

# LOYD PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

May 10, 2020  
11:00 a.m. Worship  
5th Sunday of Easter

## GATHERING THE PEOPLE OF GOD

### CALL TO WORSHIP

Leader: God, our rock, we call out to you today. Guide us and lead us, O God.

**People: Let your face shine on us, your servants. O God, we seek your refuge.**

Leader: Redeem us, faithful God. O God, we seek your refuge.

**People: You are, indeed, our rock and our fortress.**

### \*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 COFFESION OF SIN

### CORPORATE PRAYER OF CONFESSION

**Holy One, sometimes the trials of our lives can seem too heavy a burden to bear. The slings and stones of the world hurt us deeply. Forgive us when we lash out at those who seek to wound our spirits. Forgive us when we forget to take refuge in you. Forgive us when we forget to return hatred with love. Forgive us when we forget to forgive ourselves for our very human reactions. We know you are our fortress, Holy One. Help us to remember to take refuge in you, for you forgive our failings and redeem us in your faithfulness. Amen.**

### ASSURANCE OF PARDON

## PROCLAIMING THE WORD

### SCRIPTURE READING

Psalm 31: 1-5,15-16

In you, O Lord, I seek refuge; do not let me ever be put to shame; in your righteousness deliver me. Incline your ear to me; rescue me speedily. Be a rock of refuge for me, a strong fortress to save me. You are indeed my rock and my fortress; for your name's sake lead me and guide me, take me out of the net that is hidden for me, for you are my refuge. Into your hand I commit my spirit; you have redeemed me, O Lord, faithful God. My times are in your hand; deliver me from the hand of my enemies and persecutors. Let your face shine upon your servant; save me in your steadfast love.

### CHILDREN'S MOMENT

### MOTHER'S DAY VIDEO

### SCRIPTURE READING

John 14: 1-14

“Do not let your hearts be troubled. Believe in God, believe also in me. In my Father's house there are many dwelling places. If it were not so, would I have told you that I go to prepare a place for you? And if I go and prepare a place for you, I will come again and will take you to myself, so that where I am, there you may be also. And you know the way to the place where I am going.” Thomas said to him, “Lord, we do not know where you are going. How can we know the way?” Jesus said to him, “I am the way, and the truth, and the life. No one comes to the Father except through me. If you know me, you will know my Father also. From now on you do know him and have seen him.” Philip said to him, “Lord, show us the Father, and we will be satisfied.” Jesus said to him, “Have I been with you all this time, Philip, and you still do not know me?” Whoever has seen me has seen the Father. How can you say, ‘Show us the Father’? Do you not believe that I am in the Father

and the Father is in me? The words that I say to you I do not speak on my own; but the Father who dwells in me does his works. Believe me that I am in the Father and the Father is in me; but if you do not, then believe me because of the works themselves. Very truly, I tell you, the one who believes in me will also do the works that I do and, in fact, will do greater works than these, because I am going to the Father. I will do whatever you ask in my name, so that the Father may be glorified in the Son. If in my name you ask me for anything, I will do it.”

### THE SERMON

Dr. Rix Threadgill

“Do You Know the Way?”

## RESPONDING TO THE WORD

### PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

### \*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

### \*CHARGE AND BLESSING