

*In Loving Memory of*  
*Mary Elizabeth Johnson*

*Sunrise*  
*October 26, 1936*

*Sunset*  
*July 27, 2021*



*Service*  
*Monday, August 2, 2021 • 10:00 a.m.*

**Blessed Sacrament Church**  
610 Clinton Avenue • Newark, New Jersey

## *Reflection of Life*

**Mary Elizabeth Anderson** was born in Albany, Georgia on October 26, 1936. She was the youngest of three. She departed this life on July 27, 2021 in Newark, New Jersey.

Her formal education was in Albany, Georgia. There she decided that she wanted to work in health care. Upon completion of various certificate programs, she was able to fulfill her dream and work in health care.

She came to Newark in 1960 and married Joseph Johnson.

She was a devoted member of the blessed sacrament Saint Charles Borromeo Roman Catholic Church since 1963. There she served on various committees and served in whatever capacity the church community deemed necessary.

She is preceded in death by; her mother, Betty McKimble; her father, Robert Adams; her sister, Ethel Thorpe; and Willie Anderson.

She leaves to mourn her memory; Rodney Rodney Anderson (son); Tavia Anderson (granddaughter); Famous Anderson (great grandson); and a host of grandkids, great grandkids and other relatives.

## Order of Service

Welcome and Blessing of Body

Processional Hymn ..... “God Has Smiled on Me”

Opening Prayer

First Scripture Reading ..... Wisdom 3 :1-6,9 - Juanita Moore

Responsorial Psalm 27 ..... The Lord Is My Light And My Salvation

Second Scripture Reading..... 2 Corinthians 5:1,6-10 - Mary F. Brown

Gospel Acclamation.....Alleluia

*This is the will of My Father, says the Lord,  
that all who believe in the Son will have eternal life  
and I will raise them to life again on the last day...ALLELUIA*

Gospel .....John 14: 1-6

Words of Consolation

Prayers of the Faithful

Offertory Hymn.....“Give Me A Clean Heart”

Holy, Holy, Holy

The Lord’s Prayer

Sign of Peace (virtual)

Communion Hymn..... “One Bread, One Body”

Meditation Hymn ..... “Precious Lord”

Final Commendation

Recessional Hymn ..... “Going Up Yonder”

### ***Interment***

*Fairmount Cemetery  
Newark, New Jersey*

# *Psalm 23*

*The Lord is my shepherd; I shall not want. He maketh me to lie down in green pastures He leaeth me beside the still waters. He restoreth my soul. He leadeth me in the path Of righteousness for his name's sake. Yea, though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I will fear no evil; for thou art with me; Thy rod and Thy staff they comfort me. Thou preparest a table before me and in the presence of mine enemies. Thou anointest my head with oil; my cup runneth over. Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me all the days of my life; and I will dwell in the house of the Lord forever.*

## *Acknowledgements*

*Thank you to her church family and friends during this time of Bereavement to which you have extended your kindness. May God continue to bless you.*

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