

**ANNOUNCEMENTS:**

**Happy Birthday this week to:** (1/29) Stacie Hart; (2/2) Skylar Roberson

There will be a wedding shower for Madison Cauthen and Jacob Shelton on Sunday, February 5 at 3:00 in Darden Hall. Please join us!

The wedding shower for Alex Cathey and his fiancé, Lauren Gay, has been moved to Sunday, February 19 at 2:00 in Darden Hall. All are welcome!

Souper Bowl Sunday is February 12. We will have a luncheon after worship. All proceeds will go to the LaGrange Personal Aid Food Closet.

**TODAY’S WORSHIP LEADERS:**

**Liturgist:** Elaine Partin  
**Greeters:** Youth  
**Elders on Duty:** John Darden, Eugene Turner

**WORSHIP LEADERS FOR JANUARY/FEBRUARY:**

	<b>Liturgist:</b>	<b>Elders on Duty:</b>
<b>Feb. 5</b>	Gina Bradfield	Doug Pauley, Gary Knox
<b>Feb. 12</b>	Mike Pauley	Madison Cauthen, Roxann Quintana
<b>Feb. 19</b>	Sandy Mann	Cy Wood, Sally Burek
<b>Feb. 26</b>	Elaine Partin	John Darden, Mike Pauley

**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 Installing Elders
<b>Sun. Feb. 5</b>	3:00 PM	Wedding Shower for Madison & Jacob
<b>Sun. Feb. 12</b>	11:00 AM 12:15 PM	Souper Bowl Sunday Session Meeting
<b>Sun. Feb. 19</b>	2:00 PM	Wedding Shower for Alex & Lauren

**LOYD PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH PROGRAM TEAM:**

Reverend Tyler Brock, Pastor  
Adrienne Hardie, Church Secretary  
Rick Robertson, Pianist  
Koren Stapp, Nursery Coordinator  
Pam Darden, God’s Promised Land 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 our pastor or one of our elders.*



**LOYD PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**

January 29, 2023  
11:00 a.m. Worship  
4th Sunday after Epiphany

**GATHERING THE PEOPLE OF GOD**

CHIMING OF THE HOUR

PRELUDE “I Surrender All” (arr. Phillip Keveren)  
Rick Robertson, piano

GREETING, WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

May the peace of Christ be with you. **And also with you.**

\*CONGREGATIONAL INTROIT

*To God be the glory, great things He has done!  
So loved He the world that He gave us His Son,  
Who yielded His life an atonement for sin,  
And opened the life-gate that all may go in.  
Praise the Lord, praise the Lord,  
Let the earth hear His voice!  
Praise the Lord, praise the Lord.  
Let the people rejoice!  
O come to the Father through Jesus the Son,  
And give Him the glory: great things He Hath done!*

\*CALL TO WORSHIP

Leader: What does the Lord require of you,  
**All: But to do justice, love kindness, and walk humbly with God?**

\*HYMN #288 “I Sing the Mighty Power of God”

CALL TO CONFESSION

PRAYER OF CONFESSION (IN UNISON)

God, we have not done what is blameless and right, nor spoken truth from the heart with love. We do not keep your word, and when we participate in gossip, our words and deeds cause pain. Forgive us by the power of your mercy, that we might stand in the goodness of Christ and walk in the light of his love. Amen.

(Silent prayers of confession)

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

Leader: Sisters and brothers, your sins are forgiven by the faith of Christ,

**People: Who chose love over hatred and forgiveness over blame.**

Leader: Rejoice and be glad, for God’s mercy is great;

**All: Jesus brings healing, justice, and peace.**

RECEIVING OF TITHES AND OFFERINGS

OFFERTORY “Amazing Grace” (arr. Rick Robertson)  
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

CHILDREN’S MOMENT

THE GOSPEL LESSON

MESSAGE

“The Ignorance of Wisdom”

INSTALLATION OF ELDERS

**Mike Pauley and Roxann Quintana**

Statement on the Office of Elder

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.**

Constitutional Questions to Officers-Elect  
Constitutional Questions to the Congregation  
Prayer  
Declaration of Installation  
Charge to New Elders

1 Corinthians 1:18-31

Mike Pauley

Matthew 5:1-12

Reverend Tyler Brock

RECOGNITION OF ELDERS, CLASS OF 2022

**Jim Allen Bradfield, Peggy Darden, Jolene Davis, Elliott Lamb,**

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 #525 “Here I Am, Lord”

\*CHARGE AND BENEDICTION

\*CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE

“I Have Decided to Follow Jesus”

*I have decided to follow Jesus,  
I have decided to follow Jesus,  
I have decided to follow Jesus-  
no turning back, no turning back.*

\*POSTLUDE “On Eagle’s Wings” (arr. Janet Vogt)  
Rick Robertson, piano

\*Please stand if you are able