

**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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**TWENTY SECOND SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST
OCTOBER 16, 2016**

Welcome and Announcements

Prelude and Acolyte

Call to Worship

Psalm 69

Leader: *Save me, O God, for the waters have come up to my neck.*

People: *I sink in deep mire, where there is no foothold;*

Leader: *I have come into deep waters, and the flood sweeps over me.*

People: *I am weary with my crying; my throat is parched.*

Leader: *My eyes grow dim with waiting for my God.*

People: *Do not let the flood sweep over me, or the deep swallow me up,*

Leader: *But I am lowly and in pain; let Your salvation, O God, protect me.*

People: *I will praise the name of God with a song; I will magnify Him with thanksgiving.*

Leader: *you who seek God, let your hearts revive.*

People: *For the LORD hears the needy, and does not despise His own that are in bonds.*

All: *Let heaven and earth praise You, O Lord God! Let us worship God!*

***Opening Hymn**

#106

"All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name!"

Confession of Sin (In Unison)

Lord Jesus Christ, our good shepherd, in the waters of Baptism You give us life anew, and at Your table You nourish us with heavenly food. Forgive us when we turn away from Your blessings and comfort and seek satisfaction in material things. Help us to seek Your goodness and mercy, lead us along safe paths, beyond the terrors of evil and death, to the house of the Lord where we may rest securely in Your forever.

Silence for Personal Confession

Assurance of Forgiveness

Leader: *Those who belong to Christ Jesus are born anew,*

People: *and through our baptism we are washed clean with the blood of our Lord and Savior. Amen!*

***Responsive Hymn**

"Grace Alone"

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***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

Reception of New Members

(refer to insert)

Old Testament Lesson

2 Samuel 22:1-7

Anthem

"Like a Flowing River"

Providence Choir

Musical Interlude for Children's Worship

(Children ages 4 thru 5th grade led by Kristy Stephenson)

Morning Prayers and The Lord's Prayer

New Testament Lesson

Matthew 7:24-29

Sermon

"When the Floods Come"

Rev. Jim Davis

***Dedication Hymn**

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"My Hope is Built on Nothing Less"

***Acolyte and Benediction**

Postlude

**Signifies Congregation to Stand*

If you desire to join Christ's Church here at PPC please contact the Pastor – office 919-894-4063, cell# 919-264-4324, or after worship!

October Scripture Passage

7 All things have been handed over to me by my Father; and no one knows the Son except the Father; and no one knows the Father except the Son and anyone to whom the Son chooses to reveal him. 28 "Come to me, all you that are weary and are carrying heavy burdens, and I will give you rest. 29 Take my yoke upon you, and learn from me; for I am gentle and humble in heart, and you will find rest for your souls. 30 For my yoke is easy, and my burden is light."
Matthew 11:27-30

Ministers of Providence Presbyterian Church
The People of Providence Presbyterian Church

Pastor
Rev. Jim Davis

Session

Class of 2016

<i>Children C.E.</i>	<i>Mission/Outreach</i>	<i>Clerk</i>	<i>Property</i>
Beth Breedon	Pete Booth	David Nelms	Steve Nordan

Class of 2017

<i>Long Range Planning</i>	<i>Fellowship</i>	<i>Youth C.E.</i>	<i>Worship</i>
Tony Bryant	David Collier	Barri Martin	Heath White

Class of 2018

<i>Finance</i>	<i>Congregational Care</i>	<i>Adult C.E.</i>	<i>Personnel</i>
Lindsey Frampton	Kent Walton	Atlee Roberts	Sam Stephenson

Staff

<i>Accounting Treasurer</i>	<i>Collections Treasurer</i>
Kristy Stephenson	Ann Benson
<i>Music Director/Organist/Pianist</i>	<i>Pianist</i>
Brittany Jones	Angie DeJesus
<i>Website</i>	<i>Usher Coordinator</i>
David Nelms	Russell Wood

Secretary
Kimberly Callis

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Weekly Statistics

Total General Fund Receipts for September	\$16,149.15
General Fund Expenses for September	\$29,058.67
Total Receipts for September.....	\$22,587.15
*Receipts for October 2	\$6,346.10
Capital Campaign Receipts October 2	\$930.00
Capital Campaign Giving (thru October 2)	\$761,488.65
Capital Campaign Reserve Account	\$84,693.23
Current Loan Balance	\$1,104,253.21
Attendance for Sunday School October 2	61
Attendance for Worship October 2	94

**Does not include Capital Campaign Giving*

SERVICE SCHEDULE

Assisting in Worship this Sunday:

Elder of the Month/Greeter: Atlee Roberts
Ushers: John Daniel & Hamilton Greene, Steve Wolak (Back)
Acolyte: Kimsey Bagley
Nursery: Mary Langdon & Beth Pickens
Children's Worship: Kristy Stephenson
Fellowship Time: Fellowship Committee

Assisting in Worship next Sunday, October 23

Elder of the Month/Greeter: Atlee Roberts
Ushers: Tony Bryant, Scott Martin, Jimmy Stuart,
Kent Walton & Russell Wood
Acolyte: Eva Stephenson
Nursery: Christina Jones & Lisa Nelms
Children's Worship: Amy Dupree
Fellowship Time: Fellowship Committee

CHURCH CALENDAR

Today at Providence:

9:45 am: Sunday School
10:25 am: Fellowship Time
11:00 pm: Worship Service
5:00 pm: LOGOS

Weekly Events:

Oct 17. Homecoming Committee Meeting 7:00 pm Seekers Class
Oct 18. Presbyterian Women Day Circle Lower FH 10:00 am
Presbyterian Women Evening Circle Lower FH 7:00 pm
Oct 19. Adult Choir Practice 7:30 pm
Oct 20. Card Ministry PREP TEAM II 12:00 noon at LaVette's
Personnel Committee Meeting 7:00 pm

Upcoming Events:

Oct 23. Homecoming Sunday
Oct 25. Newsletter Deadline
Prayer Shawl 10:00 Lower FH
Oct 26. Adult Choir Practice 7:30 pm
Oct 27. Mission & Outreach Meeting 7:00 pm

PRAYER LIST OF JOYS AND CONCERNS

JOYS: Praise the Lord for protection from the storm!

CONCERNS: Susan Kushnereit, Bob Zattiero's niece, brain surgery; Joan Daniel, John Daniel's mother, she fell and broke her shoulder and cracked several ribs. She is in Duke Raleigh Hospital; Janice Parrish, member, hip replacement due to fall; prayers for all the victims of Hurricane Matthew.

Members of the Providence Family in Long-Term Care:

Brack Johnson at Classic Care Assisted Living in Smithfield; 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; Priscilla Beckwith, friend of Sandy Kopanski; Patsy Bowman, member; Joanne Boyle, Bob Zattiero's niece; Lisa Bradshaw, member of the community; Richard Davis, friend of Elaine Wood; David Guss, cousin of Andrea Jones; Ann Hargis, community; Luke Jordan, friend of Christina Jones; Keith Langdon, member; Carol Mayben, Sandy Kopanski's sister-in-law; Jackie Parker, friend of Amy Dupree; Dina Poole, Becky Kleaver's daughter-in-law; Art Redmond, Pat Embrey's niece's husband; Ben Snelling, friend, of John Kopanski; Randy Stephenson, Jon Nooney's cousin; Chad Talley, friend of John Pickens; Wayne and Mary Toler, Dorothy Nesselrodt's sister and brother-in-law; Tammy Vann, friend of Sandy Kopanski; and Hannah Youngblood, friend of Kristy Stephenson

Persons with Ongoing Health Concerns, including:

Nancy Allen, Sheila Dupree's mom; Thomas Barefoot, community UPS driver; Velma and Ray Bost, Heath White's grandparents; Gary Brown, Steve Wolak's friend; Charlie & Mary Burke, Steve Wolak's parents; Ed Fontana, Mary Langdon's father; Coby Foreman, church family; Sharon Hamrick, Carolyn Stevenson's daughter; Janet Harris, Dorothy Nesselrodt's sister-in-law; Norbert Kopanski, John Kopanski's father; Sandy Kopanski, member; Stuart Kremer, friend of Andrea Jones; Carolyn Langdon, Mary Langdon's sister; Laura Langdon, member; Vic LaSaxon, Chris Nooney's brother-in-law; Hubert Lipscomb, scout leader; Scott Martinelli, Joe & Beverly Martinelli's son; Wanza Mayben, Sandy Kopanski's mother; Bill McClandless, friend of Bob Zattiero; Nancy Nelms, member; Sue Nicholson, Chris Nooney's sister; Jon Nooney, member; Lou Penny; member; Caleb Reese, cousin of Andrea Jones; Kathy Rose, friend of Kim Schmidt; Donna Walker, church family; Barbara Walton, member; Nora Williams, Lindsey Frampton's niece and John Wright, Chris Nooney's father

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Homecoming Sunday – Due to the storm last weekend and services being cancelled we have rescheduled Homecoming for Sunday, October 23. Please join us for worship, fellowship and awesome food!

A Congregational Meeting – has been changed to Sunday, November 6 immediately following Worship, for the purpose of a change to the terms of call of the pastor and approve 2017 class of Elders.

Homecoming Committee Meeting – Monday, October 17 at 7:00 in the Seekers Class.

Lay Readers – There will be a training session at 4:00 pm on Sunday, October 16 in the Sanctuary. Anyone who is interested or curious is encouraged to attend in addition to the volunteers.

Card Ministry PREP TEAM II – Will meet on Thursday, October 20 at 12:00 noon at LaVette Morgan's home to do prep card work and for lunch. Questions call LaVette.

Mission & Outreach – We will be collecting health and hygiene items for Military Missions in Action (MMIA). A list of needed items has been posted inside the footlocker in front of the New Fellowship Hall. Items collected are for the "Fill the Locker Program" for homeless veterans and will be handed out at the "Homeless Veterans Stand Down" in Raleigh on October 28, 2016.

Mission & Outreach September Summary – Thanks to donations and purchases 406 items went to Backpack Buddies, 632 items to USO and 24 items to the Food Pantry. Your continued support is much appreciated

Please Note - Our pastor will be out of the office October 17-19 for an annual Pastor's Retreat, and October 24 thru 28 on vacation. If anyone needs assistance please contact Kent Walton at 919-618-6344.

Reminders - Please contact Kim Callis at secretary@providencepresb.org or 919-894-4063 if you need to: Add or remove anyone from the prayer list, schedule use of the old or new fellowship hall or directory updates. **Please Note:** Bulletin deadline is Thursday evening if you wish for an announcement to appear in the bulletin for that upcoming Sunday.

BAPTISM AND RECEPTION OF NEW MEMBERS

Presentation of Candidates

There is one body and one Spirit, just as you were called to the one hope of your calling, one Lord, one faith, one baptism, one God and Father of all, who is above all and through all and in all.

Obedying the word of our Lord Jesus, and confident of His promises, we baptize those whom God has called.

In Baptism God claims us, and seals us to show that we belong to God. God frees us from sin and death, uniting us with Jesus Christ in His death and resurrection. By water and the Holy Spirit, we are made members of the church, the body of Christ, and joined to Christ's ministry of love, peace, and justice.

Let us remember with joy our own baptism, as we celebrate this sacrament.

Elder: On behalf of the session, I present **Meadow Creech** for the sacrament of baptism and I present **Annah, Kevin, and Phoebe Creech, Sally Allen and Cathy Simmons** to be received as new members through Transfer and Reaffirmation of Faith.

Sacrament of Baptism

Thanksgiving Over the Water

Baptism

Do you Annah and Kevin desire that Meadow be baptized?

I DO

Renunciations

Relying on God's grace, do you promise to live the Christian faith, and to teach that faith to your children?

I DO

Trusting in the gracious mercy of God, do you turn from the ways of sin and renounce evil and its power in the world? **I DO**

Do you turn to Jesus Christ and accept Him as your Lord and Savior, trusting in His grace and love? **I DO**
With God's help, will you be a faithful disciple, obeying His Word and showing His love. **I WILL**

Congregation charge

Do you, as members of the church of Jesus Christ, promise to guide and nurture Meadow. By word and deed, with love and prayer, encouraging them to know and follow Christ and to be faithful members of this church? **WE DO**

Reaffirmation of Faith

- Trusting in the gracious mercy of God, do you turn from the ways of sin and renounce evil and its power in the world? **I DO**

- Do you turn to Jesus Christ and accept him as your Lord and Savior, trusting in His grace and love? **I DO**

- With God's help, will you be a faithful disciple, obeying His Word and showing His love. **I WILL**

Profession of Faith *(Back cover of Blue Hymnal)*

With the whole church, let us confess our faith together in one voice. What do we believe ...

(In Unison)

I believe in God the Father almighty ...

Affirmation of Faith

Will you **Annah, Kevin, Sally and Cathy** be a faithful member of this congregation, share in its worship and ministry through your prayers and gifts, your study and service, and so fulfill your calling to be a disciple of Jesus Christ?

I will, with God's help

Words of Welcome

Through their baptism, they have been received into the one holy catholic and apostolic church, affirming the covenant into which they were baptized. As members of the household of God, God has called them to serve Christ in the world. Let us welcome them to this ministry.

Please greet Annah, Kevin, Phoebe, Meadow, Sally and Cathy with the love and joy of Christ after worship on the steps.

Annah and Kevin Creech

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