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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 14664 NC Hwy 210, Angier, NC 27501 www.providencepresb.org

PENTECOST SUNDAY MAY 24, 2015

The flowers today are given in memory of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Phillips and Janice. From Gary, Georgeanna, Joseph and Emma.

Welcome and Announcements

Prelude and Acolyte

Call to Worship from Psalm 5

Leader: Give ear to my words, O LORD

People: Listen to the sound of my cry, my King and my God,

for to You I pray.

Leader: O LORD, in the morning You hear my voice;

People: *in the morning I plead my case to You, and watch.*Leader: Through the abundance of Your steadfast love, I will

enter Your house.

People: I will bow down toward Your holy temple in awe

of You.

Leader: Lead me, O LORD, in Your righteousness

People: make Your way straight before me.

Leader: Let all who take refuge in You rejoice;

People: For You bless the righteous, O LORD; You cover

them with favor as with a shield.

All: Let us worship God this day!

*Opening Hymn "Let All Creation Bless the Lord" # 25

Confession of Sin (In Unison)

O God of limitless blessings, You created us in Your image to worship and glorify You. We confess our distress when afflicted with pain. We often avoid those encounters that will cause us discomfort. We cling to the things of this world that subtract from our relationship with You. Help us to Bless You and those who proclaim Your love in our lives. May You fill our hearts with the joy of the knowledge of the one true Lord and Savior. O God, add to our faith and understanding of Your Grace in this world. Convict our hearts that we may serve You with joy and peace.

Silence for Personal Confession

Assurance of Forgiveness

Leader: Great are the Blessings of our Gracious Lord!

People: In the blood of Jesus Christ, we are added unto the Kingdom of heaven!

*Responsive Hymn

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"Breathe on Me, Breath of God"

*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

Special Offering: Collection of The Pentecost Offering Offertory

***Doxology** *Hymn # 34*

Prayer of Dedication

Old Testament Lesson Genesis 12: 1-4

Anthem "Come Christians Join to Sing" Providence Choir

Musical Interlude for Children's Church

(Children's Church ages 4 thru 2nd grade led by Vickie Faircloth and Lindsey Frampton; No Kids' Krusade today)

Morning Prayers and The Lord's Prayer

New Testament Lesson

John 6: 1-14
Rev. Jim Davis

Sermon "God Blesses and Adds"

*Dedication Hymn "Just as I Am" # 354

*Acolyte and Benediction

Postlude

May Scripture Passage

35 for I was hungry and you gave me food, I was thirsty and you gave me something to drink, I was a stranger and you welcomed me, 36 I was naked and you gave me clothing, I was sick and you took care of me, I was in prison and you visited me.' 37 Then the righteous will answer him, 'Lord, when was it that we saw you hungry and gave you food, or thirsty and gave you something to drink? 38 And when was it that we saw you a stranger and welcomed you, or naked and gave you clothing? 39 And when was it that we saw you sick or in prison and visited you?' 40 And the king will answer them, 'Truly I tell you, just as you did it to one of the least of these who are members of my family, you did it to me.' Matthew 25:35-40

^{*}Signifies Congregation to Stand

Ministers of Providence Presbyterian Church

The People of Providence Presbyterian Church

Pastor Rev. Jim Davis

Session

	Class	of 2015	
Finance	Mission/Outreach	Congregational Care	Youth C.E.
Kristy Stephenson	Margie Taylor	r Kent Walton	Jeffrey Wood
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<u>Class of 2016</u>			
Children C.E	Personnel	Clerk	Property
Beth Breeden	Pete Booth	David Nelms	Steve Nordan
	CI.	60017	
<u>Class of 2017</u>			
Long Range Planning	Fellowship	Adult C.E.	Worship
Tony Bryant	David Collier	Barri Martin	Heath White
Staff			
Accounting Treasurer		Collections Treasurer	
Wayne Lamm		Ann Benson	
Music Director/Organist/Pianist		t Organist/Pianist	
Brittany Jones Ann Stephenson & Susa		usan Rudd	
Website		Usher Coordinator	
David Nelms		Russell Wood	

Secretary Kimberly Callis

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Weekly Statistics

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Total General Fund Receipts for April\$20,143.80
General Fund Expenses for April\$24,457.18
Total Receipts for May\$11,556.13
*Receipts for May 17\$2,688.43
Capital Campaign Receipts May 17\$2,370.00
Capital Campaign Giving (thru May 17)\$643,505.63
Funds Expended thru Capital Campaign (thru April)\$1,691,315.38
Capital Campaign Reserve Account\$100,004.57
Current Loan Balance
Attendance for Sunday School May 17 57
Attendance for Worship May 17
*Does not include Capital Campaign Giving

SERVICE SCHEDULE

Assisting in Worship this Sunday:

Elder of the Month/Greeter: Kent Walton

Ushers: Pete Booth & David Natrass, Trey Bullock (Back)

Acolyte: Alexa Rogers

Nursery: Heath & Heather White

Children's Church Teacher: Vickie Faircloth Children's Church Helper: Lindsey Frampton Kids' Krusade Teacher: No Kids' Krusade Today

Assisting in Worship next Sunday, May 31

Elder of the Month/Greeter: Kent Walton

Ushers: Richard Jones & Darren Stuart, Wayne Ennis (Back)

Acolyte: Silas Porter

Nursery: Pat Davis & Amy Dupree

Children's Church Teacher: Vickie Faircloth Children's Church Helper: Jonathan Breeden Kids' Krusade Teacher: Mary Langdon

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:

May 25. Newsletter Deadline
Office Closed Memorial Day

May 26. Card Ministry Meeting 10:00 am

May 27. Adult Choir Practice 7:30 pm

May 29. Youth White Lake Camping Trip leaving at 3:30 pm

Upcoming Events:

June 1. Congregational Care Meeting 10: 00 am Long Range Planning Meeting 7:00 pm

June 2. Prayer Shawl 10:00 am

June 3. Adult Choir Practice 7:30 pm

June 4. Personnel Committee Meeting 6:30 pm
Mission and Outreach Committee Meeting 7:00 pm

June 7. Graduate Recognition Sunday during worship

PRAYER LIST OF JOYS AND CONCERNS

<u>JOYS:</u> We are thankful for those who have given their lives so that we might enjoy the blessing of freedom.

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; 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; Jerry Benson, Randy Benson's cousin; Nancy Biernacki, friend of Bob Zattiero; Patsy Bowman, member of church family; Edith Bowser, friend of Bob Zattiero; Christopher Conway, friend of Karen Morrow; Richard Davis, friend of Elaine Wood; Salley Dowsett, Laura McLamb's cousin; Carol Frickman, Tod Frickman's sister-in-law; **David Guss,** cousin of Andrea Jones; Ann Hargis, member of community; P.B. Jernigan, relative of Sheila Dupree; Joey Johnson, friend of Randy Benson; Luke Jordan, friend of Christina Jones; Keith Langdon, member of church family; Carol Mayben, Sandy Kopanski's sister-in-law; Jackie Parker, friend of Amy Dupree; Larry Phipps, Allison Phipps's husband; 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; Kenneth Weathers, brother-in-law of Wendy Stephenson; Karen Winningham, friend of Karen Morrow; and Hannah Youngblood, friend of Kristy Stephenson

Persons with Ongoing Health Concerns, including:

Levon and Nancy Allen, Sheila Dupree's parents; Velma and Ray Bost, Heath White's grandparents; Charlie & Mary Burke, Steve Wolak's parents; Ricky Faircloth, Beck McLamb's brother-in-law; Ed Fontana, Mary Langdon's father; Linda Haden, Brenda Byrd's neighbor; Bob Huber, friend of Jeffrey Wood; 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; Hubert Lipscomb, scout leader; Wanza Mayben, Sandy Kopanski's mother; Sarah McBride, friend of Georgeanna Phillips; Tim McLeod, Wendy Stephenson's brother; Sue Nicholson, Chris Nooney's sister; Jon Nooney, member of church family; Caleb Reese, cousin of Andrea Jones; Kathy Rose, friend of Kim Schmidt; Donald Salmon, Wendy Stephenson's brother-in-law; Gary Willis, friend of Georgeanna and **John** Wright, Chris Nooney's

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Pentecost Sunday Offering – Will be taken up today, May 24. Please note on the memo of your check "Pentecost Offering" or note on the envelope you use if giving cash.

VBS Online Registration -Is now open at:

http://www.providencepresb.org.

VBS is July 26-30 from 6:00 - 8:30 pm. Please register your children and share the link with others in the community. We look forward to having a great time at "Hometown Nazareth - learning about when Jesus was a boy".

Youth Camping at White Lake – Friday, May 29 through Sunday, May 31. Please have youth at the church to pack cars and leave at 3:30 pm on Friday, May 29.

Senior Citizen's Luncheon – The June Senior Luncheon will be June 9 at 12:00 pm at Johnson Memorial Church on Hwy 50. Please make your reservations with Kay Dry kaydry@embarqmail.com 919 639-9784 or Margie Taylor margieataylor@aol.com by Wednesday, June 3. There will not be a Senior Luncheon in July due to family vacations.

Graduate Sunday – Will be June 7. We will reserve a few pews for the families of the graduates. This includes both high school and college. If you are graduating or have graduated college this year, please let Heath White at grail74@earthlink.net or 919-612-0492.

VBS Volunteer Meeting – Sunday, June 7, immediately after church. Lunch will be provided. Please RSVP to Kristy Stephenson at clkhstep@embarqmail.com or 919-207-0111. Items needed for VBS have been posted on the bulletin board in the new building. Please check it out to see how you can help!

The Women's Connection Spiritual Retreat at Montreat will be held August 6 - 9, 2015. This year's program is, *You are Enough*. Information regarding the retreat was sent by email to the ladies of the church. If you do not have email or cannot print from email, please check the Presbyterian Women's mailbox behind the sanctuary (bottom left box) for information and registration forms.

Scheduling for New and Old Fellowship Hall – If you need to schedule use of the new or old fellowship hall please contact Kim Callis at the church office at 919-894-4063 or by email at secretary@providencepresb.org.

The Missions and Outreach Committee - Is in need of donations for the Stagecoach Manor assisted living facility. They are in need of twin fitted sheets, personal items, size 9-11 men's tennis shoes and some larger size men's clothing. Contact Margie Taylor, Carolyn Stevenson, Kelly Daniel, Donna Stolle, or Sue Bryant.

Musical Talent – We need your God given gifts! Brittany is searching for those within the congregation with musical talents who would be interested in sharing their talents with us; particularly piano talents, but we have ways of incorporating other musical gifts as well, so please don't let your instrument of choice be a factor in not coming forward. We can put your gifts to good use! Contact Brittany Jones at 910-814-7208 or blkefauver07@hotmail.com.

Donations Needed for the PPC Food Pantry - Missions & Outreach has designated the last Sunday of each month for Food Pantry donations. Non-perishable foods are accepted to stock the PPC pantry, as well as contribute to the pantry at Friendly Chapel. During non-summer months items in individual servings are also accepted for the Backpack Buddy program. That program is conducted out of Lighthouse Baptist Church. Members of PPC help with the weekly Friday a.m. delivery of donated items to McGee's Crossroads Elementary, McGee's Crossroads Middle School, and Dixon Road Elementary. This year 45-50 children weekly received food they would not have otherwise had to consume over each weekend. Your support of these programs is meeting a very real need in our community. Place donations in the designated blue barrel in the old fellowship hall. Thanks for your participation.

Pastor's Office Hours – The pastor will be in the office from 9 a.m. until noon Monday through Thursday and varying additional hours in the afternoons. All hours will be subject to pastoral demands.