

**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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**SCOUT SUNDAY
FEBRUARY 9, 2020**

Welcome and Announcements

Prelude and Acolyte

Call to Worship Connor Reed

Leader: *I will enter the Lord's court with thanksgiving in my heart. I will enter His courts with praise.*

People: *I will say this is the day that the Lord has made, I will rejoice for He has made me glad!*

All: *He has made us glad! He has made us glad! We will rejoice for He has made us glad!*

***Opening Hymn # 68**

"Come Thou Fount of Every Blessing"

Confession of Sins (In Unison)

Heavenly Father, we know that life lived with you is an abundant, joyful life. We admit that we don't always give you the credit you deserve for this blessing. We sulk when we don't get what we want and we forget to turn back to you in praise when we do. Father, forgive us! Cast us not away from your presence O Lord, but renew a right spirit within us. Amen.

Silence for Personal Confession

Assurance of Forgiveness (Psalm 85:8-9)

Leader: *Hear the Good News, while we were still yet sinners, Jesus Christ died for our sins and won salvation for us!*

People: *Praise be to God, our sins are forgiven by the Lamb who was slain!*

***Responsive Hymn # 373**

"Change My Heart O God"

***Affirmation of Faith "The Apostle's Creed"**

(Inside the back cover of the 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

First Scripture Reading

Mark 2:18-22

Eva Stephenson

Anthem

Providence Choir

"Heaven's Song"

Musical Interlude for Children's Worship

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

Morning Prayers and The Lord's Prayer

Second Scripture Reading

2 Samuel 6:1-23

Sermon

Rev. Nadia Stropich

"Spiritual Discipline of Celebration"

Dedication Hymn

525

"When We All Get To Heaven"

***Acolyte and Benediction**

Postlude

**Signifies Congregation to Stand*

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

If you desire to join Christ's Church here at PPC, please contact Pastor Nadia Stropich at 919-264-4324 or after worship; an Elder of the Session, or call the PPC office at 919-894-4063.

Ministers of Providence Presbyterian Church

The People of Providence Presbyterian Church

Reverend
Nadia Stropich

Session

Class of 2020

Christian Education
Kevin Creech

Personnel
David Collier

Property
Steve Newnam

Class of 2021

Congregational Care
Carolyn Johnson

Financial
Sam Stephenson

Long Range Planning
Scott Martin

Class of 2022

Fellowship
Donna Stolle

Mission & Outreach
John Kopanski

Worship
Vickie Faircloth

Accounting Treasurer
Sam Stephenson

Clerk
Mary Ann Booth

Collections Treasurer
Ann Benson

Music Director/Organist/Pianist
Brittany Jones

Pianist
Angie Searcy

Secretary
Cindy Lynch

Sunday School Superintendent
Kristy Stephenson

Website
David Nelms

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Weekly Statistics

2019 General Fund Receipts through December.....	\$287,042.48
2019 General Fund Expenses through December	\$288,166.40
General Fund Receipts for December	\$41,039.19
General Fund Expenses for December	\$30,677.68
General Fund Receipts so far for January	\$37,668.29
General Fund Receipts for February 2	\$6,776.00
Attendance for Sunday School February 2	73
Attendance for Worship February 2.....	103

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 afternoon. All hours are subject to pastoral demands. If you would like to reach Rev. Nadia Stropich after office hours, please call 937-903-9487.

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

SERVICE SCHEDULE

Assisting in Worship This Sunday:

Elder of the Month: Vickie Faircloth

Greeters: Kay Dry and Nadine Reed

Ushers: Andrew Clevenger, Eric Faircloth and Aaron Painter (Back)

Acolyte: Joey Crocker

Nursery: Barri Martin and Mary Wood

Children's Worship: Eva Stephenson, Kristy and Chris Stephenson

Lay Reader: Connor Reed

Fellowship Time: Seekers Class

Security: Kent Walton

Assisting in Worship Next Sunday, February 16:

Elder of the Month: Vickie Faircloth

Greeters: Kay Dry and Nadine Reed

Ushers: Rick Taylor, Jeff Wood and Johnny Wood (Back)

Acolyte: Kolton Crocker

Nursery: Jennifer and Roger Gilbert

Children's Worship: Annah and Kevin Creech

Lay Reader: Eric Faircloth

Fellowship Time: Nesselrodt Class

Security: Kent Walton

CHURCH CALENDAR

Today at Providence:

9:45 am: Sunday School

10:25 am: Fellowship Time

11:00 am: Worship Service

Weekly Events:

Feb. 10. Stated Session Meeting 7:00 pm

Feb. 11. Senior Citizen Lunch, White Memorial Presbyterian, 12

Feb. 12. Fellowship & Fitness Group 10:00 am UFH
Adult Choir Practice 7:30 pm

Feb. 14. Fellowship & Fitness Group 10:00 am UFH

Upcoming Events:

Feb. 16. Sunday Worship
PPC KIDZ Meet UFH 4:00 - 5:30 pm

Feb. 17. President's Day, PPC Office Closed

Feb. 18. Women's Circles Meet, UFH, 10:00 am and 7:00 pm

Feb. 19. Fellowship & Fitness Group 10:00 am UFH
Adult Choir Practice 7:30 pm

Feb. 20. Card Ministry Prep Team I meets 1:00 at LaVette's

Feb. 21. Fellowship & Fitness Group 10:00 am UFH

PRAYER LIST OF JOYS AND CONCERNS

JOYS: Youth Souper Bowl Fundraiser, \$1,813.00!

CONCERNS:

Members of the Providence Family in Long-Term Care:

Marilyn Johnson at Barbour Court Nursing in Smithfield;
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; **Becky Hall**, friend of Carolyn Johnson; **Jerry Hall**, extended family of Wendy Stephenson; **Ann Hargis**, community; **Jamie Harris**, friend of Andrea Jones; **Consuelo Hawkins**, Joe Hawkins' mother; **Norman Nelms**, brother of Tom Nelms; **David Ryan**, coworker of John Pickens; **Tim Scarborough**, friend of Wade and Carolyn Johnson; **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; **Lauren Collier Bellissimo and family**, members; **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; **Barbara Ellis**, mother of Georgeanna Phillips; **Charles (Chic) and Mary Lou Folkman**, friends of Providence; **David Guss**, cousin of Andrea Jones; **Lucy Harris**, sister of Nathan Dry; **John Harris**, friend of Andrea Jones; **Brenden Hass**, grandson of Robert Stolle; **Brian Johnson**, cousin of Don Dupree; **Harley Kremer**, Andrea Jones niece; **Vic LaSaxon**, Chris Nooney's brother-in-law; **Bill McClandless**, friend of Bob Zattiero; **Nancy Nelms**, member; **Judy Nemeth**, friend of Miriam Lambert; **Sue Nicholson**, Chris Nooney's sister; **Mary Tyler Nordan**, daughter of Tyler and Natalie Nordan; **Ed & Lou Penny**; members; **Wanda Presnell**, friend of Beth Wolak; **Caleb Reese**, cousin of Andrea Jones; **Stephen Southers**, community; **Ann King Stephenson**, member; **Charles Tadlock**; friend of Pamela Collier; **Joy Wellons**, Brandon Mott's mother-in-law; **John Wright**, Chris Nooney's father and **Eva Younts**, Nadine Reed's Aunt.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Deadlines for the Month:

Bulletin and Friday Reminder Deadline: Wednesday, 12:00 pm

Monthly Newsletter: 23rd of the month, 1:00 pm

Available on the website:

Quarterly Service List for those who help in Worship.

Church Newsletter "Presbyterians At The Crossroads".

Senior Luncheon - Please call Margie Taylor at 919-522-6068 if you are going to the Senior Luncheon at White Memorial Presbyterian Church on Tuesday, February 11th at noon.

There will be a joint Usher and Greeter's Meeting Sunday, Feb. 16th directly after the Worship Service in the UFH. We are asking all who participate in these roles to attend. If you have questions, please see Vickie Faircloth.

Fellowship and Fitness Walking Group – We would like you to walk and fellowship with us on Wednesday and Friday mornings at 10:00 am. All are welcome.

Attention Men! We will be attending **the Iron Sharpens Iron Men's Conference on March 7th in Wilmington, NC** as a group. This one-day conference is for men ages 13 and older. **Cost is \$44** plus \$8 if you want the on-site optional lunch. There will be 16 different seminars for men at this conference. **To sign up, write "Men's Conference" on the pew pad or speak to John Mott after worship.** You can get more information about the conference at: www.IronSharpensIron.net

The YCE committee would like to thank everyone who made the Souper Bowl a success. Thanks to all who made delicious soups and sandwiches and to all who lended a helping hand. Due to everyone's generosity we were able to raise \$1,813 to assist Mary Tyler Nordan and her family. What a blessing!! Way to go PPC!! Your love and kindness are appreciated!!

PPC Cooking Class: Come and learn a new recipe in a relaxed, fun atmosphere! We are still looking for cooks to share recipes for the 1st Tuesday of the months of June through December. If you are willing to present, please contact Donna Walker via text 910-985-1717 or email 47dwalker@gmail.com. Thank you to Brenda Abbott who taught us how to can grape jelly on Tuesday.

Tuesday, March 3rd Miriam Lambert will present the preparation of her vegetable casserole. Tuesday, April 7th Wendy Stephenson will prepare and present her Oyster Stew (or Salmon Stew – same base), and Tuesday, May 5th Rev. Nadia Stropich will present her Chocolate Chip Cookies. Please join us and enter through the kitchen door.

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 cmoorejohnson2012@gmail.com

Men's Fellowship Group Assistance: Small chores & household assistance is available by the PPC Men's Fellowship Group. To schedule, call Eric Faircloth at ericfaircloth@embarqmail.com, or 919-201-2696 with your needs.

Donation Options - Providence Presbyterian Church can accept donations of stocks and other securities. To make a donation or obtain more information, please contact Ann Benson, Collections Treasurer.

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