

*Welcome to Homecoming Sunday! Please join us for lunch following the service and enjoy the history display in the fellowship hall.

*LPC Youth (F3 – Faith, Fun, Fellowship) meets on Sunday evenings.

*Bible Study continues tonight with Genesis. Dinner at 6:30pm study at 7:00. (Prayer Shawl Room). If you not able to attend or miss a week – the study will be posted to the Locust Presbyterian YouTube page mid-week.

**“Come have Lunch” this Wednesday at 11:30am. Plan to attend and bring a friend. We will celebrate Oktoberfest!

*Fall Workday at LPC. Scott Hall and team invite you to come out Saturday, October 29 for the Fall clean up day. Starting around 8:30am. We plan to trim shrubs, pressure wash Fellowship Hall, etc. to prepare for the upcoming events, and holidays. Jobs for all ages!!!!

*Following worship on Sunday, October 30th we will have a brief Congregational Meeting to hear a report from the nominating committee and elect one Elder to the class of 2025.

*In two weeks at LPC – Trunk or Treat Sunday, Oct. 30 (4:00-6:00) Would you like to decorate a trunk? See Contina to sign up! A hotdog dinner will be served in the fellowship hall. Please invite your friends!

*Fall Craft Fair at LPC will be Saturday, Nov 5 (10:00-4:00) on the front lawn. Interested in becoming a vendor – See Contina Salyer. Save the date for shopping and hot dog lunch!

*Card Ministry meets on Tuesday 6:00pm & Thursday 9:30am.

Session & Committee Chairs & Mtg Dates

Clerk of Session – Chris Fish

Administration & Finance: Tammi Remsburg 10-23@9:30am

Building & Grounds: Scott Hall workday 10-29 @8:30am

Christian Education: Dennis Joyner

Congregational Life & Mission: Contina Salyer 11-9@6:30am

Worship & Music: Bonnie Hovey 10-25 @6:30pm

Session Meeting/Dinner – November 28

Communion Server – November 6

Offering Counters

10-16 – Tammi & Jane

10-23 – Tammi & Jane

10-30 – Tammi & Jane

Greeter

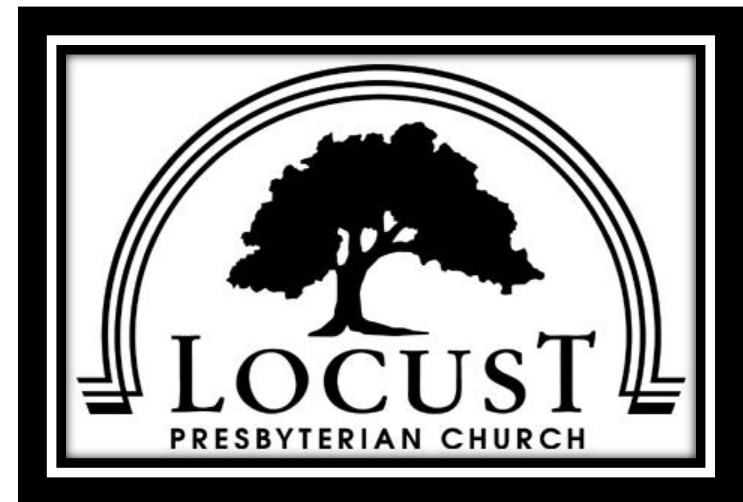
Oct. 16 – Jane Blackman

Oct. 23 – Contina

Oct. 30 – Amy Ennis

**“Come have Lunch” Nov. 16 - “Thankful”, Dec. 21 – “Christmas Soup”

October 16, 2022



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

Pastor: Rev. Ardy Skidmore

Welcome and Announcements

Rev. Ardy Skidmore

Call to Worship:

ONE: This is the day that the Lord has made

ALL: Let us be rejoice and be glad in it

ONE: I keep your precepts and testimonies

ALL: For all may ways are before you

Morning Prayer

Children's Message

***Hymn: #341 Blessed Assurance, Jesus is Mine!**

Call to Confession

Rev. Skidmore

Prayer of Confession: (unison) O Lord, through all the ages, You are present. Through all the days of our lives, You are there. You know our coming and going, You know our heart and inmost thoughts. Forgive us Merciful One, when we stray from Your precepts, when we show who we are rather than whose we are. Have mercy on us when we turn away from Your love and kindness and act out of our flesh rather than your Spirit. As You see our heart, let us always look first for the good in others as You see them. Let us lift up our praise of You always rather than randomly. Forgive us Gracious God and hear the silent cries of our hearts.

Assurance of Pardon

Rev. Skidmore

***Gloria Patri: Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost; as it was in the beginning, in now, and every shall be, world with out end, amen, amen**

Psalm 119:97-104

Prayer of Illumination

Scripture: Jeremiah 31:27-34

Luke 18:1-8

Sermon: "A new day, a new hope"

Rev. Skidmore

Anthem: Somehow I Know

LPC Choir

***Affirmation of Faith (unison)**

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: #379 My Hope Is Built on Nothing Less**

Prayers of the People and the Lord's Prayer

Prayer Concerns: Our Pastor Ardy Skidmore, Our Nation, Our Police, Our Military, Charlie Higgins, Glenda Love, Virginia Hartsell, Bill Dehn, Gay Troutman, David Hartsell, Will Johnson, Emma Dixon-preemie baby, Billie Kiker, Peggy Garzoni, those that are cleaning up from Hurricane Ian, Arlene Scott-Hospice, Joan Hall-Knee surgery recovery.

***Doxology**

**Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; Praise Him all creatures here below
Praise Him above, ye heavenly host; Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen**

***Charge & Benediction**

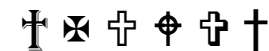
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***Sending Song #2281**

**May you run and not be weary, may your heart be filled with song.
And may the love of God continue to give you hope and keep you strong.
And may you run and not be weary. May your life be filled with joy!
And may the road you travel always lead you home.**

Postlude

**ALL ARE INVITED TO LUNCH IN THE
FELLOWSHIP HALL.**



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