Presbyterian Church of Johnstown
Rev. Kevin Heckathorn

October 12, 2014 **10:30 am**

"He took him outside and said, "Look up at the heavens and count the stars--if indeed you can count them." Then he said to him, "So shall your offspring be." – Genesis 15:5 *(NIV)*

Introit Sounds of Celebration "Here I am to Worship"

Prelude "They'll Know We are Christians"

Welcome & Announcements Maci Ashbrook

Call to Worship Maci Ashbrook

We are reminded that it is not we who chose Christ.
It is Christ who chose us.
We are not here because of our goodness.
We are here because of Christ's grace.
We are not here to satisfy ourselves.
We are here to satisfy and worship God with all that we are.
Amen.

Gloria Patri # 142

Greet One Another

Opening Hymn #67 "Blessed Assurance, Jesus Is Mine"

***Opening Prayer**

Prayer of Confession

Lord God, you have made heaven and earth and all that is good. In Jesus Christ, you show us that true joy is found when our hearts are set free from sin and selfishness. We thank you Lord for the ways that you draw us close to you and remind us of your grace and mercy. Help us to seek you more each day so that we might always rejoice in the richness of your love. It is in the name of Jesus that we pray. Amen.

Assurance of Pardon

Therefore having been justified by faith, we have peace with God through our Lord Jesus Christ. We are forgiven. Amen.

Praise Songs

"Cornerstone"
"Tis so Sweet to Trust in Jesus"

Offering

Offertory Sounds of Celebration "You Are My King (Amazing Love)"
*Doxology #384
Prayer of Dedication

Anthem Teen Choir "Open the Eyes of My Heart"

Children's Message Pastor Kevin

Scripture Lesson Genesis 15:1-21 Pastor Kevin

Pastoral Prayer & Lord's Prayer

Morning Message "The Gospel in the Promise to Abraham"

***Closing Hymn #**332 "The God of Abraham Praise"

***Benediction**

***Postlude** "Recessional March"