

First Presbyterian Church

*Polson and Dayton
Flathead Lake Parish*

Serving Today

Minister:
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**To be the
Heart and
Hands
of
Jesus
Christ**

<i>Class of 2020</i>	<i>Class of 2021</i>	<i>Class of 2022</i>
<i>Dayton Session</i>		
Vivien Lambeth Bob Payne	Roger Rogers Ron Tjaden	Dave Waterman, Clerk
<i>Polson Session</i>		
Carolyn Heinz Don Patterson	Amber Tucker Chris Tucker Scott Heinz, Clerk (non-Elder)	Steve Chapman Becky Dupuis
<i>Polson Deacons</i>		
Bonnie Eddy Kim Sheesley	Karen Huffine Dianna Luke	Jane Bronson, Chair Karen Moderie Candy Yeater

NOVEMBER 8, 2020

✝ Stand if you are able.

ORDER OF WORSHIP

SONGS OF PRAISE

WELCOME, ANNOUNCEMENTS, AND PASSING THE PEACE

We RENEW Our Faith in Worship

PRELUDE

✠ CALL TO WORSHIP

One: Come unto me all you who are weary and burdened.

All: Lord, we gather to give you glory and renew our faith in You.

One: Come unto me all you who are lost and lonely.

All: Lord, we come to reconnect with You, and grow deeper in our faith.

One: Come unto me, all you who desire the love, the joy, and the peace of God.

All: Lord, as You renew and grow us, we pledge to live our faith this week.

✠ HYMN OF PRAISE #324 (Blue) “Open My Eyes that I May See”

PREPARING FOR PRAYER

Psalm 98

PRAYER OF ADORATION AND CONFESSION

O God, your Psalmist tells us to sing a new song. We know You are worth it. Your love is renewed in our lives every day. You grow your kingdom within us when we feel it and when we don't. You fill our hearts with songs of praise for who You are and all You do. We are grateful. But Lord, we confess that the old songs of selfishness come back so quickly. The melodies of bitterness and resentment easily rise in our souls. The lyrics of anger and hatred come quickly to our tongues replacing the words of joy You placed there. The old songs can drown out your new ones. Our hearts can become hard. Forgive us, O Lord. Renew in us the joy of your salvation. Empower us to rise up to praise You once again. Daily open doors so we might live the new song You have given us, just as Jesus lived it when he walked this earth. It is in his name we pray. Amen.

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

✠ SONG OF RESPONSE #2215 (Little Blue) “Cares Chorus”

LIFE TOGETHER

PASTORAL PRAYER AND THE LORD'S PRAYER (DEBTS)

RESPONSE TO PRAYER #333 Blue

Seek ye first the kingdom of God. And His righteousness. And all these things shall be added unto you. Allelu, Alleluia

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.

We GROW Our Faith Through the Word

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

FIRST SCRIPTURE LESSON

Isaiah 40:1-11, 27-31

[OT p.627]

GOSPEL LESSON

Luke 4:16-22, 42-44

[NT p.57]

The Word of The Lord.

Thanks be to God.

SERMON TITLE

“Renew Our Faith Through Worship”

We LIVE Our Faith Through Serving

✠ CLOSING HYMN #276 (Blue) “Great is Thy faithfulness”

✠ BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE