

***First Presbyterian Church of Sandpoint, Idaho***  
***September 1, 2024, 9:30 a.m. Fifteenth Sunday after Pentecost***

*Andy Kennaly, Pastor; Annie Welle, Piano; Dana Stockman, Choir Director*  
*Bill Love, Worship Leader; Judy McComish, Usher*  
*Don Helander, Livestream*

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

\*OPENING SONGS #2157 “Come and Fill Our Hearts” sung three times  
#2152 “Change My Heart, O God” sung twice

\*OPENING PRAYER AND PEACE OF CHRIST

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....*

\*SPECIAL MUSIC “Deep River” *Aurora Vincent, Annie Welle accompanist*

SCRIPTURE Psalm 15, James 1:17-27, Mark 7:1-8, 14-15, 21-23

WORDS OF WITNESS “Where Our Hearts Are” Andy Kennaly, Pastor

PRAYERS OF THE COMMUNITY

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

**Eternal Spirit, Earth maker, pain bearer, life giver, Source of all that shall be, Father and Mother of us all, Loving God, in whom is heaven; The hallowing of your name echo through the Universe! The way of your justice be followed by the peoples of the world! Your heavenly will be done by all created beings! Your commonwealth of peace and freedom sustain our hope and come on Earth. With the bread we need for today, feed us. In the hurts that we absorb from one another, forgive us. In times of temptation and test, strengthen us. From trials too great to endure, spare us. From the grip of all that is evil, free us. For you reign in the glory of the power that is love, now and 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

COMMUNION

\*CLOSING HYMN #276 “Great Is Thy Faithfulness”

\*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

*You are invited to stay for refreshments and conversation.*

## WORDS TO SONGS

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### **Come and Fill Our Hearts** (Sing three times)

Come and fill our hearts with your peace.  
You alone, O Lord, are holy.  
Come and fill our hearts with your peace.  
Alleluia!

### **Change My Heart, O God** (Sing two times)

Change my heart, O God,  
Make it every true.  
Change my heart, O God,  
May I be like you.

You are the Potter,  
I am the clay.  
Mold me and make me,  
This is what I pray.

Change my heart, O God,  
Make it ever true.  
Change my heart, O God,  
May I be like you.

### **Great Is Thy Faithfulness**

Great is Thy faithfulness, O God my Father,  
There is no shadow of turning with Thee;  
Thou changest not, Thy compassions, they fail not;  
As Thou hast been, Thou forever wilt be.

#### *Refrain:*

Great is Thy faithfulness!  
Great is Thy faithfulness!  
Morning by morning new mercies I see;  
All I have needed Thy hand hath provided;  
Great is Thy faithfulness, Lord, unto me!

Summer and winter, and springtime and harvest,  
Sun, moon, and stars in their courses above  
Join with all nature in manifold witness  
To Thy great faithfulness, mercy, and love. *[Refrain]*

Pardon for sin and a peace that endureth,  
Thine own dear presence to cheer and to guide;  
Strength for today and bright hope for tomorrow,  
Blessings all mine, with ten thousand beside! *[Refrain]*