

*First Presbyterian Church of Sandpoint, Idaho*

*February 5, 2023, 10:30 a.m. Fifth Sunday after the Epiphany*

*Andy Kennaly, Pastor; Annie Welle, Piano*

*Worship Leader, Mary Sturgis; Ushers, Dyno Wahl, Dave Sturgis*

*Livestream, Sue Helander*

PRELUDE MUSIC & LIVESTREAM BEGINS, LIGHT THE CHRIST  
CANDLE, RING THE BELL, MOMENT OF SILENCE, WELCOME,  
ANNOUNCEMENTS

\*OPENING HYMN # 324 Open My Eyes That I May See

\*OPENING PRAYER AND RESPONSIVE PEACE OF CHRIST

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

\*GLORIA PATRI Hymnal # 577 Glory Be to the Father

*Glory be to the Father, and to 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...*

SCRIPTURE READINGS Isaiah 58:1-12, Psalm 112:1-10, Matthew 5:13-20

WORDS OF WITNESS "A Watered Garden" Andy Kennaly, Pastor

\*HYMN OF RESPONSE Hymnal # 322 Spirit of the Living God

PRAYERS OF THE COMMUNITY

Lord in your mercy...**hear our prayer.**

**Eternal Spirit, Source of all that is and ever shall be, Loving Parent in whom we discern heaven, may knowledge of your holiness inspire all peoples, and may your commonwealth of peace and freedom flourish on earth, until all of humankind heed your call, to justice and compassion. May we find the bread that we need for today, and for the hurts we cause one another, may we be forgiven in the same measure that we forgive. In times of trial and temptation, help us to be strong; when life seems overwhelming, help us to endure; and thus from the yoke of sin deliver us. May you reign in the power of human love, now and forever. Amen.**

OFFERING, OFFERTORY, DOXOLOGY, PRAYER OF DEDICATION

\*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....*

INSTALLATION OF CHURCH OFFICERS

Mary Sturgis, Deacon; Judy Labrie, Ruling Elder

COMMUNION

\*CLOSING SONG                      Sing the Faith # 2117    Spirit of God

CHARGE AND 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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### **Open My Eyes That I May See**

1 Open my eyes that I may see  
glimpses of truth thou hast for me.  
Place in my hands the wonderful key  
that shall unclasp and set me free.  
Silently now I wait for thee,  
ready, my God, thy will to see.  
Open my eyes, illumine me,  
Spirit divine!

2 Open my ears that I may hear  
voices of truth thou sendest clear,  
and while the wave notes fall on my  
ear,  
ev'rything false will disappear.  
Silently now I wait for thee,  
ready, my God, thy will to see.  
Open my ears, illumine me,  
Spirit divine!

3 Open my mouth and let me bear  
gladly the warm truth ev'rywhere.  
Open my heart and let me prepare  
love with thy children thus to share.  
Silently now I wait for thee,  
ready, my God, thy will to see.  
Open my heart, illumine me,  
Spirit divine!

### **Spirit of the Living God**

Spirit of the Living God,  
Fall afresh on me,  
Spirit of the Living God,  
Fall afresh on me.

Melt me, mold me, fill me, use me.  
Spirit of the Living God,  
Fall afresh on me.

### **Spirit of God**

1. Spirit of God, bright wind,  
breath that bids life begin,  
blow as you always do;  
create us anew.

Give us the breath to sing,  
lifted on soaring wing,  
held in your hands,  
borne on your wings.  
Alleluia! Come, Spirit, come!

2. Spirit of God, bright Dove,  
grant us your peace and love,  
healing upon your wings  
for all living things.

For when we live your peace,  
captives will find release,  
held in your hands,  
borne on your wings.  
Alleluia! Come, Spirit, come!

3. Spirit of God, bright hands,  
even in far off lands you  
hold all the humans race  
in one warm embrace.  
No matter where we go,  
You hold us together so,  
held in your hands,

borne on your wings.  
Alleluia! Come, Spirit, come!

4. Spirit of God, bright Flame,  
send us in your holy name,  
the power to heal,  
to share your love everywhere.  
We cannot fail or fall,  
or know defeat at all,  
held in your hands,  
borne on your wings.  
Alleluia! Come, Spirit, come!

5. Spirit of God, in all,  
we gladly hear your call,  
the life in our hands that sings,  
the power of your wings.  
Born of your grace we rise,  
love shining in our eyes,  
held in your hands,  
borne on your wings.  
Alleluia! Come, Spirit, come!