

**Honoring our history
.....building our future**

**7th SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST
July 7, 2013**



OUR MISSION STATEMENT

*To disciple others in Christ by sharing the gospel through our words and actions,
To nurture existing Christians into a mature faith by worship, fellowship and Christian education,
To prayerfully serve God by worshipping Him through Jesus Christ by the power of the Holy Spirit,
And to serve our neighbor as Jesus taught us.*

Providence Presbyterian Church

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**Welcome and Announcements
Prelude**

Call to Worship

Leader: *Praise the Lord! How good it is to sing praises to our God;*

People: *for he is gracious, and a song of praise is fitting.*

Leader: *The Lord heals the brokenhearted, and binds up their wounds.*

All: *Great is our Lord, and abundant in power; his understanding is beyond measure.*

***Opening Hymn "Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee" # 59**

Confession of Sin (In Unison)

Lord God, eternal and almighty Father: We acknowledge before your holy majesty that we are poor sinners conceived and born in guilt and in corruption, prone to do evil, unable of our own power to do good. Because of our sin, we endlessly violate your holy commandments. But, O Lord, with heartfelt sorrow we repent and turn away from all our offenses. We condemn ourselves and our evil ways, with true sorrow, asking that your grace will relieve our distress. Have compassion on us, most gracious God, Father of mercies, for the sake of your son, Jesus Christ our Lord, through whose name we pray.....

Silence for Personal Confession

Assurance of Forgiveness

Leader: *For almighty God is merciful and gracious withholding what we deserve and giving what we do not deserve.*

People: *He washes clean we who confess and repent of our sins and believe in His Son as our Lord and Savior.*

Leader: *In the name of Jesus Christ, you are forgiven.*

***Responsive Hymn # 603
"In Christ There is No East or West"**

***Affirmation of Faith Red Hymnal, page 12
"The Apostle's Creed"**

Passing of the Peace of Christ (please begin the pew pads)

Giving of His Tithes and Our Offerings

Offertory

***Doxology**

Hymn # 34

Prayer of Dedication

Old Testament Lesson

Ruth 2:14-20

Anthem

Providence Choir

"Battle Hymn of the Republic"

Musical Interlude for Children's Church

*(Children's Church led by Scott and Barri Martin;
No Kid's Crusade this summer)*

Morning Prayers and The Lord's Prayer

New Testament Lesson

John 8:3-11

Sermon

"Do What?"

Mr. George Dudley

***Dedication Hymn**

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"Blest Be the Tie That Binds"

***Acolyte, Benediction and Postlude**

**Signifies Congregation to Stand*

July Scripture Passage

¹ For freedom Christ has set us free. Stand firm, therefore, and do not submit again to a yoke of slavery. ¹³ For you were called to freedom, brothers and sisters; only do not use your freedom as an opportunity for self-indulgence, but through love become slaves to one another. ¹⁴ For the whole law is summed up in a single commandment, "You shall love your neighbor as yourself."

Galatians 5:1, 13-14

Ministers of Providence Presbyterian Church
The People of Providence Presbyterian Church

Pastor
Rev. Jim Davis

Session

	<u>Class of 2013</u>	
Stephanie Bagley <i>Worship</i>	John Kopanski <i>Mission & Outreach</i>	Atlee Roberts <i>Property</i>
	<u>Class of 2014</u>	
Nathan Dry <i>Long-Range Planning</i>	Wayne Lamm <i>Congregational Care</i>	Gary Phillips <i>Fellowship</i>
	<u>Class of 2015</u>	
Robert Joyner <i>Christian Education</i>	Kristy Stephenson <i>Finance</i>	Jeffrey Wood <i>Personnel, Clerk</i>

Staff

<i>Secretary</i> DeEtta Wood	<i>Accounting Treasurer</i> Ann Stephenson	<i>Collections Treasurer</i> Ann Benson
<i>Music Director/ Organist</i> Brittany Jones	<i>Pianist</i> DeEtta Wood	
<i>Webmaster</i> David Nelms	<i>Usher Coordinator</i> Russell Wood	

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Weekly Statistics

General Fund Receipts for June.....	\$18,115.12
General Fund Expenses for June	\$18,419.71
General Fund Receipts for June 30.....	\$1,888.25
Total General Fund Receipts for June	\$17,916.12
Capital Campaign Giving.....	\$292,507.00
Attendance for Sunday School June 30.....	54
Attendance for Worship June 30	85

ANNOUNCEMENTS

COMMUNITY SENIOR LUNCHEON will be held at Providence Presbyterian Church on Tuesday, July 9 at 12 noon in the Fellowship Hall. All seniors within the congregation and community are invited to attend.

REV. DAVIS will return from vacation tomorrow. In his absence, if a need arises, please contact Wayne Lamm at 919.639.5950 or Jeffrey Wood at 919.331.9046.

Assisting in Worship this Sunday:

Elder of the Month/Greeter: John Kopanski
Ushers: Darren Stuart and Jimmy Stuart **Acolyte:** Haleigh Weaver
Nursery: Brandy Joyner and MaKayla Hackney

Assisting in Worship next Sunday, July 14:

Ushers: Wayne Lamm and Steve Wolak **Acolyte:** Olivia White
Children's Church: Israel and Karen Morrow
Nursery: Sue Bryant and Barbie Frickman

Today at Providence:

9:45 a.m.: Sunday School for Children, Youth and Adults
10:25 a.m.: Fellowship Time in the Fellowship Hall
11:00 a.m.: Worship

Weekly Events:

Monday, July 8: Stated Session Meeting at 7:00 p.m.
Tuesday, July 9: Community Senior Luncheon at 12 noon
Wednesday, July 10: Adult Choir Rehearsal at 7:30 p.m.

Upcoming Events:

July 14. VBS Volunteer Information Meeting immediately following Worship, in the Fellowship Hall. Lunch will be provided.
July 16. Presbyterian Women Circle meeting at 10:00 a.m.
July 28 - August 1. VBS: *Kingdom Rock - Where Kids Stand Strong for Jesus* from 6:30 p.m. - 8:30 p.m. Dinner will be served at 6:00 p.m. each evening.
August 4. VBS Children and Youth to sing during Worship
August 5. Long-Range Planning Committee meeting at 7:00 p.m.

Prayer List of Joys and Concerns

JOYS:

We are blessed to have Mr. George Dudley with us today!

CONCERNS:

Keith Langdon, member of church family, recovering from surgery

Members of the Providence Family in Long-Term Care:

Brack Johnson at *Classic Care Assisted Living in Smithfield*
Lacy & Marilyn Johnson at *Barbour Court Nursing in Smithfield*
Pauline Jones at *Liberty Commons in Benson*
Grant Joyner, Bobbie Langdon, Bernard Parsons, and Frances Schmidt, at home

Our Nation's Leaders and All Persons Serving in the Armed Forces

All Persons Living with Cancer, including:

Carol Badalucco, friend of Sue Bryant, **Alvin Bagley**, Carlos Bagley's uncle, **Sherry Baker**, friend of Laura Langdon, **Nancy Biernacki**, friend of Bob Zattiero, **Patsy Bowman**, member of church family, **Edith Bowser**, friend of Bob Zattiero, **Denise Brown**, friend of Sandy Kopanski, **Rowland Gilchrist**, Becky Kleaver's brother, **Ann Hargiss**, member of community, **P.B. Jernigan**, relative of Sheila Dupree, **David Kopanski**, John Kopanski's brother, **Leslie Lobaugh**, friend of Chris Nooney, **Ann Lopp**, friend of Andrea Jones, **Carol Mayben**, Sandy Kopanski's sister-in-law, **Harry Myers**, friend of Ann Benson, **Barbara Owens**, friend of Laura Langdon, **Tammy Paige**, friend of Georgeanna Phillips, **Jackie Parker**, friend of Amy Reed, **Barbara Shaw**, Kathy Ryals' aunt, **Bob Stephenson**, Ann Stephenson's cousin, **Bobby Stephenson**, member of community, **Randy Stephenson**, Jon Nooney's cousin, **Crystal Stotter**, friend of Sandy Kopanski, **Tammy Vann**, friend of Sandy Kopanski, **Kay Williams**, friend of Sandy Kopanski, and **Hannah Youngblood**, friend of Kristy Stephenson.

Other Persons with Ongoing Health Concerns, including:

Nancy Allen, Sheila Dupree's mother, **Elaine Andrews**, Andrea Jones' mother, **Brenda Davis**, friend of Lisa Nelms, **Bill and Bobbie Ellis**, Georgeanna Phillips' parents, **Ed Fontana**, Mary Langdon's father, **Rose Hollingsworth**, Ann Stephenson's sister-in-law, **Fred Ipock**, Cathy Creech's father, **Melinda Kendall**, member of church family, **Norbert Kopanski**, John Kopanski's father, **Stuart Kremer**, friend of Andrea Jones, **Jerome Langdon**, member of community, **Vic LaSaxon**, Chris Nooney's brother-in-law, **Wanza Mayben**, Sandy Kopanski's mother, **Sue Nicholson**, Chris Nooney's sister, **B.J. Parker**, friend of Christina Nelms, **David Raynor**, friend of Sandy Kopanski, **Kathy Rose**, friend of Kim Schmidt, **Kathy Ryals**, member of church family, **Gary Schmidt**, Kim Schmidt's brother, **Pete and Brenda Skinner**, friends of Sue Bryant, **Nan Walker**, Andrea Jones' grandmother, **Marie Wellman**, friend of Brenda Byrd, **John Wright**, Chris Nooney's father, and **Charles Young**, friend of Lisa Nelms