

***First Presbyterian Church of Sandpoint, Idaho***  
**February 9, 2025, 10:30 a.m. Fifth Sunday after Epiphany**

*Andy Kennaly, Pastor; Annie Welle, Piano; Dana Stockman, Choir Director*  
*Paula Vincent, Worship Leader; TBD, Ushers*  
*Carol Curtis, Kirstin Thompson, Livestream*

PRELUDE MUSIC, LIVESTREAM BEGINS, LIGHT THE CHRIST CANDLE

RING THE BELL, MOMENT OF SILENCE

CHORAL INTROIT "Holy, Holy, Holy"

WELCOME, ANNOUNCEMENTS

CALL TO WORSHIP

We will give thanks to you, O Lord, with all our hearts.

**Before all others we will sing your praise.**

Because of your love and faithfulness,

**we will bow down and praise your name.**

Though we walk in the midst of trouble,

**preserve and deliver us.**

Fulfill your purpose for us,

**for your steadfast love endures forever.**

Bless the Lord!

**The Lord's name be praised!**

\*OPENING HYMN #132 "Come, Great God of All the Ages"

\*OPENING PRAYER AND RESPONSIVE 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....*

CHORAL ANTHEM "Assurance"

SCRIPTURE Isaiah 6:1-13, Luke 5:1-11

WORDS OF WITNESS "Lessons Taught, Lessons Caught" Andy Kennaly, Pastor

\*HYMN OF RESPONSE #291 "O God of Earth and Altar"

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

**Good caring presence within us, around us, and above us; hold us in a sense of mystery and wonder. Let the fullness of your goodness be within us and around us. Let all the world know your ways of caring and generosity. May we find we have all we need to meet each day without undue anxiety.**

**Overlook our many stupidities, and help us to release everyone from their stupidities. May we know we are accepted. Strengthen us that we will reach**

**out to the best, always with the faith to rise above the ugly realities of our existence. And we celebrate the gifts you have given us: the rich kingdom of life's possibilities, the power to do good and the triumphs of good, and the moments when we have seen the glory and wonder of everything. You are life's richness. You are life's power. You are life's ultimate meaning. 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 #142           “All Hail the Power of Jesus’ Name!”

\*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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### **Come, Great God of All the Ages**

Come, great God of all the ages,  
Make Your earthly mission known;  
Speak through every deed and person,  
Let Your way and will be shown.  
Guide the church to true commitment,  
Give direction now, we ask;  
Fit us for the work of building,  
Dedicate us to the task.

Come, Christ Jesus, flesh and spirit,  
Sure foundation, cornerstone,  
Help us form the church eternal,  
May Your vision be our own.  
Send a message to each follower,  
Lead all people to Your way;  
Urge us to strong faith and action  
As we build the church today.

Come, great Spirit, in and with us,  
Tune our ears to hear Your call;  
Through the moving of Your presence.  
Let redeeming love recall  
Ministry in dedication,  
Love embodied in our deeds;  
Challenge us to do Your bidding,  
See Your purpose, fill all needs.

Come, O come, in celebration,  
Household of the one true God.  
In commitment and rejoicing  
Let us go where Christ has trod;  
As we act in faith and reverence.  
Let us, Lord, the future see;  
Place us in the church triumphant,  
Now and for eternity.

## **O God of Earth and Altar**

O God of earth and altar,  
Bow down and hear our cry;  
Our earthly rulers falter,  
Our people drift and die;  
The walls of gold entomb us,  
The swords of scorn divide;  
Take not Your thunder from us,  
But take away our pride.

From all that terror teaches,  
From lied of pen and voice,  
From all the easy speeches  
That make our hearts rejoice,  
From sale and profanation  
Of honor and the sword,  
From sleep and from damnation,  
Deliver us, good Lord!

Awaken us to action  
And forge us into one,  
Defying sect and faction;  
O God, Your will be done!  
Oppressive systems snare us;  
Our apathies increase.  
Great God, in mercy spare us  
For justice and for peace!

## **All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name!**

All hail the power of Jesus' Name!  
Let angels prostrate fall;  
Bring forth the royal diadem,  
And crown Him Lord of all!  
Bring forth the royal diadem,  
And crown Him Lord of all!

Ye chosen seed of Israel's race,  
Ye ransomed from the fall,  
Hail Him who saves you by His grace,  
And crown Him Lord of all!  
Hail Him who saves you by His grace,  
And crown Him Lord of all!

Let every kindred, every tribe,  
On this terrestrial ball,  
To Him all majesty ascribe,  
And crown Him Lord of all!  
To Him all majesty ascribe,  
And crown Him Lord of all!

O that with yonder sacred throng  
We at His feet may fall!  
We'll join the everlasting song,  
And crown Him Lord of all!  
We'll join the everlasting song,  
And crown Him Lord of all!