

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

Happy Birthday this week to: (1/9) Cannon Skinner; (1/11) Emily Cobb, Alyssa Barton

TODAY'S WORSHIP LEADERS:

Liturgist: John Darden
Greeters: Veronica & Brock Sirmons
Elders on Duty: Doug Pauley, Elliott Lamb

WORSHIP LEADERS FOR DECEMBER:

	Liturgists:	Elders on Duty:
Jan. 16	Karen McBride	Gary Knox, Jim Allen Bradfield
Jan. 25	Mike Pauley	John Darden, Eugene Turner
Jan. 30	Jayne Pauley	Cy Wood, Sally Burek

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

CALENDAR OF EVENTS:

Today	9:45 AM 11:00 AM	Sunday School Worship
Sun. Jan 16		Ordination & Installation of Ruling Elders
Wed. Jan. 19	12:00 PM	Jo Loyd Noon Circle
Thurs. Jan 20	6:00 PM	Mollie Darden Circle

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

January 9, 2022
11:00 a.m. Worship
Baptism of the Lord

GATHERING THE PEOPLE OF GOD

CHIMING OF THE HOUR

PRELUDE "Great Is Thy Faithfulness" (arr. Bill Wolaver)
Rick Robertson, piano

GREETING, WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

CALL TO WORSHIP

Leader: Let your light shine!

People: Let your hearts be glad!

Leader: God is faithful to us, and God rules in love.

People: Let us worship God!

*HYMN #473

"For the Beauty of the Earth"

*CALL TO CONFESSION

*PRAYER OF CONFESSION (Unison)

Gracious and loving God, open our hearts so that we are able to admit to you the fullness of our lives – that which is beautiful and good, and that which is hurtful and hateful. We confess that we do not follow Jesus in all that we do. We love with condition. We judge and condemn. We cast the first stone, and keep the logs in our own eyes. We do not turn to You as the source of our healing. Forgive us, we pray. Forgive our sin, and empower us to be imitators of Christ in love and service. 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.**

RECEIVING OF TITHES AND OFFERINGS

OFFERTORY “I Must Tell Jesus” (arr. David Miller Williams)
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

SCRIPTURE READING

Matthew 2:1-12

CHILDREN’S MOMENT

Mike Pauley

SCRIPTURE READING

Isaiah 60:1-6

MESSAGE

Rev. Wilson Kennedy

“God Is Here”

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 #485

“To God Be the Glory”

*CHARGE AND BENEDICTION

*CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE

“Blest Be the Tie That Binds”

*Blest be the tie that binds
Our hearts in Christian love:
The fellowship of kindred minds
Is like to that above.*

*POSTLUDE

“Go Forth”

(Jason W. Krug)
Rick Robertson, piano

*Please stand if you are able

PLEASE PRAY FOR THE FOLLOWING PEOPLE:

Janet Armstrong	Dan Payne
Dee Darden Adkins	Birth of Pruett Pauley
Buddy Baker	PNC
Ron & Margaret Beyer	Joyce & Bill Rowden
Margaret Blackwell	Harris Satterfield
Danny Curtis	Brock & Veronica Sirmons
Charles & Peggy Darden	Amy Starling
Casey Hendricks	Doug Walker