

Bryson City Presbyterian Church
January 19, 2020

Gathering of God's People

Prelude "Adasro" Elgar

Preparation for Worship

Call to Worship (please read bold) Psalm 49
When I waited patiently for you, O God, you bent down to me and heard my cry.

You put a new song in my mouth, a song of praise to our God

I have told the glad news of deliverance in the great congregation; I have not restrained my lips, as you know, O Lord.

Do not, O Lord, withhold your mercy from me; let your steadfast love and faithfulness keep me safe forever.

LET US WORSHIP GOD!

*Hymn of Praise 267 Come, Christians, Join to Sing MADRID

Prayer of Confession (unison)

Our desire is to do your will, O God; your law is in our hearts. But when misfortunes beyond counting press from all sides, and iniquities overtake us, our sight fails. When we are tempted by the vain promises of a life full of ease, our courage forsakes us and we submit to their charm. When enemies overpower us and mock our faith, we shrink back in disgrace and abandon what Christ taught. O God, we are poor and in need. You are our help and salvation. Come to our aid, and make no delay.

HEAR OUR PRAYERS. (Silent prayers)

Assurance of Pardon

Friends, hear the Good News of the Gospel;
In Jesus Christ we are forgiven!

*Gloria 580

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost. As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen. Amen.

Story Time

Hymn of Meditation 175 Seek Ye First LAFFERTY

Joys & Concerns

Pastoral Prayer and 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 debts, as we forgive our debtors; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For Thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory, forever. Amen.

Offertory "Christ Be In My Waking" arr.Shackley

*Doxology 606

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.

Proclamation of the Word

Special Music *He's Always Been Faithful* Grove
Nicole Huett-Soloist

Scripture John 1:29-42
Meditation "Behold, A New Type of Lamb" Rev. Matt Huett

Responding to the Word

*Prayer of Praise and Adoration

You have called us before we were born, O God, and named us in our mother's womb. You have made our mouths like sharp swords, and hid us in the shadow of your hand. You have made us polished arrows and kept us safe in your quiver. In Christ you have called us to be your servants, to be a light to the nations, and to herald your goodness to all. Now our heads are lifted up and we will offer you our sacrifices with shouts of joy.

Amen

*Hymn of Commitment 170 You Walk Along Our Shoreline WIE LIEBLICH

*Benediction

**May the love of God go with you from this place.
May your hours and days show forth His praise.**

*Postlude "We Are Called" arr.Shackley

*Please stand if able

Mission Statement of The Bryson City Presbyterian Church

We seek to follow Jesus Christ as we...

***Engage** and encourage one another in worship and fellowship*

***Learn** together as we grow in discipleship and*

***Reach** out in love*

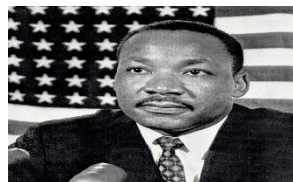
2019 Contribution Statements are available. Please be sure to pick yours up in the Joy Boxes.

Upcoming Events

Monday, January 20th

MLK Day

Office Closed



Wednesday, January 22nd

11:00 a.m. Bible Study

Thursday, January 23rd

8:00 a.m. Men's Breakfast

4-6 p.m. The Giving Spoon

BCPC Elders

Collin Caldwell, Drew Campbell, Cathy Evans, Kyle Colley, Mark Brannon, Becky Claxton, Carol Sussman, Dawn Letterman

BCPC Staff

Pastor – Rev. Terry Hanna; Minister of Music – Rev. Rachel Lackey;

Administrative Assistant – Amanda Garret; Nursery – Josie Parker; Custodian – Renee Mercer

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