

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

**CHRIST THE KING SUNDAY
NOVEMBER 23, 2014**



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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Welcome and Announcements

Prelude and Acolyte

Call to Worship from Psalm 24

Leader: *The earth is the LORD's and all that is in it,*

People: *for he has founded it on the seas, and established it on the rivers.*

Leader: *Who is the King of glory?*

People: *The LORD, strong and mighty, the LORD, mighty in battle.*

Leader: *Lift up your heads, O gates! and be lifted up,*

People: *O ancient doors! that the King of glory may come in.*

Leader: *Who is this King of glory?*

People: *The LORD of hosts, he is the King of glory.*

Leader: *Strive first for the kingdom of God and his righteousness*

People: *and all these things will be given to those who live with assurance of Christ as Lord and Savior.*

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

*** Opening Hymn "Crown Him with Many Crowns" # 317**

Confession of Sin (In Unison)

O God, whose Kingdom never fades and covenant with us is never broken in the name of Christ our Savior we come asking forgiveness. Though you have welcomed us into Your Heavenly Kingdom through Christ the King, we will not bind ourselves to You. You gave Your Son for our redemption, but we refuse Your love and withhold ourselves from others. In Your mercy, forgive and cleanse us. Empower us with Your Holy Spirit and unite us to Christ as we grow in grace and understanding.

Silence for Personal Confession

Assurance of Forgiveness

Leader: *Christ is our Redeemer who welcomes us to the Kingdom of Heaven.*

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

***Responsive Hymn "Take My Life and Let It Be" # 466**

***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

Please mark your Barium Springs offering separately of general giving.

Old Testament Lesson

Isaiah 44:6-8

Anthem

Providence Choir

"With Grateful Heart I Thank You, Lord"

Musical Interlude for Children's Church

(Children's Church ages 4 thru 2nd grade led by Kelly Nordan and Lindsey Frampton, Kid's Crusade 3rd grade thru 5th grade with Kristy Stephenson)

Morning Prayers and The Lord's Prayer

New Testament Lesson

Luke 19:29-40

Sermon "God's Vision: The End is Just the Beginning"

Rev. Jim Davis

***Dedication Hymn "Have Thine Own Way, Lord" # 486**

***Acolyte and Benediction**

**Signifies Congregation to Stand*

November Scripture Passage

⁹ Therefore God also highly exalted him and gave him the name that is above every name, ¹⁰ so that at the name of Jesus every knee should bend, in heaven and on earth and under the earth, ¹¹ and every tongue should confess that Jesus Christ is Lord, to the glory of God the Father. ¹² Therefore, my beloved, just as you have always obeyed me, not only in my presence, but much more now in my absence, work out your own salvation with fear and trembling; ¹³ for it is God who is at work in you, enabling you both to will and to work for his good pleasure.

2 Philippians 2:9-13

Ministers of Providence Presbyterian Church
The People of Providence Presbyterian Church

Pastor
Rev. Jim Davis

Session

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

<i>Finance</i>	<i>Class of 2015</i>	<i>Christian Ed. Youth</i>
Kristy Stephenson	Mission/Outreach 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>	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 October.....	\$11,065.44
General Fund Expenses for October	\$15,892.71
Total Receipts for November	\$11,713.71
*Receipts for November 9 &16.....	\$5,510.99
Capital Campaign Receipts for November 9 & 16	\$3,270.00
Capital Campaign Giving (thru Nov. 16)	\$532,116.13
Funds Expended thru Capital Campaign (Thru Oct.) .	\$1,081,698.64
Capital Campaign Reserve Account	\$171,385.00
Current Loan Balance	\$725,624.46
Attendance for Sunday School November 16	85
Attendance for Worship November 16	117

**Does not include Capital Campaign Giving*

SERVICE SCHEDULE

Assisting in Worship this Sunday:

Elder of the Month/Greeter: Steve Nordan
Ushers: Wayne and Joyce Lamm
Acolyte: Kimsey Bagley
Nursery: Mary Langdon and Christina Jones
Children's Church Teacher: Kelly Nordan
Children's Church Helper: Lindsey Frampton
Kids Krusade Teacher: Kristy Stephenson

Assisting in Worship next Sunday, November 30

Elder of the Month/Greeter: Steve Nordan
Ushers: Nathan and Kay Dry
Acolyte: Grace Martin
Nursery: Jennifer Crocker and Laura Langdon
Children's Church Teacher: Kelly Nordan
Children's Church Helper: Stephanie Bagley
Kids Krusade Teacher: Kristy Stephenson

CHURCH CALENDAR

Today at Providence:

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

Weekly Events:

November 25. December Newsletter Items Due
November 26. Adult Choir Rehearsal at 7:30 p.m.
November 29. Presbyterian Women decorate church for Christmas

Upcoming Events:

November 30. Youth Breakfast Fundraiser at 9 a.m.
December 1. LRP Committee meeting at 7:00 p.m.
December 6. Rehearsal for Christmas Program at 10:00 a.m.
December 7. Christmas Program at 5:00 p.m.
December 8. Stated Session Meeting at 7:00 p.m.

PRAYER LIST OF JOYS AND CONCERNS

JOYS:

We are thankful at all times, but especially this time of year for our many blessings, in our own family and our church family!

CONCERNS:

Orene Wilburn, bone cancer, *Becky Kleaver's sister-in-law*
Tom Nelms, recovering from kidney procedure

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*, **Richard Davis**, friend of *Elaine Wood*, **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*, **Luke Jordan**, friend of *Christina Jones*, **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*, **Orene Wilburn**, *Becky Kleaver's* sister-in-law, **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, **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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