



**WHITNEY
UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
Boise, Idaho**

10:00 a.m.

January 2, 2022

Second Sunday After Christmas

*Invites you to stand as you are able

PRELUDE MUSIC

Svetlana Maddox

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

Pastor Daryl

CANDLE LIGHTING

*CALL TO WORSHIP

Barbara Nolan, Liturgist

Leader: Praise the Lord, all the earth, from the highest heights to the deepest depths!

People: Let everything sing and shout praise to the Creator!

Leader: Praise the Lord, all the heavens and starry host!

People: All throughout the universe may praise to God abound!

Leader: Come, let us joyfully praise God!

People: Let us live our praise in deeds of loving kindness.

OPENING SONG

Six Ways to Sunday

“God of Wonders”

W&S #3034

OPENING PRAYER

God, who walks with each one of us, help us to place our trust in your guiding care for us as we gather to learn the great lessons of living in peaceful community with each other. Prepare us to be witnesses of your love and forgiveness. Make us ready to work for you in your creation; for we ask this in the name of Jesus, your beloved Son. Amen.

A TIME WITH KIMBERLY - Epiphany Blessing of Chalk

SCRIPTURE READING - Colossians 3:12-17

HYMN

“Angels We Have Heard on High”
UMH #238

HOLY BAPTISM - Adalynn Burdick, daughter of Ashlee Burdick

Response: **We give thanks for all that God has already given you and we welcome you in Christian love. As members together with you in the body of Christ and in this congregation of The United Methodist Church, we renew our covenant faithfully to participate in the ministries of the church by our prayers, our presence, our gifts, our service, and our witness, that in everything God may be gloried through Jesus Christ.**

SONG

“Water, River, Spirit, Grace”
Six Ways to Sunday FWS #2253

SCRIPTURE READING - Luke 2:41-52

SERMON

“Home Alone”
Rev. Daryl Blanksma

PASTORAL PRAYER/THE LORD’S PRAYER

INVITATION TO OFFERING

INVITATION TO THE TABLE/THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

SHARING THE BREAD AND CUP

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

Eternal God, we give you thanks for this holy mystery in which you have given yourself to us. Grant that we may go into the world in the strength of your Spirit, to give ourselves to others, in the name of Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

*HYMN

“Once in Royal David’s City”
UMH #250

SENDING FORTH

POSTLUDE

Svetlana Maddox

Assisting in Worship Today:

Liturgist: Barbara Nolan

Choir Director: Andy Maddox

Pianist: Svetlana Maddox

Sound: Bert Allen

Usher: Bill Slupe

Visuals: Rich Keefe

Praise Band Director: Kevin Daniel

ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR THE WEEK OF JANUARY 2

- **We continue with modified operations following Covid-19 safety protocols.**
- **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

Upcoming Events

- January 5 - United Methodist Women does not meet in January
- January 8 - United Methodist Men, 9:00 am at the church
- January 9 - All Church Meeting, Worship at 10 am, all church meeting follows.
- January 10 – Worship Team 6:45 pm on Zoom



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