

**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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SECOND SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

JUNE 23, 2019

*Flowers are given today to the glory of God and in celebration
of the 65th Wedding Anniversary of Jim and Jane Lewis by John
and Beth Pickens*

Welcome and Announcements

Prelude and Acolyte

Call to Worship Kevin Creech
Leader: Friends in Christ, gathered for worship, what
commandment is first of all?

People: *You shall love the Lord your God with all your
heart, and with all your soul, and with all your
mind, and with all your strength.*

Leader: And what is the second great commandment?

People: *You shall love your neighbor as yourself; no other
commandments are greater than these.*

Leader: And the love of God is this: That we obey his
commandments, for his commandments are not
burdensome.

All: *Praise the Lord!*

***Opening Hymn** "Oh, How I Love Jesus" # 109

Confession of Sin (In Unison)

*God of our hearts, we confess that we are a lost and
broken people who far too often spend our lives chasing
things that don't matter. We tend to go our own way, have
our own agendas, and play by the rules we like and have
created. Forgive our foolish pride, we pray. Forgive us for
living like we don't need you. Though we lose our way, you
come searching for us; though we are frail and broken, you
put us back together. Thank you for your amazing and
sufficient grace. May we rest secure, knowing that in you, we
are forever found. We pray in the name of Jesus, our Friend
and Redeemer. Amen.*

Silence for Personal Confession

Assurance of Forgiveness

Leader: Friends in Christ: Not one of us can have a better
past, but through Christ Jesus, we are offered a new
future, a new day, a new beginning. Together, let us
affirm this Good News and be at peace

People: *"Anyone in Christ is a new creature altogether,
the old is past, and the new has begun. Thanks be
to God!"*

***Responsive Hymn** # 356

"I Will Sing Of My Redeemer"

***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

First Scripture Reading

Mark 12:28-34

Special

"Give Me Jesus"

Brittany Jones

Musical Interlude for Children's Worship

(Children ages 4 thru 5th grade led by Allison Nelms)

Morning Prayers and The Lord's Prayer

Second Scripture Reading

John 13:31-35

Sermon

"By this Everyone Will Know"

Dr. Robert C. Evans, III

***Dedication Hymn**

595

"They'll Know We Are Christians"

***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

Class of 2019

<i>Children C.E.</i>	<i>Mission & 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

Staff

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

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Weekly Statistics

2019 General Fund Receipts through May.....	\$112,968.31
2019 General Fund Expenses through May	\$117,267.35
General Fund Receipts for May	\$31,818.82
General Fund Expenses for May	\$22,393.05
General Fund Receipts so far for June	\$15,477.22
General Fund Receipts for June 16	3,716.02
Attendance for Sunday School June 16.....	60
Attendance for Worship June 16.....	93

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: David Collier, Scott Martin and Bob Stolle (Back)
Acolyte: Phoebe Creech
Nursery: Elaine Wood and Grace Martin
Children's Worship: Allison and Ryan Nelms
Lay Reader: Kevin Creech
Fellowship Time: Fellowship Committee
Safety/Security: Kent Walton

Assisting in Worship next Sunday, June 30

Elder of the Month/Greeter: Vickie Faircloth
Ushers: John Daniel, Ronnie Creech and Eric Faircloth (Back)
Acolyte: Joey Crocker
Nursery: Ryan and Allison Nelms
Children's Worship: Kristy and Chris Stephenson
Lay Reader: Doug Sonderfan
Fellowship Time: Encouragers Class
Safety/Security: Kent Walton

CHURCH CALENDAR

Today at Providence

9:45 am: Sunday School
10:25 am: Fellowship Time
11:00 am: Worship Service
 Guest Speaker
12:00 am: Congregational Meeting and Vote after Service

Weekly Events:

June 24. M&O Committee Meet 11:00 am
June 26. Fellowship & Fitness Group 10:00 am
 Adult Choir Practice 7:30 pm
June 28. Fellowship & Fitness Group 10:00 am

Upcoming Events

June 30. Third Sunday after Pentecost
 Guest Speaker
 Rev. Jim Davis on vacation through July 5
July 2. Card Ministry 10:00 am UFH
July 4. Independence Day, Office Closed

PRAYER LIST OF JOYS AND CONCERNS

JOYS: ... Christ lives in me ... Galatians 2:20

CONCERNS: Please be in prayer for the family of Katherine Walton Pope, Aunt of Kent Walton. Mrs. Pope passed away peacefully this past Monday at the age of 74.

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;* **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; **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

Meet Our Guest Speaker - Please welcome the Rev. Dr. Robert C. Evans, III (Rob) as our preacher today. Not only will he share the message with us from the pulpit this week, he will also moderate the meeting being held in the Upper Fellowship Hall directly after the 11:00am worship service.

Rob resides in Knightdale and is honorably retired. He is a Raleigh native; after being gone over 40 years he returned "home" in 2017 to be nearer his son, daughter-in-law, and grandchildren. He is a graduate of NC State University, Union Presbyterian Seminary, and served churches in Fayetteville, North Wilkesboro, and Greensboro, NC, as well as in Virginia Beach, VA. He played football at NCSU, enjoys all college sports, golf, fishing, and gardening. Some of you might recall that in the mid-1980's, Rob preached a couple of Fall Revivals at Providence.

Welcome Dr. Evans, and thank you for being with us today!

Today

Congregational Meeting to Vote on Terms of Dismissal

The Session has called a Congregational Meeting for today, **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 active members to be on hand. Please plan to stay after worship for this critical vote on the future of Providence. We will meet in the Upper Fellowship Hall.

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 although life gets wild, GOD IS GOOD! Sign up electronically at <http://bit.ly/PPCVBS2019>

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 and Friday, 10:00 am in the UFH. All are welcome!

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 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

Reminder – Please email ppchurchsecretary@gmail.com if you need to:

- Add or remove anyone from the prayer list
- Schedule use of the UFH or LFH
- Update the Directory for a change of address, phone number or email

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.