

First Presbyterian Church

*Polson and Dayton
Flathead Lake Parish*

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

JANUARY 31, 2021

✚ Stand if you are able.

ORDER OF WORSHIP
We RENEW Our Faith in Worship

SONGS OF PRAISE

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

PRELUDE

✝ **CALL TO WORSHIP**

One: With hearts filled with love and gratitude, Let us give glory to God.

All: Oh God, You have blessed us. Receive our worship and praise.

One: Let us center our learning on Jesus who was God with us.

All: Lord Jesus, You are Emmanuel, God with us, help us learn from You.

One: Let us be empowered by Holy spirit so we might follow in *Jesus' foot steps*.

All: As You were the light of the world, help us be your light this week.

✝ **HYMN OF PRAISE #272 (Blue) "God of the Sparrow"**

PRAYER OF ADORATION AND CONFESSION

Almighty God, You are there at all stages of our lives. In You we live and move and have our being. You have promised to "never leave us and not forsake us." You are faithful to your word. You have said "nothing can take us out of your hands." You keep us safe. As your children You have opened the blessings of heaven to us. We feel blessed. Yet Lord, it is easy to forget the promises of your Word. It is easy to forget the blessings we have been given as your children. We become consumed with the demands of this world. We take our eyes off You. Forgive us, O Lord. Return our gaze to You. Call us to seek your kingdom first. Empower us to seek your blessing for all your children as well. In Jesus' name we pray. Amen.

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

✝ **SONG OF RESPONSE #2036 (Little Blue) "Give Thanks with a Grateful Heart"**

LIFE TOGETHER

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.

We GROW Our Faith Through the Word

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

FIRST SCRIPTURE LESSON Deuteronomy 6:4-9 [OT p.157]

GOSPEL LESSON Mark 10:13-16 [NT p.43]

The Word of The Lord.

Thanks be to God.

SERMON TITLE "Prayer for Children"


We LIVE Our Faith Through Serving

CLOSING HYMN #2051 (Little Blue) "I Was There to Hear Your Boring Cry"

✝ **BENEDICTION**

✝ **POSTLUDE**

Jesus and the Children
Mark 10:13-16



"Let the children come to me and do not hinder them; for such belongs to the kingdom of God"

"Truly ; I say to you, whoever does not receive the kingdom of God like a child shall not enter it"

"Whoever receives one such child in my name, receives me; and whoever receives me, receives not me but him who sent me:"