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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 GRADUATE RECOGNITION SUNDAY JUNE 9, 2019

Welcome and Announcements

Prelude and Acolyte

- Call to Worship (from Psalm 138) David Collier
 Leader: I give You thanks, O LORD, with my whole heart.
 People: I bow down toward Your holy temple.
 Leader: I give thanks for Your steadfast love and Your faithfulness.
 People: You have exalted Your name and Your word above everything.
 Leader: You increase my strength of soul.
 People: For great is the glory of the LORD.
 Leader: Though I walk in the midst of trouble, You preserve me.
 People: You stretch out your hand, and Your right hand
- delivers me. All: Your steadfast love, O LORD, endures forever. Let us worship our Lord God. Amen!

*Opening Hymn "Morning Has Broken" # 35

Confession of Sin (In Unison)

Merciful and Loving God, whose steadfast love is the foundation of all things, hear our humble prayers as we confess our iniquities. Speak to our hearts that we might fully know Your awesome presence in our lives. Forgive us O Lord, we fill our lives with the things of this world, help us set our minds toward You; we seek refuge in the temporary and fleeting, lead us to Your dwelling place so that we may have eternal life given through Jesus Christ.

Silence for Personal Confession

Assurance of Forgiveness

Leader: As God sends the Holy Spirit to sing to our hearts, so we sing to God as long as we live;People: We rejoice in the hope of Jesus Christ through whom we are forgiven. Amen!

*Responsive Hymn	"Thy Word"	# 664
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*Affirmation of Faith "The Apostle's Creed" (Back cover of 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	

Recognition of the Graduates (see insert)

Old Testament Scripture	Joel 2:26-32
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Anthem "Canon of Praise" Providence Choir

Morning Prayers and The Lord's Prayer

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- Sermon "Power of the Holy Spirit" Rev. Jim Davis
- *Dedication Hymn "Shine Jesus Shine" # 319

*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!

June Scripture Passage

²² By contrast, the fruit of the Spirit is love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, generosity, faithfulness, ²³ gentleness, and self-control. There is no law against such things. ²⁴ And those who belong to Christ Jesus have crucified the flesh with its passions and desires. ²⁵ If we live by the Spirit, let us also be guided by the Spirit. ²⁶ Let us not become conceited, competing against one another, envying one another. Galatians 5:22-26

Ministers of Providence Presbyterian Church

The People of Providence Presbyterian Church

Pastor Rev. Jim Davis

Session

<u>Class of 2019</u>

Children C.E.Mission & OutreachWorshipClerkVickie FairclothJohn KopanskiDonna StolleMary Ann Booth

Class of 2020

 Adult C.E.
 Personnel
 Youth C.E.
 Property

 David Collier
 Cathy Simmons
 Kevin Creech
 Steve Newnam

Class of 2021

FinancialCongregational CareFellowshipLong Range PlanningSam StephensonCarolyn JohnsonJonathan KershawScott Martin

Staff

Accounting Treasurer	Collections Treasurer
Wendy Stephenson	Ann Benson
Music Director/Organist/Pianist	<i>Pianist</i>
Brittany Jones	Angie Searcy
Secretary	<i>Website</i>
Cindy Lynch	David Nelms

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Weekly Statistics		
2019 General Fund Receipts through April	\$81,149.49	
2019 General Fund Expenses through April	\$94,874.30	
General Fund Receipts for April	\$18,473.32	
General Fund Expenses for April	\$21,114.11	
General Fund Receipts so far for May	\$22,712.18	
General Fund Receipts for June 2	4,937.38	
Attendance for Sunday School June 2	64	
Attendance for Worship June 2		

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: Vickie Faircloth Ushers: Jimmy Stuart, Rick Taylor and Jeff Wood (Back) Acolyte: Gavin Annis Nursery: Andrea and Richard Jones Children's Worship: Liz Annis and Jennifer Crocker Gilbert Lay Reader: David Collier Fellowship Time: Seekers Class Safety/Security: Kent Walton

Assisting in Worship next Sunday, June 16

Elder of the Month/Greeter: Vickie Faircloth Ushers: Johnny Wood, Riley Wood and Pete Booth (Back) Acolyte: Landon Gilbert Nursery: Kristy and Chris Stephenson Children's Worship: Barri Martin and Scott Martin Lay Reader: Kevin Creech Fellowship Time: Nesselrodt Class Safety/Security: Kent Walton

CHURCH CALENDAR

Today at Providence9:45 am:Sunday School10:25 am:Fellowship Time11:00 am:Worship Service12:00 pm:Town Hall Meeting after Worship Service

Weekly Events:

June 10. Session Meeting 7:00 pm

- June 11. Senior Citizens Luncheon, PPC 12:00 Noon UFH M&O Universal Visit 1:00 pm
- June 12. Fellowship & Fitness Group 10:00 am Congregational Care Committee Meet 1:00, UFH Adult Choir Practice 7:30 pm
- June 14. Fellowship & Fitness Group 10:00 am

Upcoming Events

- June 16. Trinity Sunday Father's Day
- June 17. Personnel Committee Meet 7:00 Seekers Room
- June 19. Fellowship & Fitness Group 10:00 am Adult Choir Practice 7:30 pm
- June 20. Card Prep Team III, LaVette's Home 1:00
- June 21. Fellowship & Fitness Group 10:00 Newsletter deadline

PRAYER LIST OF JOYS AND CONCERNS

JOYS: ... I am with you always ... Matthew 28:20

<u>CONCERNS</u>: Please be in prayer for Jamone Johnson who will be having hip replacement surgery Wednesday, June 12.

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; Earl Guss, cousin of Andrea Jones; Jerry Hall, extended family of Wendy Stephenson; Ann Hargis, community; Consuelo Hawkins, Joe Hawkins' mother; Tracey McSwain, neighbor of Steve and Eunice Newnam; Judy Morris, community; Ricky Mulcahy, nephew of Patsy Bowman; 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; Debbie Sturgis, member.

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; 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; Sandra Dail, friend of the church; Wanda Johnson Dupree, previous member; Barbara Ellis, mother of Georgeanna Phillips; Charles (Chic) and Mary Lou Folkman, friends of Providence; John Harris; friend of Andrea Jones; Brian Johnson, cousin of Don Dupree; Jamone Johnson; friend of church; Mike Kefauver, Brittany Jones' father; 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; Ginny Parker, friend of the church; Ed & Lou Penny; members; Wanda Presnell, friend of Beth Wolak; Caleb Reese, cousin of Andrea Jones: Stephen Southers, community; Ann King Stephenson, member; John Wright, Chris Nooney's father and Eva Younts, Nadine Reed's Aunt.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Town Hall Meeting Today - The Session and Special Committee of the Congregation (SCC) invite you to be present for a Town Hall meeting today, **Sunday, June 9, 2019**, immediately following the worship service. The purpose of the meeting is to review the Terms of Dismissal from New Hope Presbytery and the PC (USA) denomination. The SCC members will share with you the events of the last month that led to the conclusion of negotiations. They will walk you through the Terms and together with the Session will endeavor to answer all of your questions.

Congregational Meeting and Vote on Terms of Dismissal - The Session has called for a Congregational Meeting on **Sunday, June 23, 2019**, immediately following the worship service. The purpose of the meeting is to vote on the Terms of Dismissal from New Hope Presbytery and the PC(USA) denomination. We require a minimum of 50% of all members to be on hand. Please plan to stay after worship on the 23rd for this critical vote on the future of Providence.

The Congregational Care Committee Meeting is rescheduled for Wed., June 12, 2019 at 1 pm in the UFH.

Senior Luncheon – Tuesday, June 11 at Providence, 12 noon in the UFH.

Planning is underway for Providence's VBS and we need YOUR help! Mark your calendar for Sunday, July 28th through Thursday, Aug 1st and volunteer for ROAR, where kids will learn that though life gets wild –GOD IS GOOD! Sign up electronically at <u>http://bit.ly/PPCVBS2019</u>

Registration for this year's VBS ROAR is now open at www.providencepresb.org. VBS is for children ages 3 through middle school. Adult Bible Study is offered as well! All are welcome!

A list of items needed for VBS has been placed on the bulletin board. Check it out! If you are able to donate any of the items listed, please bring by July 7th. This year's theme is Safari based - we will need lots of greenery and large stuffed animals or yard art that is safari related (elephants, giraffes, etc). These items will be returned -please label all items.

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. Meetings are Wednesday & Friday, 10:00 am in the UFH. All are welcome!

Congratulations to The PPC Men's Softball Team for winning 1st Place Trophy in the Regular Season Games and working hard in the tournament!! Well done gentlemen!

Men's Fellowship Group Assistance: Small chores & household assistance is available by the Men's Fellowship Group. To schedule, contact Pastor Jim Davis or the Secretary with your needs.

The Congregational Care Committee supplies Prayer Shawls for anyone who may be in need of physical warmth during the Worship Service. The shawls are located in a basket in the Narthex. * *After the service, please leave the used shawl on the end of the pew - they are cleaned after each use.*

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

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 June 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.