

*POSTLUDE “Christians, We Have Met to Worship” (arr. Mark Hayes)
Rick Robertson, Piano

*Please stand if you are able.

Gifts have been given by Elaine Howard and Alesia Nixon in loving memory of Helen Loyd.

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Souper Bowl Sunday offering raised \$585.00 that will be dispersed to Good Sam Ministry and LaGrange Food Pantry.

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

Happy Birthday this week to: (2/10) Kullen Nash; (2/12) Carter Crites; (2/15) Mike Pauley, Todd Sandiford, Leland Barker, Lennox Barker

Save the Date: Youth Club begins February 26 at 5:30pm in Darden Hall

CURRENT CALENDAR OF EVENTS

EVERY SUNDAY	9:00 AM 9:45 AM 11:00 AM	Coffee & Pastries in Darden Hall Sunday School Worship
TUE. FEB. 11	12:45PM	LG Personal Aid Food Closet
WED. FEB. 12	6:00PM 7:00PM	Bible Study with Pastor Rix Choir Practice
SAT. FEB. 15	10:00AM	PW Craft Class
MON. FEB. 17	2 :30PM	Birthday Party at Twin Fountains
TUES. FEB. 18	12:45PM	LG Personal Aid Food Closet
WED. FEB. 19 (one)	6:00PM 7:00PM	Bible Study with Pastor Rix (last one) Choir Practice
SUN. FEB. 23	12:00PM	PW Luncheon
TUES. FEB. 25	12:45PM	LG Personal Aid Food Closet
WED. FEB. 26	5:30PM 7:15PM	Youth Club Begins Ash Wednesday Service

Today's Worship Leaders

Liturgist: Elaine Partin
Elders on Duty: Jim Allen Bradfield, Roxanne Quintana
Ushers: Jeff Darden, Gary Knox, Patti Knox, Bobby Goldston
Greeters: Bobby & Suzi Goldston
Acolytes: Madi Bailey, Olivia Barker
Children's Church: LaRhonda Bailey

Loyd Presbyterian Church Program Team:

Dr. Rix Threadgill, Pastor
Adrienne Hardie, Church Secretary
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



February 9, 2020
11:00 a.m. Worship
5th Sunday after Epiphany



GATHERING THE PEOPLE OF GOD

***GREETING OF FAMILY, FRIENDS AND VISITORS**

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

PRELUDE Jo Loyd, organ

CHIMING OF THE HOUR

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

CALL TO WORSHIP

Leader: God has commissioned us to pay attention, to notice, to care, to feel with, to serve.

People: God has commissioned us to serve by sharing the burdens of others.

Leader: God has commissioned us to serve by lifting up the voice of the silent.

People: God has commissioned us to serve by sharing our bread, our homes, our all.

*HYMN # 483 *“Sing Praise to God, Who Reigns Above”*

*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.**

CALL TO CONFESSION

PERSONAL AND PRIVATE COFFESSION OF SIN

CORPORATE PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Holy God, we confess that too often we choose not to see what is revealed right before us, because it calls our own choices into question. We confess that too often we do not hear the cries of the oppressed, the persecuted, the abused, the imprisoned, because their voices challenge us to look beyond our own comfort. We confess that too often we do not speak the truth we know, because it would upset our friends, our family, or our colleagues. Grant us the courage and the faith to act as your incarnate self, even in our weakness and fear and trembling. In the name and honor of all the faithful who have gone before us, we ask this blessing. Amen.

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

*CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE SING THE FAITH # 2272

“Holy Ground”

*We are standing on holy ground,
and I know that there are angels all around;
Let us praise Jesus now;
We are standing in his presence on holy ground.*

PROCLAIMING THE WORD

SCRIPTURE READING

Psalm 112: 1-9

ANTHEM

Lemmel

“Turn Your Eyes Upon Jesus”

Tavaris Taylor

CHILDREN’S MOMENT

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

SCRIPTURE READING

Matthew 5: 13-20

THE SERMON

Dr. Rix Threadgill

“You Are”

RESPONDING TO THE WORD

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

RECEPTION OF TITHES AND OFFERINGS

OFFERTORY “The Lord’s My Shepherd” (arr. T.C. McKibben)
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

Loving God, accept the fruit of our lives, affirmed again and again in the choice to be persons of goodness, humility, wisdom, and righteousness. Accept our offerings: not sackcloth and ashes to make ourselves feel better for a few minutes, but deep practical compassion to feed and clothe and house others for a lifetime. Accept our pledge to be light and salt in every place we live and move, that your realm may be fully revealed here and now. 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 #422 “God, Whose Giving Knows No Ending”

*CHARGE AND BENEDICTION

*CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE SING THE FAITH #2242

“Walk With Me”

*Walk with me, I will walk with you
and build the land that God has planned
where love shines through.*

*And when you share your faith with me and
work for life made new, the witness of your
faithfulness call me to walk with you.*

*Walk with me, I will walk with you
and build the land that God has planned
where love shines through.*