

**TODAY'S MINISTER:**

Rev. Oluf Kongshaug

**TODAY'S WORSHIP LEADER:**

Lee Mansell

**TODAY'S GREETERS:**

the Cox Family

**TODAY'S ACOLYTE:**

Wesley Cox

Last Week's Attendance  
Worship Service: 90

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**Vision for Today.....and Tomorrow**

The Presbyterian Church of Johnstown (JPC)-our people, our resources, our mission-stands today at a pivot point in our one hundred seventy-five year history. We are emerging from a recent church building expansion period with chance to look prayerfully inward and with the guidance of the Holy Spirit discover what God has planned for the JPC's future. We have the unique opportunity to work together as family in Christ to rediscover and renew our mission to share the love of Christ with the community and all those outside our church walls that need Jesus. We not only want to continue the work we already started but for us, by faith, to venture out of our "comfort zone" to fully embrace the path the Lord has set before us.

We strive to be one church and one congregation by building our relationship with Jesus Christ and with each other, by uniting our congregation into one body of believers through worship, prayer, mission and outreach, education, communication, and fellowship, all while looking for creative and inspired ways to better reach and service the needs of our people.

With God's help and guidance, we pray we will be the church God calls us to be.

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# **The Presbyterian Church Of Johnstown**



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**Presbyterian Church of Johnstown**  
**Rev. Oluf Kongshaug**

**August 11, 2013**

**10:30 am**

No Matter Who You Are; No Matter Where You Are On Life's Journey; You Are Welcome Here. We pray you can experience the love and peace of God through your worship with us today.

**PRELUDE**

“Evening Star”

**WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS**

Lee Mansell

**CALL TO WORSHIP**

Lee Mansell

Let us praise the Lord.

**We praise the Lord and offer ourselves in worship.**

We are called to be the people of God. Let us respond to that call.

**We shall serve, we will sing and pray, and we will witness to,  
and proclaim the glory of the Lord.**

**All: To God be the Glory!**

**GREET ONE ANOTHER**

**OPENING HYMN #595**

“Lead on, O King of Eternal”

**\*OPENING PRAYER**

**“AWESOME GOD”**

Our God is an awesome God; He reigns from heaven above with wisdom, power and love. Our God is an awesome God. **(Repeat 3 times)**

**PRAYER OF CONFESSION**

Loving God, we look to the future and know that your grace, your forgiveness follow us on our journey. Forgive us, O Lord, when the smallness of our minds and the narrowness of our hearts fail to witness to who you are. Willingly we are committed to forgive as you have forgiven. Help us, Savior, to live in the strength of the healing power of you love. In the name of our Savior we pray. Amen

**ASSURANCE OF PARDON**

Anyone who is in Christ is a new being.

**The old has passed away, the new has come;**

I declare in the name of Christ, we are forgiven!

**GLORIA PATRI #142**

**“THERE’S SOMETHING ABOUT THAT NAME”**

Jesus, Jesus, Jesus! There’s just something about that name! Master, Savior, Jesus! Like the fragrance after the rain; Jesus, Jesus, Jesus! Let all Heaven and earth proclaim; Kings and kingdoms will all pass away, but there’s something about that name!

**OFFERING**

Offertory

“My Story, My Song”

\*Doxology

Prayer of Dedication

**CHILDREN’S MESSAGE**

Alison Speck

**SPECIAL MUSIC**

Katelyn Mansell accompanied by Michael Reeves

**PASTORAL PRAYER AND LORD’S PRAYER**

**FIRST SCRIPTURE LESSON**

Hebrew 11:1-3 and 8-16

Lee Mansell

**TEXT**

Luke 10:25-37

Rev. Oluf

**MORNING MESSAGE:**

“Seeing the Larger Picture”

**\*CLOSING HYMN #238**

“Jesus shall reign”

**\*BENEDICTION**

**\*POSTLUDE**

“Minuet”