

# ***First Presbyterian Church of Sandpoint, Idaho***

November 9, 2025, 11:00 a.m., 22<sup>nd</sup> Sunday after Pentecost

*Catherine Lyle, Pastor; Annie Welle, Piano; Dana Stockman, Choir Director  
Carol Curtis, Worship Leader; Kathleen Huntley & Marilyn Robertson, Ushers  
Don Helander, Livestream*

PRELUDE MUSIC, LIVESTREAM BEGINS

LIGHT THE CHRIST CANDLE, WELCOME, ANNOUNCEMENTS

RING THE BELL, MOMENT OF SILENCE

CALL TO WORSHIP

\*OPENING HYMN #464 “Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee”

\*OPENING PRAYER AND RESPONSIVE PEACE OF CHRIST

**Your love has brought us together, O Lord, and it is your love that sustains us through each day. We pray that you would keep us faithful. Even as we watch for signs of your kingdom, strengthen us to work with you to bring about, here and now, your reign on earth. Give us the courage to witness to your presence in the world, today, tomorrow, and into the future. We pray in the name of the One who comes, Christ our Savior. Amen.**

The peace of Christ be with you. **And also with you.** Thanks be to God!

\*SUNG RESPONSE #577 “Glory Be to the Father”

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

CHORAL ANTHEM “You Are My Light”

SCRIPTURE Deuteronomy 6:4-9

Psalm 98 (read responsively)

O sing to the Lord a new song, for he has done marvelous things.

**His right hand and his holy arm have gotten him victory.**

The Lord has made known his victory;

**he has revealed his vindication in the sight of the nations.**

He has remembered his steadfast love and faithfulness to the house of Israel.

**All the ends of the earth have seen the victory of our God.**

Make a joyful noise to the Lord, all the earth;

**Break forth into joyous song and sing praises.**

Sing praises to the Lord with the lyre, with the lyre and the sound of melody.

**With trumpets and the sound of the horn make a joyful noise before the King, the Lord.**

Let the sea roar and all that fills it, the world and those who live in it.

**Let the floods clap their hands; let the hills sing together for joy at the presence of the Lord,**

for he is coming to judge the earth.

**He will judge the world with righteousness and the peoples with equity.**

WORDS OF WITNESS "Our Legacy of Gratitude" Rev. Becky Anderson

\*HYMN OF RESPONSE #426 "Lord, Speak to Me, That I May Speak (vs. 1, 3, 4)

PRAYERS OF THE COMMUNITY Lord in your mercy...**hear our 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.*

OFFERING, OFFERTORY

\*THE DOXOLOGY #593 "Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow"

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

\*PRAYER OF DEDICATION

\*CLOSING HYMN #422 "God, Whose Giving Knows No Ending"

\*CHARGE & BENEDICTION

\*FOLLOW THE LIGHT OF CHRIST

We follow Christ's light, for we are a congregation of people,  
**Loving, living, learning the joy of faith.**

\*POSTLUDE, LIVESTREAM CONCLUDES

## WORDS TO SONGS

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### Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee

Joyful, joyful, we adore Thee,  
God of glory, Lord of love;  
Hearts unfold like flowers before Thee,  
Opening to the sun above.  
Melt the clouds of sin and sadness;  
Drive the gloom of doubt away;  
Giver of immortal gladness,  
Fill us with the light of day.

Mortals, join the happy chorus  
Which the morning stars began;  
Love divine is reigning o'er us,  
Joining all in heaven's plan.  
Ever singing, march we onward,  
Victors in the midst of strife,  
Joyful music leads us sunward  
In the triumph song of life.

All Thy works with joy surround Thee,  
Earth and heaven reflect Thy rays,  
Stars and angels sing around Thee,  
Center of unbroken praise.  
Field and forest, vale and mountain,  
Flowery meadow, flashing sea,  
Chanting bird and flowing fountain,  
Call us to rejoice in Thee.

## Lord, Speak to Me, That I May Speak

Lord, speak to me, that I may speak  
In living echoes of Thy tone;  
As Thou hast sought, so let me seek  
Thine erring children lost and lone.

O teach me, Lord, that I may teach  
The precious things Thou dost impart;  
And wing my words, that they may reach  
The hidden depths of many a heart.

O fill me with Thy fullness, Lord,  
Until my very heart o'erflow  
In kindling thought and glowing word,  
Thy love to tell, Thy praise to show.

## God, Whose Giving Knows No Ending

God, whose giving knows no ending,  
From Your rich and endless store,  
Nature's wonder, Jesus' wisdom,  
Costly cross, grave's shattered door:  
Gifted by You, we turn to You,  
Offering up ourselves in praise;  
Thankful song shall rise forever,  
Gracious donor of our days.

Skills and time are ours for pressing  
Toward the goals of Christ, your Son:  
All at peace in health and freedom,  
Races joined, the church made one.  
Now direct our daily labor,  
Lest we strive for self alone;  
Born with talents, make us servants  
Fit to answer at Your throne.

Treasure too You have entrusted,  
Gain through powers Your grace conferred;  
Ours to use for home and kindred,  
And to spread the gospel Word.  
Open wide our hands, in sharing,  
As we heed Christ's ageless call,  
Healing, teaching, and reclaiming,  
Serving You by loving all.

WORKING TOGETHER to FEED FAMILIES



Food Drive November & December 2025