

**ANNOUNCEMENTS:**

**Happy Birthday this week to:** (4/11) Chris Hester; (4/13) Chase Darden; (4/14) Alida Quintana; (4/16) Joseph Trask

**Maundy Thursday Dinner**, hosted by the PW, will be Thursday, April 14 at 6:00 followed by a Communion Service at 7:00.

**Easter Egg Hunt** at the Darden's on Saturday, April 16 at 3:00.

**Easter Breakfast** April 17 in Darden Hall and Flowering the Cross from 9:30 to 10:30 AM.

**TODAY'S WORSHIP LEADERS:**

**Liturgist:** Karen McBride

**Greeters:** Veronica & Brock Sirmons

**Elders on Duty:** Cy Wood, Sally Burek

**WORSHIP LEADERS FOR APRIL:**

	<b>Liturgists:</b>	<b>Elders on Duty:</b>
<b>April 17</b>	Jayne Pauley	Peggy Darden, Jolene Davis
<b>April 24</b>	Sandy Mann	Doug Pauley, Elliott Lamb

**USHER/GREETER ROTATION:**

**1st Sunday:** Wade Hall, 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:**

<b>Today</b>	9:45 AM 11:00 AM	Sunday School Worship
<b>Thurs. Apr. 14</b>	6:00PM 7:00PM	Maundy Thursday Dinner Maundy Thursday Service
<b>Sat. Apr. 16</b>	3:00PM	Easter Egg Hunt at the Darden's (679 Glass Br. Rd)
<b>Sun. Apr. 17</b>	9:30AM	Easter Breakfast & Flowering the Cross
<b>Sun. Apr.</b>	12:15PM	Session Meeting

**LOYD PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH PROGRAM TEAM:**

Adrienne Hardie, Church Secretary  
Rick Robertson, Pianist  
Koren Stapp, Nursery Coordinator  
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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**

April 10, 2022  
11:00 a.m. Worship  
Palm Sunday

**GATHERING THE PEOPLE OF GOD**

CHIMING OF THE HOUR

PRELUDE "Morning Has Broken" (arr. Joel Raney)  
Rick Robertson, piano

GREETING, WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

CALL TO WORSHIP

Leader: Blessed are those who delight in worship. Blessed are the ones who come in God's name.

**People: Give thanks to God, all who assemble here. God's steadfast love endures forever.**

Leader: Let all who follow Christ sing God's praise. Because of God's help, we are not disgraced.

**People: Open the gates of righteousness that we might enter. The works of God are marvelous in our eyes.**

Leader: This is the day that our God has made; Let us rejoice and be glad in it.

**All: Hosanna! Let every knee bend before Jesus! Let every tongue welcome Christ's reign! Hosanna!**

\*HYMN #89 "Hosanna, Loud Hosanna"

\*CALL TO CONFESSION

\*PRAYER OF CONFESSION (IN UNISON)

Sovereign God, we confess that we are as fickle as the crowds in Jerusalem. When everything seems to be going well, we join the hosanna chorus, but in times of weariness or rebellion, praise can turn to insult. We hide our faith when it is under attack and link ourselves with the scoffers. When there is opportunity to speak a good word for Jesus Christ, we are silent. Our church lifts an uncertain word before the world, for we, its members, have not been faithful. We need your forgiving love today, O God, more than ever. Hear our prayer! Amen.

\*ASSURANCE OF PARDON

\*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.**

RECEIVING OF TITHES AND OFFERINGS

OFFERTORY                      "Lamb of God"                      (arr. Phillip Keveren)  
Rick Robertson, piano

\*DOXOLOGY

*Praise God from whom all blessings flow,  
Praise him all creatures here below.  
Praise Him above, ye heavenly host.  
Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost.*

\*PRAYER OF DEDICATION

SCRIPTURE READING                      Philipians 2:5-11

CHILDREN'S MOMENT                      Madison Cauthen

SCRIPTURE READING                      Luke 23:1-12

MESSAGE                      Dr. John Hardie

"The Politics of Jesus"

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 #88                      "All Glory, Laud, and Honor"

\*CHARGE AND BENEDICTION

\*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                      "Ride On, King Jesus!"                      (arr. Gina Sprunger)  
Rick Robertson, piano

\*Please stand if you are able



*A gift was given by Alesia Nixon in loving memory of Bud Hall.*

*Gifts were given by Charlene Spinks, David & Gail Woodward, Randall & Peggy Newton, Clara, George & Sharon Andrews, Betty & Steve Martin, Jason Bell & family, Russell Martin & family and Freda Warlick in loving memory of Rae Loyd.*



**PLEASE PRAY FOR THE FOLLOWING PEOPLE:**

Dee Adkins	Debbie McIntyre
Buddy Baker	Joan Nelson
Neal Billingsley	Jake, Sarah & Pruett Pauley
Colt Bowen	Dan Payne
Pete Chambers	Joyce & Bill Rowden
Melanie & Mike Goodman	Ken Sirmons
Healthcare Wkrs. of Troup Co.	Kevin Sirmons
Casey Hendricks	Angie Smith
Reese Howell	Amy Starling
Kate Kirby	Jerry Thompson