

TODAY’S WORSHIP LEADERS:

Liturgist: Jayne Pauley
Greeters: Chase Darden, Jeff Darden
Elders on Duty: Madison Shelton, Mike Pauley
Children’s Church: Jayne Pauley

WORSHIP LEADERS FOR SEPTEMBER:

	Liturgist:	Elders on Duty:
Sept. 3	Mike Pauley	Eugene Turner, Gary Knox
Sept. 10	Gina Bradfield	Cy Wood, Sally Burek
Sept. 17	Sandy Mann	Madison Shelton, Doug Pauley
Sept. 24	Elaine Partin	John Darden, 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	Sunday School Worship
Tues. Aug. 29	6:45-7:20 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
Mon. Sept. 4		Church office closed for Labor Day
Sat. Sept. 9	9 AM-1 PM	Build-A-Bed Baker Pavilion Rented
Sun. Sept. 10	12:15 PM	PW Meeting
Mon. Sept. 11	6:00 PM	Nurture & Outreach Meeting

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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*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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LOYD PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

August 27, 2023
11:00 a.m. Worship
13th Sunday after Pentecost

CHIMING OF THE HOUR

PRELUDE “Chime Prelude in Eb Major” (Raymond Herbek)
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: You, who are many, are transformed to become one in Christ.

**All: We, who are many, are called to worship God, the
Three in One. Let us worship God.**

***HYMN #376 “Love Divine, All Loves Excelling”**

CALL TO CONFESSION Jayne Pauley

PRAYER OF CONFESSION (IN UNISON)

Forgiving God, we confess that we are conformed to this world. We conform to this world’s frantic pace, too hectic to notice all the blessings you provide. We conform to this world’s reckless waste, exploiting what you entrust to our care. We conform to this world’s shallow values, oblivious to the giftedness of people different from us. We conform to this world’s impatient attitudes, preferring the latest instead of the lasting. Forgive our conformity and transform us, O God. We pray in Jesus’ name. Amen.

(Silent prayers of confession)

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

Leader: If it had not been the Lord who was on our side,

All: We would now be lost in sin.

Leader: But it is the Lord who is on our side.

All: And so we are forgiven. Our help is in the name of the Lord, who made heaven and earth.

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 “Almighty Love” (Tracey Craig McKibben)
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 12:1-8

CHILDREN’S MOMENT Mike Pauley

SCRIPTURE READING Matthew 16:13-20

MESSAGE Reverend Tyler Brock

“One Body, Many Gifts”

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 #391 “Take My Life”

*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 “Verset” (A.P.F. Boely)
Su Lee, organ

*Please stand if you are able



*Gifts were given by Alesia Nixon
in memory of Joshua Mann, Joe Atkins, and Regina Darden.*

A gift was given by Elaine Howard in memory of Joe Atkins.

A gift was given by Charles and Peggy Darden in memory of Regina Darden.



ANNOUNCEMENTS:

Happy Birthday this week to: (8/29) Lee Cline; (8/30) Lee Cathey; (8/31) Ellen Taylor.

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 29 at 6:00pm.

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

Sleep in Heavenly Peace Build Day Saturday, Sept. 9 from 9am-1pm. Please reach out to Mike Pauley if you are interested in attending this event.

Membership Class the first 3 Sundays in October. We begin October 1 with a church-wide breakfast at 9am followed by an interactive discussion time.