

# Loyd Presbyterian Church Lighthouse Newsletter

September 13, 2023

## **STAY CONNECTED**



Please continue to pray for the following people:

Dee Adkins Lynda Brock David Carter Kathryn Cox **Rita Cummings** John & Pam Darden Ellen Davidson & family Amy Degannero Suzi & Bobby Goldston Rose Himmelreich **Reese Howell Bobby Johnson** Marcia Johnson **Brian Longshore** Family of Bill McClusky Susie McGuigan Megan McNabb Alesia Nixon Cindy Phaff Ibby Robertson Lewis Riley **Denny Thomas** Georgia Wigginton

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If you would like to provide flowers in the sanctuary, please sign up <u>here</u>. If you want the flowers dedicated to a loved one, please include the information on the sign-up sheet. Thank you.



Check out the church calendar <u>here</u>. Please email or call the church to add an event.

## A Brief Word from Tyler:

This morning, I spent some time updating my paper calendar that I keep on my desk to sync it with my online calendar that I share with Froo. I know that it is a personal struggle to keep any calendar updated and avoid over-scheduling myself. I found that I had done that very thing with a date in the future; at one time, that date seemed so far off as to "not exist." Yet, I discovered that it is now in a month and I have multiple different places that I am supposed to be.

Following committee meetings and planning meetings that have come from the summer, I am filling in dates and realizing how much is happening here in the life of the church. Sometimes it might feel like it is simply worship, Sunday School, and little else. But if you are attending all of it, there's a wealth of programming that we are making happen.

I encourage you to mark your own calendar with events like the Fall Festival on Oct 25, the Antiquities Center dinner and tour on Dec 22, the weekly Wednesday nights @ Loyd until Nov 8, or the various happenings in between. It's a fun Fall and we're staying active!

In Christ, Rev. Tyler Brock

### Presbytery of Greater Atlanta Middle School Retreat "Fanning the Flame"

October 13-15, 2023 at Calvin Center (Hampton, GA) Cost: 125.00/per person Register by September 27

Register for Middle School Retreat

## A Youth Update:

A PW Update:



#### CHICKENS & BISCUITS

Join us for breakfast at Chick-fil-A at Hills and Dales on Tuesdays from

6:45-7:20. We are reading the Book of James and will continue to focus on *Chapter 4* next week.



Hello all college students and their parents. The Presbyterian Women would like to remember you at special times through the year. Would you please provide the church office with your address at college (or indicate if living at home).



### The Birth of <u>Hope</u> Tour-A Starry Night

Please join your fellow members of Loyd Church for a special evening at the Biblical History Center.
We will be attending the Birth of Hope Tour – A Starry Night.
If you would like to join us, please go to the Biblical History Center <u>website</u> and purchase your tickets for Friday, Have a great year - your Church Family wishes you the best in all your studies and college experience! December 22, 2023 (the 5:30 tour). There are only 34 slots left for this tour and they will sell out quickly. We will eat our meal first then tour the gardens.

### A Core 13 Update:

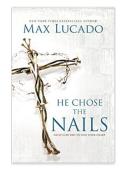


Core 13 is currently studying "Follow" by Andy Stanley.

If you are not already attending a Sunday School class, please consider joining Core 13. You are very welcome!

Prayer time is 9:45-10AM Text Discussion 10-10:50AM

### Mickey's SS Class Update:



Is your heart unsettled by the chaos of the world? Are you heavy-laden with bad moments, mad moments, or anxious moments? Today, rest in God's self-giving love and leave all your troubles at the foot of the cross.

It's not too late to join Mickey and the Alternative SS Class. To connect to: <u>MICKEY'S SS CLASS AT 9:45AM</u> <u>Meeting ID: 915 8659 7246</u> Password: 7wRqSX

## A Music Update:



#### "Jesus Paid It All"

arranged by Phillip Keveren From the Lillenas collection "Sacred Jazz Meditations"

Rick Robertson, pianist Loyd Presbyterian Church April 8, 2018 Offertory

### **Bible Study Update:**

#### DATE CHANGE

Starting next week, Janet and Jerry Fletcher will lead a Bible Study on **Wednesdays** at 6:00 in Darden Hall. The current topic is: "The Hebrew Family Line of Jesus" Janet asks that you bring your Bible and come sit around the table. You are welcome to share to your heart's content or say nothing at all. There is no Bible knowledge required, but I Thessalonians in God Service Matery, nor did we want in the sealonians in God Service Matery, nor did we want in the sealonians in God Service Matery, nor did we want in the sealonians.

scholars of the Bible are also welcome.

## **STAY INFORMED**



CHURCH Volunteers are needed to help with our Children's Church ministry. You can sign up to

- 3 Randy Darden, Anne Hall
- 4- Jake Bailey
- 8 Wade Moore, Maddie Kirkwood
- 9 Hayden Bradfield
- 13 Chase Davis
- 14 Karen Darden
- 17 Lynn Pauley
- 23 Katie Nations
- 24 Suzi Goldston
- 25 Freda Warlick
- 27 Madeira Sirmons, Tim Henke
- 29 Mark Bowie, Bob Burek
- 30 Charles Darden, Jayne Pauley

Children's Church ministry. You can sign up to serve <u>here.</u> Weekly lessons are located in the Christian Education office.



Our nursery could use a little refresh! Here's our <u>Nursery Wish List</u>



The Chosen Discussion Group will meet tonight at 6:15pm in Darden Hall. Season 3, Episode 3



The Christian Ed Committee is doing an **"Envelope Wall Fundraiser"** (located in the Narthex). The envelopes will be labeled 1-100 and people interested in donating will put corresponding money in the number envelope they chose (\$20 in number 20). *Thank you to all who have already given. So far, we have raised over \$3100.00!* 



Congratulations to Annie & Fuller upon their engagement!





After having such success with our Roger's Barbeque fundraiser last spring, we've decided to bring it back for the fall. The Jo Loyd Noon Circle, the Mollie Darden Circle, the Men's Group and the Youth will all be selling tickets to raise money for their mission projects. Tickets purchased will get you a BBQ pork sandwich, chips and a large drink and can be redeemed until November 30.



Please join us for the first 3 Sundays in October as we explore what it means to be a member at Loyd Church.

Our opening session begins Sunday, October 1 at 9am for breakfast and a discussion time.



Please bring your favorite dish and join the Jo Loyd Noon Circle Wednesday, September 20 in Darden Hall.



### WEDNESDAY NIGHTS a LOYD

You are welcome; come and join us!

SEPT 6TH - NOV 8TH 6:00PM - 7:30PM

#### PROGRAMS

- Children's Lessons and Play, K-5th
- Youth Bible Study, 6th-12th
- Adult Bible Study

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Please join us tonight for Wednesday Nights @ Loyd We will provide sandwiches and drinks for participants.

We encourage you to invite friends of all ages to join us.



Thank you to everyone who came out to the SHP Build-A-Bed Workshop! Your help is much appreciated.











Click <u>here</u> if you would like more information about SHP.





## A Worship Update:

DATE	LITURGIST	ELDERS ON DUTY	USHER/GREETER
9/3	Mike Pauley	Eugene Turner, Gary Knox	Wade Hall, Trudy Calhoun
9/10	Gina Bradfield	Cy Wood, Sally Burek	Veronica & Brock Sirmons
9/17	Sandy Mann	Madison Shelton, Doug Pauley	Patti Knox, Trent Mann
9/24	Elaine Partin	Roxann Quintana, Mike Pauley	Chase Darden, Jeff Darden

### **News From the Session:**

**SESSION MEMBERS CONTACT INFO:** 

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Madison Shelton	706-407-8388	cauthenmadison@gmail.com	Evangelism & Christian Ed.	December 2024
Eugene Turner	706-594-0019	turner3930@charter.net	Building & Grounds	December 2024
Cy Wood	706-585-0785	cywoodjr@gmail.com	Finance	December 2024
Mike Pauley	706-402-5825	pauleymw@troup.org	Clerk	December 2025

# A Financial Update:

9-10-2023

Attendance:

Worship: 59 Sunday School: 31

**Operating Fund:** 

Received 9/10/2023: \$4,693.00 Budget per Sunday: \$4,026.00 Received Month to Date: \$9,950.00 Budget per Month: \$16,104.00



Please click <u>here</u> to view the latest news from the Session. The next Session Meeting is Sunday, September 17 at 12:00pm.

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