

A gift has been given by the Men of Loyd Church in loving memory of Letha Moat.

Happy Birthday this week to: (7-15) Laurali Davidson.

New PW Casseroles on Sale Now!

Italian Pasta Bake: (Marinara, pasta, ground beef, Italian sausage, and ricotta cheese) 4 small \$6.00, 4 Medium \$8.00, 1 Large \$12.00

2 jars of Marinara sauce (with beef) \$4.00.

Green Bean Casserole: 2 small \$4.00, 3 medium \$6.00 and 2 large \$8.00. Please visit the freezer in the kitchen pantry to purchase a casserole!!

Camp Viola 2018

To the Senior High Youth who gave up a summer week to stay overnight with the Viola campers.

To the Middle School Youth who came out to help give the counselors a break everyday.

To Todd Sandiford and his assistant Kathy Sandiford who taught a fun class in Geocaching and a scavenger hunt.

To Wade Hall who taught the campers the joy of fishing.

To Stacie and Even Hart, Todd Sandiford, Sherry Rayfield and Doug and Jayne Pauley for helping feed the hungry masses.

To Madison Cauthen, Jameel Dixon, Pastor Rix and Suzi Goldston for all you do.

Thank you!

The 2018 Women's Retreat will be held at The Biblical History Center on Saturday, August 25th from 10:00am to 2:00pm. Register in the Narthex.

Calendar of Events

Sunday, July 15	9:00 AM	Coffee and Pastries - Darden Hall Blood Drive!!
	9:45 AM	Sunday School
	11:00 AM	Worship
	12:15 PM	Session Meting
Sunday, July 22	9:00 AM	Coffee and Pastries - Darden Hall
	9:45 AM	Sunday School
	11:00 AM	Worship—Lamb Baptism's
Wednesday, July 18	12:00 PM	Noon Circle meeting
Thursday, July 19	6:00 PM	Mollie Darden Circle meeting
Saturday, July 21	10:00 AM	PW Craft Class in Darden Hall
Saturday, Aug. 25	10:00am	The 2018 Women's Retreat will be held at The Biblical History Center space is limited so register in the church narthex today!

Today's Worship Leaders:

Liturgist: Mike Pauley

Elders on Duty: Wade Moore and Chase Darden

Ushers: Mickey Norris, Bobby Goldston, Jeff Skinner and Jim Allen Bradfield

Acolyte: Camdyn Basset and Lillie Nash

Greeters: Bobby Goldston

Nursery Assistants: Shelley Skinner

Children's Church: Leigh Bailey

Loyd Presbyterian Church Program Team:

Dr. Rix Threadgill, Pastor

Suzi Goldston, Office Manager

Shelley Skinner, Financial Secretary

Mike Pauley, Youth Director

Marty Davis, Music Director

Jo Loyd, Organist

Rick Robertson, Pianist

Koren Stapp, Nursery Coordinator

Pam Darden, God's Promised Land Coordinator

Amy Crites, Children's Choir Director

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If you are interested in church membership, or have a question about the life and ministry of this congregation, please speak with Pastor Rix.



LOYD PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

July 15, 2018

11:00 a.m. Worship

8th Sunday after Pentecost

GATHERING THE PEOPLE OF GOD

PRELUDE

Jo Loyd, organist

(Please fill out the Ritual of Friendship pad that you will find on the inside aisle and pass it to your neighbor.)

CHIMING OF THE HOUR

CALL TO WORSHIP

Leader: Who is this who walks ahead, bidding us to courage?

People: It is Christ, who comes anew in the assurance of holy presence to accompany us.

Leader: Who is this who bears our burdens willingly and lifts our hearts into a new day of hope?

People: It is Christ, who brings the promise of God's love and justice that will be fulfilled.

*HYMN # 280

"Amazing Grace"

*PRAYER OF ADORATION

*THE LORD'S PRAYER (Unison)

**Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name,
thy kingdom come, thy will be done,
on earth as it is in heaven.**

**Give us this day our daily bread;
and forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors;
and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.
For thine is the kingdom, and the power,
and the glory, forever. Amen.**

GREETING, WELCOME, AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

CALL TO CONFESSION

PERSONAL AND PRIVATE CONFESSION OF SIN

CORPORATE PRAYER OF CONFESSION (Unison)

God of past, present, and future, we know we do not always recognize when you come to us. We find it easier to seek the company of those who reassure who we are, than to accept or welcome those who challenge us with who we might yet become. Come to us in the wonder of your grace with forgiveness and with transformation. This we pray in the name of the one who saves us, Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

*CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE

HYMN #485 "To God Be the Glory"

*To God be the glory, great things He hath done!
So loved He the world that He gave his own Son.
He yielded His life an atonement for sin,
And opened the life gate that all may go in.*

*Praise the Lord, praise the Lord, Let the earth hear His voice!
Praise the Lord, praise the Lord, Let the people rejoice!
O come through the Father through Jesus the Son,
And give Him the Glory: great things He hath done!*

PROCLAIMING THE WORD

SCRIPTURE READING II Samuel 6:1 - 5, 12 - 19

ANTHEM

*HYMN CHILDREN'S MOMENT

(Children in Pre-School through 2nd Grade may go to Children's Church.)

SCRIPTURE READING

Ephesians 1:3 - 14

THE SERMON

Dr. Rix Threadgill

"Praise and Worship"

RESPONDING TO THE WORD

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

RECEPTION OF TITHES AND OFFERINGS

OFFERTORY "All the Way My Savior Leads Me" (arr. Stevens)
Rick Robertson, piano

*DOXOLOGY

*Praise God from whom all blessings flow.
Praise Him all creatures here below.
Alleluia, Alleluia!
Praise Him above ye heavenly host.
Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost.
O praise Him, O praise Him,
Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia!*

*PRAYER OF DEDICATION (Unison)

Great treasures have come to us from God's hand. The air we breathe, the lives we treasure, the love we have known are all gifts from our Creator. We are privileged to say thank you as we dedicate a portion of our resources for the ministry and mission of the church. Amen.

*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

Apostles' Creed

**I believe in God the Father Almighty,
Maker of heaven and earth,
and in Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord;
who was conceived by the Holy Ghost,
born of the Virgin Mary,
suffered under Pontius Pilate,
was crucified, dead, and buried; he descended into hell;
the third day he rose again from the dead;
he ascended into heaven, and sitteth on the right hand of
God the Father Almighty;
from thence he shall come
to judge the quick and the dead.
I believe in the Holy Ghost;
the holy catholic church; the communion of saints;
the forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the body;
and the life everlasting. Amen.**

SENDING INTO THE WORLD

*HYMN 312 "Tis So Sweet to Trust in Jesus"
(insert)

*CHARGE AND BENEDICTION

*CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE HYMN #2223

*All praise to the Father, from whom all things come,
And all praise to Christ Jesus, God's only Son,
And all praise to the Spirit, who makes us one:*

*And they'll know we are Christians by our love, by our Love;
yes, they'll know we are Christians by our love.*

*POSTLUDE "Wade In the Water" (arr. Mark Hayes)
Rick Robertson, piano

*Please stand if you are able.

The flowers in the church today are given to the Glory of God and in honor of Joshua Mann and Laurali Davidson's birthdays.

A gift has been given by Freda Warlick in loving memory of Charles Loyd.