



# WHITNEY UNITED METHODIST CHURCH Boise, Idaho

10:00 a.m.

October 10, 2021

20<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Pentecost

*A special welcome is extended to all who are visiting today. Please join us following worship for refreshments and fellowship outside.*

\*Invites you to stand as you are able

PRELUDE MUSIC

Svetlana Maddox

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

Pastor Daryl

CANDLE LIGHTING

\*CALL TO WORSHIP

Dewey Knowles, Liturgist

Leader: Come, bring your hopes and dreams to Jesus.

**People: We come to him, wanting to follow his ways.**

Leader: The way of God is Love.

**People: The way of Christ is Peace and Hope.**

Leader: Open our eyes, Lord, to see the wondrous ways in which you touch our lives.

**People: Open our spirits, Lord, to discern what you would have us do to serve you.**

\*OPENING SONG

"I Will Follow"

Six Ways to Sunday

OPENING PRAYER (unison)

**Gracious God, you have called us here this day for healing, hope, and transformation. As we listen to the Scripture, pray our prayers, sing our hymns, and hear the words of wisdom, open our hearts to hear your claim on our lives; that we may more fully and joyfully serve you. Amen.**

SCRIPTURE READING – Hebrews 4:12-16

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

Kimberly Gardner

SCRIPTURE READING - Mark 10:17-31

**Response: May the Spirit fill us with wisdom and understanding as we ponder the meaning of these words for our lives.**

SERMON

“Letting Go”  
Daryl Blanksma

SONG

“Would I Have Answered When You Called”  
Andy Maddox FWS #2137

PASTORAL PRAYER/THE LORD'S PRAYER

OFFERING

\*CLOSING SONG

“Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing”  
Six Ways to Sunday UMH#400

SENDING FORTH

**Assisting in Worship Today:**

Liturgist: Dewey Knowles

Choir Director: Andy Maddox

Pianist: Svetlana Maddox

Sound: Bert Allen

Ushers: Jim Obland

Visuals: Rich Keefe

Praise Band Director: Kevin Daniel

Fellowship Time Coordinator: Lorrie Baer

## **ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR THE WEEK OF OCTOBER 3**

- **Craft Fair Canceled** - Due to the extremely high rate of Covid infections in the Boise area and the strain it is placing on our health care system the decision was made to cancel this year's Craft Fair.
- **We continue with modified operations following Covid-19 safety protocols:** i.e., masks required inside building, awareness of physical distancing, no congregational singing, no food or drink inside, not passing the offering plates.
- **Ways to Give:** You may: 1) drop your offering in the drop box at an exit door, 2) give by credit card by seeing Johnna, 3) give by mail at our address on the back, 4) donate online at [whitneyumc.org/donate-now](https://whitneyumc.org/donate-now)
- **Sermon by Phone:** You can now listen to Sunday's sermon by calling 208-286-1705. The sermon should be uploaded for listening by noon on Monday.
- **New Office Hours:** The office will be open Tuesday through Friday from 9 am to 1 pm.
- **New Email Address:** We have a new email address for our office: [office@whitneyumc.org](mailto:office@whitneyumc.org). Please update your address book.

**Join us for the 40th Ada Country CROP Hunger Walk  
Sunday, October 17, 2021 @ 2:30 pm  
Whitney UMC Parking Lot**

**Walk. Give. Change the World.**

## Upcoming Events

Finance Team, Monday, October 11 at 9:30 am

Church Council, Sunday, October 17 at 11:30 am

CROP Walk, Sunday, October 17 at 2:30 pm, meet in church parking lot

Worship Planning Team, Monday, October 18 at 6:45 pm

Joseph's Closet, Saturday, October 23 from 10:30 am to noon

Pumpkin Party, Thursday, October 28 at 4:30 pm



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