

**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 worshipping 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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**SUNDAY WORSHIP
NOVEMBER 15, 2020
HARVEST SUNDAY**

*The flowers are given to the glory of God by
Dick and Pat Embry.*

Welcome and Announcements

Prelude and Acolyte

****Call to Worship**

***Opening Hymn # 657
** "He Has Made Me Glad"**

****Prayer of Confession (In Unison)**

Silence for Personal Confession

****Assurance of Forgiveness (Proverbs 16:5-6)**

***Responsive Hymn # 656
** "Open the Eyes of My Heart"**

**Children's Talk Doug Sonderfan
(Children are dismissed to Sunday School after Children's Talk.)**

***Affirmation of Faith ** "The Apostle's Creed"**

Prayer of Dedication for His Tithes and Our Offering

(The offering plates are available at the doors entering worship before and after; for the collection of tithes and offering donations.)

*** **Doxology**

Morning Prayers and The Lord's Prayer

Scripture Reading Philippians 4:10-19

Sermon "Blessed by Giving" Rev. Nadia Stropich

***Dedication Hymn # 393
** "Blest Be the Tie That Binds"**

***Acolyte and Benediction**

Postlude

**Signifies Congregation to Stand*

***Signifies to please see the overhead screen*

Please remain seated to be dismissed by an usher after the benediction and proceed outside for any gatherings to ensure the social distancing safety of all. Thank you.

For safety/security, no exterior doors will be propped open during service and all doors will be locked during the 11:00am service.

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.

Parents, the nursery is available but we do request a parent stay with their child as we do not yet have attendants. Thank you.

SERVICE SCHEDULE

Assisting in Worship This Sunday:

Acolyte: Madelyn Stropich

Children's Talk: Doug Sonderfan

Elder of the Month: Vickie Faircloth

Greeters: Session

Security: Kent Walton

Ushers: Session

Assisting in Worship Next Sunday, November 22:

Acolyte: Meadow Creech

Children's Talk: Annah Creech

Elder of the Month: Vickie Faircloth

Greeters: Session

Security: Kent Walton

Ushers: Session

Weekly Statistics

2020 General Fund Receipts through October.....	\$266,034.37
2020 General Fund Expenses through October	\$259,959.01
General Fund Receipts for October	\$35,488.00
General Fund Expenses for October	\$25,202.20
General Fund Receipts so far for November	\$8,620.00
General Fund Receipts for November 8	\$3,530.00
Homecoming Receipts so far	\$30,320.00
Attendance for Worship November 8	62

Church Office Hours: Monday - Friday 9am-1pm

Pastor's Office Hours: Monday - Thursday 9am-1pm with varying additional hours in afternoon. Pastor can be reached after hours at: 937-903-9487.

Ministers of Providence Presbyterian Church

Reverend
Nadia Stropich

Session

Class of 2020

<i>Christian Education</i>	<i>Personnel</i>	<i>Property</i>
Kevin Creech	David Collier	Steve Newnam

Class of 2021

<i>Congregational Care</i>	<i>Financial</i>	<i>Long Range Planning</i>
Carolyn Johnson	Sam Stephenson	Scott Martin

Class of 2022

<i>Fellowship</i>	<i>Mission & Outreach</i>	<i>Worship</i>
Donna Stolle	John Kopanski	Vickie Faircloth

Accounting Treasurer
Sam Stephenson

Clerk
Mary Ann Booth

Collections Treasurer
Ann Benson

Music Director/Organist/Pianist
Brittany Jones

Pianist
Angie Searcy

Secretary
Cindy Lynch

Sunday School Superintendent
Kristy Stephenson

Website
David Nelms

CHURCH CALENDAR

Today at Providence:

11:00 am: Sunday Worship Service
Harvest Day Sunday
Meeting after Worship for 2021 Budget Review

6:00 pm: Youth Meet LFH

Weekly Events:

Nov. 18. Virtual Choir Practice 7:30 pm

Upcoming Events:

Nov. 22. Sunday Worship Service
Stewardship Sunday
Youth Meet LFH 6:00 pm

Nov. 23. Newsletter Deadline for December Newsletter

Nov. 25. Virtual Choir Practice 7:30 pm

Nov. 26. Thanksgiving Day, PPC Office closed

Nov. 27. PPC Office closed

Nov. 28. Advent Season Church Decorating 9:00 am

PRAYER LIST OF JOYS AND CONCERNS

(Concerns Continued)

JOYS: Chas and Brittany's wedding, Brenda's hip recovery, those being healed from COVID, and Ken McGee's recovery.

CONCERNS:

Members of the Providence Family in Long-Term Care:
Marilyn Johnson at Barbour Court Nursing in Smithfield;
Bobbie Langdon at Highland Village in Cary.

Persons Living with Cancer, including:

Scott Barns, Joanne Boyle, (Bob Zattiero); Lisa Bradshaw, Dede Bumgarner, (Brittany Parks); Frank Camarda, (Nicole Hughes); Becky Hall, (Carolyn Johnson); Ann Hargis, Jamie Harris, (Andrea Jones); Nancy Lange, (John Mott); Teresha McChann (Bob Reed); Doug Parvin, (Steve Wolak); Bill Rice, (Carolyn Johnson); David Ryan, (John Pickens); Tammy Sullivan, (Frank Hugh); and Abby Stanley, (John Pickens).

Persons with Ongoing Health Concerns, including:

Brenda Abbott; Nancy Allen, (Sheila Dupree); H. Andrews, (Andrea Jones); Malory, (Lauren Bellissimo); Sara Barber, (Vickie Faircloth); Lauren Bellissimo, (David and Pamela Collier); Wilburn Berrier, (Patricia Forren); Worth Bowman, Patricia Chapin, (Carolyn Johnson); Elise Corona, (Sue Bryant); Larry Creech, (Kevin Creech); Ryan Crisco, (Brittany Jones); Chris Darden and wife, (Cathy Simmons); Barbara Ellis, (Georgeanna Phillips); Chic and Mary Lou Folkman, Ronda Fullenkamp, (Rick and Margie Taylor); Emma Gardner, (Christina Jones); David Guss, (Andrea Jones); Willie Hardisen, (Carol Sawyer); John Harris, (Andrea Jones); Diane Hefter, (Carolyn Stevenson); Laura Kershaw, (Jonathan & Carole Kershaw); Brian Johnson, (Don Dupree); Ken King, (Lamberts); Harley Kremer, (Andrea Jones); Brianna Langreder, (John and Arline Mott); Tern Lee, (Lauren Bellissimo); Bill McClandless, (Bob Zattiero); Ken McGee, (Ann Benson); Judy Nemeth, (Rich & Miriam Lambert); Daphne Noles; Mary Tyler Nordan, (Tyler and Natalie Nordan); Zachary Parks, (Brittany Parks); Ed & Lou Penny, Finley Price, (Travis Jones); Caleb Reese, (Jones); Becky Roberts, John Rogers; Ward, Tonya, and Chuck Rose, (Vickie Faircloth); Mitch Sonderfan, (Doug Sonderfan); Stephen Southers, Ann K. Stephenson,

Wayne Stephenson, (Sam Stephenson); Charles Tadlock, (Pamela Collier); Angie Walker, (Eunice Newnam); Kevin Walton, (Kent Walton); Austin Williamson, (Carolyn Johnson); Jean Yeager, (Rich Lambert's sister); and Eva Younts, (Nadine Reed).

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Deadlines for the Month:

Bulletin and Friday Reminder Deadline: Wednesday, 12:00 pm

Monthly Newsletter: 23rd of the month, 1:00 pm

Available on the website:

Quarterly Service List for those who help in Worship

Church Newsletter "Presbyterians At The Crossroads"

Sunday Worship Messages and other updates also on Face Book

Harvest Day Sunday is today, November 15th – We will hold a congregational meeting after worship service to discuss our 2020 financial performance and 2021 budget.

Stewardship Sunday is November 22nd – Please complete a pledge card and place it in the offering plate or mail your pledge to the church to the attention of the collections treasurer, Ann Benson.

Operation Christmas Child - Full boxes being accepted at PPC until Sunday, 22 Nov 2020. Drop off a box then hang a gingerbread cut-out, which represents the number of children that will be blessed with a box to open.

December Newsletter – Please take special note that the PPC Office is closed on November 26th and 27th so the deadline for all information that needs to go in the December Newsletter has to be in to the Secretary no later than 1:00 on the November 23rd deadline. The PPC Secretary will send it out for the website on November 24th.

Poinsettias for Advent - Are on sale now. \$9/plant. Order and payment due no later than 22 Nov. Plants will be delivered on Sat, 28 Nov; the day of Advent decorating at PPC. You can take your plants home after the Christmas Eve Service.

Advent Season Decorating at PPC - Starts at 9:00am, Saturday, 28 Nov; please meet in the Upper Foyer at that time. The event is open to all members to assist and join in the fun. Poinsettias will be delivered at 9:30am. (Please do not park by the UFH kitchen door.)

Toys for Tots - John Mott has covered our greater community with 19+ cardboard drop-boxes for the United States Marine Corps annual collection of new, unwrapped toys for children. The drop box at PPC is located in the Upper Foyer. It will be there until 16 Dec. Contact John if you have any questions. <845-401-3021>. Thanks for your generosity!

Advent Readers Needed - We need readers for the four Sunday's of Advent beginning on Sunday, November 29th. Singles, Couples, Families or any combination are welcomed. Those who sign up will receive your reading material prior to the Sunday you are scheduled. Thank you for choosing to be a part of the PPC Worship service during this very special time of year. If interested, please contact Vickie Faircloth, 919-902-1407 or vickiefaircloth@yahoo.com.

The PPC Youth will be collecting Angel Tree donations again this year. The money collected will be used to buy gifts to give to local families in need. The youth are planning on shopping in the first week of December. If you would like to donate, you may place a check in the collection plate made out to PPC with "Angel Tree" in the memo or give a check directly to Kevin Creech. Thank you so much for your support.

Calling All Ushers and Greeters - If you have served as an Usher or Greeter in the past or would like to join this ministry and you are ready to start serving again, please contact Vickie Faircloth at 919-902-1407 or vickiefaircloth@yahoo.com

Congregational Care - We have congregation members willing and able to pick up groceries and deliver them to congregation member's homes. If you are in need of such a service, please contact Carolyn Johnson at 919-880-1272 or Pastor Nadia at 919-894-4063.

Men's Fellowship Group Assistance: Small chores & household assistance is available by the PPC Men's Fellowship Group. To schedule, call Eric Faircloth at aefaircloth70@gmail.com, or 919-201-2696 with your needs.

Finance – We are now able to accept electronic giving on our website at www.providencepresb.org. The home page has a menu option "GIVE" which will bring you to "ONLINE GIVING". Please consider selecting the option to add 2% to help with processing fees as credit cards are higher to process than electronic checks or debit cards. As always, any and every donation is greatly appreciated. Please contact Sam Stephenson at 919-757-5869 with any questions.

Donation Options - Providence Presbyterian Church can accept donations of stocks and other securities. To make a donation or obtain more information, please contact Ann Benson, Collections Treasurer.

There has been a large donation of recyclable ink cartages to PPC. If you have experience with recycling or can give any information as to how this is processed please contact the PPC Secretary at 919-894-4063.

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

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