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*Memorial Service  
and Celebration  
of  
Sister Michelle Germanson's Life*

Wednesday, July 14, 2021

## *Welcome*

Laura M. Curley, President of Trinity High School

## *Opening Prayer*

Written and Read by Sister Mary Ann Casey, O.P.

Loving, Faithful God,

We gather this evening to celebrate and remember the life of Michelle Germanson, O.P., a life that began on July 14, 1944 and began anew in Your Presence on October 21, 2020.

Some of us gathered here call her Michelle, others Peggy, or Sister or dear friend. You, O God, call her beloved daughter. This night we name her “Awesome Woman” and give You thanks for all the ways You empowered her to bring each of us and so many others closer to You.

Michelle believed and delighted in your Love for her, preached and taught us of Your beloved Word, Jesus, and shared Your Life-Giving Spirit with all she met.

Through your power at work in her she taught us to be who God meant us to be and to set the world on fire.

And to this we say Amen, Alleluia.

## *First Reading*

2 Timothy 4:5-8 ~ Read by Mary Burke

## *Gospel*

John 6:1-14 ~ Read by Reverend Monsignor Kenneth Velo

## *Homily*

Reverend Monsignor Kenneth Velo

## *Dominican Blessing*

Nicole Neyenesch '16

## *Prayers of the Faithful*

Elizabeth Bertucci '49

Peg Kearin Carey '53

Cindy Cronin

Colleen Stone Funda '86

Sr. Judith Schaefer, PhD, O.P.

Mary T. Schneider

## *Reflection*

Christine Lee Bollettino '68

## *Closing Remarks*

Shena McNamara Keith, VP of Institutional Advancement

## *Alma Mater*

Heather Hellquist '20

## *Greeters*

Santa Christina

Cherise Partipilo Gerin '82

Tim Hanley

Judy Mangos '81

Donna Murray

Mary Christine Pacer '14

Larry and Nancy (Murphy '58) Ryan

Carol Giles Parrillo '50

Colleen Hanley Saleh '82