TODAY'S WORSHIP LEADERS:

Liturgist: Madison Shelton

Greeters: Veronica & Brock Sirmons

Elders on Duty: Roxann Quintana, Doug Pauley

Children's Church: Jayne Pauley

WORSHIP LEADERS FOR MAY/JUNE:

	Liturgist:	Elders on Duty:
May 28	Jayne Pauley	Madison Shelton, Mike Pauley
June 4	Gina Bradfield	Eugene Turner, Gary Knox
June 11	Mike Pauley	Cy Wood, Sally Burek
June 18	Sandy Mann	Madison Shelton, Doug Pauley
June 25	Karen McBride	Roxann Quintana Mike Pauley

USHER/GREETER ROTATION:

1st Sunday: Wade Hall, Trudy Calhoun
2nd Sunday: Veronica & Brock Sirmons
3rd Sunday: Patti Knox, Trent Mann
4th Sunday: Chase Darden, Jeff Darden

5th Sunday: Youth

CALENDAR OF EVENTS:

Today	9:45 AM 11:00 AM 12:00 PM 1:00 PM	Sunday School Worship Graduation Luncheon Session Meeting Pavilion Rented
Mon. May 22	6:30 PM	Pastor's Bible Study
Tues. May 23	9:00 AM	Fellowship Walk at the Track
Wed. May 24	6:00 PM	The Chosen Bible Study
Thurs. May 25	10:00 AM 7:00 PM	Pastor's Bible Study Fellowship Walk at the Track
Sat. May 27		CB & Pavilion Rented
Mon. May 29		Memorial Day (church office closed)

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 Shelton, Youth Director

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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.





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May 21, 2023 11:00 a.m. Worship Graduate Sunday 7th Sunday of Easter

CHIMING OF THE HOUR

PRELUDE "Always with the Lord" (Georg Friedrich Handel)
Su Lee, organ

GREETING, WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

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

*CONGREGATIONAL INTROIT

"I Love You, Lord"

I love you, Lord, and I lift my voice to worship you, O my soul rejoice. Take joy, my King, in what you hear, may it be a sweet, sweet sound in your ear.

*CALL TO WORSHIP

Leader: Let the righteous be joyful! Let them rejoice before God.

All: Let us all be jubilant with joy!

Leader: Sing to God, all peoples of the world. Sing praises to God

most high.

All: From the sanctuary of heaven, God gives life and renews the face of the earth.

Leader: Let the righteous be joyful! Let them rejoice before God.

All: Let us all be jubilant with joy!

*Hymn #339

"Be Thou My Vision"

CALL TO CONFESSION

Madison Shelton

*Doxology

*CHARGE AND BENEDICTION

Prayer of Confession (in unison)

Loving God, we confess that we do not always bring honor and glory to your name. We are rebellious and weak; we flee before your goodness. Forgive, restore, and strengthen us by the grace and mercy of Christ, that we may rise up again in peace to love and serve your world. Amen.

(Silent prayers of confession)

Assurance of Pardon

Leader: Sisters and brothers, the Spirit of God is resting on you, to restore, support, and strengthen you. Therefore, be at peace in the One who forgives and loves you;

All: Rise up and give God thanks.

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;

RECEIVING OF TITHES AND OFFERINGS

and the life everlasting. Amen.

OFFERTORY "You'll Never Walk Alone" (arr. James Michael Stevens)
Rick Robertson, piano

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 Acts 1:6-14

CHILDREN'S MOMENT Mike Pauley

HONORING OUR GRADUATES

Madison Shelton

SCRIPTURE READING John 17:1-11

MESSAGE Reverend Tyler Brock

"Ascension of the Lord"

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 (Insert)

"It Only Takes a Spark"

*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 "A Minor"

(E. Heyer) Su Lee, organ

*Please stand if you are able



The flowers in the sanctuary today are given by Elaine Partin.



ANNOUNCEMENTS:

Happy Birthday this week to: (5/21) Bernice Griffeth; (5/24) Evan Hart.

Thank you to everyone who has contributed to our "Envelope Wall Fundraiser." We have raised over \$2000 for our Christian Ed. programs so far.

Please join us for a Covered-dish luncheon today, following worship.

Pastor's Bible Study in Darden Hall on Mondays at 6:30pm and Thursdays at 10am. All are welcome!

Fellowship Walk at the Loyd Track-Tuesdays at 9am and Thursdays at 7pm. Please join us!