

Celebration of Life
for Martha Ludwick Little
October 27, 1933 – August 29, 2024



Saturday, October 5, 2024

10:00 AM

Wellesley Village Church

ORDER OF WORSHIP

*The hymn is found in the **Pilgrim (red)** hymnal.*

** Please stand as you are able.*

*Wellesley Village Church welcomes family and friends
for this time of sacred memorial for Martha Litle,
member for 59 years, since May 2, 1965.*

PRELUDE

“Jesu, Joy of Man’s Desiring”

Johann Sebastian Bach

Jessica Jacobs, Soloist

Kristjon Imperio, Harpsichord

WELCOME

Rev. Sarah S. Butter

OPENING PRAYER

*HYMN

“In the Garden” (see insert)

Kristjon Imperio, Organ

WORDS OF REMEMBRANCE

Linda Godfrey, Daughter

Bob Litle, Son

MUSICAL OFFERING *“Meditation on Amazing Grace”*

PROMISES OF SCRIPTURE

Ecclesiastes 3: 1-8

Taylor Godfrey, Granddaughter

Colossians 3: 12-17

Kayla Hussey, Granddaughter

Matthew 5: 1-10

Mike Litle, Grandson

HOMILY

MUSICAL INTERLUDE

PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING & THE LORD'S PRAYER

**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 day our daily bread, and forgive us our trespasses,
as we forgive those who trespass against us.
Lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.
For thine is the kingdom, the power, and the glory, now and forever.
Amen.**

***HYMN NO. 391**

“Be Thou My Vision” (Pilgrim Hymnal)

***BLESSING**

***RECESSIONAL**

POSTLUDE

“Pie Jesu”

Gabriel Fauré

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Officiant: Rev. Dr. Sarah Sarchet Butter

Assisting: Megan Strouse

Organist and Harpsichordist: Kristjon Imperio

Soloist: Jessica Jacobs

*Following the service, please join the family in Village Common
to share in refreshments, continued remembrance and celebration.*

*Should you wish to make a memorial gift in celebration of Martha's life, please consider the
Wellesley Village Church Memorial Fund., 2 Central St., Wellesley, MA 02482*



"When we see the Earth from space we see ourselves as a whole.

We see unity, but not divisions.

One planet, one human race.

We are here together and we need to live together with tolerance and respect.

Our only boundaries are the way we see ourselves, the only borders the way we see each other.

We must become global citizens.

We are all time travelers, traveling together into the future.

But let us make that future a place we want to visit."

Stephen Hawking



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