

Mass of Christian Burial
Elizabeth James Brent

Born to Life March 5, 1939

Entered Eternal Life June 24, 2026

Celebrant: Reverend Robert S. Bourcy
Con-Celebrant - Fr. Mike Bausch
Deacon Mike Piehler



"The Lord shall be my light forever!" (Is 60:19)

Church of the Transfiguration
Thursday, July 2, 2026



Introductory Rite

Prelude	"I Heard the Voice of Jesus Say" - Erin Curtin-Telesca	
Pall Bearers	Owen Hanke, Gary Hanke, Eric Welch, Jay Tolan, Bill Weisner, James McCormack, Michael McCormack, Peter McCormack	
Honorary Pall Bearers	Clare Blanton, Ellen Danehy, Claudia Pitoniak, Sr. Liz Snyder, Mary Presutti-Lancto, Maureen Piles, Caroline Kelly, Betsy McCormack, Amy McCormack	
Placement of the Pall	Megan Harrity and Maura Hanke	
Processional	"I Have Loved You"	
	REFRAIN: I have loved you with an everlasting love, I have loved you, and you are mine; I have loved you with an everlasting love, I have called you, and you are mine.	
	1. Seek the face of the Lord and long for Him. He will bring you his light and his peace. REFRAIN	
	2. Seek the face of the Lord and long for Him. His will bring you has light and his peace REFRAIN	
	3. Seek the face of the Lord and long for Him. He will bring you his care and his love. REFRAIN	
Words of Remembrance	Samuel Hanke	
	Liturgy of the Word	
First Reading	Is 60: 1-5, 19-20	Tom Killian
Responsorial:	"The Lord is my Light"	
Second Reading	1 Cor 13:1-13	Cia McQuaid
Gospel Acclamation	"Glory to you, O Word of God, Lord Jesus Christ" "Glory to you, O Word of God, Lord Jesus Christ"	
Gospel	Jn 14:1-7	Deacon Mike Piehler
Homily	Fr. Robert S. Bourcy	
Prayers of the Faithful	Nancy Johnstone	
Presentation of Gifts	Megan, Grace & Evelyn Harrity, Maura, Owen & Annie Hanke	

Liturgy of the Eucharist

Offertory

“Eye Has Not Seen”

REFRAIN: Eye has not seen, ear has not heard what God has ready for those who love him; Spirit of love, come, give us the mind of Jesus, teach us the wisdom of God.

1. When pain and sorrow weigh us down, be near to us, O Lord, forgive the weakness of our faith, and bear us up within your peaceful word. REFRAIN
2. Our lives are but a single breath, we flower and we fade, yet all our days are in your hands, so we return in love what love has made. REFRAIN
3. To those who see with eyes of faith, the Lord is ever near, reflected in the faces of all the poor and lowly of the world. REFRAIN
4. We sing a myst'ry from the past in halls where saints have trod, yet ever new the music rings to Jesus, Living Song of God. REFRAIN

Holy, Holy, Holy Memorial Acclamation Lord's Prayer

Communion Hymn

“I Am the Bread of Life”

1. I am the Bread of life. You who come to me shall not hunger; and who believe in me shall not thirst. No one can come to me unless the Father beckons. And I will raise you up, and I will raise you up, and I will raise you up on the last day.
2. The bread that I will give is my flesh for the life of the world, and if you eat of this bread, you shall live for ever, you shall live for ever. And I will raise...
3. Unless you eat of the flesh of the Son of Man and drink of his blood, drink of his blood, you shall not have life within you. And I will raise...
4. I am the Resurrection, I am the life. If you believe in me, even though you die, you shall live for ever. And I will raise...
5. Yes, Lord, I believe that you are the Christ, the Son of God, Who has come into the world. And I will raise...

Meditation

“On Eagles Wings” Erin Curtin-Telesca

Song of Farewell

“Go In Peace”

Recessional

“Soon and Very Soon”

1 Soon and very soon we are goin' to see the King,
Soon and very soon we are goin' to see the King,
Soon and very soon we are goin' to see the King,
Hallelujah, Hallelujah,
we are goin' to see the King!

2 No more cryin' there we are goin' to see the King,
No more cryin' there we are goin' to see the King,
No more cryin' there we are goin' to see the King,
Hallelujah, Hallelujah,
we are goin' to see the King!

3 No more dyin' there we are goin' to see the King,
No more dyin' there we are goin' to see the King,
No more dyin' there we are goin' to see the King,
Hallelujah, Hallelujah,
we are goin' to see the King!

4 Soon and very soon we are goin' to see the King,
Soon and very soon we are goin' to see the King,
Soon and very soon we are goin' to see the King,
Hallelujah, Hallelujah,
we're are goin' to see the King!

Hallelujah, Hallelujah, Hallelujah, Hallelujah.

*Thank you for presence today in celebration of Betsy's
Life. Following Mass, please join us in the Parish Life Center
for a light luncheon reception with an invitation to join us after
the luncheon as we travel to St. Patrick's Cemetery
(302 High Street, Victor, NY 14564) to lay Betsy to rest.*

