

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

**FOURTH SUNDAY AFTER EASTER  
May 18, 2014**

*The flowers today are given to the glory of God and in  
celebration of their anniversary by  
Wade and Carolyn Johnson.*

**Welcome and Announcements**

**Prelude and Acolyte**

**Call to Worship**

**Psalm 31**

Leader: *In you, O LORD, I seek refuge;*

**People:** *in your righteousness deliver me.*

Leader: *You are indeed my rock and my fortress;*

**People:** *for your name's sake lead me and guide me,*

Leader: *Into your hand I commit my spirit;*

**People:** *you have redeemed me, O LORD, faithful God.*

Leader: *The LORD preserves the faithful,*

**People:** *Let your heart take courage, all you who wait for  
the LORD.*

**All:** *Let us worship the Lord our God.*

**\*Opening Hymn      “How Great Thou Art”      # 51**

**Confession of Sin (In Unison)**

*O God, have mercy upon us, and through Christ forgive our  
sin. You called the church to be one body with parts to make it  
function. We sever that one body through suspicion and  
hostility; we divide into separate bodies and pretend to be a  
church. We take from one another what belongs to us all. Lift  
our minds from earthly things to the vision of Your heavenly  
glory. Forgive our shortsighted behavior and reconcile us  
through Jesus to Your eternal will.*

**Silence for Personal Confession**

**Assurance of Forgiveness**

Leader: *Christ is our peace who reconciles us both to God in  
one body through the cross.*

**People:** *In the name of Jesus, the risen Christ, we are  
forgiven!*

**\* Responsive Hymn      “Spirit of the Living God”      # 492**

**\*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 Scripture      Deuteronomy 10:12-15**

**Anthem      “What the Lord Has Done in Me”  
Women’s Choir**

**Musical Interlude for Children’s Church & Kid’s Crusade**

*(Children’s Church ages 4 thru 2<sup>nd</sup> grade led by Donna Stolle and Kay Dry;  
Kid’s Crusade 3<sup>rd</sup> grade thru 5<sup>th</sup> grade with Karen and Israel Morrow)*

**Morning Prayers and The Lord’s Prayer**

**New Testament Scripture Lesson      Ephesians 4:1-7**

**Sermon      “Membership Has Its Privileges”      Rev. Jim Davis**

**\*Dedication Hymn      # 136  
“Holy, Holy, Holy! Lord God Almighty”**

**\*Acolyte**

**\*Benediction and Postlude**

*\*Signifies Congregation to Stand*

**May Scripture Passage**

<sup>16</sup> "For God so loved the world that he gave his only Son, so that  
everyone who believes in him may not perish but may have  
eternal life. <sup>17</sup> "Indeed, God did not send the Son into the world  
to condemn the world, but in order that the world might be saved  
through him. <sup>18</sup> Those who believe in him are not condemned;  
but those who do not believe are condemned already, because  
they have not believed in the name of the only Son of God. <sup>19</sup>  
And this is the judgment, that the light has come into the world,  
and people loved darkness rather than light because their deeds  
were evil. <sup>20</sup> For all who do evil hate the light and do not come  
to the light, so that their deeds may not be exposed. <sup>21</sup> But those  
who do what is true come to the light, so that it may be clearly  
seen that their deeds have been done in God."      **John 3:16-21**



**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 worshiping Him through Jesus Christ  
by the power of the Holy Spirit,  
And to serve our neighbor as Jesus taught us.*

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Ministers of Providence Presbyterian Church  
The People of Providence Presbyterian Church

<i>Pastor</i>			
Rev. Jim Davis			
<i>Session</i>			
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<i><u>Class of 2014</u></i>			
<i>Long Range Planning</i>	<i>Congregational Care</i>	<i>Fellowship</i>	
Nathan Dry	Wayne Lamm	Gary Phillips	
<i><u>Class of 2015</u></i>			
<i>Christian Ed. Adult</i>	<i>Finance</i>	<i>Mission/Outreach</i>	<i>Christian Ed. Youth</i>
Robert Joyner	Kristy Stephenson	Margie Taylor	Jeffrey Wood
<i><u>Class of 2016</u></i>			
<i>Christian Ed. Children</i>	<i>Personnel</i>	<i>Worship/Clerk</i>	<i>Property</i>
Beth Breeden	Pete Booth	David Nelms	Steve Nordan
<i>Staff</i>			
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<i>Accounting Treasurer</i>		<i>Collections Treasurer</i>	
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	
<i>Secretary Group</i>			
Mary Ann Booth	Heather White	LaVette Morgan	

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Weekly Statistics	
Total Receipts for May.....	\$19,941.33
*Receipts for May 11 .....	\$3,439.00
Capital Campaign Receipts for May 11 .....	\$54.00
Capital Campaign Giving .....	\$430.208.13
Attendance for Sunday School May 11 .....	60
Attendance for Worship April May 11 .....	112

\*Does not include Capital Campaign Giving

SERVICE SCHEDULE

Assisting in Worship this Sunday:

Elder of the Month/Greeter: Pete Booth  
Ushers: Jonathan Breeden and Todd Frickman  
Acolyte: Emma Roberts  
Nursery: Richard and Andrea Jones  
Kid's Krusade: Karen and Israel Morrow  
Children’s Church Teacher for May: Donna Stolle  
Children’s Church Helper: Kay Dry

Assisting in Worship next Sunday, May 25

Elder of the Month/Greeter: Pete Booth  
Ushers: Jimmy Stuart and Gary Phillips  
Acolyte: Eva Stephenson  
Nursery: Todd and Barbie Frickman  
Kid's Krusade: Karen and Israel Morrow  
Children’s Church Teacher for May: Donna Stolle  
Children’s Church Helper: Barri Martin

CHURCH CALENDAR

Today at Providence:

9:45 am: Sunday School for Children, Youth and Adults  
10:25 am: Fellowship Time  
11:00 am: Worship  
5:00 am: Pioneer and Youth Group meet at 5:00 pm  
Adult Bible Study meets at 5:00 pm

Weekly Events:

May 18. Pioneer Club’s Year End Celebration at 5:00 pm  
Youth Group at 5:00 pm  
Adult Bible Study at 5:00 pm  
May 20. PW Coordinating Team meeting at 6:30 pm  
PW Combined Circles meeting and Birthday Offering at 7:30 pm

Upcoming Events:

May 25. Guest Pastor will be Reverend Steve Auschman  
May 26. Deadline for Newsletter Submissions  
May 27. Youth Advisors Meeting at 7:00 pm

PRAYER LIST OF JOYS AND CONCERNS

JOYS:

As the school year winds down, we remember and give thanks for the teachers along our way - those who taught us academic lessons and those who taught us lessons of Christian faith and love.

CONCERNS:

Lacy Johnson, recovering from leg surgery, member of church family  
Brad Davis, critical condition, father of Reverend Davis

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, and Frances Schmidt at home.

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, Jenny Campbell, sister of Lisa Nelms, Mickey Carroll, cousin of Kelly Nordan, Kathy Durocher, friend of Mark Nelms, Ann Hargiss, member of community, Kobe Horney, two-year old member of community, P.B. Jernigan, relative of Sheila Dupree, Paula Johnson, friend of Dave and Edythe Natrass,David Kopanski, John Kopanski’s brother, Keith Langdon, member of church family, Carol Mayben, Sandy Kopanski’s sister-in-law, Yvette Meggs, sister of Georgeanna Phillips, Jackie Parker, friend of Amy Dupree, Jerry Penny, friend of Dick Embrey, Nina Redmond, niece of Pat and Dick Embry, Barbara Shaw, Kathy Ryals' aunt, Judy Clifton Smith, friend of Mary Langdon, Ben Snelling, friend, of John Kopanski, Randy Stephenson, Jon Nooney’s cousin, Tammy Vann, friend of Sandy Kopanski, Cory Watt, friend of Jeff Wood, DeEtta Wood, member of church family, and Hannah Youngblood, friend of Kristy Stephenson.

Persons with Ongoing Health Concerns, including:  
Joe Albanese, heart attack, recent visitors to our church, Levon and Nancy Allen, Sheila Dupree’s parents, Elaine Andrews, father of Andrea Jones, Mary Bass, Rev. Davis' mother, Velma and Ray Bost, grandparents of Heath White, Charlie & Mary Burke, Steve Wolak's parents, Brad Davis, Jim Davis’ father, Brenda Davis, friend of Lisa Nelms, 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 Kremmer, friend of Andrea Jones, Vic LaSaxon, Chris Nooney's brother-in-law, Wanza Mayben, Sandy Kopanski’s mother, Sue Nicholson, Chris Nooney’s sister, Jon Nooney, member of church family, Ray and Peggy Pippin, uncle and aunt of Scott Martin, Chellie Poston, former member, Jennifer Price, step-sister to Andrea Jones Kathy Rose, friend of Kim Schmidt, Kathy Ryals, member of church family, Danny Salmon, Wendy Stephenson's brother-in-law, Merle Smith, Sandra Lordi’s brother-in-law, Angela Walker, friend of Sue Bryant, Gwen Walton, member of church family, and John Wright, Chris Nooney’s father

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

**CAUTION!** - The construction area is a very tempting place for children to want to play. There are many areas and materials that could injure an unsupervised child. Please make sure all children stay away from the construction zone. Thanks to all for their help in making sure we keep the construction area safe

**Pioneer Year End Celebration** is today. The good times begins at 5:00 with lots of games and fun for everyone. Plus, there will be hot dogs from the grill!

**Adult Bible Study** meets today at 5:00. Kay Dry leads the class in a study of 1 John 5:1-5.

**Reverend Davis** will be on vacation the last week of May. Our guest pastor on Sunday, May 25, will be Reverend Steve Aschman. If you or your family needs assistance during Rev. Davis' absence, please contact Elder Pete Booth at 919-275-4564.

**Court of Honor** – Boy Scout Troop 210 will hold its Court of Honor in the sanctuary on Monday evening, May 19, at 7:00 pm.

**VBS “Wilderness Escape” Registration** - VBS is July 27 – 31. Please complete a registration form for each child that plans to attend. Forms can be complete online at the “Wilderness Escape” link on the home page of the Providence website, [www.Providencepresb.org](http://www.Providencepresb.org).

**Presbyterian Women Combined Circle and Birthday Offering** takes place on Tuesday, May 20. All women are invited to participate. The meeting begins at 7:30 pm.

**Deadline for Submissions to the May Newsletter** is Monday, May 26. If you have news or announcements you would like to see included in the Newsletter, please send it to Dave Nelms at [dnelms44@gmail.com](mailto:dnelms44@gmail.com) or Mary Ann Booth at [maboorth1@gmail.com](mailto:maboorth1@gmail.com).

**Recognition of Our Youth** – We have many exceptional young people here at Providence. If you know of outstanding achievements or special honors that our youth are receiving, please inform Dave Nelms at [dnelms44@gmail.com](mailto:dnelms44@gmail.com) or Mary Ann Booth at [maboorth1@gmail.com](mailto:maboorth1@gmail.com). In our monthly newsletter, we will give special recognition to our youth and their achievements.

**West Johnston High School** is looking for volunteers June 5 and June 6 to help with the end of year testing. If you can volunteer, you will need to schedule a training session with the school before June 5.

**Transition of Duties** – As of June 1, Mary Ann Booth will step down as one of your interim secretaries. Responsibility for bulletins and emails will be as follows:

**Bulletins and Newsletters** - Apart from the Worship Service, responsibility for the contents of the Sunday bulletin will fall to Dave Nelms. Send announcements and prayer requests for inclusion in the Sunday bulletin to Dave at [dnelms44@gmail.com](mailto:dnelms44@gmail.com). Dave continues with responsibility for Newsletter content and production.

**Email Prayer Requests and Announcements** – Donna Stolle assumes responsibility for broadcast emails of prayer requests and birth or death announcements. She will issue the weekly email reminders of events and opportunities. Please be sure to include Donna in your requests for announcements so that they can be included in the weekly emails. Donna can be reached at [dms6330@gmail.com](mailto:dms6330@gmail.com) or 860-214-6698.

**Photocopy Responsibilities** – A team of four members will handle copy responsibilities. LaVette Morgan, Ann Stephenson, Margie Taylor, and Mary Ann Booth will rotate in teams of two to copy and assemble bulletins.