

POTTSVILLE ASSOCIATE REFORMED PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

THE LORD'S DAY SERVICE

MARCH 13TH, A. D. 2016

Praise is due to you, O God, in Zion, and to you shall vows be performed. O you who hear prayer, to you shall all flesh come. When iniquities prevail against me, you atone for our transgressions. Blessed is the one you choose and bring near, to dwell in your courts! We shall be satisfied with the goodness of your house, the holiness of your temple! By awesome deeds you answer us with righteousness, O God of our salvation, the hope of all the ends of the earth and of the farthest seas.

Psalm 65:1-5

SHARING OF JOYS AND CONCERNS

PRELUDE & PREPARATION

GOD CALLS US TO WORSHIP

Psalm 65:1-5

WE RESPOND TO GOD'S CALL

Psalm 90:1-2, 16-17

Pastor: Lord, you have been our dwelling place in all generations.

People: Before the mountains were brought forth, or ever you had formed the earth and the world, from everlasting to everlasting you are God.

Pastor: Let your work be shown to your servants, and your glorious power to their children.

People: Let the favor of the Lord our God be upon us, and establish the work of our hands upon us; yes, establish the work of our hands!

PRAYER OF ADORATION

◇ HYMN "O Sacred Head, Now Wounded" Trinity 247

◇ CONFESSION OF SIN Romans 6:5-13

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 Micah 7:18-20

◇ CONFESSION OF FAITH **Apostle's Creed** Bible Songs, p. iv.

◇ "GLORIA PATRI" Trinity 735

RESPONSIVE READING Psalm 16, Trinity 788

HYMN "Beneath the Cross of Jesus" Trinity 251

PREPARATION OF OUR CHILDREN TO HEAR GOD'S WORD

MUSICAL OFFERING "Written in Red" Ms. Julie Evans

SCRIPTURE Acts 13:13-52
SERMON "Speaking Out"

PASTORAL PRAYER & LORD'S PRAYER

◇ HYMN "Not All the Blood of Beasts" Trinity 242

WORSHIP THROUGH GIVING
Offertory Prayer
◇ Doxology Trinity 731

◇ BENEDICTION Numbers 6:24-25

◇ RESPONSE "To God Be the Glory" Trinity 55, v1

◇ Those who are able, please stand

† Music by Julie Evans, Helena Wheeler, and Maya Wylie

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 Group

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