

**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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**THIRTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST
SUNDAY SCHOOL TEACHER APPRECIATION DAY
SEPTEMBER 7, 2014**

The flowers are given to the glory of God and in honor of David and Lisa Nelms' 30th wedding anniversary.

Welcome and Announcements

Recognition of Sunday School Teachers

Prelude and Acolyte

Call to Worship from Psalm 134

Leader: Bless the LORD, all you servants of the LORD

People: Come, bless the LORD,

Leader: who stand by night in the house of the LORD!

People: Come, let us bless the LORD,

Leader: Lift up your hands to the holy place, and bless the LORD.

People: Come, bless the LORD, this day

Leader: May the LORD, maker of heaven and earth, bless you from Zion.

People: Come, bless the LORD, and praise him forever

All: Let us worship the LORD our God!

*** Opening Hymn** # 106

"All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name"

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: We are pardoned through the Grace of God Almighty.

People: through Jesus Christ we are redeemed, Amen!

***Responsive Hymn** "Sanctuary" # 482

***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

Anthem "It Is Well With My Soul" Providence Choir

Musical Interlude for Children's Church

(Children's Church ages 4 thru 2nd grade led by Wendy Stephenson and Amy Dupree, Kid's Crusade 3rd grade thru 5th grade with Beth Breedon)

Morning Prayers and The Lord's Prayer

Scripture Lesson Hosea 11:1-11

Sermon Rev Steve Aschmann

How Does the Lord Love Thee?"

***Dedication Hymn** "Because He Lives" # 447

***Acolyte**

***Benediction**

**Signifies Congregation to Stand*

September Scripture Passage

¹⁵ "If you love me, you will keep¹ my commandments. ¹⁶ And I will ask the Father, and he will give you another Advocate, to be with you forever. ¹⁷ This is the Spirit of truth, whom the world cannot receive, because it neither sees him nor knows him. You know him, because he abides with you, and he will be in¹ you. ¹⁸ "I will not leave you orphaned; I am coming to you. ¹⁹ In a little while the world will no longer see me, but you will see me; because I live, you also will live.

John 14:15-19

Ministers of Providence Presbyterian Church
The People of Providence Presbyterian Church

Pastor
Rev. Jim Davis

Session

<i>Long Range Planning</i>	<u>Class of 2014</u> <i>Congregational Care</i>	<i>Fellowship</i>
Nathan Dry	Wayne Lamm	Gary Phillips

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

<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>	Heather White
David Nelms	Donna Stolle

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

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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	\$12,423.00
*Receipts for August 31	\$2,059.18
Capital Campaign Receipts for August 31	\$300.00
Capital Campaign Giving	\$449,591.13
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 31	50
Attendance for Worship August 31	100

**Does not include Capital Campaign Giving*

SERVICE SCHEDULE

Assisting in Worship this Sunday:

Elder of the Month/Greeter: Beth Breeden
Ushers: Ronnie Creech and Rick Taylor
Acolyte: Ava Wood
Nursery: Heath and Heather White
Children's Church Teacher: Wendy Stephenson
Children's Church Helper: Amy Dupree
Kids Krusade Teacher: Beth Breeden

Assisting in Worship next Sunday, September 14

Elder of the Month/Greeter: Beth Breeden
Ushers: Brent Frampton and Wayne Lamm
Acolyte: Eva Stephenson
Nursery: Carolyn Stuart and Lisa Nelms
Children's Church Teacher: Wendy Stephenson
Children's Church Helper: Jonathan Breeden
Kids Krusade Teacher: Beth Breeden

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 pm: LOGOS

Weekly Events:

September 8. Stated Session Meeting at 7:00 pm
September 9. Senior Citizen's Luncheon at Pleasant Grove Baptist Church at 12 noon
September 9. PW Coordinating Meeting at 7:00 pm
September 10. Adult Education Committee at 6:30 pm
September 10. Adult Choir Rehearsal at 7:30 pm
September 12. Blood Drive 3pm – 7:30 in Fellowship Hall

Upcoming Events:

September 15. LRP/Homecoming Committee at 7 pm
September 16. Joint PW Meeting at 7:30 pm
September 17. Adult Choir Rehearsal at 7:30 pm
September 21. LOGOS at 5pm

PRAYER LIST OF JOYS AND CONCERNS

JOYS:

We are joyful for the dedicated teachers and leaders that faithfully volunteer in our Sunday School program.

CONCERNS:

Rev. Jim Davis, recovering at home from burns
LaVette Morgan, recovering from animal attack
Rob Nooney, diagnosed with Pericarditis
We extend sympathy to the family of Elaine Andrews, mother of Andrea Jones,

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:

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 Nattrass, **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, **Wayne Toler**, Dorothy Nesselrodt's brother-in-law, **Tammy Vann**, friend of Sandy Kopanski, **Cory Watt**, friend of Jeff Wood, **Kenneth Weathers**, brother-in-law of Wendy Stephenson, **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, **Mary Bass**, Rev. Davis' mother, **Velma and Ray Bost**, grandparents of Heath White, **Charlie & Mary Burke**, Steve Wolak's parents, **Skylar Duquette**, Wendy Stephenson's great niece, **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

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