

**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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**TRANSFIGURATION OF THE LORD  
MARCH 3, 2019**

**Welcome and Announcements**

**Prelude and Acolyte**

**Call to Worship** (from Psalm 25) Wendy Stephenson

Leader: *Good and upright is the Lord; therefore He instructs sinners in the way.*

**People:** *He leads the humble in what is right,*

Leader: *to you, O LORD, I lift up my soul.*

**People:** *Oh my God, in you I trust*

Leader: *Lead me in Your truth, and teach me,*

**People:** *for You are the God of my salvation*

Leader: *and teaches the humble His way.*

**All:** *All the paths of the Lord are steadfast love and faithfulness, for those who keep His covenant and His decrees. Praise the LORD!*

**\*Opening Hymn # 25**  
"Let All Creation Bless The Lord"

**Confession of Sin (In Unison)**

*God of unimaginable Grace, against You we have sinned and done what is evil in your sight. You desire love to fill our inward being; therefore transform our hearts and anoint us with oil, and we shall be clean. Help us to serve with cheerful hearts and without hesitation or complaint. O LORD God, create in us a clean heart and put a new and right spirit within us. 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: *Brothers and sisters, we are transformed through Christ, the Son of God.*

**People:** *Christ is the foundation of our salvation, in Him we are truly forgiven!*

**\*Responsive Hymn "Lord of the Dance" # 118**

**\*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**

*Hymn #34*

**Prayer of Dedication**

**Old Testament Scripture Lesson Ecclesiastes 3:1-8**

**Anthem "No Other Name But Jesus" 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 Scripture Lesson 2 Corinthians 3:17-18**

**Sermon**

Rev. Jim Davis

"Transfiguration and Transformation"

**\*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, 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!

<sup>23</sup> Jesus answered him, "Those who love me will keep my word, and my Father will love them, and we will come to them and make our home with them. <sup>24</sup> Whoever does not love me does not keep my words; and the word that you hear is not mine, but is from the Father who sent me. <sup>25</sup> "I have said these things to you while I am still with you. <sup>26</sup> But the Advocate, the Holy Spirit, whom the Father will send in my name, will teach you everything, and remind you of all that I have said to you. <sup>27</sup> Peace I leave with you; my peace I give to you. I do not give to you as the world gives. Do not let your hearts be troubled, and do not let them be afraid. <sup>28</sup> You heard me say to you, 'I am going away, and I am coming to you.' If you loved me, you would rejoice that I am going to the Father, because the Father is greater than I. **John 14:23-28**

## Ministers of Providence Presbyterian Church

The People of Providence Presbyterian Church

*Pastor*

Rev. Jim Davis

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### 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>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

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### 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 January .....	\$20,130.52
2019 General Fund Expenses through January .....	\$25,866.72
General Fund Receipts for January .....	\$20,130.52
General Fund Expenses for January .....	\$25,866.72
General Fund Receipts so far for February .....	\$19,534.66
General Fund Receipts for February 24 .....	\$5,140.08
Attendance for Sunday School February 24.....	ND
Attendance for Worship February 24.....	104

**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:** Donna Stolle

**Ushers:** David Collier, Kevin Creech, and Ronnie Creech (Back)

**Acolyte:** Meadow Creech

**Nursery:** Jennifer Crocker and Roger Gilbert

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

**Lay Reader:** Wendy Stephenson

**Fellowship Time:** Young Adults Class

**Safety/Security:** David Collier

### Assisting in Worship next Sunday, March 10

**Elder of the Month/Greeter:** Donna Stolle

**Ushers:** John Daniel, Don Dupree, and Eric Faircloth (Back)

**Acolyte:** Connor Frickman

**Nursery:** Stephanie and Rob Wood

**Children's Worship:** Annah and Kevin Creech

**Lay Reader:** Beth Wolak

**Fellowship Time:** Seekers Class

**Safety/Security:** David Collier

## CHURCH CALENDAR

### Today at Providence

**9:45 am:** Sunday School

**10:25 am:** Fellowship Time

**11:00 am:** Worship Service

Fellowship Comm. Mtg. after Service

**5:00 pm:** LOGOS

### Weekly Events

**Mar. 4.** Congregational Care Mtg. 10:00 am

**Mar. 5.** Card Ministry 10:00 am UFH

Long Range Planning Comm. 7:00 pm

**Mar. 6.** Fellowship & Fitness Group 10:00 am

Ash Wednesday Service 7:30 pm

**Mar. 7.** PW Coord. Team Mtg./CP&SA 7:00 pm

**Mar. 8.** No activities scheduled due to floor waxing

### Upcoming Events

**Mar. 10.** First Sunday in Lent

**Mar. 11.** CP&SA Preparations at various times all week

Stated Session Meeting 7:00 pm

**Mar. 12.** Senior Citizen Luncheon 12 Noon at Pleasant Grove

M&O Universal Health Care Visit 1:00 pm

**Mar. 13.** Adult Choir Practice 7:30 pm

**Mar. 15.** CP&SA Fundraiser, 11:00 am – 7:00 pm

## PRAYER LIST OF JOYS AND CONCERNS

**JOYS:** He has made everything beautiful in its time.

Ecclesiastes 3:11

### 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; **Sherri Cox**, friend of

*Carolyn Johnson;* **Frances Elkins**, *Margie Taylor's mother;*

**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 *John 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;* **Larry Creech**, *Father of Kevin Creech;* **Pamela Collier**,

member; **Elise Corona**, daughter of a friend of *Sue Bryant;* **Joyce**

**Crowson**, friend of *Dick Embry;* **Sandra Dail**, friend of the

*church;* **Brenda Dupree**, mother of *Amy Dupree;* **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;* **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;

**John Wright**, *Chris Nooney's father and*

*Eva Younts, Nadine Reed's Aunt.*

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

**Fellowship Committee Meeting Today, after Service - Brief meeting after church today, Sunday, March 3** in the Seekers classroom. We welcome new members, if you have interest and want more information on this committee take a few moments to attend this meeting. Questions, Jonathan Kershaw 919-639-0447 or jlucas222@gmail.com

**Long Range Planning Meeting - Tuesday, March 5 at 7:00 pm in the Seekers Class Room.** Anyone interested in serving on this committee is welcome. Contact Scott Martin with any questions at 19smartin 69@gmail.com or call 919-427-3339.

**Reminder: March 8 floor maintenance** and request of no activities on any of the tile areas that day.

**The Senior Luncheon will be held on March 12 at noon at Pleasant Grove Missionary Baptist Church.** If you are going, please let Margie Taylor (919-207-0149 or [margieataylor@aol.com](mailto:margieataylor@aol.com)) know by Wednesday, March 6 so that they can plan for the cooks.

**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. **We will NOT be meeting Friday, March 8th** due to floor maintenance. **We will Not be meeting** the week of the CP&SA Fund Raiser on **Wednesday, March 13th and Friday, March 15th.** All are welcome!

**Parents, please makes sure that you have signed your children in before leaving them in the Nursery.** For safety reasons and concern for our children, we ask that only the parents and scheduled Nursery volunteers be allowed in the Nursery with the children during the Worship Hour. The doors are secured once the service begins and should remain secured until parents come to pick up their children. During the Worship Hour, nursery care is for ages birth to 4 years old. *Vickie Faircloth, CCE Elder 919-902-1407*

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

**CP&SA Is only two weeks away!** – Sign-up sheets will be available in the UFH, through the day of the fundraiser. We still have openings at different stations, for however many hours you can serve. We'd also appreciate donation of materials towards the Bake Sale, Silent Auction and Fixed-Price Sale segments of this fundraiser. Net proceeds will support PPC ministries and Presbyterian Women sponsored ministries. Questions? Contact co-chairs Carole Kershaw (919-639-0447) or Arline Mott (919-902-2060).

**Attention all Bakers and Makers!** Tasty delights needed for CP&SA! Carolyn Stevenson is coordinating the Bake Sale preparations. We gladly accept and appreciate your choice; pies, cakes, cookies, candy, snacks, jelly, pickles, nuts, etc.! Labels will be provided for you to add your name, your item name and the price. Thank you all!

**CP&SA Needs More Silent Auction Items – They** may be brought to the choir room through Sunday, **March 10.** Preparation is led by Sue Bryant, Elaine Wood and Stephanie Wood.

**CP&SA Sponsorships** - Deadline for getting your business, or a friend's business included in this year's advertising is Sunday, March 10. Sponsorships are \$100.00; you get 4 meal tickets, inclusion on the flier in the to-go bags, as well as display on the tables in the dining hall. This also includes a large display in the foyer where the Bake Sale, Silent Auction and Fixed-Price Sales will take place. See Kay Dry for sponsor forms, instructions and green sponsor tickets or call 919-639-9784. Thank you to all the businesses that support our fundraising efforts!

**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 March 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.**