

*Sail Away*

By: Rabindranath Tagore

Early in the day it was whispered that we should sail in a boat,  
only thou and I, and never a soul in the world would know of this our  
pilgrimage to no country and to no end.

In that shoreless ocean,  
at thy silently listening smile my songs would swell in melodies,  
free as waves, free from all bondage of words.

Is the time not come yet?  
Are there works still to do?  
Lo, the evening has come down upon the shore  
and in the fading light the seabirds come flying to their nests.

Who knows when the chains will be off,  
and the boat, like the last glimmer of sunset,  
vanish into the night?



Worship Participants

Pastors, Revs. Lynne Clements and Dorothy Piatt-Esquerre  
Audio Visual, Tom Mullen  
Westminster Adult Choir  
Choir Director, Megan Sharp  
Organist, Jonathan Schakel

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Celebration of the Life of*

**Bob Bedford**

October 6, 1942 - September 2, 2022



October 10, 2022

at 11 a.m.

Westminster Presbyterian Church  
Charlottesville, Virginia

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Psalm 23

King James Version

The Lord is my shepherd; I shall not want.  
He maketh me to lie down in green pastures:  
he leadeth me beside the still waters.  
He restoreth my soul:  
he leadeth me in the paths 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 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 for ever.



Prelude	<i>Prelude on 'Slane': "At the Close of the Day"</i>	<i>Healey Willan</i>
	<i>Abide with me</i>	<i>James Woodman</i>
Sentences of Scripture		Rev. Lynne Clements
Greeting		
Prayer		
▲ Hymn 8	<b>Eternal Father, Strong to Save</b>	
Family Reflections		David Hoffman
First Reading	<i>Immortality</i>	Eleanor Bedford
Second Reading	I Corinthians 13:1-13	Ben Maughan Elisabeth Scott
Third Reading	John 14:1-6, 25-27	
Homily		
Anthem	<i>In Paradisum (from Requiem)</i>	Gabriel Fauré
Prayer of Thanksgiving, concluding with the Lord's Prayer		Rev. Dorothy Piatt-Esguerra GTG Hymnal, pg. 35
▲ Hymn 611	<b>Joyful, Joyful, We Adore You</b>	
▲ Commendation and Blessing		
Postlude	<i>Trumpet Tune</i>	Jeremiah Clarke

▲ Please rise, in body or in spirit.

*Family and friends are invited to a reception in the Fellowship Hall immediately following the service.*