



Friends and family are invited to a luncheon in the Founders' Room following the service.

A Celebration of Life

John M. Wright
April 11, 1936 – October 13, 2024



Geneva Presbyterian Church
11931 Seven Locks Road, Rockville, MD 20854
Rev. Patrick McElwaine, Pastor
Ben Shaver, Music Director

A Service of Witness to the Resurrection and
Celebration of the Life of
John Meredith Wright

November 2, 2024

11:00 am

Order of Worship

Gathering

Prelude

Processional

Call to Worship

Rev. Patrick McElwaine

Leader: As a father has compassion for his children,

**People: so the Lord has compassion for those who fear
God.**

Leader: As a mother comforts her child,

People: so I will comfort you, says the Lord.

Leader: I am the resurrection and the life, says the Lord.

**People: Those who believe in me, even though they die,
will live, and everyone who lives and believes in
me will never die.**

Leader: Let us remember the life of John, a witness to the
resurrection, who now lives forevermore with God.

Hymn #422

"Amazing Grace"

The Word

Prayer

Scripture Readings

Old Testament Reading

Psalm 23

New Testament Reading

Romans 14:7-12

Homily

Rev. Patrick McElwaine

Hymn #51

"How Great Thou Art"

Response

Reflections

Nancy Wright

Amy Suseck

Lord's Prayer *(in unison)*

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed by 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 debts as we forgive our debtors. Lead us not into
temptation, but deliver us from evil, for Thine is the
Kingdom, and the power, and the glory forever. Amen.

Special Music "Have You Not Heard" by Craig Courtney

Sending

Prayer of Thanksgiving

Hymn # 447

"Because He Lives"

Benediction