

**POTTSVILLE ASSOCIATE REFORMED PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**

**THE LORD'S DAY SERVICE**

**JULY 6<sup>TH</sup>, A. D. 2014**

*I will greatly rejoice in the LORD; my soul shall exult in my God,  
for he has clothed me with the garments of salvation;  
he has covered me with the robe of righteousness,  
as a bridegroom decks himself like a priest with a beautiful headdress,  
and as a bride adorns herself with her jewels.*

*For as the earth brings forth its sprouts,  
and as a garden causes what is sown in it to sprout up,  
so the Lord GOD will cause righteousness and praise  
to sprout up before all the nations.*

*Isaiah 61:10-11*

CHRISTIAN GREETING

SHARING OF JOYS AND CONCERNS

PRELUDE & SILENT PREPARATION

GOD CALLS US TO WORSHIP

Isaiah 61:10-11

**WE RESPOND TO GOD'S CALL**

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

**People: The Maker of heaven and earth.**

*Pastor: My heart is steadfast, O God! I will sing and make melody with all  
my being!*

**People: I will give thanks to you, O LORD, among the peoples; I will sing  
praises to you among the nations.**

*Pastor: For your steadfast love is great above the heavens; your  
faithfulness reaches to the clouds.*

**People: Be exalted, O God, above the heavens! Let your glory be over all  
the earth!**

*Pastor: That your beloved ones may be delivered, give salvation by your  
right hand and answer me!*

PRAYER OF ADORATION

◇ HYMN      **"Shout! For the Blessed Jesus Reigns"**      Trinity 369

◇ CONFESSION OF SIN

Isaiah 55:6-7

*Our gracious God and merciful Father, we confess that we have sinned  
against you this day and every day, in thought, word, and deed. We were  
born in sin and our sin is ever before us. If you kept a record of our sins,  
who could stand? But with you there is mercy and forgiveness through  
Christ. Forgive our many sins as a church, as families, and as individuals.  
Forgive our public sins and those that are known only to you.*

*Forgive us for our failure to do what you have commanded and our  
failure to restrain what you have forbidden. Grant us true repentance,  
which moves our lips, our hearts, and our hands to godly sorrow and holy  
action. By your Spirit, change our hearts from stone to flesh and make us  
into a holy people, pleasing in your sight and useful in your hand.*

◇ ASSURANCE OF PARDON

Isaiah 61:1-3

◇ CONFESSION OF FAITH

**Apostle's Creed**

**Bible Songs, iv**

◇ "GLORIA PATRI"

**Trinity 735**

RESPONSIVE READING

**Psalms 107:1-22, Trinity 824**

HYMN

**"My Hope is Built on Nothing Less"**

**Trinity 521**

SERMON

**"Looking for Love in All the Wrong Places"**

SCRIPTURE

Malachi 1:1-5

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

