

**TODAY'S GREETERS:** Jeanne Voigt  
**TODAY'S ACOLYTE:** Reagan Deeds  
**TODAY'S WORSHIP LEADER:** Karen Blair  
**TODAY'S NURSERY:** Marci Parpart  
**TODAY'S JUNIOR CHURCH:** Marie Richards

**NEXT WEEK'S SERMON:**  
"Questions: Is Christianity old-fashioned when it comes to morals?"

Last Week's Attendance  
Worship Service: 117  
Sunday School: 32

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### **Our Mission**

We strive to reflect the power and glory of God's Word through our relationships and service to one another. Touched by the Holy Spirit, the Presbyterian Church of Johnstown brings forth to all the ministry and love of Jesus Christ. Belief in the Father, Son, and Holy Spirit binds us together as we celebrate the joy of faith.

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# **The Presbyterian Church Of Johnstown**



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**Presbyterian Church of Johnstown  
Rev. Kevin Heckathorn**

**February 23, 2014**

**10:30 AM**

“In the same way, faith by itself, if it is not accompanied by action, is dead.” – James 2:17 (NIV)

**Prelude** “Dedication”

**Introit** Cherub Choir “Jesus Loves Me”

**Welcome & Announcements** Karen Blair

**Call to Worship** Karen Blair  
Righteous God, your truths and grace are revealed to us through your Holy Word.

**We come today, to listen to the Word of the Lord.**

Gracious God, your Holy Word guides and blesses us.

**We come today, to worship the Lord our God.**

Holy God, we gather to learn from your Word in fellowship with others.

**We come today, to praise the Lord our God. Amen.**

**Gloria Patri # 142**

**Greet One Another**

**Opening Hymn #545** “I Love Your Kingdom, Lord”

**Prayer of Confession**

Lord God, you are always doing a new thing in our midst. You are the God of every place and time. Yet, we confess, that even though we recognize you as Lord over our lives, we often resist your call to open ourselves to your guidance. We presume to know how to direct our lives and close our ears to your voice and direction. Forgive us for insulating our lives in a way that disallows your words to be heard clearly, and open up our lives to allow your Spirit to guide and direct us. In the name of Jesus we pray. Amen.

**Assurance of Pardon**

The Lord does not treat us as our sins deserve, nor pay us back in full for our wrongs. This is the Good News of the Gospel! Amen.

**Praise Songs** see insert

“Beautiful”

“In Moments Like These”

**Offering**

Offertory Joy Ringers “For All the Saints”

\*Doxology #384

Prayer of Dedication

**Anthem** Junior Choir “Open My Eyes Lord”

**Children’s Message** Alice Main

**Scripture Lesson** James 2:1-17 Pastor Kevin

**Pastoral Prayer and Lord’s Prayer**

**Morning Message** Pastor Kevin

“Questions: Is Christianity responsible for horrible injustice?”

**\*Closing Hymn # 659** “We’ve a Story to Tell to the Nations”

**\*Benediction**

**\*Postlude** “March Solonelle”