

**Honoring our history
.....building our future**



OUR MISSION STATEMENT

*Providence Presbyterian Church
is an Evangelical Presbyterian Church.
We are a welcoming, nurturing church that shares
Christ's Word through local outreach and global missions.*

Providence Presbyterian Church

*At McGee's Crossroads 919.894.4063
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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.
Email or call an Elder for any emergencies.*

**SUNDAY WORSHIP
September 5, 2021**

*Flowers are given today to the glory of God by John and Arline Mott
in honor of Arline's Parents, Jack and Judy Franzen's 65th
Wedding Anniversary.*

Welcome and Announcements

Prelude

Special Music

Acolyte

Call to Worship (Psalm 33)

Mary Ann Booth

***Opening Hymn**

30

"All Things Bright and Beautiful"

Prayer of Confession (*In Unison*)

Silence for Personal Confession

***Assurance of Forgiveness (1 Corinthians 1:18)**

*** Responsive Hymn**

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"How Majestic Is Your Name"

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

Gospel of John 6:1-15, 25-35

Sermon

Rev. Carole McCartney

"The Bread of Life"

***Dedication Hymn**

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"Come All Christians, Be Committed"

Acolyte and Benediction

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.

Thank you for placing any discarded bulletins in the recycle.

The Congregational Care Committee supplies Prayer Shawls for anyone who may be in need of physical warmth during the Worship Service. Shawls are located in the entrance. *Please leave the used shawl in your chair - they are cleaned after use.*



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

SERVICE SCHEDULE

Assisting in Worship This Sunday:

- Acolyte:** Sophia Roberts
- Children’s Worship:** No Children’s Worship Today
- Elder of the Month:** John Mott
- Greeters:** Session
- Nursery:** Monica Jackson
- Prayer Team:** Annah Creech
- Security:** Chas Davidson
- Ushers:** Pete Booth, John Mott, and Eric Faircloth

Assisting in Worship Next Sunday, September 12:

- Acolyte:** William Stephenson
- Children’s Worship:** Kristy Stephenson
- Elder of the Month:** John Mott
- Greeters:** Session
- Nursery:** Carolyn Johnson and Eva Stephenson
- Prayer Team:** Vickie Faircloth
- Security:** Chas Davidson
- Ushers:** Vickie Faircloth, John Kopanski, and Tony Bryant

Weekly Statistics

2021 General fund Receipts through July.....	\$166,428.84
2021 General fund Expenses through July	\$171,450.57
General Fund Receipts for July	\$21,297.71
General Fund Expenses for July	\$27,466.15
General Fund Receipts so far for August.....	\$22,432.84
General Fund Receipts for August 29.....	\$5,780.05
PC(USA) Payoff Match donations to date	\$51,127.00
Attendance for Sunday School August 29	TBD
Attendance for Worship August 29	86

Ministries of Providence Presbyterian Church
The People of Providence Presbyterian Church

Reverend
In Transition

Session

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

CHURCH CALENDAR

Today at Providence:

- 9:45 am** Sunday School
- 11:00 am** Sunday Worship

Weekly Events:

- Sep 6.** PPC Office closed, Labor Day
- Sep 7.** Fellowship & Fitness Walking Group 11:00 am
- Sep 8.** Adult Choir Practice 7:30 pm Choir Room
- Sep 9.** Fellowship & Fitness Walking Group 11:00 am

Upcoming Events:

- Sep 12.** Sunday School 9:45 am
Sunday Worship Service 11:00 am
Youth Group Kickoff 6:00 pm
- Sep 13.** Session Meeting 7:00 pm
- Sep 14.** Fellowship & Fitness Walking Group 11:00 am
- Sep 15.** Adult Choir Practice 7:30 pm Choir Room
- Sep 16.** Fellowship & Fitness Walking Group 11:00 am

PRAYER LIST OF JOYS AND CONCERNS

JOYS: God never changes, God alone suffices!

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, Heather Benson, (Christiane Wright); **Bob Bilbro**, (Mary Ann Booth); **Joanne Boyle**, (Bob Zattiero); **Lisa Bradshaw, Dede Bumgarner**, (Brittany Davidson); **Shepherd Byrd**, (Brenda Byrd); **Paula Coates**, (A. Benson); **Ann Hargis, Jamie Harris**, (A. Jones); **Sylvia Holbrook**, (C. Johnson); **Robert Holding, John Husuley**, (C. Johnson); **Daisy Knoll**, (J. Mott); **Teresha McChann** (Bob Reed); **Bill Rice**, (C. Johnson); **Andrew S.**, (Sonderfan); **Carol Sawyer**, (Ray Sawyer); **Thomas Stephenson**, (Haley Jones); **Wayne Stephenson** (S. Stephenson); **Natalie Stewart**, (Lamberts); **Mike Stropich**, (Shawn & Rev. Nadia).

Persons with Ongoing Health Concerns, including:

H. Andrews, (Andrea Jones); **Sara Barber**, (V. Faircloth); **Lauren Bellissimo, Worth Bowman, Rufus Brown**, (V. Faircloth); **Junior Cassidy**, (Eunice Newnam); **Tabitha Collier**, (Colliers); **William "Bill" Collier**, (D. Collier); **Elise Corona**, (S. Bryant); **JoAnn Creech, Chris Darden and wife**, (Cathy Simmons); **Brittany Davidson, Ricky Denning, Community; Pat Embrey, Norma and Charles Evans**, (C. Johnson); **Chic and Mary Lou Folkman, John Franzen**, (A. Mott); **Ronda Fullenkamp**, (Rick and Margie Taylor); **David Gray**, (M. A. Booth); **David Guss**, (Andrea Jones); **Willie Hardison**, (Carol Sawyer), **John Harris**, (A. Jones); **Brandi Hayes**, (V. Faircloth); **Tony and Linda Herron**, (Kathy Wood); **Barbi Hyatt**, (Newnams); **Brian Johnson**, (Don Dupree); **Tonya Johnson**, (EPC, Galatia PC); **Laura Kershaw**, (Jonathan and Carole Kershaw); **Harley Kremer**, (Andrea Jones); **Derusha Langdon** (Kevin Creech); **Cathy Maddux, Bill Massey**, (Bob Reed); **Bill McClandless**, (Bob Zattiero); **Ken McGee**, (A. Benson); **Elsie Nederhoff**, (Linda Roberts); **Judy Nemeth**, (Lamberts); **Daphne Noles**; (Christiane Nooney), **Mary Tyler Nordan**, (Nordans); **Ed & Lou Penny, Bennie Pierce**, (A. Nelms), **Mary Powell, Page Powers**, (Lamberts); **Caleb Reese**, (A. Jones); **Lycia Reese**, (A. Jones); **Becky Roberts, John Rogers; Rev. Freddy Rupenthal**, (E. Faircloth); **Steve Sherwood**, (Motts); **Peggy Smith** (J. Mott); **Mitch Sonderfan**, (D. Sonderfan); **Stephen Southers, Ann K. Stephenson, Tasha**, (C. Johnson); **Charles Tadlock**, (P. Collier); **Calvin Thomas**, (C. Johnson); **James Vaughn**, (S. Bryant); **Angelia Walker** (Newnam's); **Austin Williamson**, (C. Johnson); **Jean Yeager**, (Rich Lambert); and **Eva Younts**, (Nadine Reed).

ANNOUNCEMENTS

The "Youth Group Kickoff" will be held in the Youth Center on **September 12th from 6 pm to 7:45 pm**. We will have activities, games and dinner will be provided. All Youth are welcome and encouraged to bring friends. For questions, please feel free to reach out to Katlin Faircloth at katlinadare@gmail.com

YOUTH BBQ: reminder that the youth barbecue is coming up Friday, September 24th. Please sign up to volunteer, support with sponsorships, and help with ticket sales. Contact Scott Martin or Eric Faircloth with any questions. Thanks for supporting our youth!

PPC KIDZ, our Sunday afternoon Children's Program for ages preK-5th grade will resume on September 19th. The children will typically meet once a month on the third Sunday from 4:00 - 5:30. For additional information, please contact Kristy Stephenson, kstep74@gmail.com

Mission & Outreach: Samaritan's Purse Operation Christmas Child (Shoebbox Ministry) will be kicking off later this month. Beginning today, Sunday, August 29th assembled shoe boxes will be available for you to begin your ministry partnership. Our goal is to prepare 100 shoe boxes. The shoeboxes will be collected in November. Thank you for your partnership which will spread the Gospel of Jesus Christ throughout the world.

Homecoming 2021 - Is right around the corner! Stay tuned for details. If you are interested in helping in any capacity to support this annual tradition, or just have questions, please call or email Donna Stolle at 860-214-6698, [<dms6330@gmail.com>](mailto:dms6330@gmail.com).

Plans are underway for PPC's Harvest Festival. The Harvest Festival will be on October 17th from 3:00 - 6:00 pm. This is a community outreach event and your help is needed. Sign-up sheets are available in the foyer. Please contact Brittany Jones if you have any questions or want to learn more how you can help.

Anyone interested in volunteering – For Nursery or Children's Sunday School, please contact Kristy Stephenson, at kstep74@gmail.com
For Children's Worship, Annah Creech at annahcreech@gmail.com
For Usher, please contact Vickie Faircloth, at vickiefaircloth@yahoo.com
For AV Team contact Vickie Faircloth or Sam Stephenson
For PPC Choir come on Wednesday night or contact Brittany Jones

Fellowship & Fitness Walking Group - We would like you to walk and fellowship with us on Tuesday and Thursday mornings at 11:00 am in the UFH. All are welcome!

Help Our Teachers 2021 - We are still accepting funds to support teachers in our church with this annual drive. Their efforts to augment supplies in their classrooms benefit all the children. Any donation, no matter the amount, keeps teachers from having to dig deep in their own pockets. If you give, M&O shops and delivers to the teachers by 3 Oct. Doing that leg work also greatly helps the teachers in this very busy start-up time of the new school year. Thank you for your support. Don't forget to put "HOT" on your check memo line, or on the outside of your giving envelope. Teachers, don't forget to get your lists to Donna Stolle no later than 19. Thank you everyone!

"The best way to spread Christmas cheer is singing loud for all to hear!" – Elf. And what better way to spread Christmas cheer and kick off the Advent season than with a fun Christmas program that shares the true meaning of Christmas? Our program this year needs the help and participation of our children AND adults. We have roles for all ages. We need set designers, set builders, costumers, stage hands, and activity coordinators. Rehearsals will begin on **Sunday September 12** and will take place during **Sunday School (9:45-10:30)**. And while the children and youth will practice each week, the adults involved will NOT be needed at every rehearsal. Once all roles have been decided, a rehearsal schedule will be posted and sent out letting all involved know which rehearsals they will need to attend and what will be covered during those times. The program will be presented on the first Sunday in December, 12/5, at 5:00 pm.

Anyone interested in participating in any capacity, please email Brittany Jones at BLKefauver07@hotmail.com or find her on Sunday mornings.

Finance – We are able to accept online giving on our home webpage www.providencepresb.org. For more information contact Sam Stephenson at 919-757-5869 with any questions.

During the worship Service please be aware that the best time to move around is during the readings and songs, otherwise you may be on camera.

Prayer Requests: When making prayer requests, please make sure the information that you provide is approved by the person you are requesting prayers for. Some information could be considered personal and private and some may not want that information to be shared online.

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