

A Ceremony of Remembrance
For the family of



Ruth Bovier Witt

August 24, 1938 – September 5, 2022

The First Presbyterian Church
New Canaan, CT
September 10, 2022
12:00 pm

A SERVICE OF WITNESS TO THE
RESURRECTION AND CELEBRATION
OF THE LIFE OF

Ruth Bovier Witt

Prelude

Welcome

*Hymn No. 366 Love Divine, All Loves Excelling

Confession

God of mercy: Death comes to us abruptly. Warmth and breath and presence are no more. Words that were said cannot be explained; words unsaid remain so. Lord, we confess to you the unfinished and the unhealed. We recognize our sorrow. Lord, have mercy on us. Let your Spirit touch us with comfort and hope. Give us ears to hear and hearts to believe the promises of your eternal love. Amen.

Assurance of Pardon

Readings

Revelation 21:1-5a, 6b-7

Romans 14:7-9, 10c-12

John 14:1-6, 27

Connor Allen

Caitlin Allen

Courtney Allen

Sermon

*Hymn No. 69 I, the Lord of Sea and Sky

A Time of Remembering

Matthew Allen
Connie Musa

Prayer

*Hymn No. 649 *Amazing Grace, How Sweet the Sound*

Commendation

Blessing

Postlude

**Please stand in body or in spirit as you are able.*

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*A brief committal service will be held following this service
at Lakeview Cemetery, 352 Main Street, New Canaan.
A luncheon reception will be held at the Roger Sherman Inn,
195 Oenoke Ridge, New Canaan, following the committal.
Feel free to join the family at the committal or
meet them at the reception.*

Officiating Clergy

The Reverend Mary Marple Thies

Musician

Terence J. Flanagan

