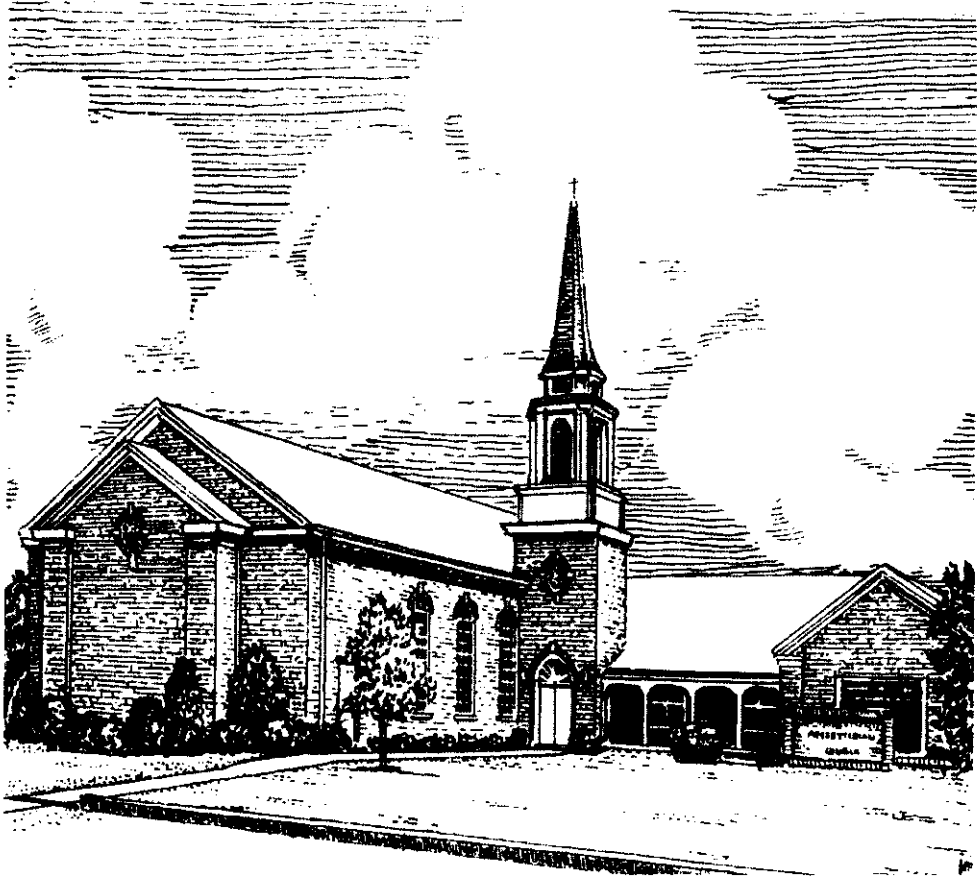


# Presbyterian Disciples Church of Pawhuska



**Order of Worship**  
**3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday of Christmas**  
**January 12<sup>th</sup>, 2025**  
**10:00 AM**



# Presbyterian Disciples Church



*The Ecumenical Parish*

**Words in bold are read by the congregation.**

◆ *As you are able, please stand.*

## GATHERING GOD'S PEOPLE

PRELUDE

Joel Jackson

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

Rev. Kathy Weaver

◆ **CALL TO WORSHIP**

LuAnn Christian

Leader:

The Word became flesh and lived among us

**People:**

**And we have seen His glory**

Leader:

The true light that enlightens everyone has come into the world

**People:**

**Glory to God who has blessed us in Christ glory to God forever!**

◆ **PRAISE HYMN**

"Holy, Holy, Holy, Lord God Almighty"

No. 2

◆ **CALL TO CONFESSION**

◆ **PRAYER OF CONFESSION**

Holy God, we confess that we are a distracted people and forgetful of your love. We make selfish choices, hurt each other, and perpetuate injustice in your world. We have sinned against you and are deeply sorry and repent of our disregard for you, each other, and your creation. By the power of your Holy Spirit, forgive, restore, and strengthen us to live in your light and walk in your truth, through Christ our Lord, Amen.

◆ **ASSURANCE OF PARDON**

Rev. Kathy Weaver

◆ **GLORIA PATRI:**

***Glory be to the Father, and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost. As it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be, world without end. Amen, Amen.***

## PROCLAIMING GOD'S WORD

### PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

LuAnn Christian

**SCRIPTURE:** Psalm 113

### CHILDREN'S MOMENTS

Leader: Praise the Lord! **All: The Lord's name be praised.**

*Children are welcome to remain in worship. Following Children's Moment, those aged 5 and younger are also welcome in our nursery.*

**SCRIPTURE:** Luke 3:15-17, 21-22 Rev. Kathy Weaver

Leader: This is God's Word for God's people

**People: Thanks be to God**

**SERMON:** "The Word Became Flesh"

## RESPONDING TO GOD'S WORD

### INVITATION TO THE OFFERING

Rev. Kathy Weaver

*Visitors, you are invited to fill out the visitors' card located on the back of the pew in front of you and place it in the offering plate so we can connect with you later in the week.*

### ◆DOXOLOGY

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

### ◆OFFERTORY PRAYER

Kyle Renfrow

### ◆AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

We trust in God, the Holy Spirit, everywhere the giver and renewer of life. The Spirit justifies us by grace through faith and sets us free to accept ourselves and to love God and neighbor, and binds us together with all believers in the one body of Christ and the Church.

### PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

### COMMUNION HYMN

"Come, Share the Lord"

No. 753

## **THE SACRAMENT OF THE LORD'S SUPPER**

### **Invitation to the Lord's Table**

*All who profess Jesus Christ as their Lord and Savior are invited to partake in communion. You are invited to come forward to receive the bread and cup, as a sign of your participation in the communion of the saints. The elements are provided in individual servings to limit the spread of germs.*

### **Prayer of Great Thanksgiving**

The Lord be with you. **And also with you.**

Lift up your hearts. **We lift them up to the Lord.**

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

**It is right to give our thanks and praise.**

*(The leader continues the prayer)*

### **The Lord's Prayer**

**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.**

### **Breaking of the Bread**

### **Communion of the People**

### **Prayer after Communion**

## **GOD SENDS US TO SERVE**

◆**HYMN OF COMMITMENT** "We've a Story to Tell to the Nations"

*No. 698*

◆**BENEDICTION**

**POSTLUDE**

Joel Jackson



Council meets on the 3rd Tuesday at 6:30pm.  
Our next meeting is Tuesday, January 21<sup>st</sup>, 2024.  
All are welcome.



The Sunshine Gals Prayer Ministry meets on the first Thursday of the month.  
All ladies are invited to gather for prayer on Thursday, February 6<sup>th</sup>, 2024 at 1pm in the Parlor.



Please save old magazines for Pastor Kathy's class.



Todd Byers is the host for January's Potluck Fellowship on January 19<sup>th</sup>, 2025 following worship.



Community Women's Bible Study is on a break until January 8<sup>th</sup>, 2025.



Feed the Hungry

Christ's Cupboard Youth Mission Project  
1st Wednesdays of the month.

Mobile Pantry Deliveries come on the 3rd Wednesday. Volunteers are needed to unload the truck, bag portions, and distribute to clients.

This month's delivery will be on Wednesday, January 15<sup>th</sup>, 2024.  
Come help at 10:30am at the Elk's Lodge.



Please sign-up for Assurance of Pardon, and Liturgist. Sign-up sheets are at the back of the sanctuary.



Meals on Wheels will start on March 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2025 through March 14<sup>th</sup>, 2025.

<b>Monday – (3/3)</b>	<b>(3/10)</b>
N. –	N. –
S. –	S. –
<b>Tuesday – (3/4)</b>	<b>(3/11)</b>
N. –	N. –
S. –	S. –
<b>Wednesday – (3/5)</b>	<b>(3/12)</b>
N. –	N. –
S. –	S. –
<b>Thursday – (3/6)</b>	<b>(3/13)</b>
N. –	N. –
S. –	S. –
<b>Friday – (3/7)</b>	<b>(3/14)</b>
N. –	N. –
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# **PARISH SCHEDULE**

*Welcome to the Presbyterian Disciples Church*

## **Sunday, January 12<sup>th</sup>:**

**9:00am** – Youth and Adult Sunday School  
**9:30am - 11:30am**- Nursery for 5 and under  
**10:00am** – Worship in the Sanctuary  
**Elder of the Day:** Kyle Renfrow  
**Liturgist:** LuAnn Christian  
**Assurance of Pardon:** Pastor Kathy

## **Tuesday, January 14<sup>th</sup>:**

**8:00am** – Yoga in the Upstairs Classroom  
**2:00pm** – Ministerial Alliance Benevolence

## **Wednesday, January 15<sup>th</sup>:**

**9:00am** – Ecumenical Women's Bible Study in Fellowship Hall  
**10:30am** – Mobile Food Pantry at the Elk's  
**6:00pm** – Choir

## **Thursday, January 16<sup>th</sup>:**

**8:00am** – Yoga in the Upstairs Classroom

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**Assurance of Pardon:**

# Prayer List

## **At the request of the congregation, we pray:**

**For the Military:** We keep in our prayers all our military men and women serving in many places and capacities around the world and at home; not only in combat roles but in all support duties. We pray not only for the military, but for their families, and pray that their loved ones come home safely, in Your holy timing. Amen.

**\*For Benevolent Tuesdays, Christ's Cupboard, Meals on Wheels, Backpacks Program, Mercy House, Celebrate Recovery, Getting Ahead Classes**

**\*For first responders** who risk their lives in service to others.

**\*For national and world leaders** making difficult decisions that affect us all.

**\*For those who travel.**

**\*For our country.**

**\*Gun violence**

**\*Students and Teachers**

**With Eastern Oklahoma Presbytery and NEACCO we pray** St. Matthew Church, Broken Bow  
Our Inquirers and Candidates

## **For Healing:**

**\*Nancysu Herron**

**\*Casey Duncan (Joel's granddaughter)**

**\*Brad Valentino**

**\*Angie Klaessy (RA)**

**\*James Jackson (Joel's father)**

**\*Sam Kirk**

**\*Joe Allen**

**Ann Teget (A-Fib)**

**Elora Traylor**

**Karen McKinney**

## **For Those Grieving:**

Linda Jones Petty Family

Carolyn Tolson Family

Chrisitan Family (LouAnn's SIL passed)

## **For Those in Nursing Homes:**

**\*Sandra Riney**

**\*Mary Ann Christian (LuAnn's MIL)**

## **Those Homebound:**

**\*Cheryl Collins**

## **For the Needs God Knows:**

**\*Lu King**

**\*Kelly Bloomfield (Randa's son)**

**\*Prayer list will be cleared each quarter except for those with a star. They will stay on until you tell Pastor Kathy to remove them. We are happy to add anyone to the permanent list.**

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John Manning

**CLASS OF 2026**

Lori Hamburger\*

Jeff Klaessy

Laura Renfrow

\*Indicates second term

**PARISH OFFICERS**

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CUSTODIANS: J&K Cleaning

**LECTIONARY READING for January 19<sup>th</sup>, 2025**

*4<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Christmas*

Isa. 62:1-5 and Ps. 36:5-10;

Cor. 12:1-11; John 2:1-11