

## WHAT'S HAPPENING THIS WEEK February 9 - 16

Today	9:30am	Choir Practice
	10:00am	Sunday School
	11:00am	Worship - 10 Cent Per Meal Hunger Offering
	12:15pm	Covered Dish Lunch Cong Meeting following lunch
Monday	6:15pm – 7:15	Girl Scout Troop Meets at LPC
	6:00pm – 8:00	Card Ministry Meets (night edition)
Wednesday	6:00pm	Wednesday Dinner – Team Skidmore
	7:00pm	Choir Practice
Thursday	9:30-11:30am	Card Ministry Meets
	6:00pm	Weight Watchers Meet in FH
Sunday	9:30am	Choir Practice
	10:00am	Sunday School
	11:00am	Worship

### UPCOMING EVENTS

Session Meeting  
February 24, 6:30pm

Senior Lunch Bunch  
February 25, 11:00am

Ash Wednesday Service  
February 26, 7:00pm

10 Cent Per Meal Hunger Offering Collected  
Sunday, March 8, during worship

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### Our Mission:

**"Locust Presbyterian glorifies God and grows in faith by serving and meeting needs of all, through love, hope and compassion."**

*February 2, 2020*

\*Please rise in body or spirit as you are able

## Prelude

**Welcome and Announcements**                      **Rev. Skidmore**  
*Please sign and pass the Register of Friendship during this time.*

**Choral Introit The Servant Song**                      **LPC Choir**  
*Written by Richard Gillard, Arranged by Michael Frazier*  
"Brother, sister, let me serve you, let me be as Christ to you."

## GATHERING

### Call to Worship:

ONE: Come, let us give thanks to the Lord with whole hearts.

**MANY: Fear of the Lord is the beginning of wisdom.**

One: Glory be to the One whose wonders are to be remembered.

**MANY: The Lord is gracious and full of compassion.**

One: The Lord feeds the righteous with truth.

**MANY: Fear of the Lord is the beginning of wisdom.**

One: Come! Let us give thanks to God.

**\*Hymn of Praise # 386 "O for a World"**

**Call to Confession**                                              **Rev. Skidmore**  
Let us come humbly before our God, confessing our sins against God and our neighbors.

### Prayer of Confession:

**Almighty God, we have asked for your righteous judgment against others, but we have not acknowledged the sin in our own lives. We have worshiped you with our lips, but have dishonored you with our actions. We have prayed for you to end the suffering in our world, yet we have not practiced compassion and generosity towards others. Our religion has become the source of quarreling rather than a testimony to your grace. You call us to be salt and light, but we have lost our capacity to see the hurting and needs of others, and act as you have called us. Forgive our self-righteousness and give us integrity of heart, that we may shine forth the light of your salvation, through Christ our Lord. Amen.**

**Assurance of Pardon**                                              **Rev. Skidmore**

**Children's Message** - 10 cents a meal  
*Children are invited to join Rev. Ardy at the front*

**Anthem: One Great Hour to Share**                      **LPC Choir**  
*Words and Music by Leslie Lee and Steve Gretz*  
*"When the wind and the rain of the hurricane left me homeless on the street, did you give me clothes and shelter, did you bring me food to eat?"*

## THE WORD

### Prayer for Illumination

**Scripture: Psalm 112 Matthew 5:13-20**

**Sermon – "Salt, Light and the Law"**                      **Rev. Skidmore**

**\*Affirmation of Faith: (unision)**                      **Apostles Creed**  
**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.**

**\*Hymn of Worship # 411 "Arise, Your Light is Come!"**

### Offering

*Prayer requests may be placed in the offering plate*

### \*Doxology

### Dedication Prayer and Prayers of the People

## SENDING INTO THE WORLD

**Charge and Benediction**                                              **Rev. Skidmore**

**Postlude**                                                                      **Kay Howell**



**JOIN US FOR LUNCH**



