

**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
14664 NC Hwy 210, Angier, NC 27501
www.providencepresb.org

Church Office Hours: Monday - Friday 9:00 am – 1:00 pm

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

Add or remove anyone from the prayer list; schedule use of LFH;

Update the Directory for a change of address, phone number or email

Pastor's Office Hours: Monday - Thursday 9:00 am – 1:00 pm with varying additional hours in the afternoon. Pastor can be reached after hours at: 937-903-9487.

SUNDAY WORSHIP

YOUTH SUNDAY

April 25, 2021

Welcome and Announcements

Prelude Eva Stephenson

Acolyte William Stephenson

***Call to Worship** (Psalms 148-150) Lilly Martin

***Opening Hymn** # 94

“Shout to the Lord!”

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

Silence for Personal Confession

***Assurance of Forgiveness** Riley Wood

*** Responsive Hymn** # 300

“In the Garden”

Children's Talk Eva Stephenson

(Children are dismissed to Sunday School after Children's Talk)

***Affirmation of Faith** Charlotte Wood

*** “The Apostle's Creed”**

Prayer of Dedication for His Tithes and Our Offering Audrey Whitley

(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 Ava Wood

Scripture Reading Mary Wood

Jeremiah 29:11

Sermon Mary Wood

“How do we fit in to God's plan?”

***Dedication Hymn** # 88

** “Lord I Lift Your Name On High” 2x

Acolyte William Stephenson

Benediction Lilly Harrison


Postlude

**Signifies Congregation to Stand*

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

Please feel free to take home your printed bulletin. Thank you for placing any discarded bulletins in the recycle receptacle as you depart the building.

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 entrance. * Please leave the used shawl in your chair - they are cleaned after each use.

 A Nursery is offered during Worship Services for infants – 3 year olds. Children ages 4 - 5th grade are invited to attend Children’s Sunday School after the Children’s Talk.

SERVICE SCHEDULE

Assisting in Worship This Sunday:

- Acolyte:** William Stephenson
- Children’s Talk:** Eva Stephenson
- Elder of the Month:** John Kopanski
- Greeters:** Youth Group
- Nursery:** Eva Stephenson and Phoebe Creech
- Security:** Eric Faircloth
- Ushers:** Youth Ushers
- Children’s Sunday School:** Kristy Stephenson

Assisting in Worship Next Sunday, May 2:

- Acolyte:** Madeline Jones
- Children’s Talk:** Nadia Stropich
- Elder of the Month:** Vickie Faircloth
- Greeters:** Session
- Nursery:** Riley Wood and Mary Wood
- Security:** Kent Walton
- Ushers:** John Mott, Jeff Wood and Eric Faircloth
- Children’s Sunday School:** Miriam Lambert

Weekly Statistics

2021 General Fund Receipts through March.....	\$81,477.86
2021 General Fund Expenses through March	\$72,660.46
General Fund Receipts for March	\$41,334.87
General Fund Expenses for March	\$26,270.91
General Fund Receipts so far for April	\$16,138.74
General Fund Receipts for April 18	\$3,325.00
PC(USA) Dismissal Match Donations to Date	12,106.48
Attendance for Worship April 18	79

Ministers of Providence Presbyterian Church

The People of Providence Presbyterian Church

Reverend
Nadia Stropich

Session

<i>Class of 2021</i>		
<i>Congregational Care</i> Kent Walton	<i>Financial</i> Sam Stephenson	<i>Long Range Planning</i> Scott Martin
<i>Class of 2022</i>		
<i>Fellowship</i> Donna Stolle	<i>Mission & Outreach</i> John Kopanski	<i>Worship</i> Vickie Faircloth
<i>Class of 2023</i>		
<i>Christian Education</i> Kristy Stephenson	<i>Personnel</i> John Pickens	<i>Property</i> John Mott
<i>Accounting Treasurer</i> Sam Stephenson		<i>Clerk</i> John Kopanski
<i>Collections Treasurer</i> Ann Benson		<i>Music Director/Organist/Pianist</i> Brittany Jones
<i>Pianist</i> Angie Searcy		<i>Secretary</i> Cindy Lynch
<i>Sunday School Superintendent</i> Kristy Stephenson		<i>Website</i> David Nelms

CHURCH CALENDAR

Today at Providence:

- 11:00 am:** Sunday Worship Service
- Youth Sunday
- Youth Meet LFH 6:00 pm

Weekly Events:

- Apr. 26.** Mission & Outreach Comm. Mtg. 11:00 am
- Apr. 27.** Fellowship & Fitness Walking Group 11:00 am
PPC Softball vs Fuquay UMC at Fuquay at 8:30 pm
- Apr. 29.** Fellowship & Fitness Walking Group 11:00 am

Upcoming Events:

- May. 2.** Sunday Worship Service
Youth Meet LFH 6:00 pm
- May. 4.** Fellowship & Fitness Walking Group 11:00 am
PPC Softball vs Plymouth Church at Fuquay, 6:30 pm
- May. 5.** Adult Choir Practice 7:30 UFH
- May. 6.** Fellowship & Fitness Walking Group 11:00 am
PPC Softball vs Hollands UMC at Fuquay, 6:30 pm

PRAYER LIST OF JOYS AND CONCERNS

JOYS: Our youth; the next generation of Christian leaders.

CONCERNS:

Members of the Providence Family in Long-Term Care:
Chic (Charles) Folkman, Marilyn Johnson, and Bobbie Langdon.

Persons Living with Cancer, including:

Scott Barnes, Joanne Boyle, (Bob Zattiero); Lisa Bradshaw, Dede Bumgarner, (Brittany Davidson); Paula Coates, (Ann Benson); Ann Hargis, Jamie Harris, (Andrea Jones); Sylvia Holbrook, (Carolyn Johnson); Robert Holding, Nancy Hults, (Carolyn Stevenson); John Husuley, (Carolyn Johnson); Karen, (Don and Debbie Sturgis); Nancy Lange, (John Mott); Teresha McChann (Bob Reed); Ken Parker, (John Mott); Bill Rice, (Carolyn Johnson); David Ryan, (John Pickens); and Abby Stanley, (John Pickens).

Persons with Ongoing Health Concerns, including:

H. Andrews, (Andrea Jones); Sara Barber, (Vickie Faircloth); Lauren Bellissimo, (David and Pamela Collier); Worth Bowman, Katie Buck, (John & Arline Mott); Elise Corona, (Sue Bryant); Chris Darden and wife, (Cathy Simmons); Pat Embry, Norma and Charles Evans, (Carolyn Johnson); Chic and Mary Lou Folkman, Ronda Fullenkamp, (Rick and Margie Taylor); David Guss, (Andrea Jones); Willie Hardisen, (Carol Sawyer); John Harris, (Andrea Jones); Brian Johnson, (Don Dupree); Harley Kremer, (Andrea Jones); Derusha Langdon (Kevin Creech); Brianna Langreder, (John and Arline Mott); Bill Massey, (Niece of Bob Reed); Bill McClandless, (Bob Zattiero); Ken McGee, (Ann Benson); Judy Nemeth, (Rich & Miriam Lambert); Daphne Noles; Mary Tyler Nordan, (Tyler and Natalie Nordan); Ed & Lou Penny, Page Powers, (Lamberts); Caleb Reese, (Andrea Jones); Lycia Reese, (Andrea Jones); Becky Roberts, John Rogers; Mitch Sonderfan, (Doug Sonderfan); Stephen Southers, Ann K. Stephenson, Wayne Stephenson and Debbie Jernigan, (Sam Stephenson); Rob Stormes, (John Mott); Debbie Sturgis, Charles Tadlock, (Pam Collier); Austin Williamson, (Carolyn Johnson); Jean Yeager, (Rich Lambert's sister); and Eva Younts, (Nadine Reed).



The Youth would like to thank all those who supported them in their fundraising efforts for Camp Caswell. \$1860.00 was raised to help fund summer camp.

Our custodian Jamone Johnston is retiring! Session has approved a love offering to be collected until May 23rd along with cards and well-wishes for her and her husband Ray. For donations, please write in the memo of your check "Jamone Love Offering"; these will be collected by Pastor Nadia.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Attention All Graduates - Graduate Recognition Sunday Is June 13, 2021. If your young adult is graduating from high school or college this year, please contact the church secretary or Vickie Faircloth and include your grad's complete name, date of graduation, and the name of the school from which they are graduating. Please submit no later than Sunday, May 16th. Vickie Faircloth 919-902-1407, vickiefaircloth@yahoo.com"

All aboard!! Calling all children ages 3 - 5th grade to jump on board this year's VBS Rocky Railway. VBS will be held Saturday, June 26th from 10:00 - 3:00, with a hot dog celebration at 3:00. Pre-Register online at providencepresb.org complete the bulletin insert.

VBS Volunteers Needed: Climb aboard for mountains of fun at Rocky Railway! On this faith-filled adventure, kids discover that trusting Jesus pulls them through life's ups and downs. VBS is a one day, **Saturday, June 26 - 10:00 - 3:00. We will need lots of help to make it a success. See insert - please be in prayer for how you can contribute to this ministry.**

Anyone interested in volunteering either in the Nursery or Children's Sunday School – please contact Kristy Stephenson, at kstep74@gmail.com

Mission & Outreach – We are accepting donations for Missionaries Asaph and Lynn Din whom we have committed to support this year. The Din's are from our Presbyterian and minister in Pakistan. If you would like to donate February – the last week of April, please write your check to PPC, and put "Asaph & Lynn Din" in the memo line.

On June 4th, Providence Presbyterian Church will be holding a Red Cross blood drive from 2 pm until 6:30 pm. In the summertime, there are not as many volunteers to give blood; you never know whose life you may save. Early appointments go quickly so call Margie Taylor at 919-522-6068, contact her at margieataylor@aol.com or go on the Red Cross website and make an appointment.

Finance – We are able to accept stocks and other securities as well as on line giving. To make a donation or obtain more information, please contact Ann Benson, Collections Treasurer or Sam Stephenson at 919-757-5869.

Deadlines for the Month:

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

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

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Website: www.providencepresb.org

