

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

**Happy Birthday this week to:** (1-21) Koren Stapp and Lynn De' Angelo; (1-22) Madison Cauthen; (1-24) Jacob Bailey

**Bible Study** with Pastor Rix each Wednesday at 6pm.

**Choir Practice** each Wednesday night at 7pm. Join us!

**Session** meeting today in Darden Hall following worship.

**Sleep In Heavenly Peace** building workshop at E.H. Baker Pavilion. January 25 & 26. Time to be announced.

**PW Council** meeting Sunday, January 27.

**PYC– Souper Bowl Sunday** on February 3.

**CURRENT CALENDAR OF EVENTS**

Every Sunday	9:00 AM 9:45 AM 11:00 AM	Coffee & pastries in Darden Hall Sunday School Worship
Sunday, January 20	9:00 AM 9:45 AM 11:00 AM 12:00 PM	Coffee & pastries in Darden Hall Sunday School Worship Session Meeting
Wednesday, Jan. 23	6:00 PM 7:00 PM	Bible Study with Pastor Rix Choir Practice
Fri. & Sat. Jan. 25 & 26		Sleep in Heavenly Peace at the E. H. Baker Pavilion time TBA
Sunday, Jan. 27	9:45 AM 11:00 AM 12:00 PM	Sunday School Worship PW Council Meeting
Wednesday, Jan. 30	6:00 PM 7:00 PM	Bible Study with Pastor Rix Choir Practice
Sunday, February 3	9:00AM	PYC Souper Bowl Sunday
Wednesday, Feb. 6	6:00 PM 7:00 PM	Bible Study with Pastor Rix Choir Practice
Sunday, February 10	9:00 AM	Breakfast in Darden Hall
Wednesday, Feb. 13	6:00 PM 7:00 PM	Bible Study with Pastor Rix Choir Practice
Thursday, Feb. 14		Valentines Day

**Today's Worship Leaders**

**Liturgist:**

**Elders on Duty:** Gina Bradfield and Joe

**Ushers:** Mickey Norris, Bobby Goldston, Mike Pauley and Jeff Skinner

**Greeters:** Bobby & Suzi Goldston

**Acolyte:** Corrinne Crites and Joe Threadgill

**Nursery Assistants:** Koren Stapp

**Children's Church:** Jayne Pauley

**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  
 Janice Westbrook, Nursery Worker

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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

January 20, 2019

11:00 a.m. Worship

2nd Sunday after Epiphany

## GATHERING THE PEOPLE OF GOD

PRELUDE Jo Loyd, organ

(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: How precious is your steadfast love, O God!

**People: All people may take refuge in the shadow of your wings.**

Leader: They feast on the abundance of your house,

**People: And you give them drink from the river of your delights.**

Leader: For with you is the fountain of life; in your light we see light.

**People: O continue your steadfast love to those who know you, and your salvation to the upright of heart.**

\*HYMN # 264 *"When in Our Music God Is Glorified"*

\*PRAYER OF ADORATION

\*THE LORD'S PRAYER

**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

CORPORATE PRAYER OF CONFESSION (Unison)

Lord God, forgive us when we misuse your gifts for our own glory. Forgive us when we fail to serve those in need that you send us to serve. Forgive us when our activities call attention to our actions instead of to your love for this world. Forgive us for what we fail to say and do. Strengthen your Holy Spirit within us so that we may boldly proclaim, "Jesus is Lord." Amen.

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

\*CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE

*"To God Be the Glory"*

*Praise the Lord, Praise the Lord, Let the earth hear His voice!*

*Praise the Lord, Praise the Lord, Let the people rejoice!*

*O come to the Father through Jesus the Son,*

*And give Him the glory: great things He hath done!*

PROCLAIMING THE WORD

SCRIPTURE READING

Isaiah 62: 1-5

ANTHEM

"Yahweh"

Judson McKinney

*Grow me beside the tree  
Help me to stand and not to flee  
Where there's grace and mercy  
Oh my Lord how can this be?*

CHORUS:

*Yahweh, Yahweh God  
Jesus, Jesus my Lord*

*Take me to the river to drink  
No more time to doubt or think  
How many times did I go astray, Lord?  
I'm to your cross and I'm on my way*

CHORUS:

*Yahweh, Yahweh God  
Jesus, Jesus my Lord  
(x 2)*

BRIDGE:

*I believe in Father of Heaven above  
I believe in Son of virgin birth  
I believe in redemption of His saints  
I believe in love at Heaven's gate*

*I believe in his unfailing love*

*Won't be peace on earth, but there's peace above*

*I believe in redemption of his saints  
I believe in love at Heaven's gate*

CHORUS:

*Yahweh, Yahweh God  
Jesus, Jesus my Lord  
(x 4)*

CHILDREN'S MOMENT

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

SCRIPTURE READING

Matthew 1: 18-23

THE SERMON

Dr. Rix Threadgill

"I'll Be There For You"

RESPONDING TO THE WORD

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

RECEPTION OF TITHES AND OFFERINGS

OFFERTORY

"Arietta"

(Rick Robertson)

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)

**We dedicate to you today, O God, all of our gifts given by you through the Holy Spirit. We thank you for the gifts of the utter-**

**ance of wisdom, the utterance of knowledge according to the Spirit; the gifts of faith, of healing, and of miracles; the gifts of prophecy, of discernment and tongues. We gratefully accept these gifts, and we humbly ask that you help us to use these gifts as you intend, that they may serve those in need and glorify you. 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 #2242 SING THE FAITH

"Walk with Me"

\*CHARGE AND BENEDICTION

\*CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE

by Peter Scholte  
Judson McKinney

"We Are One In The Spirit"

\*POSTLUDE

"Mighty Fortress"

(arr. Robertson)  
Rick Robertson, Piano

\*Please stand if you are able.

*Originally from South Carolina, Judson McKinney moved to Los Angeles in hopes of furthering his career as a musician. Influenced by singer/songwriter legends like Bob Dylan, Neil Young, and Jeff Tweedy, he swiftly gained notoriety in the LA music scene. Now residing in Charleston, South Carolina, Judson is currently working on his fourth studio album.*