

TODAY’S WORSHIP LEADERS:

Liturgist: Elaine Partin
Greeters: Chase Darden, Jeff Darden
Elders on Duty: Madison Cauthen, Mike Pauley
Children’s Church: Elaine Howard

WORSHIP LEADERS FOR APRIL:

	Liturgist:	Elders on Duty:
Apr. 2	Gina Bradfield	Eugene Turner, Gary Knox
Apr. 9	Karen McBride	Cy Wood, Sally Burek
Apr. 16	Jayne Pauley	Madison Cauthen, Doug Pauley
Apr. 23	Sandy Mann	Madison Cauthen, Mike Pauley
Apr. 30	Mike Pauley	Roxann Quintana, Cy Wood

CALENDAR OF EVENTS:

Today	9:45 AM 11:00 AM	Sunday School Worship
Wed, Mar. 29	5:30-7PM	Wednesday Nights @ Loyd
Thurs. Apr. 6	6:00 PM	Maundy Thursday Dinner & Service
Sun. Apr. 9	9:30 AM	Easter Breakfast & Flowering the Cross
Wed, Apr. 12	5:30-7PM	Wednesday Nights @ Loyd
Sun. Apr. 16	12:00 PM	Session Meeting
Wed, Apr. 19	5:30-7PM	Wednesday Nights @ Loyd
Sat. April 22		CB & Pavilion Rented
Sat, Apr. 26	5:30-7PM	Wednesday Nights @ Loyd
Sun. May 7		CB & Pavilion Rented
Sun. May 21	12:00 PM	Graduation Luncheon Session Meeting
June 4-10		Montreat

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
Madison Cauthen, Youth Director

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or have a question about the life and ministry of this congregation,
please speak with our pastor or one of our elders.*



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LOYD PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

March 26, 2023
11:00 a.m. Worship
5th Sunday in Lent

CHIMING OF THE HOUR

PRELUDE “Breathe On Me, Breath of God”
(arr. Mark Hayes)
Rick Robertson, piano

GREETING, WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

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

***CONGREGATIONAL INTROIT** “We Gather Together”

*We all do extol you, our leader triumphant,
And pray that you still our defender will be.
Let your congregation escape tribulation:
Your name be ever praised! O Lord, make us free!*

***CALL TO WORSHIP**

Leader: O mortal, can these bones live?

People: Only the Lord God knows.

Leader: O people, hope in the Lord.

People: With the Lord there is steadfast love and great power
to redeem.

***HYMN #379** “My Hope Is Built”

CALL TO CONFESSION

PRAYER OF CONFESSION (IN UNISON)

O Lord, if you held our sin against us, who could live, who could stand? We seem to have more faith in death than hope in your promise of life. We seek peace through war and find security in weapons. We abandon the hungry, sick, and dying, and pursue wealth by making others poor. And even so, you love us; still there is forgiveness with you! Therefore we worship you; for you alone, O Lord, can save us from death and redeem us from our sin. Amen.
(Silent prayers of confession)

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

Leader: O dry bones, hear the word of the Lord!

People: If Jesus Christ dwells in you, the Spirit of God will be your life and the grace of God will be your righteousness.

Leader: And if the Holy Spirit dwells in you,

People: Then God, who raised Jesus from the dead, will also give life to your mortal bodies.

Leader: Friends, this is the good news of the gospel: In Jesus Christ we are forgiven.

All: Thanks be to 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.**

RECEIVING OF TITHES AND OFFERINGS

OFFERTORY “Have Thine Own Way, Lord” (arr. James M. Stevens)
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 Ezekiel 37:1-14

CHILDREN’S MOMENT Mike Pauley

SCRIPTURE READING Psalm 130

MESSAGE Reverend Tyler Brock

“The Breath of God”

MUSICAL MEDITATION

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 #383** “My Faith Looks Up to Thee”

*CHARGE AND BENEDICTION

*CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE

“Just As I Am”

***Just as I am, Thy love unknown
Has broken every barrier down;
Now to be Thine, yea, Thine alone,
O Lamb of God, I come, I come!***

***POSTLUDE** “Worthy” (Todd Beaney)
Rick Robertson, piano

***Please stand if you are able**



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ANNOUNCEMENTS:

Happy Birthday this week to: (3/26) Wiley Nelson; (3/27) Bill Rowden, Sally Burek, Katie Kirby; (3/28) Hudson Roberson; (3/30) Diane Lane; (3/31) Lee Cathey; (4/1) Holly Davidson, Ephrem Davidson

Easter Lily forms are due Sunday, April 2. All gifts will be listed in the bulletin on Easter Sunday.

Thank you to everyone who has contributed to our "Envelope Wall Fund-raiser." We have raised over \$1600 for our Christian Ed. programs so far.

The Jo Loyd and Mollie Darden Circles will host Maundy Thursday dinner at 6:00 on April 6.