

Remember in prayer ...



We experience unity in the Spirit as we pray for our brothers and sisters in Christ in this Presbytery and around the world as well as for the Presbyterian Church (USA) Mission Workers in 63 countries. Today we lift up **Presbyterian Mission programs in the United States.**

THOSE IN MISSION

- ◆ Robert Gamble and his missionary work with "This Child Here"
- ◆ Mark & Ashley Wright, missionaries in Honduras
- ◆ The Plath Family and their missionary work in Rexburg, Idaho

ALL CHILDREN AND YOUTH OF OUR CHURCH

GRADUATE & UNDERGRADUATE STUDENTS

Ava Jett
Griffin Jett
Allison Kerr
Madeline Lunsford
Alyssa McArthur
John Miller
Kara Robinson
Ethan Williams

THE MEN AND WOMEN OF OUR ARMED FORCES

Will Locastro
Michael Foster (Heather Foster's Brother-in-law)
Daniel Hewitt (Karen Wimpee's nephew)
Blake Merr (Billy & Lynn Staggs)
Jeff Cross and Family (Lynn Staggs)

Prayer Requests ...

The Residents of Village of Paijuiles
Pastor Saeed Abedini (as he recovers from his captivity)
Mary Ann Harris^(01/10)
Ben Brownlee^{2/13} (Friend of Jim Wilcox)
Trish Gurney^{1/12} (John Gurney's mother)
Billy Staggs
Dotty Coulson
Cathy Church
Jo Hall
Lewis Proctor (Darren & Suzi Arant)
Hayden Arant

Lexie Rowell (Dotty Coulson)
John & Jody Martin for following Jesus more closely and for the salvation of their children: Ann Marie, Anthony, Alicia, Andrew and Chris
The Family of Leland Mauney (Ann Cross' brother-in-law)
²The Family of Lance Light (Reneé Murray's cousin)
⁴The Family of Barry Hopper (Patricia Hopper's husband)

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Presbyterian Church (USA)



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3rd Sunday after Epiphany • January 24, 2016



We extend a cordial greeting to all who worship here today. We especially welcome those who are visiting. You are our honored guests, and we hope you feel at home in our house of worship. God is here and welcomes us all. If you are visiting in search of a church home, we invite you to consider Collierville Presbyterian. If you wish to join our church, you can indicate your desire on the attendance registration sheet. An elder will be happy to contact you and provide you with any information.

WE ASSEMBLE IN GOD'S NAME

PRAYER OF PREPARATION *(As we sit in silence preparing ourselves for worship, let us individually pray.)* Almighty and ever-living God, our source of power and inspiration, give us strength and joy in serving you as followers of Christ, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. Amen.

THE PRELUDE

INTROIT "God Reveals His Presence"

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

*THE CALL TO WORSHIP

*HYMN 260 "A Mighty Fortress is Our God"

THE OPENING PRAYER

THE PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Eternal God, in whom we live and move and have our being, your face is hidden from us by our sins, and we forget your Mercy in the blindness of our hearts. Cleanse us from all our offenses, and deliver us from proud thoughts and vain desires. With lowliness and meekness may we draw near to you, confessing our faults, confiding in your grace, and finding in you our refuge and strength: through Jesus Christ Your son. Amen. Now, in your mercy, hear our silent prayers. *(Silent prayers of confession)*

PASTOR: Assurance of Pardon

CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE *(sung by all)* "Gloria Patria"

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost; as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.

WE LISTEN TO GOD'S WORD

THE WORD FOR CHILDREN

ANTHEM "The Perfect Wisdom of Our God"

THE WORD FROM SCRIPTURE

Numbers 13:17-33 *(OT p. 131)*
Matthew 28:16-20 *(NT p. 34)*

THE WORD PROCLAIMED

"FACING THE UNKNOWN"

MEDITATIVE SILENCE

WE RESPOND TO THE WORD

*HYMN *(Insert)* "Be Still, My Soul"

AFFIRMATION OF FAITH: **Apostle's Creed**

(Located on inside, back cover of the hymnal. Alternate Text: Holy Spirit to be spoken where Holy Ghost would be spoken.)

JOYS AND CONCERNS

THE PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE AND THE LORD'S PRAYER *(Alternate Text: Forgive us our sins as we forgive those who sin against us.)*

THE OFFERING OF TITHES AND GIFTS

*THE DOXOLOGY & PRAYER OF DEDICATION "Old Hundredth"

Praise God from whom all blessings flow. Praise Him, all creatures here below.
Praise Him above, ye heav'nly host. Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

WE GO IN GOD'S NAME

*HYMN 281 "Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah"

CHARGE AND BENEDICTION

*CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE "Three-Fold Amen Denmark"
Amen, Amen, Amen

THE POSTLUDE

**Those who wish may stand.*
