen.
- P Let us go forth in peace.
- C In the name of Christ. Amen.

RECESSIONAL HYMN: It is Well With My Soul ELW 785



Pastor Laurie O'Shea

Lunch following in Faith Lutheran Fellowship Hall.