

Loyd Presbyterian Church Lighthouse Newsletter

January 24, 2024

STAY CONNECTED



Please continue to pray for the following people:

Dee Adkins Lynda Brock Kathryn Cox John & Pam Darden Beth Downs Mark Fisher Jerry Gerndt & family **Dianne Gerndt** Suzi & Bobby Goldston Kaydence Highland & family **Reese Howell** Bobby Johnson Marcia Johnson **Bob Knight** Shelley Littlefield **Brian Longshore** Pegaie McGee Tom Nickles Alesia Nixon Harriet Nora & family Allison Parrish **Barry Plagens** Ibby Robertson Freda Warlick Jaxton Wood

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Click here to view the latest sermon.



If you would like to provide **flowers in the sanctuary for 2024**, please sign up <u>here</u>. If you want the flowers dedicated to a loved one, please include the information on the signup sheet. Thank you.



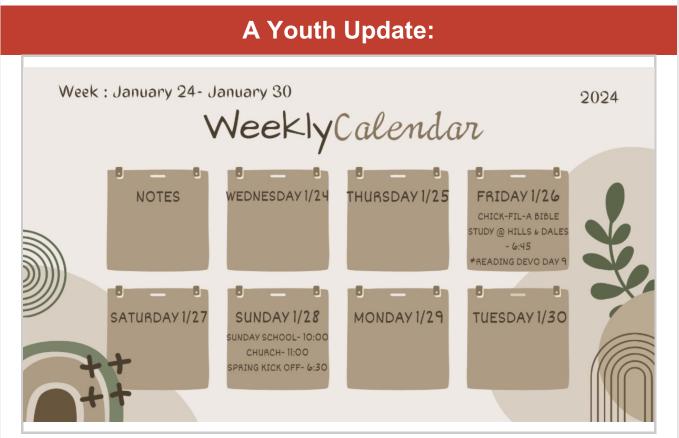
Check out the church calendar <u>here</u>. Please email or call the church to add an event.

A Brief Message from Tyler:

Yesterday, I was saying to someone, "*Man, wasn't it just the new year? How is January almost finished?*" The calendar keeps pushing forward (maybe you're like me and feel like *flying forward* is a more appropriate phrase for the passage of time), but that doesn't mean I'm less excited about what is coming.

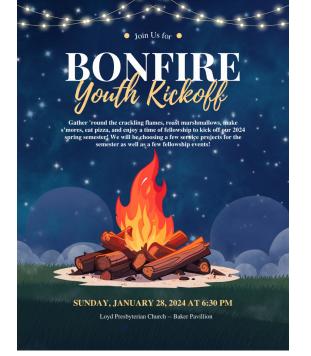
After Sunday's congregational vote to approve the Nominating Committee's slate, we have a new group of elders. That brought the opportunity for a new formatting for our Session, which you will find below. The next step will be a service of Ordination and Installation on Sunday, Jan 28th. Wear your RED! The choir will be singing for us, and there may even be a small, stylistic change to worship that you might see for the first time.

January might be waning, but there is still more to come. And for that, we can lift up a praise of God who blesses us richly in the work that we do.





Join us on Sunday, February 11 for our annual Souper Bowl Sunday. The youth will lead worship at 11:00 a.m. followed by a soup lunch in Darden Hall. Donations are welcome and will be given to the LaGrange Personal Aid Food Closet to help feed the hungry in our community.



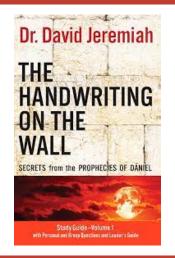
A PW Update:



There will be a PW meeting on Sunday, January 28, following worship.

Nurture & Outreach will be sending Valentine's Day cards to our college students. If you have not already given us your student's address or if there has been a change, please email their name and address to loyd@loydpres.org or call the office at 706-882-5087.

A Core 13 Update:



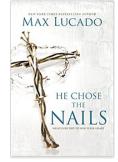
Core 13 is currently studying The Handwriting on the Wall by Dr. David Jeremiah.

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> <u>Password: 7wRgSX</u>

A Music Update:

Since I was out on vacation last week, I thought that it would be a good idea to share this video from April 30, 2017 of our women's choir singing Dan Forrest's arrangement of "How Great Thou Art." I think this is the only video that I made of the choir, with the camera set up on the organ.



"How Great Thou Art"

"How Great Thou Art" (arr. by Dan Forrest) (Version for four-part women's voices) Loyd Presbyterian Church Choir Marty Davis, conductor Rick Robertson, pianist

STAY INFORMED



CHILDREN'S CHURCH

Thank you to Jayne Pauley for putting together a new <u>CC rotation schedule</u>. Weekly lessons are located in the Christian Education office.



Bible Study is canceled for tonight!

- 1 Hu Partin, Brenda Spradley
- 2- Gina Schlomer
- 4 Brandi Knox, Rogene Hendrick, Skyler Kirkwood
- 6 Amy Starling
- 7 Su Lee
- 11-Emily Cobb
- 17 Cindy Davidson, Jackson Knox
- 18 McLain Skinner Pabalate
- 19 Doug Pauley, Rick Robertson
- 21 Koren Stapp, Lynne D'Angelo
- 22 Madison Shelton
- 25-Jack Roberson

28-Maggie Brown 29 - Stacie Hart



Core 13 will host breakfast in Darden Hall on Sunday, February 4 at 9:00. All are welcome!



A Worship Update:

DATE	LITURGIST	ELDERS ON DUTY	USHER/GREETER
2/4	Mike Pauley	Eugene Turner, Stacy Cline	Wade Hall, Trudy Calhoun
2/11	Youth	Cy Wood, Lois Vincent	Veronica & Brock Sirmons
2/18	Sandy Mann	Sally Burek, Mickey Norris	Patti Knox, Trent Mann
2/25	Elaine Partin	Karen McBride, Mike Pauley	Chase Darden, Jeff Darden

News From the Session:

SESSION MEMBERS CONTACT INFO:



A Financial Update:

2023 Giving Statements are in your church mailboxes or were mailed to you (if you don't have a mailbox at the church). If you would like the statement emailed or sent U.S. mail, please call the church office at 706-882-5087.

1-21-2024

Attendance:

Worship: 58 Sunday School: 27

Operating Fund:

Received 1-21-2024: \$2,680.00 Received Month to Date: \$15,618.00



Please click <u>here</u> to view the latest news from the Session and <u>here</u> for the Congregational Meeting minutes.

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