

POTTSVILLE ASSOCIATE REFORMED PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

THE LORD'S DAY SERVICE

JANUARY 19TH A. D. 2014

I will give thanks to you, O LORD, for though you were angry with me, your anger turned away, that you might comfort me. Behold, God is my salvation; I will trust, and will not be afraid; for the LORD GOD is my strength and my song, and he has become my salvation. With joy you will draw water from the wells of salvation. And you will say in that day: "Give thanks to the LORD, call upon his name, make known his deeds among the peoples, proclaim that his name is exalted. Sing praises to the LORD, for he has done gloriously; let this be made known in all the earth. Shout, and sing for joy, O inhabitant of Zion, for great in your midst is the Holy One of Israel."

Isaiah 12

CHRISTIAN GREETING

SHARING OF JOYS AND CONCERNS

PRELUDE & SILENT PREPARATION

GOD CALLS US TO WORSHIP

Isaiah 12

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 "I Heard the Voice of Jesus Say" Trinity 304

◇ CONFESSION OF SIN 1 John 2:15-17, Acts 3:19-20

Have mercy on us, O God, according to your unfailing love; according to your great compassion, blot out our transgressions. Wash away all our iniquities and cleanse us from our sin. Create in us pure hearts, O God, and renew a steadfast spirit within us. Do not cast us from your presence or take your Holy Spirit from us. Restore to us the joy of your salvation, and grant us willing spirits, to sustain us.

◇ ASSURANCE OF PARDON Matthew 11:27-30

◇ CONFESSION OF FAITH **Apostle's Creed** **Bible Songs**

◇ "GLORIA PATRI" **Trinity 735**

RESPONSIVE READING **Psalm 27, Trinity 793**

HYMN "Love Divine, All Loves Excelling" **Trinity 529**

PREPARATION OF OUR CHILDREN TO HEAR GOD'S WORD

SCRIPTURE Zechariah 7:1-14

SERMON "Immunized Against Worship"

PASTORAL PRAYER & LORD'S PRAYER

◇ HYMN "Rock of Ages" **Trinity 499**

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
Wednesday	8:00 pm	Men's Bible Study

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