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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

SECOND SUNDAY IN LENT MARCH 17, 2019

Welcome and Announcements

Prelude and Acolyte

Call to Worship (from Psalm 68) Jeff Wood

Leader: Blessed be the Lord, who daily bears us up.

People: God is our salvation.

Leader: Our God is a God of salvation.

People: Sing to God, O kingdoms of the earth; sing praises

to the Lord.

Leader: God sends out his voice, his mighty voice.

People: Ascribe power to God, whose majesty is over

Israel.

Leader: Awesome is God in His sanctuary, the God of

Israel.

People: He gives power and strength to his people.

All: Let us worship the LORD our God!

*Opening Hymn #80
"He's Got the Whole World in His Hands"

Confession of Sin (In Unison)

O Lord God our Redeemer, have mercy upon us as we confess our sins. We often avoid those encounters that will cause us discomfort. It is easier to hide from distress than to be exposed to forms of misery and grief. Help us trust in Jesus Christ who calls us to bear the gospel into the world with all the children of God. Forgive our weaknesses and help us to be faithful to Your plan and not ours.

Silence for Personal Confession

Assurance of Forgiveness

Leader: Christ is our peace who reconciles us to God in one

body through the cross.

People: In the name of Jesus, the risen Christ, we are forgiven, Amen!

*Responsive Hymn #88
"Lord, I Lift Your Name on High"

*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

First Scripture Lesson Matthew 27:27-34

Anthem "Look to the Cross" Providence Choir

Musical Interlude for Children's Worship

(Children ages 4 thru 5th grade led by Liz Annis)

Morning Prayers and The Lord's Prayer

Second Scripture Lesson Galatians 6:1-7

Sermon "Fulfilling the Law of Christ" Rev. Jim Davis

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*Dedication Hymn

"Take My Life and Let It Be"

*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!

March Scripture Passage

²³ 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. ²⁴ 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. ²⁵ "I have said these things to you while I am still with you. ²⁶ 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. ²⁷ 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. ²⁸ 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

Class of 2019

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

Class of 2020

Adult C.E. Personnel Youth C.E. Property
David Collier Cathy Simmons Kevin Creech Steve Newnam

Class of 2021

Financial Congregational Care Fellowship Long Range Planning
Sam Stephenson Carolyn Johnson Jonathan Kershaw Scott Martin

Staff

Accounting Treasurer
Wendy Stephenson

Music Director/Organist/Pianist
Brittany Jones

Secretary
Cindy Lynch

Collections Treasurer
Ann Benson

Pianist
Angie Searcy
Website
David Nelms

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Weekly Statistics

2019 General Fund Receipts through February	\$40,003.51
2019 General Fund Expenses through February	\$48,171.32
General Fund Receipts for February	\$19,872.99
General Fund Expenses for February	\$22,304.60
General Fund Receipts so far for March	\$12,231.72
General Fund Receipts for March 10	\$5,377.72
Attendance for Sunday School March 10	54
Attendance for Worship March 10	77
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<u>Pastor's Office Hours</u> – 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.

<u>Secretary's Office Hours</u> – 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: Todd Frickman, Richard Jones and John Kopanski (Back)

Acolyte: Hannibal Langdon

Nursery: Allison and Ryan Nelms

Children's Worship: Liz Annis and Jennifer Crocker

Lay Reader: Jeff Wood

Fellowship Time: Nesselrodt Class **Safety/Security:** David Collier

Assisting in Worship next Sunday, March 24

Elder of the Month/Greeter: Donna Stolle

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

Acolyte: Landon Gilbert

Nursery: Kristy and Chris Stephenson

Children's Worship: Allison and Ryan Nelms

Lay Reader: Justin Wood

Fellowship Time: Fellowship Committee

Safety/Security: David Collier

CHURCH CALENDAR

Today at Providence

9:45 am: Sunday School 10:25 am: Fellowship Time 11:00 am: Worship Service

5:00 pm: LOGOS

Weekly Events

Mar. 18. Personnel Comm. Mtg. 7:00 pm

Mar. 19. Presbyterian Women Circles Meet 10 am and 7 pm

Mar. 20. Fellowship & Fitness Group 10:00 am Adult choir Rehearsal 7:30 pm

Mar. 21. Card Prep Team III, at LaVette's Home 1:00 pm

Mar. 22. Fellowship & Fitness Group 10:00 am

Mar. 23. Newsletter Deadline

Upcoming Events

Mar. 24. Third Sunday in Lent

Mar. 25. Mission & Outreach Comm. Mtg. 11:00 am

Mar. 26. Prayer Shawl Circle 10:00 am UFH

Mar. 27. Fellowship & Fitness Group 10:00 am Adult choir Rehearsal 7:30 pm

Mar. 29. Fellowship & Fitness Group 10:00 am

PRAYER LIST OF JOYS AND CONCERNS

JOYS: He gives us beauty from ashes! Isaiah 61:3 **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; 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; Jamie Harris, friend of Andrea Jones; David Ryan, coworker of John Pickens; Abby Stanley, coworker of John Pickens; Randy Stephenson, Jon Nooney's cousin.

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; Harley Kremer, Andrea Jones niece: Vic LaSaxon, Chris Noonev'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; John Harris; friend of Andrea Jones; 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

Women's April Outing: Come join us for Movie Day:

"Unbroken: Path to Redemption (Part 2)" Saturday, April 6 at 1:00 pm in Providence Youth Center. Part 2 picks up where Unbroken ended, with Louis "Louie" Zamperini returning home after World War II as a hero. Haunted by nightmares of his torment, Louie sees himself as anything but heroic. Suffering constant nightmares, angry, bitter and deeply depressed, his wife convinces Zamperini to attend the 1949 Billy Graham Crusade. Little did Zamperini know that God had plans for his life! This movie is based on a true story. Popcorn provided! Please let Cathy Simmons know if you plan to come. Email cesimmons112@gmail.com or call 919-275-4399.

Cub Scout Pack 210 and Boy Scouts Troop 210 Annual Spaghetti Fundraiser. Friday, April 12th from 11 am - 7 pm. Please mark your calendar. \$8/plate. For questions contact Eric Faircloth at 919-201-2696.

Youth Campout: Middle/High Schoolers, April 27th - 28th at Jordan Lake. For details contact Eric Faircloth (919-201-2696).

The Congregational Care Committee Invites You!

The Congregational Care committee is inviting all members to join our committee if you have an interest in this area. Also, if you have suggestions for the Congregational Care Committee please send them to the committee through Carolyn Johnson at 919-880-1272 or email at cmoorejohnson2012@gmail.com

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!

Parents, please make 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 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 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.