

**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

*At McGee's Crossroads 919.894.4063
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www.providencepresb.org*

**FIFTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST
JULY 14, 2019**

Welcome and Announcements

Prelude and Acolyte

Call to Worship (From Psalm 89) Beth Wolak

Leader: I will sing of Your steadfast love, O LORD,

People: *I will proclaim Your faithfulness to all generations.*

Leader: I declare that Your steadfast love is established forever;

People: *Your faithfulness is as firm as the heavens.*

Leader: Let the heavens praise Your wonders, O LORD

People: *For who can be compared to the LORD?*

Leader: O LORD God of hosts, who is as mighty as You,

People: *O LORD, your faithfulness surrounds You.*

Leader: Righteousness and justice are the foundation of Your throne;

People: *steadfast love and faithfulness go before You.*

All: *Blessed be the Lord who is worthy of our praise today. Let us worship the LORD this day!*

***Opening Hymn "Shout to the Lord" # 94**

Confession of Sin (In Unison)

O Gracious God, hear our confession of sin and doubt as we struggle to understand Your will for our lives. We ask Your forgiveness, for our inaction in the midst of Your harvest. Help us to honor You in furthering Your kingdom here on earth, through Christian witness and service in building each other up in the way of Jesus Christ. Renew our faith and transform us into disciples with a passion for doing Your will in our lives and the life of Your church.

Silence for Personal Confession

Assurance of Forgiveness

Leader: *We are loved by God whose generosity exceeds our understanding.*

People: **We have been redeemed through Jesus Christ, our Lord and Savior. Amen!**

***Responsive Hymn "Great is Thy Faithfulness" # 72**

***Affirmation of Faith "The Apostle's Creed"**
(Back cover of Blue Hymnal)

***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 Scripture

Deuteronomy 7:6-11

Anthem "Thou Art Worthy"

Providence Choir

Morning Prayers and The Lord's Prayer

New Testament Scripture

Matthew 8:5-13

Sermon "A Full Faith Condition"

Rev. Jim Davis

***Dedication Hymn "Be Thou My Vision" # 502**

***Acolyte and Benediction**

Postlude

**Signifies Congregation to Stand*

Please feel free to take home your printed bulletin. Thank you for placing any discarded bulletins, and other debris, in a trash receptacle as you depart the building.

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!

July Scripture Passage

: 1 For freedom Christ has set us free. Stand firm, therefore, and do not submit again to a yoke of slavery. ¹³ For you were called to freedom, brothers and sisters; only do not use your freedom as an opportunity for self-indulgence, but through love become slaves to one another. ¹⁴ For the whole law is summed up in a single commandment, "You shall love your neighbor as yourself."

Galatians 5:1, 13-14

SERVICE SCHEDULE

Ministers of Providence Presbyterian Church

The People of Providence Presbyterian Church

Pastor

Rev. Jim Davis

Session

Class of 2019

<i>Children C.E.</i>	<i>Mission & Outreach</i>	<i>Worship</i>	<i>Clerk</i>
Vickie Faircloth	John Kopanski	Donna Stolle	Mary Ann Booth

Class of 2020

<i>Adult C.E.</i>	<i>Personnel</i>	<i>Youth C.E.</i>	<i>Property</i>
David Collier	Cathy Simmons	Kevin Creech	Steve Newnam

Class of 2021

<i>Financial</i>	<i>Congregational Care</i>	<i>Fellowship</i>	<i>Long Range Planning</i>
Sam Stephenson	Carolyn Johnson	Jonathan Kershaw	Scott Martin

Staff

Accounting Treasurer

Wendy Stephenson

Collections Treasurer

Ann Benson

Music Director/Organist/Pianist

Brittany Jones

Pianist

Angie Searcy

Secretary

Cindy Lynch

Website

David Nelms

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Weekly Statistics

2019 General Fund Receipts through June.....	\$153,494.95
2019 General Fund Expenses through June	\$138,050.85
General Fund Receipts for June	\$40,526.64
General Fund Expenses for June	\$20,783.50
General Fund Receipts so far for July	\$6,452.88
General Fund Receipts for July 7	6,452.88
Attendance for Sunday School July 7	69
Attendance for Worship July 7.....	95

Pastor's Office Hours – The pastor will be in the office Monday - Thursday from 9:00 am until 12:00 pm with varying additional hours in the afternoons. All hours are subject to pastoral demands.

Secretary's Office Hours – Monday - Friday, 9:00 am – 1:00 pm.
The office number is 919-894-4063.

Assisting in Worship this Sunday:

Elder of the Month/Greeter: Mary Ann Booth

Ushers: Wayne Lamm, Scott Martin and David Nelms (Back)

Acolyte: Meadow Creech

Nursery: Barri Martin and Mary Wood

Children's Worship: No Children's Worship

Lay Reader: Beth Wolak

Fellowship Time: Seekers Class

Safety/Security: Rick Taylor

Assisting in Worship next Sunday, July 21

Elder of the Month/Greeter: Mary Ann Booth

Ushers: Ryan Nelms, Joseph Phillips and Atlee Roberts (Back)

Acolyte: Joey Crocker

Nursery: Anna and Kevin Creech

Children's Worship: No Children's Worship

Lay Reader: Jeff Wood

Fellowship Time: Nesselrodt Class

Safety/Security: Rick Taylor

CHURCH CALENDAR

Today at Providence

9:45 am: Sunday School

10:25 am: Fellowship Time

11:00 am: Worship Service

Congregational Vote After Worship Service

Weekly Events:

July 17. Fellowship & Fitness Group 10:00 am

Adult Choir Practice 7:30 pm

July 18. Card Prep Team I, LaVette Morgan's Home 1:00

July 19. Fellowship & Fitness Group 10:00 am

Upcoming Events

July 21. Sixth Sunday After Pentecost

July 22. M&O Committee Meet 11:00 am Seekers Room

July 23. Newsletter Deadline

July 24. Fellowship & Fitness Group 10:00 am

Adult Choir Practice 7:30 pm

July 26. Fellowship & Fitness Group 10:00 am

PRAYER LIST OF JOYS AND CONCERNS

JOYS: ... the Lord loves us ... Deuteronomy 7:5

CONCERNS:

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;*

Virginia Moore, at *The Pearl in Fort Mill;* **Bobbie Langdon**,

at Highland Village in Cary.

Persons Living with Cancer, including:

Sherry Baker, friend of *Laura Langdon;* **Joanne Boyle**, *Bob*

Zattiero's niece; **Lisa Bradshaw**, member of the community;

Sherri Cox, friend of *Carolyn Johnson;* **Earl Guss**, cousin of

Andrea Jones; **Jerry Hall**, extended family of *Wendy*

Stephenson; **Ann Hargis**, community; **Consuelo Hawkins**, *Joe*

Hawkins' mother; **Judy Morris**, community; **Norman Nelms**,

brother of *Tom Nelms;* **Jamie Harris**, friend of *Andrea Jones;*

David Ryan, coworker of *John Pickens;* **Abby Stanley**,

coworker of *John Pickens;* **Randy Stephenson**, *Jon Nooney's*

cousin; **Debbie Sturgis**, member.

Persons with Ongoing Health Concerns, including:

Nancy Allen, *Sheila Dupree's mom;* **H. A. Andrews**, father of

Andrea Jones; **Sara Barber**, *Vickie Faircloth's mother;* **Worth**

Bowman, member; **Patricia Chapin**, friend of *Carolyn*

Johnson; **Larry Creech**, Father of *Kevin Creech;* **Pamela**

Collier, member; **Elise Corona**, daughter of a friend of *Sue*

Bryant; **Sandra Dail**, friend of the church; **Kelly Daniel**,

member; **Wanda Johnson Dupree**, previous member;

Barbara Ellis, mother of *Georgeanna Phillips;* **Charles (Chic)**

and Mary Lou Folkman, friends of Providence; **John Harris;**

friend of *Andrea Jones;* **Brian Johnson**, cousin of *Don Dupree;*

Jamone Johnson; friend of church; **Harley Kremer**, *Andrea*

Jones niece; **Vic LaSaxon**, *Chris Nooney's brother-in-law;*

Hubert Lipscomb, scout leader; **Bill McClandless**, friend of

Bob Zattiero; **Nancy Nelms**, member; **Judy Nemeth**, friend of

Miriam Lambert; **Sue Nicholson**, *Chris Nooney's sister;* **Jon**

Nooney, member; **Ginny Parker**, friend of the church; **Ed &**

Lou Penny; members; **Wanda Presnell**, friend of *Beth Wolak;*

Caleb Reese, cousin of *Andrea Jones;* **Stephen Southers**,

community; **Ann King Stephenson**, member; **Tami Walker**,

daughter of *Donna Walker;* **John Wright**, *Chris Nooney's*

father and **Eva Younts**, *Nadine Reed's Aunt.*

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Congregational Meeting Today - The Session has called for a congregational meeting immediately following today's worship service. The purpose of the meeting is to vote on the Agreement of Dissolution of the Pastoral Relationship between Reverend Jim Davis and Providence Presbyterian Church. All active members are encouraged to remain in the Sanctuary following worship. Only active members may vote.

USO Collections - During the month of July we are collecting items to be donated to the USO center at Fort Bragg in Fayetteville. Please place your items in the container outside the UFH from July 1 through July 31. All contributions will be delivered to the USO after the last Sunday in July.

The Next Senior Luncheon Is Scheduled for August 13. Please join us then at Mount Zion Methodist Church.

Mark your calendar for Sunday, July 28th through Thursday, August 1st and volunteer for ROAR, where kids will learn that although life gets wild, GOD IS GOOD! Sign up electronically at <http://bit.ly/PPCVBS2019>

All VBS Volunteers will meet at 5:00 on July 28th in the Sanctuary.

Registration for this year's VBS ROAR is open at www.providencepresb.org. VBS is for children ages 3 through middle school. Adult Bible Study is offered as well! All are welcome!

Greeters Needed - We need warm, smiling faces to be the face of PPC for all who enter through the Upper Foyer on Sunday mornings. If you are interested in assisting in this capacity please send your name to Donna Stolle dms6330@gmail.com. Details to follow from Donna or Vickie Faircloth, once a team is assembled. Thank you!

Please Note - Virginia More has a new address: The Pearl at Fort Mill, 1061 Gold Hill Road, Room 110 Fort Mill, SC 29708.

Men's Fellowship Group Assistance: Small chores & household assistance is available by the Men's Fellowship Group. To schedule, contact Pastor Jim Davis or the Secretary with your needs.

The Fellowship & Fitness Walking Group - invites you to do something healthy for yourself and walk with us. We end each meeting in prayer for our church family and each other. Meetings are Wednesday and Friday, 10:00 am in the UFH. All are welcome!

Samaritan's Purse International Relief - Our current collections are being dedicated to three projects. These are the same three projects the children's donations during VBS will be supporting. They are: Clean Water Projects/\$40 can provide drinking water for 3,000 people daily; Goats & Dairy/\$70 can buy a nanny goat who can produce a quart of milk a day; and Wool Bearing Animals/\$80 can provide a sheep, alpaca or llama to produce wool for clothing, and wool to be sold at market. To participate you can drop your cash or checks in the "barn bank" in the Upper Foyer, or put your money in one of two buckets any night at VBS. The adult VBS volunteer whose bucket has the most money by Thurs evening will get a . . . well, last year, they had to kiss a pig!!! This year, well, stay tuned

The Congregational Care Committee Supplies Prayer Shawls for anyone who may be in need of physical warmth during the Worship Service. The shawls are located in the Narthex. ** After the service, please leave the used shawl on the end of the pew - they are cleaned after each use.*

Congregational Care - If there are members of the congregation or regular attendees who would like a member of the Congregational Care Committee to visit with them, please get that information to Carolyn Johnson at cmoorejohanson2012@gmail.com

Reminder – Please email ppchurchsecretary@gmail.com if you need to:

- Add or remove anyone from the prayer list
- Schedule use of the UFH or LFH
- Update the Directory for a change of address, phone number or email

The Quarterly Service List of who serve in our Worship Services is also available on our church website to help with scheduling for the next three months.

Please Note – The Bulletin Deadline is the end of the business day Wednesday for an announcement to appear in the bulletin for the upcoming Sunday.

The Newsletter items deadline is the 23rd of the month.

Church Newsletter – The July issue of the PPC Newsletter "Presbyterians At The Crossroads" is available online at the church website. If you do not have a computer, you can pick up a paper copy of the Newsletter in the Narthex.

For safety/security, no exterior doors will be propped open during services and all doors will be locked during the 11:00 am service except the main sanctuary door.