

A SERVICE OF
CELEBRATION AND THANKSGIVING
FOR THE LIFE OF
RYAN BOWLES

Director of Athletics

JULY 14, 1978 - JUNE 19, 2024

BOE MEMORIAL CHAPEL, ST. OLAF COLLEGE

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 15, 2024

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❖ *indicates the congregation shall stand*

PRELUDE Rhosymedre

Ralph Vaughan Williams

❖ OPENING VERSES

📖 Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, the source of all mercy, and the God of all consolation, who comforts us in all our sorrows, so that we can comfort others in their sorrows with the consolation we ourselves have received from God.

📖 **Thanks be to God.**

📖 When we were baptized in Christ Jesus, we were baptized into his death. We were buried therefore with him by baptism into death, so that as Christ was raised from the dead by the glory of the Father, we too might live a new life. For if we have been united with him in a death like his, we shall certainly be united with him in a resurrection like his. (Rom. 6)

❖ PROCESSIONAL HYMN #376 “Thine Is the Glory”

JUDAS MACCABAEUS

❖ WELCOME AND PRAYER

REMEMBRANCES Ryan Kershaw, Dan Kosmoski

ANTHEM “O Day Full of Grace”

F. Melius Christiansen

SCRIPTURE READINGS

Psalm 23; Romans 8:31-35, 37-39 Erin Brallier

Hebrews 12:1-2

Matthew 11:28-30

SERMON

❖ HYMN #790 “Day by Day”

BLOTT EN DAG

❖ PRAYERS

*After each petition the congregation responds: **Hear our prayer.***

❖ THE LORD’S PRAYER (*in 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 day our daily bread;

and forgive us our trespasses,

as we forgive those who trespass against us;

and lead us not into temptation,

but deliver us from evil.

For Thine is the kingdom,

and the power, and the glory,

forever and ever. Amen.

❖ COMMENDATION

☞ Let us commend Ryan to the mercy of God, our maker and redeemer. Into your hands, O merciful Savior, we commend your servant Ryan. Acknowledge, we humbly beseech you, a sheep of your own fold, a lamb of your own flock, a sinner of your own redeeming. Receive him into the arms of your mercy, into the blessed rest of everlasting peace, and into the glorious company of the saints in light.

☞ **Amen.**

ANTHEM “Beautiful Savior”

F. Melius Christiansen

BENEDICTION

☞ Let us go forth in peace, in the name of Christ,

☞ **Amen.**

RECESSIONAL POSTLUDE Pièce d’Orgue

Johann Sebastian Bach

* Reception following service in Skoglund Center.

Service Leaders

preacher - Matthew Marohl, College Pastor

assisting minister - Katherine Fick, Associate College Pastor

organist - James Bobb, Cantor to the Student Congregation

St. Olaf Choir - Anton Armstrong '78, Conductor

services arrangements - Bierman, Benson & Langehough Funeral Home