

***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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**ELEVENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST
AUGUST 24, 2014**

The flowers today are given to the glory of God and in honor of their parents, Don and Brenda Dupree's 50th wedding anniversary, by Donna, David, Amy and Connor

Welcome and Announcements

Prelude and Acolyte

Call to Worship

From Psalm 111

Leader: *We give thanks to the LORD with our whole hearts*

People: *Great are the works of the LORD*

Leader: *Full of honor and majesty is his work*

People: *His righteousness endures forever.*

Leader: *The works of his hands are faithful and just;*

People: *He sent redemption to his people; Holy and awesome is his name.*

Leader: *The fear of the LORD is the beginning of wisdom;*

People: *Praise the LORD! His praise endures forever*

All: *Let us worship our Lord God, Amen.*

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

Confession of Sin (In Unison)

O gracious LORD, we come before you today with broken lives and in need of spiritual healing. You demonstrate love and grace to us and we ignore our neighbors and hold grudges. Help us to be humble and gracious, pour out Your Holy Spirit into our hearts so we may see Your path of love and faithfulness as our own. Enable us to speak words of truth and love to one another, forgive our sinfulness, and teach us to love our neighbors as You love us.

Silence for Personal Confession

Assurance of Forgiveness

Leader: *Brothers and sisters, we are redeemed through Christ, the Son of God.*

People: *May the power of the Holy Spirit fill us with the joy of redemption!*

***Responsive Hymn "Awesome God" # 658**

***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

Isaiah 59:20-21

Anthem

Providence Choir

"Underneath the Shadow of His Wings"

Musical Interlude for Children's Church

(Children's Church ages 4 thru 2nd grade led by Barri Martin and Beth Pickens)

Morning Prayers and The Lord's Prayer

New Testament Lesson

John 14:15-27

Sermon

"Obedience in the Spirit"

Rev. Jim Davis

***Dedication Hymn**

"Amazing Grace"

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***Acolyte**

***Benediction**

**Signifies Congregation to Stand*

August Scripture Passage

*¹¹ You will be enriched in every way for your great generosity, which will produce thanksgiving to God through us; ¹² for the rendering of this ministry not only supplies the needs of the saints but also overflows with many thanksgivings to God. ¹³ Through the testing of this ministry you glorify God by your obedience to the confession of the gospel of Christ and by the generosity of your sharing with them and with all others, ¹⁴ while they long for you and pray for you because of the surpassing grace of God that he has given you. ¹⁵ Thanks be to God for his indescribable gift! **2 Corinthians 9:11-15***

Ministers of Providence Presbyterian Church
The People of Providence Presbyterian Church

Pastor
Rev. Jim Davis

Session

<i>Long Range Planning</i>	<i>Congregational Care</i>	<i>Fellowship</i>
Nathan Dry	Wayne Lamm	Gary Phillips

<i>Class of 2015</i>		
<i>Finance</i>	<i>Mission/Outreach</i>	<i>Christian Ed. Youth</i>
Kristy Stephenson	Margie Taylor	Jeffrey Wood

<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

Staff

<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

<i>Secretary Group</i>		
David Nelms	Donna Stolle	Heather White

<i>Copy Group</i>			
LaVette Morgan	Ann Stephenson	Margie Taylor	Mary Ann Booth

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Weekly Statistics

Total General Fund Receipts for July	\$11,921.10
General Fund Expenses for July	\$18,850.81
Total Receipts for August	\$7,823.32
*Receipts for August 17	\$2,060.80
Capital Campaign Receipts for August 17	\$860.00
Capital Campaign Giving	\$447,491.13
Funds Expended thru Capital Campaign	\$610,993.78
Capital Campaign Reserve Account	\$105,000.00
Current Loan Balance	\$270,000.00
Attendance for Sunday School August 17	65
Attendance for Worship August 17

**Does not include Capital Campaign Giving*

SERVICE SCHEDULE

Assisting in Worship this Sunday:

Elder of the Month/Greeter: Kristy Stephenson
Ushers: Ryan Nelms and David Nelms
Acolyte: Kimsey Bagley
Nursery: Mary Langdon and Laura Langdon
Children's Church Teacher: Barri Martin
Children's Church Helper: Beth Pickens

Assisting in Worship next Sunday, August 31

Elder of the Month/Greeter: Kristy Stephenson
Ushers: Jonathan Breeden and David Collier
Acolyte: Kenny Poole
Nursery: Chris and Kristy Stephenson
Children's Church Teacher: Barri Martin
Children's Church Helper: Grace 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

Weekly Events:

August 26. Youth Christian Education Committee meets at 7 pm
 Newsletter Submission Deadline
August 27. Adult Choir Rehearsal at 7:30pm
August 28. Session Budget Planning at 7pm

Upcoming Events:

September 3. Adult Choir Rehearsal at 7:30pm
September 7. Sunday School Teacher Appreciation Day
September 8. Stated Session Meeting at 7pm

PRAYER LIST OF JOYS AND CONCERNS

JOYS:

Praise the Lord for our many blessings!

CONCERNS:

DeEtta Wood, recent testing

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, Nancy Allen** at *Liberty Commons in Benson*, **Grant Joyner, Bobbie Langdon,** and **Frances Schmidt** at home.

Persons Living with Cancer, including:

Vicky Austin, community, **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 Hargis,** member of community, **P.B. Jernigan,** relative of Sheila Dupree, **Joey Johnson,** friend of Randy Benson. **Paula Johnson,** friend of Dave and Edythe Natrass, **Keith Langdon,** member of church family, **Carol Mayben,** Sandy Kopanski's sister-in-law, **Stacy Meadows,** friend of Beth Wolak, **Jackie Parker,** friend of Amy Dupree, **Judy Clifton Smith,** friend of Mary Langdon, **Ben Snelling,** friend of John Kopanski, **Randy Stephenson,** Jon Nooney's cousin, **Chad Talley,** friend of John Pickens, **Karen Tew,** friend of DeEtta Wood, **Dorothy Nesselrodt's** brother-in-law **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:

Levon and Nancy Allen, Sheila Dupree's parents, **Elaine Andrews,** mother of Andrea Jones, **Mary Bass,** Rev. Davis' mother, **Velma and Ray Bost,** grandparents of Heath White, **Charlie & Mary Burke,** Steve Wolak's parents, **Ed Fontana,** Mary Langdon's father, **Fred Ipock,** Cathy Creech's father, **Melinda Kendall,** member of church family, **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, **Jon Nooney,** member of church family, **Chellie Poston,** former member, **Jennifer Price,** step-sister to Andrea Jones, **Kathy Rose,** friend of Kim Schmidt, **Kathy Ryals,** community, **Donald Salmon,** Wendy Stephenson's brother-in-law, **Gwen Walton,** member of church family, and **John Wright,** Chris Nooney's father