

UPCOMING DATES

- 04/26 Worship/Children's Church/Fellowship
Youth Lunch & Food Basket Service
- 04/28 Pastor Bible Study
- 04/28 Grace Notes, Joy Ringer & Big Sky Bells
- 04/29 ROMEO
- 04/29 Holy Grounds
- 04/30 Kairos Kids Choir
- 04/30 Adult CE
- 04/30 Westminster Choir
- 05/03 Youth Sunday Worship/Children's Church/Fellowship



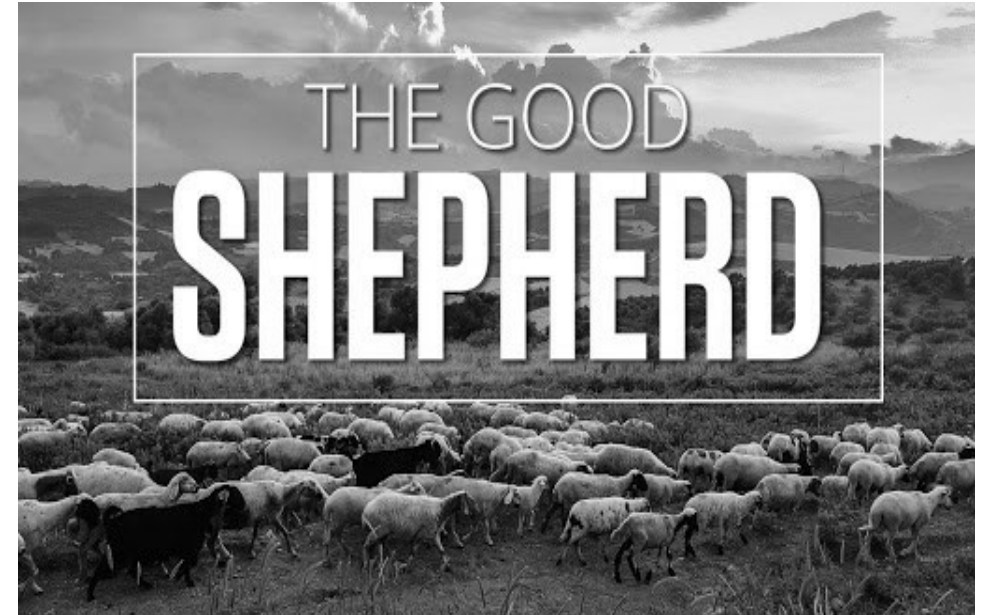
CONNECTIONS
MAY 11 @ 7:00 PM



FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

April 26, 2026 10:30 a.m.

Building Relationships; Sharing God's Love.



Join with R.O.M.E.O.
(Retired Old Men Eating Out)
Wednesdays 10:00 a.m.



Session April 28

Bean Redeemed SECOND THURSDAY
of each month!
You are invited to have coffee with
Pastor Phil at 9:00 at
Moose Ridge Coffee Co.
1157 Pier View Dr.
NEXT: Thursday, May 14

Virtual Holy Grounds
Wednesdays 1:00 Via ZOOM
NEXT April 29

If you would like a copy of Pastor Phil's
sermon, let the office know and we will
make you a copy.

The Sunday Service is
on our website:
www.fpcidahofalls.org

Submit Prayer Requests to
ifpcprayers@gmail.com

Rev. Dr. Phillip A. Hagen, Pastor
Leah Zumberge, Director of Music Ministries
Amy Reid, Organist
Kimberly Kvamme, Secretary
Melanie Wetzal, Secretary
Gina Avila, Sexton
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WE GATHER AS GOD'S PEOPLE

Worship begins as God's people gather, praise God in words and music, and hear about God's love for us.

Question for the Day

How has Jesus been like a good shepherd to you in your life?

Prelude *'Tis So Sweet to Trust in Jesus* John M. Rasley

Welcome and Announcements

Call to Worship

One: With the Good Shepherd as our guide, we shall want for nothing.

All: God leads us along peaceful paths, restoring our souls.

One: Even in the shadow of death, we fear no evil,

All: For the Good Shepherd walks with us day and night.

One: Surely goodness and mercy shall follow all the days of our lives.

All: We shall dwell in the house of the Holy God all our lives long.

Prayer of the Day

*Hymn #275 *A Mighty Fortress Is Our God*

*Call to Confession

*Prayer of Confession

One: The Good Shepherd calls to us.

All: We know our shepherd's voice but fail to heed it.

One: Merciful God, to walk paths of righteousness and enjoy your life abundant, we must follow you in trust and obedience.

All: Though you beckon us, we go our own way. Though you defend us, we are filled with fear.

One: You spread a table before us. Our cups overflow.

All: We judge those with whom we are seated. We worry there will not be enough.



A free concert.
Donations appreciated and will benefit Champs Heart!

FEATURING:
Joy Ringers
Grace Note Bells

May 17, 2026
4:00 PM

First Presbyterian
325 Elm St.
Idaho Falls

**SPRING RING
& PIANO DUETS**

The poster features a central illustration of a bell with flowers, a piano icon, and musical notation in the background.

**SAVE THE DATE
FOR THE
SPRING
CONCERT!!
MAY 17,
4:00 PM**

CAMP SAWTOOTH

Summer Camp Dates 2026

www.campsawtooth.org

Kids Camp - 3rd & 4th Grade: June 28th - July 1st

Kids Camp - 5th & 6th Grade: June 21st - 26th

Jr. High Camp - 7th - 9th Grade: July 12th - 17th

Sr. High Camp - 10th - 12th Grade: July 5th - 10th

Hey Kids: Camp Sawtooth Wants You! Register today!

Mark your calendars and register today. More information for Camp Sawtooth can be found on-line at www.campsawtooth.org.

Take a look & sign up for camp today!

WORK WEEKEND!

Over Memorial Day weekend is a wonderful way to become acquainted with Camp Sawtooth. Join the fun in preparing the camp for the upcoming season.

Information available at www.campsawtooth.org or directorscampsawtooth@yahoo.com

BULLETIN BOARD

Graduates!

If you have a high school or college graduate in your family this year, please let the church office know **no later than May 11**, so they can be listed in the bulletin and First Reflections.

Friends of Ron Goin and Alice Berrey
are invited to an Open House 90th
Birthday Celebration on
May 2nd from 2:00 to 4:00 pm
at the Westbank Convention Center,
525 River Parkway!



Desert Fellowship

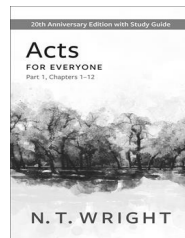
May 2, 9:30 a.m.

Dixie's Diner

TO CONTRIBUTE TO THE CHURCH OR ANY OF ITS
PROGRAMS, USE THIS QR CODE:



PASTOR BIBLE
STUDY
TUESDAYS, 1:00 P.M.
THROUGH MAY 5



CHURCH MEMBERSHIP

You may unite with the church in any of the following ways.

1. Transfer of Letter—If you have an active membership in another church.
2. Reaffirmation of Faith—If you have an inactive membership in another church or if you are a member of a church not granting letters.
3. Profession of Faith—If you have never been a member of any church.

One: In your mercy, forgive us, Lord. Take us by the hand, and guide us in your ways.

All: Help us to rest in your company, and there learn to be grateful and generous.

Silent Confession

***Words of Assurance**

***Response #581** *Glory Be to the Father*

Time With Young Disciples

WE LISTEN FOR GOD'S WORD

We ask God's Spirit to help us understand how God wants us to live.

Prayer for Illumination

First Lesson Ezekiel 34:7-15 NIV p. 1341

Second Lesson 1 Peter 2:19-25 NIV p. 1889

Special Music *Panis Angelicus (Bread of Angels)* C. Franck
~Shelley Bhuyan, vocals; Amy Reid, piano

*Bread of angels becomes the bread of men;
The bread of heaven puts an end to all figures; O thing miraculous!
The body of the Lord will nourish the poor,
the poor, the servant and humble.
We beseech Thee, Godhead One in Three,
That Thou wilt visit us, as we worship Thee;
Lead us through Thy ways to where we wish to reach,
To the light in which Thou dwellest. Amen.*

Third Lesson John 10:1-10 NIV p. 1666

This is the Word of God for the people of God.

Thanks be to God.

Sermon "Have life to the fullest..." Rev. Dr. Phillip A. Hagen

***Hymn #824** *There Is a Place of Quiet Rest*

***Affirmation of Faith** **The Apostles' Creed**

I believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth; and in Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord; who was conceived by the Holy Ghost, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; he descended into hell; the third day he rose again from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and sitteth on the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Ghost; the holy catholic church; the communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting. Amen.

Invitation To The Offering

Offertory

***Doxology** *Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow* #606

Prayer of Dedication

Pastoral Prayer & 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.

WE ARE SENT OUT INTO THE WORLD

We receive God's blessing as we go out to be God's people in the world.

***Hymn #837** *What a Fellowship, What a Joy Divine*

Benediction

Postlude

Trumpet Tune

S. Drummond Wolff

**Please stand in body or spirit.*

*Come join our congregation for a time of fellowship and refreshments downstairs in the **Lower Lounge** after worship.*

Thank You To Our Participants In Worship Today

Worship Leader ~ Dan Kotansky

Ushers ~ Bob & Mary Guenzler

PRAYER CONCERNS (Be in Prayer for Monthly):

Lyman Martin, Don Hagrman, Kathey Fischer, Diane Mondell.

Please Hold in Prayer (Long Term):

Cathy Spellman, Scott Gruwell, Bruce Schnitzler. All those struggling with the disease of addiction and loved ones serving in the military.

Special prayers for our world in this trying time.

Thank You!

Thank you everyone for the Lovely Retirement Party and the Wonderful Card, it meant a lot to me!! The Church is always so loving and is a real Blessing!! *Kelly*