

In celebration of the life of
Sandy Gail Roisum

Christ the King Lutheran Church
Bloomington, Minnesota
April 24, 2026
11:00 a.m.

PRELUDE
WELCOME

THANKSGIVING FOR BAPTISM

When we were baptized in Christ Jesus,

Eternal God, maker of heaven and earth, who formed us from the dust of the earth, who by your breath gave us life, we glorify you.

We glorify you.

Jesus Christ, the resurrection and the life, who suffered death for all humanity, who rose from the grave to open the way to eternal life, we praise you. **We praise you.**

Holy Spirit, author and giver of life, the comforter of all who sorrow, our sure confidence and everlasting hope, we worship you.

We worship you.

To you, O blessed Trinity, be glory and honor, forever and ever. **Amen.**

HYMN **How Great Thou Art** **ELW 856**

GREETING AND PRAYER OF THE DAY

The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all. **And also with you.**

Let us pray. O God ...through your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen**

EULOGY

Lisa Murphy, daughter
Todd Roisum, son
Chris Roisum, son

SPECIAL MUSIC **Light a Candle** by Marta Keen

READINGS Psalm 23, Mitchell Murphy, grandson
Matthew 5:1-12, Johnny Roisum, grandson

SERMON

HYMN **Here I am Lord** **ELW 574 vs 1 & 3**

APOSTLES' CREED

I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth. I believe in Jesus Christ, God's only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried; he descended to the dead. On the third day he rose again; he ascended into heaven, he is seated at the right hand of the Father, and he will come to judge the living and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

PRAYERS

Each petition ends "Lord, in your mercy..."

Congregation responds "...hear our prayer."

SOLO **The Lord's Prayer** Jan Pofahl, Sandy's sister

COMMENDATION

SPECIAL MUSIC **I'll Fly Away** by Albert E. Brumley

DISMISSAL

POSTLUDE

Participating Today

Preacher Pastor Per Halaas

Pianist Jan Pofahl

Special Music Trinity Choir, Kristi MacKay, Director of Music

Sandra Gail Roisum (Sandy)

Bloomington, MN - Sandra "Sandy" Gail Roisum, age 84, passed away peacefully at home on April 13, 2026. Sandy is survived by her husband John of 63 years, children Lisa Murphy (Jim Davich), Todd (Joan) Roisum, Chris (Mary) Roisum; grandchildren Shannon (Matt) Dee, Max (Maggie) Murphy, Johnny (Mollie) Roisum, Jenna (Sam) Wolfe, Tony (Alyssa) Roisum, Mitchell Murphy, and Benjamin Roisum; six great-grandchildren, and many friends and family, including her nine siblings, Clair, Kathy, Gaylord, Rozy, Kevin, Alana, Patti, Jeannie, and Jan. Sandy is preceded in death by her parents Dora and Winton Madsen and brother Allan.

Sandy was born on April 5, 1942, and was proud to have grown up in New London, Minnesota, before moving to Bloomington, MN. She was always the brightest smile in every room and made friends with everyone she met. Sandy's many talents included painting and drawing, but her true passion was tending to her garden and making every yard she touched beautiful. An active member at Christ the King Lutheran Church (Bloomington), she sang in the choir for over 30 years and loved maintaining the church's flowers.

A remarkable woman on all fronts, Sandy's true calling in life was to be a grandmother to her seven grandchildren and "Gigi" to her six great-grandchildren, who love her more than anything.

Please consider donating to Christ the King Lutheran Church (Memorials for Christ the King Lutheran Church) to honor Sandy's love for keeping the church grounds beautiful.

John, Lisa, Todd, and Chris would like to thank everyone that has supported them through this time. Whenever you hear the birds sing or the spring flowers bloom, we hope a smile comes to your face as you think of Sandy with joy.



Sandra Gail Roisum

April 5, 1942

April 13, 2026