



**Sunrise Presbyterian Church**  
**3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday after Epiphany**  
Sunday, January 25, 2026 at 9:30 a.m.  
*Rev. Jessica Crane Munoz*

\*Please rise in body/spirit as you are able.

Announcements

Pastor Jessica

 Prelude

Kim Peachy

Call to Worship:

Pastor Jessica

Leader: The Lord is my light and my salvation; whom shall I fear?

**All: The Lord is the stronghold of my life; of whom shall I be afraid?**

Leader: Let us open our hearts and minds in worship,

**All: As we gather in the presence of God!**

\* Hymn # 35

**Praise Ye the Lord, the Almighty**

\* Call to Confession

Liturgist: Joe Hoseck


Let us pause here to confess the sins that have kept us from recognizing and enjoying God's presence.

 **Prayer of Confession (in unison):** Liturgist

Gracious God, when despair and suffering overwhelm us, we cry out for you and feel abandoned. We doubt your presence and your promises. We believe you have turned away from us in anger. We ask why you have forsaken us. In these moments, strengthen us in faith and fill our hearts with courage. We believe, God. Help our unbelief. Amen.

\*Assurance of Pardon Liturgist

Leader: "The steadfast love of the Lord is from everlasting to everlasting." Know that you are forgiven and be at peace. **All: Alleluia! Amen.**

\* Gloria Patri: *Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost. As it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be: world without end. Amen. Amen.*

\*Passing of the Peace Liturgist

Leader: May the peace of our Lord Jesus Christ be with you. **All: And also with you.**

 Prayer of Illumination (*non-responsive, please be seated*) Liturgist

Holy One, you reveal yourself to us in diverse and numerous ways. Free us the distractions that turn our focus away from you and your Word. Open us to the truth you reveal to us today. Amen.

 Scripture Psalm 27:1, 4-9 Liturgist

Children's Message When 2 or more are present

\* Hymn # 327 From All That Dwell Below the Skies

 Scripture Matthew 4:12-23 Pastor Jessica

Message Pastor Jessica

Invitation to Offering Liturgist

God's desire is for us to be partners in the redeeming and reconciling work of God on earth. We have been given all we need to fulfill that call, and so we are invited to offer what God has given us in this service.

*Offering trays are not passed in the sanctuary. However, we recognize the importance of blessings and giving through the offertory portion of our service. If you wish to make a financial gift, an offering tray is located at the entrance to the sanctuary. Financial gifts may also be made through the church website.*



 Offertory Music

Kim Peachy

\*  Doxology

***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 Thanksgiving/Offertory Prayer: (unison)

Liturgist

**Holy God, we are not lacking in any gift, and we give you thanks and praise. Receive the gifts of our hearts and lives, not as vain sacrifice, but as a joyful response for your steadfast love. Use what you have given us to your glory in every place. Transform our gifts to become a beacon of hope, a word of life, and a balm of healing for all of creation. Amen.**

*(please be seated before affirmation is read)*

Liturgist

**Affirmation of Faith:** Let us say together that which we believe. (unison)

**We trust in God the Holy Spirit, everywhere the giver and renewer of life. The Spirit justifies us by grace through faith, sets us free to accept ourselves and to love God and neighbor, and binds us together with all believers in the one body of Christ, the Church.**

**The same Spirit who inspired the prophets and apostles rules our faith and life in Christ through Scripture, engages us through the Word proclaimed, claims us in the waters of baptism, feeds us with the bread of life and the cup of salvation, and calls women and men to all ministries of the Church.**

**In gratitude to God, empowered by the Spirit, we strive to serve Christ in our daily tasks and to live holy and joyful lives, even as we watch for God's new heaven and new earth, praying, "Come, Lord Jesus!"**

**Sharing of Joys and Concerns**

Pastor Jessica

 **Prayer of Intercession: (responsive)**

Pastor Jessica

**Leader:** Eternal God, we remember the wonder of Christ's birth with joy and gratitude. Yet our problems, our brokenness, and our sorrows remain. Our hearts still cry out for you as we long to see you face to face. Show us your near presence, Holy God, and restore our confidence in your eternal presence.

**All: Center our hearts and minds in prayer, trusting that you hear and receive our words of petition, praise, and thanksgiving.**

Leader: We lift before you the needs of the world, the needs of our communities, and the needs of those we love.

**All: We pray for the world – for places where there is violence, fear, and injustice. Be near to those who are suffering, especially children who are caught in violence, conflict, and war. Turn the hearts of leaders toward justice, righteousness, and peaceful resolution.**

Leader: We pray for people in every time and every place who long for you to draw near, to be present, to be known. Hear now the silent prayers which we offer to you. *(moment of silence)*

*The Lord's Prayer:* Our Father, who art in heaven. Hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come; thy will be done. On earth, as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our debts as we forgive our debtors. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power and the glory forever. Amen.

**\*🎵 Hymn # 192**

**Shine, Jesus, Shine**

Sending Out God's People into the World

\*Benediction

🎵 Postlude *(seated)*

Kim Peachy



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Office Hours: 8:30-12:30 Monday-Thursday

Symbols within the bulletin are to assist folks attending our worship service who respond better to social cues when they are visualized. We want everyone to feel comfortable and confident when they attend worship. 🙏 = prayer, 🎵 = music to listen to, 🎶 = music to sing to, 📖 = scripture or textual reading, ✠ = celebration of a sacrament, 🙌 = clapping is appropriate. **Bold text indicates places for congregational participation.**

## Calendar of Events

January Deacons: Jacinte McCullough & Sue Petersen			
Jan 25	Sun	9:30 am	Worship; Annual Meeting following Worship
		10:35 am	Fellowship; Sunday School
Jan 27	Tue	10:00 am	Newsletter Folding
		5:30 pm	Session
February Deacons: Sandy Lambert & Pam Chigbrow			
Feb 1	Sun	9:30 am	Worship
		10:30 am	Fellowship
		10:45 am	Sunday School
		11:00 am	Deacons Meeting
Feb 4	Wed	6:00 pm	Worship Committee
Feb 5	Thu	10:00 am	Bible Study
Feb 7	Sat	9–1:00 pm	Elder Training: Lunch Provided, BYO Beverage
Feb 8	Sun	9:30 am	Worship with Communion
		10:30 am	Fellowship
		10:35 am	Sunday School
Feb 14	Sat	All Day	Happy Valentines Day 
Feb 15	Sun	9:30 am	Worship
		10:30 am	Fellowship
		10:45 am	Sunday School
Feb 16	Mon		Newsletter Items Due
Feb 18	Wed	6:00 pm	Faith-Life, Outreach, Mission Meeting
Feb 19	Thu	10:00 am	Bible Study
Feb 22	Sun	9:30 am	Worship with Ordination & Installation of Elders and Deacons
		10:30 am	Fellowship
		10:45 am	Sunday School
Feb 24	Tue	10:00 am	Newsletter Folding
		5:30 pm	Session



FISH needs Tuna Helper; this is not to be confused with “cans of tuna”. Tuna Helper comes in a box. FISH doesn’t mind if you get the off-brand or name-brand. You can either bring it here to the church, 3809 6<sup>th</sup> Ave S, Great Falls, MT 59405, between the hours of 8:30 am and 12:30 pm Mon - Thur. Or you can bring them directly to FISH for donation. Remember the famous words “It Takes a Village” that is so true, if everyone can do a little bit, it turns out to be quite a bit!



## **Sock Donations**



We are currently accepting sock donations. We want all socks, all shapes and sizes. The only restriction is no BLACK socks please! Everything else is welcome. The box is right outside the office door.

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