

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

Happy Birthday this week to: (11/14) Tom Chaput; (11/16) Trent Mann, Kelly Anderson, Charlie Kirby; (11/18) Shala McCarty; (11/20) Brock Sirmons

Congregational Meeting Sunday, Nov. 21 for the purpose of electing elders for the Class of 2024. The elder nominating committee recommends the following people: Sally Burek, Madison Cauthen, Eugene Turner, and Cy Wood.

The month of November is a time to reflect and give thanks for all of our many blessings. Our stewardship season at Loyd began on November 7th and will end with our pledge Sunday and Thanksgiving luncheon in Darden Hall on November 21st. We look forward to celebrating our Loyd Church family and hope you will all join us to give thanks!

The Jo Loyd Noon Circle is collecting for Military Gift Baskets through Sunday, Nov. 21. Please help by donating some of the following items: beef jerky, individually wrapped candies, crackers, nuts, small hygiene items such as toothpaste and mouthwash, hot sauce (Texas Pete), Chapstick, peanut butter, protein bars, chocolate, rice krispies, and don't forget a note or card!

Volunteers are needed to help decorate the church for Christmas on Monday, Nov. 22 at 9:30am. Please see Anne Hall if you are available.

TODAY'S WORSHIP LEADERS:

Liturgist: Mike Pauley

Greeters: Veronica & Brock Sirmons

Elders on Duty: Wade Hall, Cynthia Tidwell

WORSHIP LEADERS FOR OCTOBER:

	Liturgists:	Elders on Duty:
Nov. 21	Sandy Mann	Pat Briggs, Gary Knox
Nov. 28	John Darden	Doug Pauley, Stacie Hart

USHER/GREETER ROTATION:

- 1st Sunday:** Eugene Turner, Trudy Calhoun
- 2nd Sunday:** Veronica & Brock Sirmons
- 3rd Sunday:** Mark Davis, Trent Mann
- 4th Sunday:** Elaine Howard, Alesia Nixon
- 5th Sunday:** Youth

LOYD PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH PROGRAM TEAM:

- Adrienne Hardie, Church Secretary
- Rick Robertson, Pianist
- Koren Stapp, Nursery Coordinator
- Pam Darden, God's Promised Land Coordinator
- Katie Vincent, 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

November 14, 2021
 11:00 a.m. Worship
 25th Sunday after Pentecost

GATHERING THE PEOPLE OF GOD

PRELUDE "Prelude-Arabesque" (Rick Robertson)
 Rick Robertson, piano

GREETING, WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

CALL TO WORSHIP

Leader: Come, let us present ourselves before our God. Bring all your troubles and anxiety to God in prayer.

People: **Surely God knows our thoughts and hears our prayers. We find strength for living as we praise God.**

Leader: Lay down your arrogance and false pride. Admit your needs as you seek God's favor.

People: **We pour our souls before the living God. We do not withhold from God our misery and distress.**

Leader: God grants our petitions and gives us peace. The counsel of our God gladdens our hearts.

All: In God's presence there is fulness of joy. As we meet together, we are encouraged and comforted.

*HYMN (INSERT) "The Master Has Come, And He Calls Us"

*CALL TO CONFESSION

*PRAYER OF CONFESSION (Unison)

Mighty God, we confess the arrogance of our doubts and the falsehood of our denials. We have neglected to pray and have forgotten to give thanks. Many activities have become more important to us than gathering for worship. Our busyness crowds our times of private prayer. We shake our heads at the evil around us but do little to witness to a better way. Your law is seldom consulted, and your pathways of self-sacrificing love rarely explored. Turn us around, God. Only you can meet our need. Amen.

*ASSURANCE OF PARDON

Psalm 103:12

“As far as the east is from the west, so far has He removed our transgressions from us.”

*APOSTLE’S CREED (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.**

A TIME TO GIVE THANKS

John Darden

RECEIVING OF TITHES AND OFFERINGS

OFFERTORY

“Prayerful Thoughts”

(Terry Osman)
Rick Robertson, piano

*CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE

“Give Thanks”

***Give thanks with a grateful heart,
give thanks to the Holy One,
Give thanks because he’s given Jesus Christ his Son. (Repeat)***

***And now let the weak say, “I am strong”;
Let the poor say, “I am rich because of what the Lord
has done for us.” (Repeat)***

Give thanks, give thanks!

SCRIPTURE READING

Matthew 25:19-30

CHILDREN’S MOMENT

Mike Pauley

SCRIPTURE READING

Genesis 22:1-19

MESSAGE

Mack Tidwell

“Embracing Stewardship”

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

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 (INSERT)

“Trust and Obey”

*CHARGE AND BENEDICTION

*CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE

“We Give Thee but Thine Own”

***May we Thy bounties thus
As stewards true receive,
And gladly, as Thou blessest us,
To Thee our first fruits give.***

*POSTLUDE

“O For a Thousand Tongues” (arr. Larry Shackley)
Rick Robertson, piano

*Please stand if you are able

PLEASE PRAY FOR THE FOLLOWING PEOPLE:

Buddy Baker
Mr. & Mrs. Ricky Bradley
Brooke Breed
Judy Calhoun
Cindy Crane
Danny Curtis
Kolby Duffey
Healthcare Workers of Troup Co.

Casey Hendricks
Pete Longoria
Mike Pauley
Dan & Jo Payne
Bryce Ratliff
Bill & Joyce Rowden
Harris Satterfield
Angie Smith