

POTTSVILLE ASSOCIATE REFORMED PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

THE LORD'S DAY SERVICE

NOVEMBER 3RD, A. D. 2013

But you have come to Mount Zion and to the city of the living God, the heavenly Jerusalem, and to innumerable angels in festal gathering, and to the assembly of the firstborn who are enrolled in heaven, and to God, the judge of all, and to the spirits of the righteous made perfect, and to Jesus, the mediator of a new covenant, and to the sprinkled blood that speaks a better word than the blood of Abel. See that you do not refuse him who is speaking. For if they did not escape when they refused him who warned them on earth, much less will we escape if we reject him who warns from heaven ... Therefore let us be grateful for receiving a kingdom that cannot be shaken, and thus let us offer to God acceptable worship, with reverence and awe, for our God is a consuming fire.

Hebrews 12:22-25, 28-29

CHRISTIAN GREETING

SHARING OF JOYS AND CONCERNS

PRELUDE & SILENT PREPARATION

GOD CALLS US TO WORSHIP

Hebrews 12:22-25, 28-29

WE RESPOND TO GOD'S CALL

Pastor: Our help is in the name of the LORD,

People: The Maker of heaven and earth.

Pastor: Open our eyes, O Lord.

People: That we may see wonderful things in your Law.

Pastor: O Lord, open our lips,

People: And our mouths will declare your praise.

Pastor: This is the day that the LORD has made;

People: Let us rejoice and be glad in it.

PRAYER OF ADORATION

◇ HYMN

"Come Thou Almighty King"

Trinity 101

◇ CONFESSION OF SIN

Acts 3:19, 1 John 1:8-9

Merciful God, we confess that we have sinned as a church, as families and as individuals. We have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed -- by what we have done, and by what we have left undone. We have not loved you with our whole heart and mind and strength. We have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. Change our hearts O God so that we may delight in your will and walk in your ways. For Your Great Name O God, hear our confession, see our repentance, and forgive our sin. Cleanse us make us a Holy people.

◇ ASSURANCE OF PARDON

1 Timothy 1:15-17, Romans 8:1

◇ CONFESSION OF FAITH

Shorter Catechism 21-26

Trinity 870

◇ "GLORIA PATRI"

Trinity 735

RESPONSIVE READING

Psalm 47, Trinity 803

HYMN

"Fairest Lord Jesus"

Trinity 170

PREPARATION OF OUR CHILDREN TO HEAR GOD'S WORD

SCRIPTURE

Zechariah 6:9-15

SERMON

"Who is this Joshua?"

PASTORAL PRAYER & LORD'S PRAYER

◇ HYMN

"Crown Him with Many Crowns"

Trinity 295

WORSHIP THROUGH GIVING

Offertory Prayer

◇ **Doxology**

Trinity 731

◇ BENEDICTION

Numbers 6:24-25

◇ RESPONSE

"To God be the Glory"

Trinity 55

◇ *Those who are able, please stand*

THIS WEEK AT POTTSVILLE ARP

The Lord's Day

9:45 am
10:45 am

Bible Study
Lord's Day Worship

A FEW THINGS YOU SHOULD KNOW

- If you are our guest today, we are glad you are here. Please take a minute to fill out the **Guest Information Card** in the pew and drop it in the offering plate so we can get to know you better.
- We believe that Christian Worship is a renewal of **covenant vows** between Christians and the Father, Son, and Holy Spirit. Consequently, our worship contains lots of congregational participation. Your part is in **bold**, but don't worry if you get a little lost. Just keep your bulletin handy throughout the service.
- We are a family of families worshipping together. We are teaching our children to worship as they worship with us. If they cry or squirm, it's OK; God has ordained "praise" from our children and infants. If things get **desperate**, a cry room is available in the rear of the Sanctuary.
- Restrooms are located both in this building and in the Fellowship Hall.

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*"Sharing this with our forefathers... that we too, are
desiring a better country; that is, the heavenly one."*

Hebrews 11:16

Heidelberg Catechism 31-32

31. Q. Why is he called Christ, that is, Anointed?

A. Because he has been ordained by God the Father, and anointed with the Holy Spirit, to be our chief Prophet and Teacher, who has fully revealed to us the secret counsel and will of God concerning our redemption; our only High Priest, who by the one sacrifice of his body has redeemed us, and who continually intercedes for us before the Father; and our eternal King, who governs us by his Word and Spirit, and who defends and preserves us in the redemption obtained for us.

32. Q. Why are you called a Christian?

A. Because I am a member of Christ by faith and thus share in his anointing, so that I may as prophet confess his name, as priest present myself a living sacrifice of thankfulness to him, and as king fight with a free and good conscience against sin and the devil in this life, and hereafter reign with him eternally over all creatures.

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