

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

**HOMECOMING SUNDAY AND
GROUNDBREAKING CEREMONY
October 13, 2013**

*The flowers today are given to the glory of God and in
loving memory of all the saints who have gone before us,
by the Providence Adult Choir*



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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First Scripture Lesson Acts 2:42-47

Anthem "Oh Happy Day!" Providence Choir

Musical Interlude for Children's Church
*(Children's Church led by Barri and Grace Martin;
Kid's Crusade with Heather Ennis)*

Morning Prayers and The Lord's Prayer

Second Scripture Lesson John 20:19-23

Sermon "Breath of Life" Rev. John Hartman

Brief Instruction for Recessional

***Dedication Hymn** # 544
"The Church's One Foundation"

***Acolyte and Benediction**

*** Postlude** arranged by Paul Taylor
"The March of Faith"

***Recessional to Ribbon Cutting and Groundbreaking**

Ribbon Cutting Ceremony Mr. Nathan Dry

Dedication Rev. James Davis

Anthem Providence Adult Choir
"My Hope Is Built on Nothing Less"

Ground Breaking Ceremony Mrs. Kristy Stephenson

Blessing Rev. James Davis

Adjourn to Homecoming Meal

**Signifies Congregation to Stand*

October Scripture Passage

¹ Rid yourselves, therefore, of all malice, and all guile, insincerity, envy, and all slander. ² Like newborn infants, long for the pure, spiritual milk, so that by it you may grow into salvation-- ³ if indeed you have tasted that the Lord is good. ⁴ Come to him, a living stone, though rejected by mortals yet chosen and precious in God's sight, and ⁵ like living stones, let yourselves be built into a spiritual house, to be a holy priesthood, to offer spiritual sacrifices acceptable to God through Jesus Christ. (1 Peter 2:1-5)

Prelude and Acolyte Providence Choir
Welcome

Call to Worship
Leader: *If Christ is in you,*
People: *Your spirit is alive through righteousness*
Leader: *He who raised Jesus is living in you.*
People: *He will give you life through His Spirit.*
All: *Come, let us worship the Lord in spirit and in truth.*

***Opening Hymn** "To God be the Glory" # 66

Confession of Sin (In Unison)
God of life and breath, you have graciously poured out your Spirit upon us as your gathered disciples, creating bold tongues, open ears, and a vibrant community of faith. We confess that we have rejected your presence and power. We do not listen for your word of grace, speak the good news of Christ's live, or live as people who are made one by the Holy Spirit. Forgive us, O God. Breathe on us and fill us with a passionate desire to be your faithful people, and the kind of church that bears witness to the joy and power of Jesus Christ in our lives.....

Silence for Personal Confession

Assurance of Forgiveness
Leader: *Friends, hear and believe the good news.*
People: *In the name of Jesus Christ, we are forgiven, healed, renewed, and strengthened to go out in his power to love and serve.*

***Responsive Hymn** "Sanctuary" # 482
(to be sung through twice)

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

Giving of His Tithes and Our Offerings
Offertory arranged by William Bradbury
"Savior, Like a Shepherd Lead Us"

***Doxology** Hymn # 34
Prayer of Dedication

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

Staff

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

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Weekly Statistics

General Fund Receipts for Oct 6.....	\$5,037.55
Total General Fund Receipts for October	\$5,037.55
Capital Campaign Giving.....	\$300,087.00
Attendance for Sunday School Oct 6.....	79
Attendance for Worship Oct 6.....	125

CONGREGATIONAL MEETING is called for Sunday, October 20, immediately following Worship, for the purpose of election of church officers, change in the terms of call for the pastor, and approving the loan for the completion of phases 1 and 2 of the building project. The Nominating Committee presents the following names as nominees for Elder: Class of 2015 (*for a 2-year term*): Margie Taylor; Class of 2016 (*for a 3-year term*): Pete Booth, Beth Breeden, David Nelms and Steve Nordan.

Please refer to the insert for additional announcements.

Assisting in Worship this Sunday:

Elder of the Month/Greeter: Robert Joyner
Ushers: Tony Bryant, Scott Martin, Jimmy Stuart and Russell Wood
Acolyte: Ava Wood
Nursery: Sue Bryant, Carolyn Stuart and Elaine Wood

Assisting in Worship next Sunday, October 20:

Ushers: Ken Lordi and Steve Wolak **Acolyte:** Eva Stephenson
Children's Church: Barri and Grace Martin
Nursery: Christina Jones and Lisa Nelms

Today at Providence:

9:45 a.m.: Sunday School for Children, Youth and Adults
 10:45 a.m.: Homecoming Celebration and Worship
 5:00 p.m.: Youth Group.

Weekly Events:

Monday, Oct 14: Stated Session Meeting at 7:00 p.m.
Tuesday, Oct 15: Presbyterian Women Circle meetings at 10:00 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall
Wednesday, Oct 16: Adult Choir Rehearsal at 7:30 p.m.
Saturday, Oct 19: Youth Craft Fair from 8:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall

Upcoming Events:

October 20. Youth Committee meeting at 9:45 a.m.; Pioneer Clubs, Youth Group and Adult Bible Study at 5:00 p.m.
October 26. Harvest Celebration at the home of Gary and Georgeanna Phillips
October 27. All Saint's Day Remembrance during Worship at 11 a.m.
November 3. Pioneer Clubs, Youth Group and Adult Bible Study at 5:00 p.m.
November 4. Long-Range Planning Committee meeting at 7:00 p.m.
November 5. Prayer Shawl Group at 10:00 a.m.

JOYS:

Praise the Lord for 86 years of service to Christ here at Providence Presbyterian Church!

CONCERNS:

Members of the Providence Family in Long-Term Care:

Brack Johnson at *Classic Care Assisted Living in Smithfield*
Marilyn Johnson at *Barbour Court Nursing in Smithfield*
Lacy Johnson & 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, **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, **Amy Louthan,** friend of Barri Martin, **Carol Mayben,** Sandy Kopanski's sister-in-law, **Harry Myers,** friend of Ann Benson, **Barbara Owens,** friend of Laura Langdon, **Jackie Parker,** friend of Amy Reed, **Jerry Penny,** friend of Dick Embrey, **Barbara Shaw,** Kathy Ryals' aunt, **Bob Stephenson,** Ann Stephenson's cousin, **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, **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, **Mary Bass,** Rev. Davis' mother, **Shelton Benson,** Randy Benson's father, **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, **Duke Jones,** Eric Jones' grandfather, **Norbert Kopanski,** John Kopanski's father, **Stuart Kremer,** friend of Andrea Jones, **Vic LaSaxon,** Chris Nooney's brother-in-law, **Wanza Mayben,** Sandy Kopanski's mother, **Sue Nicholson,** Chris Nooney's sister, **Bobbie Powell,** Brandy Joyner's mother, **David Raynor,** friend of Sandy Kopanski, **Kathy Rose,** friend of Kim Schmidt, **Kathy Ryals,** member of church family, **Danny Salmon,** Wendy Stephenson's brother-in-law, **Gary Schmidt,** Kim Schmidt's brother, **Pete and Brenda Skinner,** friends of Sue Bryant, **Laura Anne Tarrant,** member of community, **Nan Walker,** Andrea Jones' grandmother, **John Wright,** Chris Nooney's father, and **Charles Young,** friend of Lisa Nelms