

# Flathead Lake Parish

Dayton and Polson Presbyterian Churches

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*The **vision** of the Flathead Lake Parish is to be the heart and hands of Jesus Christ. Our **mission** is to renew our faith, grow our faith, and live our faith. Together, we are a community which is welcoming, supportive, renewing, and empowering.*

Ascension Sunday

May 12, 2024

*Order of Worship*

**Prelude**

**Ringling of the Bell**

**Words of Welcome**

† **Call to Worship**

*from Psalm 62*

Leader: For God alone, O my soul, wait in silence, for my hope is from him.

**People: He alone is my rock and my salvation,  
my fortress; I shall not be shaken.**

Leader: On God rests my salvation and my glory;  
my mighty rock, my refuge is God.

**People: Once God has spoken; twice have I heard this:  
that power belongs to God,  
and that to you, O Lord, belongs steadfast love.**

† **Hymn of Praise**

*“Come, Christians, Join to Sing”*

**# 150**

**Prayer of Confession**

Lord Jesus Christ, who unites heaven and earth, who has taken on our nature, and taken our nature into heaven, forgive us all our sins. We are sinners who are cast from your presence, but your love draws us back. Give us hearts of love and not hearts of sin. We lift up our hearts to you, our Lord, Amen.

**Assurance of Pardon**

† **Song of Response**

Gloria Patri

#577

**Sharing Our Life Together**

† Passing of Christ’s Peace

Pastoral Prayer and the Lord’s Prayer (*debts*)

**Presenting Our Tithes and Offerings**

† Doxology: *Praise God from whom all blessings flow; Praise Him all creatures here below; Praise Him above ye heavenly hosts; Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. Amen.*

Choral Anthem

**Prayer For Illumination**

**First Scripture Lesson:** 1 Thessalonians 4:13–18

[NT p. 193]

**Second Scripture Lesson:** Acts 1:1–11

[NT p. 110]

*This is the Word of the Lord.*

**Thanks be to God.**

**Sermon**

Pastor Noah McIntee

**Welcoming New Members**

† Reaffirmation of our Baptismal Vows

Apostles’ Creed

Traditional, p. 14

† **Closing Hymn**

*“Rejoice, the Lord is King!”*

**# 155**

† **The Benediction**

**Postlude**

† Please rise, in body or in spirit