

TODAY'S WORSHIP LEADERS:

Liturgist: Annie Pauley

Elders on Duty: Pat Briggs, Gary Knox

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

Happy Birthday this week to: (3/17) Pat Briggs

There will be a love offering for West Ga. Star, Inc. during worship on March 21. The proceeds will be used to build healthy communities in Troup County.

Children's Church volunteers needed! Please contact Jayne Pauley if you would like to be added to the Children's Church rotation. We are in need of teachers for the 1st and/or 2nd week(s) of the month. Snacks are provided.

The next Session Meeting is 3/21/21 at 12:15pm in Darden Hall.

Save the Date! Mark and Jolene Davis invite you to share a special day with them on Sunday, April 18, 2021 at 2:00 p.m. as they renew their wedding vows. Their son, Chase Davis will preside over the ceremony.

The Holy Cow Survey Committee will be sending out an email asking you to sign up for one of 4 Small Group Meetings. The purpose of the meeting is to hear a presentation of the results of our recent CAT Survey. The groups will consist of 12-14 people so that there will be time and space for questions. Please plan to attend one of the following meetings:

Saturday, March 20 at 10:00am

Sunday, March 21 at 5:00pm

Tuesday, March 23 at 6:00pm

Thursday, March 25 at 6:30pm

WORSHIP LEADERS FOR MARCH:

Liturgists:

Mar. 21: John Darden

Mar. 28: Elaine Partin

Elders on Duty:

Doug Pauley, Stacie Hart

Peggy Darden, Jolene Davis

LOYD PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH PROGRAM TEAM:

Reverend Dave Omerod, Interim Pastor
Adrienne Hardie, Church Secretary
Shelley Skinner, Financial Secretary
Mike Pauley, Youth Director
Jo Loyd, Organist
Rick Robertson, Pianist
Koren Stapp, Nursery Coordinator
Pam Darden, God's Promised Land Coordinator
Meagan Ferrell, 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 one of our elders.*



LOYD PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

March 14, 2021
11:00 a.m. Worship
4th Sunday in Lent

CHIMING OF THE HOUR

PRELUDE "My Faith Looks Up to Thee" (arr. Brian Buda)
Rick Robertson, piano

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

***HYMN** "Blessed Assurance, Jesus Is Mine!"

*Blessed assurance, Jesus is mine!
O what a foretaste of glory divine!
Heir of salvation, purchase of God,
Born of His Spirit, washed in His blood.*

Refrain:
*This is my story, this is my song,
Praising my Savior all the day long;
This is my story, this is my song,
Praising my Savior all the day long.*

*Perfect submission, perfect delight,
Visions of rapture now burst on my sight;
Angels descending, bring from above
Echoes of mercy, whispers of love.*

Repeat Refrain.

***CORPORATE PRAYER OF CONFESSION (IN UNISON)**

Healing God, we are sick through our sinful ways. We are impatient, complaining, and troubled. We love the night because it hides the evil we have done and the doubt that shows on our faces. By our self-indulgent habits, we are destroying ourselves and depriving others. As a church, we seem content to be dead in our trespasses, for we are afraid to embrace the changes that come with the new life you offer. We cry out to you in our trouble. Save us from our distress. Amen.

***PERSONAL AND PRIVATE CONFESSION OF SIN**

***ASSURANCE OF PARDON (IN UNISON)**

God loved the world so much that Jesus Christ was sent to show us the way to eternal life. We are not condemned, but offered saving grace. Come to the light. Let its warmth melt away our resistance to God's truth. We are re-created in Jesus Christ that we may do the good that God intends and make that goodness our way of life. Praise God!

***APOSTLE'S CREED (IN UNISON)**

**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.**

RECEPTION OF NEW MEMBER

Brooke Roberson

MUSICAL MEDITATION

“God Is So Good” (arr. Phillip Keveren)
Rick Robertson, piano

CHILDREN'S MOMENT

Mike Pauley

SCRIPTURE READING

2 Corinthians 6:11-13

Dear friends in Corinth! We have spoken frankly to you; we have opened our hearts wide. It is not we who have closed our hearts to you; it is you who have closed your hearts to us. I speak now as though you were my children: show us the same feelings that we have for you. Open your hearts wide!

THE SERMON

Reverend Dave Omerod

PASTORAL PRAYER

THE LORD'S PRAYER (IN 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.**

***HYMN**

“Be Thou My Vision”

*Be Thou my vision, O Lord of my heart;
Nought be all else to me, save that Thou art-
Thou my best thought, by day or by night,
Waking or sleeping, Thy presence my light.*

*Be Thou my wisdom, and Thou my true word;
I ever with thee and Thou with me, Lord:
Heart of my own heart, whatever befall,
Still be my vision, O Ruler of all.*

***CHARGE AND BLESSING**

***CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE**

“The Old Rugged Cross”

*So I'll cherish the old rugged cross,
Till my trophies at last I lay down;
I will cling to the old rugged cross,
And exchange it some day for a crown.*

***POSTLUDE** “And Can It Be That I Should Gain” (arr. Lloyd Larson)
Rick Robertson, piano

***Please stand if you are able**

PLEASE PRAY FOR THE FOLLOWING PEOPLE:

Joe & Phyllis Atkins
Phil Atkins
Natalie Bishop
Christopher Bost
Jason Calhoun
Pete Chambers
Joe & Sheila Davis
Bud & Anna Hall
Wade Hall
Randy Janney
Bobby Johnson

Skip & Laura Lamb
Vickie Lonidier
Russell Mathuss
Cathy McCard
Allison Parrish
Clyde Railey
Joyce Rowden
Kathy Smith
Dot Thraikill
Linda Webb
Jim Wrinn