

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



**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.

**Providence Presbyterian Church**

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**FOURTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST  
July 6, 2014**

*The flowers today are given to the glory of God and in celebration of Daniel, Samuel and Sam Stephenson's birthdays*

**Welcome and Announcements  
Prelude and Acolyte**

**Call to Worship** **Psalm 19**

Leader: The precepts of the LORD are right, giving joy to the heart. The commands of the LORD are radiant, giving light to the eyes.

**People:** **By them we are warned; in keeping them, there is great reward.**

Leader: Keep us also from willful sins; may they not rule over us. Then we will be blameless, innocent of great transgression.

**All:** **May the words of our mouths and the meditations of our hearts be pleasing in your sight, O LORD, our Rock and our Redeemer.**

**\* Opening Hymn #48**  
**"Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise"**

**Confession of Sin (In Unison)**

*Eternal God, our judge and redeemer, we confess that we have tried to hide from you, for we have done wrong. We have lived for ourselves, and apart from you. We have turned from our neighbors, and refused to bear the burdens of others. We have ignored the pain of the world, and passed by the hungry, the poor, and the oppressed. In your great mercy forgive our sins and free us from selfishness, that we may choose your will and obey your commandments; through Jesus Christ our Savior.*

**Silence for Personal Confession**

**Assurance of Forgiveness**

Leader: Hear the good news! The saying is sure and worthy of full acceptance, that Christ Jesus came into the world to save sinners.

**People:** **He himself bore our sins in his body on the cross, that we might be dead to sin, and alive to all that is good.**

**\*Responsive Hymn #574**  
**"I'm Gonna Live So God Can Use Me"**

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

**\* Passing of the Peace of Christ**

**Giving of His Tithes and Our Offerings**

Offertory

**\*Doxology**

*Hymn # 34*

**Prayer of Dedication**

**Old Testament Lesson** **Psalm 119:121-128**

**Anthem "Mine Eyes Have Seen the Glory" Providence Choir**

**Musical Interlude for Children's Church**

*(Children's Church ages 4 thru 2<sup>nd</sup> grade led by Jennifer Crocker and Christy Cross)*

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

**New Testament Lesson** **Luke 10:30-35**

**Sermon** **"Talk or Walk?"** **George Dudley**

**\*Dedication Hymn** **"Be Thou My Vision" #502**

**\*Acolyte**

**\*Benediction and Postlude**

*\*Signifies Congregation to Stand*

**July Scripture Passage**

*<sup>15</sup> People were bringing even infants to him that he might touch them; and when the disciples saw it, they sternly ordered them not to do it. <sup>16</sup> But Jesus called for them and said, "Let the little children come to me, and do not stop them; for it is to such as these that the kingdom of God belongs. <sup>17</sup> Truly I tell you, whoever does not receive the kingdom of God as a little child will never enter it."*

**Luke 18:15-17**

**Ministers of Providence Presbyterian Church**  
The People of Providence Presbyterian Church

*Pastor*  
Rev. Jim Davis

*Session*

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<i>Class of 2014</i>		<i>Fellowship</i>	
<i>Long Range Planning</i>	<i>Congregational Care</i>	Wayne Lamm Gary Phillips	
Nathan Dry			
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<i>Class of 2015</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
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<i>Class of 2016</i>			
<i>Christian Ed. Children</i>	<i>Personnel</i>	<i>Worship/Clerk</i>	<i>Property</i>
Beth Breeden	Pete Booth	David Nelms	Steve Nordan
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<i>Staff</i>			
<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>Website</i>		<i>Usher Coordinator</i>	
David Nelms		Russell Wood	
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<i>Secretary Group</i>			
David Nelms	Donna Stolle	Heather White	
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<i>Copy Group</i>			
LaVette Morgan	Ann Stephenson	Margie Taylor	Mary Ann Booth

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Weekly Statistics

Total General Fund Receipts for May .....	\$21,503.08
General Fund Expenses for May .....	\$10,623.43
Total Receipts for June .....	\$14,460.28
*Receipts for June 29 .....	\$2,454.50
Capital Campaign Receipts for June 29.....	\$295.00
Capital Campaign Giving .....	\$443,401.13
Attendance for Sunday School June 29 .....	69
Attendance for Worship June 29 .....	98

*\*Does not include Capital Campaign Giving*

**SERVICE SCHEDULE**

Assisting in Worship this Sunday:

**Elder of the Month/Greeter:** David Nelms  
**Ushers:** Austin Benson and Pete Booth  
**Acolyte:** Graycen Murray  
**Nursery:** Elaine Wood and Lisa Nelms  
**Children's Church Teacher:** Jennifer Crocker  
**Children's Church Helper:** Christy Cross

Assisting in Worship next Sunday, July 13

**Elder of the Month/Greeter:** David Nelms  
**Ushers:** Don Dupree and John Kopanski  
**Acolyte:** Riley Wood  
**Nursery:** Abbey Walton and Amy Dupree  
**Children's Church Teacher:** Beth Breeden  
**Children's Church Helper:** Karen Morrow

**CHURCH CALENDAR**

Today at Providence:

**9:45 am:** Sunday School for Children, Youth and Adults  
**10:25 am:** Fellowship Time  
**11:00 am:** Worship

Weekly Events:

**July 8.** Senior Citizens' Luncheon at Johnson Memorial Church at 12 noon  
**July 9.** Adult Choir Rehearsal at 7:30 pm  
**July 10.** Missions & Outreach committee at 7:30 pm

Upcoming Events:

**July 14.** LRP committee meeting at 7:00 pm  
**July 15.** Personnel committee meeting at 6:30 pm  
**July 16.** Adult Choir Rehearsal at 7:30 pm  
**July 21.** Stated Session Meeting at 7:00 pm  
**July 23.** Worship Committee at 6:30 pm

**PRAYER LIST OF JOYS AND CONCERNS**

JOYS:

*Ask for the old paths, where the good way is, and walk in it; then you will find rest in your souls.*

CONCERNS:

**Lacy Johnson,** recovering from surgery  
**Kim Schmidt,** mobility problems

Members of the Providence Family in Long-Term Care:

**Brack Johnson** at Classic Care Assisted Living in Smithfield, **Lacy and Marilyn Johnson** at Barbour Court Nursing in Smithfield, **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, **Cheryl Beckham,** friend of Laura McLamb, **Jerry Benson,** Randy Benson's cousin, **Nancy Biernacki,** friend of Bob Zattiero, **Patsy Bowman,** member of church family, **Edith Bowser,** friend of Bob Zattiero, **Mickey Carroll,** cousin of Kelly Nordan, **Kathy Durocher,** friend of Mark Nelms, **Ann Hargiss,** 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, **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, **Wayne Toler,** Dorothy Nesselrodt's brother-in-law

Persons with Ongoing Health Concerns, including:

**Levon and Nancy Allen,** Sheila Dupree's parents, **Elaine Andrews,** father of Andrea Jones, **Mary Bass,** Rev. Davis' mother, **Bob Bridges,** friend of Pat Embry, **Velma and Ray Bost,** grandparents of Heath White, **Charlie & Mary Burke,** Steve Wolak's 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 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, **Linda Stephenson,** at Carolina House in Smithfield, **Angela Walker,** friend of Sue Bryant, **Gwen Walton,** member of church family, and **John Wright,** Chris Nooney's father

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