



Portrait of Katina Furbish by Jacqueline (Furbish) Aves

**Faith Episcopal Church – Communion at Wheeler Chapel
Celebrating the Life of Katina Furbish ☪ June 14, 1926 – July 8, 2020**

**The 16th Sunday After Pentecost – September 12, 2021
With Prayers Remembering the Blitz of Cardiff (1940-1945)
And the 20th Anniversary of 9/11 (2001)**

**8:30 am – The Holy Eucharist Rite 1 – BCP page 323 and following
10:30 am – An Order for Celebrating the Holy Eucharist, BCP p, 400 ff, adapted**

- ❖ *The CDC advises that everyone, vaccinated or unvaccinated, wear a mask indoors because the COVID-19 Delta variant is so highly contagious. The Episcopal Church in NH is following this guidance.*
- ❖ *Also note: This color print signifies music. Bold, black Italics signifies "say in unison."*

A Choral Prelude – *You who dwell in the shelter of the Lord*, by Michael Joncas

Gathering, Welcome and Announcements followed by –

A Prayer as we Remember the Blitz of Cardiff, Wales (1940-1944) and 9/11 (2001)

God the compassionate one, whose loving care extends to all the world, we remember this day your children of many nations and many faiths whose lives were cut short by the fierce flames of anger and hatred. Console those who continue to suffer and grieve, and give them comfort and hope as they look to the future. Out of what we have endured, give us the grace to examine our relationships with those who perceive us as the enemy, and show our leaders the way to use our power to serve the good of all for the healing of the nations. This we ask through Jesus Christ our Lord who, in reconciling love, was lifted up from the earth that he might draw all things to himself. **Amen.** (By Former Presiding Bishop Frank T. Griswold)

Opening Hymn #594 (Welsh tune name *Cwm Rhondda*) – *God of grace and God of glory*

The Collect for Purity – Unison – *Almighty God, to you all hearts are open, all desires known, and from you no secrets are hid: Cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love you, and worthily magnify your holy Name; through Christ our Lord. Amen.*

The Collect of the Day: O God, because without you we are not able to please you, mercifully grant that your Holy Spirit may in all things direct and rule our hearts; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

A Prayer for Trust:

Help us, we pray, in the midst of things we cannot understand, to believe and trust in the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, and the resurrection to life everlasting. **Amen.**

A Scripture Reading – Psalm 19

The heavens declare the glory of God, and the firmament shows his handiwork. One day tells its tale to another, and one night imparts knowledge to another. Although they have no words or language, *and their voices are not heard, their sound has gone out into all lands, and their message to the ends of the world. In the deep has he set a pavilion for the sun; it comes forth like a bridegroom out of his chamber; it rejoices like a champion to run its course. It goes forth from the uttermost edge of the heavens and runs about to the end of it again; nothing is hidden from its burning heat. The law of the Lord is perfect and revives the soul; the testimony of the Lord is sure and gives wisdom to the innocent. The statutes of the Lord are just and rejoice the heart; the commandment of the Lord is clear and gives light to the eyes. The fear of the Lord is clean and endures for ever; the judgments of the Lord are true and righteous altogether. More to be desired are they than gold, more than much fine gold, sweeter far than honey, than honey in the comb. By them also is your servant enlightened, and in keeping them there is great reward. Who can tell how often he offends? Cleanse me from my secret faults. Above all, keep your servant from presumptuous sins; let them not get dominion over me; then shall I be whole and sound, and innocent of a great offense. Let the words of my mouth and the meditation of my heart be acceptable in your sight, O Lord, my strength and my redeemer.

The Gradual Hymn (Song Sheet) – *Make me an instrument of your peace*

A Gospel Reading – Mark 8:27-38

Jesus went on with his disciples to the villages of Caesarea Philippi; and on the way he asked his disciples, "Who do people say that I am?" And they answered him, "John the Baptist; and others, Elijah; and still others, one of the

prophets." He asked them, "But who do you say that I am?" Peter answered him, "You are the Messiah." And he sternly ordered them not to tell anyone about him. **℣** Then he began to teach them that the Son of Man must undergo great suffering, and be rejected by the elders, the chief priests, and the scribes, and be killed, and after three days rise again. He said all this quite openly. And Peter took him aside and began to rebuke him. But turning and looking at his disciples, he rebuked Peter and said, "Get behind me, Satan! For you are setting your mind not on divine things but on human things." **℣** He called the crowd with his disciples, and said, "If any want to become my followers, let them deny themselves and take up their cross and follow me. For those who want to save their life will lose it, and those who lose their life for my sake, & for the sake of the gospel, will save it. For what will it profit them to gain the whole world and forfeit their life? Indeed, what can they give in return for their life? Those who are ashamed of me and of my words in this adulterous and sinful generation, of them the Son of Man will also be ashamed when he comes in the glory of his Father with the holy angels."

Homily – *One day tells its tale to another, and one night imparts knowledge to another.*

An Offering – Intercessions & Thanksgivings

The Eucharistic Minister leads the **Prayers of the People** –

In peace, we pray to you, Lord God. (*Silence*) For all people in their daily life and work;

For our families, friends, and neighbors, and for those who are alone.

For this community, the nation, and the world;

For all who work for justice, freedom, and peace.

For the just and proper use of your creation;

For the victims of hunger, fear, injustice, & oppression.

For all who are in danger, sorrow, or any kind of trouble;

For those who minister to the sick, the friendless, & the needy.

For the peace & unity of the Church of God; ***For all who proclaim the Gospel, & all who seek the Truth.***

For Michael our Presiding Bishop, Rob our Bishop; and for all other ministers;

For all who serve God in the Church.

For the special needs and concerns of this congregation. *Silence – Please add your petitions*

Hear us, Lord; ***For your mercy is great.***

We pray for all who have died, that they may have a place in your eternal peace. *Silence ...*

Lord, let your loving-kindness be upon them; ***Who put their trust in you.***

Unison: ***Lord Jesus Christ, you said to your apostles, "Peace I give to you; my own peace I leave with you:" Regard not our sins, but the faith of your Church, and give to us the peace and unity of that heavenly City, where with the Father and the Holy Spirit you live and reign, now and for ever. Amen.***

Celebrant: Walk in love as Christ loved us, & gave himself for us, an offering & sacrifice to God.

At the Offertory & Preparation of the Altar (Song Sheet) – Into your hands

Consecration of Bread and Wine – The Great Thanksgiving



Celebrant The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

People ***And also with you.*** Celebrant Lift up your hearts.

People ***We lift them to the Lord.***

Celebrant Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

People ***It is right to give God thanks and praise.***

Celebrant Let us pray together:

We give thanks to God for the work and blessing of Creation – and for sending Christ into the world in Love and Peace. We remember before God our hope in gathering today ...

***Santo, santo, santo, mi corazón te adora! Mi corazón te sabe decir: santo eres Señor!
Holy, holy, holy. My heart, my heart adores you! My heart is glad to say, the words: You are holy, Lord!***

On the night he was handed over to suffering and death, our Lord Jesus Christ took bread; and when he had given thanks to you, he broke it, and gave it to his disciples, and said "Take, eat: This is my Body, which is given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me." & After supper he took the cup of wine; and when he had given thanks, he gave it to them, & said, "Drink this, all of you: This is my Blood of the new Covenant, which is shed for you & for many for the forgiveness of sins. Whenever you drink it, do this for the remembrance of me."

Recalling Christ's suffering and death, and celebrating his resurrection and ascension, we await his coming in glory. Accept, O Lord, our sacrifice of praise, this remembrance of your unfailing love.

Send your Holy Spirit upon these gifts. Let them be for us the Body and Blood of your Son. And grant that we who eat this bread and drink this cup may be filled with your life and goodness.

We pray that all may receive the benefits of Christ's work, and the renewal of the Holy Spirit.

All this we ask through your Son Jesus Christ. By him, and with him, and in him, in the unity of the Holy Spirit all honor and glory is yours, Almighty Father, now and for ever. **AMEN.**

The Breaking of the Bread, Lord's Prayer, Holy Communion

The Celebrant says – "Let us pray."

Almighty and everliving God, we thank you for feeding us with the spiritual food of the most precious Body and Blood of your Son our Savior Jesus Christ; and for assuring us in these holy mysteries that we are living members of the Body of your Son, and heirs of your eternal kingdom. And now, Father, send us out to do the work you have given us to do, to love and serve you as faithful witnesses of Christ our Lord. To him, to you, and to the Holy Spirit, be honor and glory, now and for ever. Amen.

Remembrances: Family and Friends may share their love for Kay Furbish.

The Blessing

Recessional Hymn #657 (Welsh tune name Hyfrydol) – Love divine, all loves excelling

Dismissal: Now go forth to gladden the hearts of those who travel with us. Be swift to love. Make haste to be kind. Go in peace to love and serve the Lord. *Thanks be to God.*



Kay's Birthday was on Flag Day – Here she is at 90!

The War Memorial in Cardiff, Wales

Kay often spoke of Victory in Europe Day in London

Light shines in the darkness & the darkness cannot overcome it

Though sensitive to change, Kay's favorite plant moved when she did