

**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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**SIXTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST
SEPTEMBER 28, 2014**

Welcome and Announcements

Prelude and Acolyte

Call to Worship from Psalm 9

Leader: *I will give thanks to the LORD with my whole heart;*

People: *I will tell of all your wonderful deeds.*

Leader: *I will be glad and exult in you;*

People: *I will sing praise to your name, O Most High.*

Leader: *the LORD sits enthroned forever,*

People: *he has established his throne for judgment.*

Leader: *He judges the world with righteousness;*

People: *he judges the peoples with equity.*

Leader: *The LORD is a stronghold for the oppressed, a stronghold in times of trouble.*

People: *And those who know your name put their trust in you,*

All: *This is the day that the LORD has made; let us rejoice and be glad in it.*

*** Opening Hymn** "Stand Up, Stand Up for Jesus" # 513

Confession of Sin (In Unison)

O God Most High, You have chosen us as Your own, and called us to love one another as You have loved us. But we fall short of Your life-giving command; we cling in fear to the little we have, rather than laying it down so that Your riches of love may fill us and flow through us. Pour out Your Spirit on us anew, that we may obediently proclaim the depth, the breadth, the height, and the length of Your love that passes all measure. Cause us to abide in Your love so fully that it will overflow and work in the world around us; that we may be obedient brothers and sisters in Christ our Savior.

Silence for Personal Confession

Assurance of Forgiveness

Leader: *Lord God, You are our Rock and Redeemer.*

People: *we are restored through Jesus Your obedient Son.
Amen!*

***Responsive Hymn** "You Are My All in All" # 427

***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 Lesson

Genesis 42:6-8, 18-21

Anthem

Providence Choir

"Thanksgiving Prayer"

Musical Interlude for Children's Church

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

Morning Prayers and The Lord's Prayer

New Testament Lesson

Matthew 10:24-28

Sermon "Faith, Fear and Obedience" *Rev Jim Davis*

***Dedication Hymn** "Great Is Thy Faithfulness" # 72

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

Class of 2015

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

Class of 2016

<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 August	\$11,720.00
General Fund Expenses for August	\$11,773.16
Total Receipts for September	\$11,958.97
*Receipts for September 21	\$1916.50
Capital Campaign Receipts for September 21	\$438.00
Capital Campaign Giving (thru Aug.)	\$453,492.13
Funds Expended thru Capital Campaign	\$795,715.81
Capital Campaign Reserve Account	\$102,384.84
Current Loan Balance	\$448,476.03
Attendance for Sunday School September 21	85
Attendance for Worship September 21	95

**Does not include Capital Campaign Giving*

SERVICE SCHEDULE

Assisting in Worship this Sunday:

Elder of the Month/Greeter: David Nelms
Ushers: David Nelms & Jeffrey Wood
Acolyte: Alexa Rogers
Nursery: Kent, Gwen & Abbey Walton
Children's Church Teacher: Wendy Stephenson
Children's Church Helper: Kristy Stephenson
Kids Krusade Teacher: Beth Breeden

Assisting in Worship next Sunday, October 5

Elder of the Month/Greeter: David Nelms
Ushers: Atlee Roberts and Carlos Bagley
Acolyte: Silas Porter
Nursery: Beth Pickens and Jonathan Breeden
Children's Church Teacher: Jennifer Crocker
Children's Church Helper: Joyce Lamm
Kids Krusade Teacher: Amy Dupree

CHURCH CALENDAR

Today at Providence:

9:30 am: Combined Adult Sunday School Class
9:45 am: Sunday School for Children and Youth
10:25 am: Fellowship Time
11:00 am: Worship Service

Weekly Events:

October 1. Adult Choir Rehearsal at 7:30 pm

Upcoming Events:

October 5. LOGOS at 5pm
October 8. Children's Christian Education Committee at 7:00 pm
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October 11. Homecoming clean-up and prep
October 12. Homecoming

PRAYER LIST OF JOYS AND CONCERNS

JOYS:

May the God of hope fill you with all joy and peace in believing....!

CONCERNS:

Mica Upchurch, *Sue Bryant's daughter*
Kim Schmidt, *recovering from car accident*
Keith Langdon, *recovering from hernia surgery*
Lacy Johnson, *infection in leg*
We Extend Our Christian Sympathy to the families of
Carolyn Sue Johnson Raynor, *member of the community*
John Cooke, *brother of LaVette Morgan*

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 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,* **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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