

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

**13th SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST
August 18, 2013**

*The flowers today are given to the glory of God and in honor of
Stewart Pickens' birthday, by John, Beth and Jane Pickens*

Welcome and Announcements

Prelude

Call to Worship

Psalm 25

Leader: *Good and upright is the Lord; therefore He instructs
sinners in the way.*

People: *He leads the humble in what is right,*

Leader: *To you, O LORD, I lift up my soul.*

People: *O my God, in you I trust*

Leader: *Lead me in Your truth, and teach me,*

People: *for you are the God of my salvation*

Leader: *And teaches the humble His way.*

ALL: *All the paths of the Lord are steadfast love and
faithfulness, for those who keep his covenant and his
decrees. Praise the LORD!*

***Opening Hymn**

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"All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name"

Confession of Sin (In Unison)

*Almighty God, you have raised Jesus from the grave and
crowned him Lord of all. We confess that we have not bowed
before him, or acknowledged his rule in our lives. We have gone
along with the way of the world, and failed to give him glory,
neglecting his power and presence among us. Forgive us, O
God, and raise us from sin, that we may be your faithful people,
obeying the commands of our Lord Jesus Christ, who rules the
world and is Head of the Church.*

Silence for Personal Confession

Assurance of Forgiveness

Leader: *Jesus calls us by name and leads us in the way
we are to go.*

People: *O LORD, You are truly the way, the truth and
the life.*

***Responsive Hymn**

"Step by Step"

(sing through twice)

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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

Reception of New Members *(refer to insert)*

First Scripture Lesson

Luke 18:10-13

Anthem

"Surely the Presence"

Providence Choir

Musical Interlude for Children's Church

*(Children's Church led by Carlos and Stephanie Bagley;
Kid's Crusade will resume September 1)*

Morning Prayers and The Lord's Prayer

Second Scripture Lesson

John 14:1-14

Sermon

Rev. Jim Davis

"Knowing the way.....Living the way"

***Dedication Hymn**

"Here I Am, Lord"

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***Acolyte, Benediction and Postlude**

**Signifies Congregation to Stand*

August Scripture Passage

*11 It was he who gave some to be apostles, some to be prophets,
some to be evangelists, and some to be pastors and teachers, 12 to
prepare God's people for works of service, so that the body of
Christ may be built up 13 until we all reach unity in the faith and in
the knowledge of the Son of God and become mature, attaining to
the whole measure of the fullness of Christ. 14 Then we will no
longer be infants, tossed back and forth by the waves, and blown
here and there by every wind of teaching and by the cunning and
craftiness of men in their deceitful scheming. 15 Instead, speaking
the truth in love, we will in all things grow up into him who is the
Head, that is, Christ. 16 From him the whole body, joined and held
together by every supporting ligament, grows and builds itself up
in love, as each part does its work. (Ephesians 4:11-16)*



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.

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

Prayer List of Joys and Concerns

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 July.....	\$11,218.37
General Fund Expenses for July	\$15,592.69
General Fund Receipts for Aug 11.....	\$2,401.00
Total General Fund Receipts for August	\$5,161.00
Capital Campaign Giving.....	\$295,107.00
Attendance for Sunday School Aug 11.....	69
Attendance for Worship Aug 11.....	105

COMMUNITY BLOOD DRIVE will be held on Friday, August 30 from 3:00 p.m. - 7:30 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall. A sign-up sheet is posted in the Fellowship Hall, please sign-up for a time to donate!

CHURCH SECRETARY. The church is seeking a new secretary. After 10 years of faithful service in this role, DeEtta Wood will be stepping down as of December 31, 2013. The Session is asking for members of the congregation, interested in filling this volunteer position, to please contact Jeffrey Wood, Chairman of Personnel Committee, for additional information.

ELDER NOMINATING COMMITTEE will meet on Tuesday, September 3 at 7:00 p.m. If you have someone you would like to recommend as an elder, please speak to one of the committee members: Austin Benson, Stephanie Bagley, John Kopanski, Sandra Lordi, Beck McLamb, Nadine Reed, Atlee Roberts, and DeEtta Wood.

Assisting in Worship this Sunday:

Elder of the Month/Greeter: Nathan Dry
Ushers: Hamilton Greene and Heath White **Acolyte:** Graycen Murray
Nursery: Barri Martin and Carolyn Stuart

Assisting in Worship next Sunday, August 25:

Ushers: David Collier and Gary Phillips **Acolyte:** Silas Porter
Children's Church: Jennifer Crocker
Nursery: Chris and Kristy Stephenson

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
 3:00 p.m.: Family Movie Day in the Fellowship Hall

Weekly Events:

Wednesday, Aug 21: Adult Choir Rehearsal at 7:30 p.m.
Saturday, Aug 24: Churchwide Pool party from 8:00 p.m. - 10:00 p.m. at McGee's Crossroads Pool. Meal will be provided by the Fellowship Committee

Upcoming Events:

August 25. Kickoff Celebration for Pioneer Clubs, Youth Group, Sunday School, and Adult Bible Study from 3:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.
August 30. Community Blood Drive from 3:00 p.m. - 7:30 p.m.
August 26. Long-Range Planning Committee at 7:00 p.m.
September 9. Stated Session Meeting at 7:00 p.m.
September 15. Pioneer Clubs, Youth Group, Adult Bible Study at 5pm
September 17. Presbyterian Women Combined Circle meeting at 7:30 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall
September 22. Acolyte Training at 5:00 p.m. **Please note the change in date and time.**

JOYS:

Praise the Lord for His many blessings!

CONCERNS:

Mary Bass, Rev. Davis' mother, health concerns

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, Kathy Durocher, friend of Mark Nelms, Ann Hargiss, member of community, P.B. Jernigan, relative of Sheila Dupree, David Kopanski, John Kopanski's brother, Keith Langdon, member of church family, 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, Kenneth Weathers, Wendy Stephenson's brother-in-law, Betty West, friend of Randy Benson, Jimmy Wilkins, member of community, 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, Charlie Brannon, friend of Dick Embrey, Charlie & Mary Burke, Steve Wolak's parents, 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, 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, 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