

TODAY’S WORSHIP LEADERS:

Liturgist: Elaine Partin
Greeters: Patti Knox, Trent Mann
Elders on Duty: Madison Shelton, Doug Pauley
Children’s Church: Veronica Sirmons

WORSHIP LEADERS FOR AUGUST/SEPTEMBER:

	Liturgist:	Elders on Duty:
Aug. 27	Jayne Pauley	John Darden, Mike Pauley
Sept. 3	Gina Bradfield	Eugene Turner, Gary Knox
Sept. 10	Karen McBride	Cy Wood, Sally Burek
Sept. 17	Sandy Mann	Madison Shelton, Doug Pauley
Sept. 24	Elaine Partin	John Darden, Mike Pauley

CALENDAR OF EVENTS:

Today	9:45 AM 11:00 AM	Sunday School Worship
Tues. Aug. 22	6:45-7:30 AM 6:00 PM	Youth Breakfast Fletcher Bible Study in Darden Hall
Wed. Aug. 23	6:15 PM	The Chosen Bible Study in Darden Hall
Tues. Aug. 29	6:45-7:30 AM 6:00 PM	Youth Breakfast Fletcher Bible Study in Darden Hall
Wed. Aug. 30	6:15 PM	The Chosen Bible Study in Darden Hall
Sat. Sept. 2		CB & Baker Pavilion Rented
Sat. Sept. 9	9 AM-1 PM	Baker Pavilion Rented Build-A-Bed
Sun. Sept. 10	12:15 PM 4:00 PM	PW Meeting Rev. Brock’s Ordination
Mon. Sept. 11	6:00 PM	Nurture & Outreach Mtg.

LOYD PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH PROGRAM TEAM:

Reverend Tyler Brock, Pastor
Adrienne Hardie, Church Secretary
Rick Robertson, Pianist
Su Lee, Organist
Koren Stapp, Nursery Coordinator
Pam Darden, God’s Promised Land Coordinator
Madison Shelton, 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

August 20, 2023
11:00 a.m. Worship
12th Sunday after Pentecost

CHIMING OF THE HOUR

PRELUDE “Thanks Be to Thee”
(George F. Handel)
Su Lee, organ

GREETING, WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

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

***CONGREGATIONAL INTROIT** “Sanctuary”

*Lord, prepare me to be a sanctuary,
Pure and holy, tried and true.
With thanksgiving, I’ll be a living
Sanctuary for you.*

***CALL TO WORSHIP**

Leader: God has forgiven us and drawn us close, reconciling us
through Jesus Christ, who has lavished upon us the
fullness of the blessed Holy Spirit.

All: With glad and grateful hearts, praise the Lord!

***HYMN #379** “My Hope Is Built on Nothing Less”

CALL TO CONFESSION Elaine Partin

PRAYER OF CONFESSION (IN UNISON)

Have mercy on us, Lord Jesus; we are tormented! Our lives have been disrupted by the devil and by our own devilish desires and evil exploits. We are dismayed at your presence, anguished by the awful fallout of our own failures. We cannot take back what we have said or undo what we have done, or atone for the agony we have caused. We are haunted by the past, plagued by the present, and fearful of the future. We shrink away from your gaze as strangers outside your circle of blessing. Yet the faith you have planted in us reaches out for your favor, returns to your presence, and hungers for your mercy, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

(Silent prayers of confession)

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

Leader: Our God kisses us with kindness, forgiving our sins, preserving our lives, and restoring our souls through the abundant provision of our Lord Jesus Christ. Receive now that for which faith has hungered: you are forgiven and healed in the name of Jesus the Christ.

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 “Day By Day” (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 Romans 11:1-2a, 29-32

CHILDREN’S MOMENT Mike Pauley

SCRIPTURE READING Matthew 15: 10-28

MESSAGE “Outside Faith” Reverend Tyler Brock

MUSICAL MEDITATION

INVITATION TO THE TABLE

GREAT THANKSGIVING

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.

WORDS OF INSTITUTION

BREAKING OF THE BREAD

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

*HYMN #383 “My Faith Looks Up to Thee”

*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 “The Solid Rock” (William B. Bradbury)
Sun Lee, organ

*Please stand if you are able

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

Happy Birthday this week to: (8/20) John Darden; (8/22) LaRhonda Bailey; (8/23) Neal Sandiford, Matthew Bailey

Thank you to everyone who has contributed to our "Envelope Wall Fundraiser." We have raised over \$2700 for our Christian Ed. programs so far.

Janet Fletcher will lead a Bible Study this week on the topic, “Who Are the Israelites/Jews and Why Does it Matter?” Please meet in Darden Hall on Tuesday, August 22 at 6:00pm.

The Chosen Bible Study is on Wednesdays at 6:15pm in Darden Hall. Please contact Mike Pauley for more information.

Youth Breakfast on Tuesdays 6:45am at Chick-fil-A. Please see Madison for more details.