

## Memorial Service

Saturday— November 6, 2021—11:00 a.m.

**Al Mitchell, Donald John Wickham,  
Delores Price, Jean Petersen,  
Jean Calvert, Ron Buswell, Edna Lindquist**

*Welcome to this Memorial Service, where we are remembering those who died during the pandemic restrictions, and for whom we were unable to gather as a church family.*

*Please observe St. Stephen's safety protocols of wearing a mask at all times indoors and keeping a physical distance of 6ft or more. Please refrain from shaking hands and hugging as we try to consider the most vulnerable among us in the lingering pandemic, and do everything we can to help prevent the spread of a very contagious disease.*

### Prelude

Gary Roberts

### Invocation

Opening Hymn "Precious Lord" Red # 773

### Prayer of the Day

### Scripture Readings

Psalm 130

1 Peter 1:3-9

### Message of Comfort and Hope

Rev. James Lapp

Hymn "The King of Love, My Shepherd Is" Red #502

### Time Of Remembrance

*Please briefly offer words of remembrance,  
a story, or tribute honoring our loved ones  
Please come to the podium microphone before speaking.*

Hymn "On Eagle's Wings" Red # 787

### Prayers

P: God in your mercy...  
**C: Hear our prayer.**

### Lord's Prayer

### Commendation

### Closing Prayer

### Benediction

Closing Hymn "My Life Flows On In Endless Song" Red# 779

### Postlude

Gary Roberts

## **Our Mission Statement**

**St. Stephen's is a welcoming, healing community who worship God in Christ, nurture people growing in faith, serve others with acceptance and love, invite people to share the joy of the spirit.**

## **Reconciling in Christ Statement**

**We welcome all who are seeking God's love and grace.**

**We welcome all because God welcomes all, regardless of race or culture, sexual orientation, gender identity, gender expression, or relationship status.**

**We welcome all without regard to addictions, physical or mental health, imprisonment, socio-economic circumstances, or anything that too often divides us.**

**Our unity is in Christ**

**Ministers: The People of St. Stephen's**

**Pastor: Rev. James P. Lapp**

**Church Administrator: Leslie Lapp**

**Church Musician: Gary Roberts**

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