

**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](http://www.providencepresb.org)*

**BAPTISM OF THE LORD  
ORDINATION & INSTALLATION OF ELDERS  
JANUARY 13, 2019**

**Welcome and Announcements**

**Prelude and Acolyte**

**Call to Worship** (from Psalm 29) Justin Wood

Leader: *The voice of the Lord – strong and mighty, powerful  
and full of majesty.*

**People:** *The voice calls to us, calling across the water.*

Leader: *The voice of the Lord breaks forth.*

**All:** *It gives us strength and blessing, causing us to  
shout, “Glory to the name of the Lord!”*

**\*Opening Hymn** “Come To The Cross” # 251

**Confession of Sin (In Unison)**

*Sometimes, God, we seem to be so all alone. Our problems  
appear insurmountable, and we cannot find the wisdom or the  
strength to solve our difficulties on our own. Open our eyes  
that we may see our foolishness, and help us to put our trust  
in you, secure in the knowledge that you have promised to be  
with us. Amen.*

**Silence for Personal Confession**

**Assurance of Forgiveness**

Leader: *In the Kingdom of God we have our assurance and  
citizenship.*

**People:** *Through Jesus Christ we have been adopted into the  
family of God!*

**\*Responsive Hymn** “Like a Mighty River Flowing” # 20

**\*Affirmation of Faith** (Back cover of Blue Hymnal)  
“The Apostle’s Creed”

**\*Passing of the Peace of Christ** (please begin the pew pads)

**Giving of His Tithes and Our Offerings**

Offertory

\*Doxology

Prayer of Dedication

Hymn #34

**Old Testament Scripture Lesson**

Isaiah 43: 1-7

**Anthem**

Providence Choir

“Come Let Us Sing To The Lord”

**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 Scripture Lesson**

Luke 3:15-71, 21, 22

**Sermon**

“You Are Mine”

Rev. Carole McCartney

**Ordination and Installation of Elders**

(Refer to insert)

**\*Dedication Hymn**

“Here I Am Lord”

# 559

**\*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 the  
Pastor – office 919-894-4063, cell# 919-264-4324, or after  
worship!



## Ministers of Providence Presbyterian Church

The People of Providence Presbyterian Church

*Pastor*

Rev. Jim Davis

*Session*

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### Class of 2018

<i>Financial</i>	<i>Congregational Care</i>	<i>Adult C.E.</i>	<i>Long Range Planning</i>
Sam Stephenson	Kent Walton	Atlee Roberts	Russell Wood

### Class of 2019

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

### Class of 2020

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

*Staff*

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*Accounting Treasurer*

Sam Stephenson

*Collections Treasurer*

Ann Benson

*Music Director/Organist/Pianist*

Brittany Jones

*Pianist*

Angie Searcy

*Website*

David Nelms

*Secretary*

Cindy Lynch

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### Weekly Statistics

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2018 General Fund Receipts through November .....	\$221,814.18
2018 General Fund Expenses through November .....	\$258,449.51
General Fund Receipts for November .....	\$18,292.26
General Fund Expenses for November .....	\$19,977.67
General Fund Receipts for December .....	\$35,382.70
General Fund Receipts for January 6 .....	\$5,144.00
Attendance for Sunday School January 6 .....	87
Attendance for Worship January 6 .....	119

**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.

## SERVICE SCHEDULE

### Assisting in Worship this Sunday:

**Elder of the Month/Greeter:** John Kopanski

**Ushers:** Kevin Creech, Ronnie Creech and John Daniel (Back)

**Acolyte:** William Stephenson

**Nursery:** Liz Annis and Carolyn Stuart

**Children's Worship:** Kristy and Chris Stephenson

**Lay Reader:** Justin Wood

**Fellowship Time:** Seekers Class

**Safety/Security:** Rick Taylor

### Assisting in Worship next Sunday, January 20

**Elder of the Month/Greeter:** John Kopanski

**Ushers:** Don Dupree, Eric Faircloth and Todd Frickman (Back)

**Acolyte:** Gavin Annis

**Nursery:** Richard and Andrea Jones

**Children's Worship:** Kristy and Chris Stephenson

**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 pm:** Worship Service  
Installation of Elders

### Weekly Events

**Jan. 14.** Stated Session Meeting 7:00 pm

**Jan. 15.** PPC Women's Circle Meetings 10:00 am & 7:00 pm

**Jan. 16.** Fellowship & Fitness Group 10:00 am  
Adult Choir Practice 7:30 pm

**Jan. 17.** Card Prep Team I LaVette Morgan's Home 1:00 pm

**Jan. 18.** Fellowship & Fitness Group 10:00 am

### Upcoming Events

**Jan. 20.** LOGOS 5:00 pm

**Jan. 21.** Martin Luther King Day – Office Closed

**Jan. 22.** Prayer Shawl Circle Meeting 10:00 am UFH

**Jan. 23.** Fellowship & Fitness Group 10:00 am  
Adult Choir Practice 7:30 pm  
Newsletter Deadline

**Jan. 25.** Fellowship & Fitness Group 10:00 am

## PRAYER LIST OF JOYS AND CONCERNS

**JOYS:** .. To each is given a gift of the Spirit .. 1 Corinthians 12

### 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 Laurels in Pineville;* **Bobbie Langdon**, at Highland Village in Cary.

#### Persons Living with Cancer, including:

**Sherry Baker**, *friend of Laura Langdon;* **Priscilla Beckwith**,  
*friend of Sandy Kopanski;* **Joanne Boyle**, *Bob Zattiero's*  
*niece;* **Lisa Bradshaw**, *member of the community;* **Jerry hall**,  
*extended family of Wendy and Sam Stephenson;* **Ann Hargis**,  
*community;* **Consuelo Hawkins**, *Joe Hawkins' mother;* **Judy**  
**Morris**, *community;* **Norman Nelms**, *brother of Tom Nelms;*  
**Randy Stephenson**, *Jon Nooney's cousin;* **Chad Talley**,  
*friend of Johns Pickens.*

#### 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;*  
**Carolyn Burns**, *Rich Lamberts sister;* **Worth Bowman**,  
*member;* **Mary Burke**, *Steve Wolak's mother;* **Emily Carr**,  
*Miriam Lambert's friend;* **Pamela Collier**, *member;* **Elise**  
**Corona**, *daughter of a friend of Sue Bryant;* **Joyce Crowson**,  
*friend of Dick Embry;* **Sandra Dail**, *friend of the church;*  
**Rev. Jim Davis**, *member;* **Wanda Johnson Dupree**, *previous*  
*member;* **Barbara Ellis**, *mother of Georgeanna Phillips;*  
**Charles (chic) and Mary Lou Folkman**, *members;* **Mike**  
**Kefauver**, *Brittany Jones' father;* **Jonathan Kershaw**,  
*member;* **Harley Kremer**, *Andrea Jones niece;* **Vic LaSaxon**,  
*Chris Nooney's brother-in-law;* **LaVette Morgan**, *member;*  
**Hubert Lipscomb**, *scout leader;* **Bill McClandless**, *friend of*  
*Bob Zattiero;* **Nancy Nelms**, *member;* **Sue Nicholson**, *Chris*  
*Nooney's sister;* **Jon Nooney**, *member;* **Ed & Lou Penny;**  
*members;* **Wanda Presnell**, *friend of Beth Wolak;* **Caleb**  
**Reese**, *cousin of Andrea Jones;* **George Roberts**, *neighbor of*  
*Steve and Eunice Newnam;* **Kathy Rose**, *friend of Kim*  
*Schmidt;* **Ann King Stephenson**, *member;* **Beth Wolak**,  
*member;* **John Wright**, *Chris Nooney's father and Eva*  
**Younts**, *Nadine Reed's Aunt.*

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

**Postponement of Early Service Kick-Off** - Session received notice this week, from the pianist we had secured to play at our upcoming early service; he is now unable to serve. Circumstances have changed for his family such that he had to bow out. Given this development, along with Pastor Jim's unknown health status, Session is postponing the implementation of the proposed early service. A future kick-off date will be determined by Session as we continue to monitor conditions that impact that additional service. Stay tuned for updates.

**Youth "Souper Bowl" Fundraiser – Sunday, Feb 3, 2019.** Please join us in the fellowship hall after Worship Service on Feb 3, 2019 for soup and sandwiches. The youth will be collecting donations to be used in a mission project. We are still working on what cause we will be donating to, and it will be announced by next Sunday.  
Thank you for supporting our PPC Youth.

**Ms. Virginia More's updated address is:**

The Laurels  
13180 Dorman Road  
Apt. #D, 103 A  
Pineville, NC 28134

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

**Church Newsletter** – The January 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.

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

## *Announcements Continued*

**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.**

**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.**

## INSTALLATION OF ELDERS

### PRESENTATION

Pastor: There are a variety of gifts, but it is the same Spirit who gives them.

**People: There are different ways of serving God, but it is the same Lord who is served.**

Pastor: God works through each person in a unique way, but it is God's purpose that is accomplished.

**People: To each is given a gift of the Spirit to be used for the common good, and**

**ALL: together, we are the body of Christ, and individually members of it.**

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### STATEMENT ON ORDINATION AND INSTALLATION

Pastor: We are all called into the church of Jesus Christ by baptism, and marked as Christ's own by the Holy Spirit. This is our common calling, to be disciples and servants of our servant Lord. Within the community of the church, some are called to different areas of service in a particular church. In baptism, **Carolyn Johnson, Jonathan Kershaw, Scott Martin, and Sam Stephenson** were clothed with Christ, and are now called by God through the voice of the church to enter into ministries of grace and service as elder, announcing in word and deed the love of Jesus Christ.

CLERK: Representing the one, holy, catholic, and apostolic church, the session of Providence Presbyterian Church now installs **Sam Stephenson and ordains and installs Carolyn Johnson, Jonathan Kershaw, and Scott Martin** to active service.

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### AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

With the whole church, let us stand and confess our faith.

Do you believe in God the Father?

**I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth.**

Do you believe in Jesus Christ, the Son of God?

**I believe in Jesus Christ, God's only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the power of Holy Spirit, and born of the Virgin Mary. He suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried; he descended into Hell. On the third day he rose again; he ascended into heaven, he is seated at the right hand of the Father, and he will come to judge the living and the dead.**

Do you believe in the Holy Spirit?

**I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy Catholic Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.**

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### CONSTITUTIONAL QUESTIONS

Do you trust in Jesus Christ as your Savior, acknowledge him Lord of all and Head of the Church, and through him believe in one God, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit?

**I do.**

Do you accept the Scriptures of the Old and New Testaments to be, by the Holy Spirit, the unique and authoritative witness to Jesus Christ in the Church universal, and God's Word to you?

**I do.**

Do you sincerely receive and adopt the essential tenets of the Reformed faith as expressed in the confessions of our church as authentic and reliable expositions of what Scripture leads us to believe and do, and will you be instructed and led by those confessions as you lead the people of God?

**I do and I will.**

Will you fulfill your office in obedience to Jesus Christ, under the authority of Scripture, and be continually guided by our confessions?

**I will.**

Will you be governed by our church's polity, and will you abide by its discipline? Will you be a friend among your colleagues in ministry, working with them, subject to the ordering of God's Word and Spirit?

**I will.**

Will you in your own life seek to follow the Lord Jesus Christ, love your neighbors, and work for the reconciliation of the world?

**I will.**

Do you promise to further the peace, unity, and purity of the church?

**I do.**

Will you seek to serve the people with energy, intelligence, imagination, and love?

**I will.**

Will you be a faithful elder, watching over the people, providing for their worship, nurture, and service? Will you share in government and discipline, serving in governing bodies of the church, and in your ministry will you try to show the love and justice of Jesus Christ?

**I will.**

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### CONGREGATIONAL QUESTIONS

CLERK: Do we, the members of the church, accept **Carolyn Johnson, Jonathan Kershaw, Scott Martin and Sam Stephenson** as Ruling Elders, chosen by God through the voice of this congregation to lead us in the way of Jesus Christ?

**We do.**

CLERK: Do we agree to encourage them, to respect their decisions, and to follow as they guide us, serving Jesus Christ who alone is Head of the Church?

**We do.**

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### PRAYER AND LAYING ON OF HANDS

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### DECLARATION OF ORDINATION AND INSTALLATION