

A CELEBRATION OF  
THE RESURRECTION



AND OF THE LIFE OF  
KEN F. SUGAWARA

TRINITY PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH  
HENDERSONVILLE, NC  
MAY 10<sup>TH</sup>, 2025

**A Service of Witness to the Resurrection**  
in Gratitude to God for the Life of

**KEN F. SUGAWARA**  
July 13<sup>th</sup>, 1926—April 25<sup>th</sup>, 2025  
A Child of God

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May 10<sup>th</sup>, 2025  
Trinity Presbyterian Church  
Hendersonville, North Carolina

**Prelude**

*Patti Spyer, harp*

**Sentences of Scripture**

John 11:25-26  
John 3:16

*Rev. David Garnett*  
*Mikel Johnson*

**Lighting of the Candle**

*Kayli Sugawara*

**Statement of Purpose**

**Prayer**

**\*Hymn 1**                      “Holy, Holy, Holy! Lord God Almighty!”

**Readings from Scripture**

*Rev. Dwight Christenbury*

- I Corinthians 15:20-28
- John 14:1-3
- I Thessalonians 4:13-18

**Homily**

**Special Music**

“In Christ There Is No East or West”

*Katie Cilluffo*

**\*Affirmation of Faith (*unison*)**    The Apostles Creed

I believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth,

And in Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord; who was conceived by the Holy  
Ghost, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified,

dead, and buried; he descended into hell; the third day he rose again from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and sitteth on the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Ghost; the holy catholic Church; the communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting.  
Amen.

**\*Hymn 2**                                “Come Thou Almighty King”

**Reading from Scripture**                        Matthew 5:5-9                                        *Todd Johnson*

**Thankful Remembrances**    *Rev. David Garnett, Don Widmayer (video),  
Cooper Johnson, Jan Furr (video), Julie Johnson*

**Prayer of Thanksgiving and The Lord’s Prayer (*unison*)**

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 daily bread.

And forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors.

And lead us not into temptation; but deliver us from evil.

For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory forever. Amen.

**\*Hymn 39**                                        “Great Is Thy Faithfulness”

**\*Charge and Blessing**

**Postlude**                                        “For All the Saints Who From Their Labors Rest”

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*\*Please stand in body or spirit.*

*Please join the family for a reception following the Memorial service.*

*In lieu of flowers, the Sugawara family requests that donations  
be made in Ken’s memory to Trinity Presbyterian Church.*

*Special thanks to our organist, Stephen Klein.*

## *“This Is My Song”*

This is my song, O God of all the nations,  
a song of peace for lands afar and mine.  
This is my home, the country where my heart is:  
here are my hopes, my dreams, my holy shrine;  
but other hearts in other lands are beating  
with hopes and dreams as true and high as mine.

My country's skies are bluer than the ocean,  
and sunlight beams on cloverleaf and pine.  
But other lands have sunlight too, and clover,  
and skies are everywhere as blue as mine.  
So hear my song, O God of all the nations,  
a song of peace for their land and for mine.

This is my prayer, O Lord of all earth's kingdoms:  
thy kingdom come; on earth thy will be done.  
Let Christ be lifted up till all shall serve him,  
and hearts united learn to live as one.  
So hear my prayer, O God of all the nations;  
myself I give thee: let thy will be done.

—*Hymn #340*  
*Lyrics by Lloyd Stone*  
*& Georgia Harkness*