

**Service for the Lord's Day
July 14, 2019**

THE GATHERING

THE PRELUDE *Recit de Nazard* L. N. Clerambault

THE CHIMING OF THE HOUR

THE WELCOME

***THE CALL TO WORSHIP** *Psalm 118:24*

Leader: This is the day the Lord has made!

People: Let us rejoice and be glad in it!

***THE HYMN 464** *Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee*

THE PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Lord God, you have shown us such love,
and stretched out your arms
to draw us into your embrace.
Yet we so often fail to show that love
within our lives,
or recognize its source.
Forgive our short-sightedness,
for the times we've failed to see your love
in the generosity of friend
or stranger,
the shoulder to cry on,
willing ear to listen,
a word of encouragement,
holding our hand that extra mile.
Forgive us for failing to notice
how much you care for us.

Amen

***THE ASSURANCE OF PARDON**

Leader: The mercy of the Lord is from everlasting to everlasting!

People: In Jesus Christ, God calls us by name, claims us in love, and brings us hope!

***THE PASSING OF PEACE**

Leader: The peace of Christ be with you.

People: And also with you.

THE PROCLAMATION

THE SCRIPTURE READING *Psalm 121 (Please see insert)*

Leader: This is the word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

THE SERMON *About Those Hills* Rev. J. Patrick Vaughn

***THE HYMN 400** *When We Are Living*

THE SENDING

THE PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

THE LORD'S PRAYER

Our Father*, who art in heaven, hallowed be 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 sins, as we forgive those who sin against us; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory, forever. Amen.

***or "Our Creator"**

THE PRESENTATION OF THE TITHES AND OFFERINGS

THE OFFERTORY

Berceuse

L. Vierne

*THE DOXOLOGY

**Praise God from whom all blessings flow. Praise him all creatures here below.
Praise him above ye heavenly host. Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. Amen.**

- or -

**Praise God from whom all blessings flow. Praise God all creatures here below.
Praise God above ye heavenly host. Creator, Christ, and Holy Ghost. Amen.**

THE PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

*THE HYMN 333

Seek Ye First

*THE BENEDICTION

*THE POSTLUDE

Caprice sur les Grand Jeux

L. N. Clerambault

**Please stand*

The Rev. Dr. J. Patrick Vaughn, Pastor
The Rev. Heather Brown-Huston, Minister for Congregational Life
John Lettieri, Director of Music
Kathy DiBiasi, Director of Educational Ministries
The Rev. Leslie Mott, Coordinator for Spirituality and Practice

Sunday Worship Service 10:00 AM
Church School & Childcare 10:00 AM
Email: Office@bedfordpreschurch.org www.bedfordpreschurch.org

Village Green Bedford, NY 914-234-3672

BEDFORD PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

