

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

October 31, 2021



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**

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Listening to the Word of God

Prelude and Acolyte

Welcome

Rev. Roger Korsten

Responding to the Word of God

Call to Worship

Kevin Creech

***Opening Hymn**

482

"Sanctuary" 2x

Unison Prayer of Confession

Assurance of Pardon

*** Responsive Hymn**

442

"Tis so Sweet to Trust in Jesus" *Verses 1 and 2*

***Affirmation of Faith**

"The Apostle's Creed"

Musical Interlude for Children's Worship

(Children ages 4 through 5th grade are dismissed to Children's Worship)

Offering and Doxology

Rev. Roger Korsten

Pastoral Prayer and The Lord's Prayer

Remember your ABC's – Audible, Brief, Clear

The Word From God

Anthem

Providence Choir

Sermon

Rev. Roger Korsten

"Obedience"

1 John 2:3-11

***Dedication Hymn and Acolyte**

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"My Jesus, I Love Thee"

Benediction and 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 Affirmation of Faith.

SERVICE SCHEDULE

Assisting in Worship This Sunday:

- Acolyte:** William Stephenson
- Children’s Worship:** Kristy Stephenson
- Elder of the Month:** Sam Stephenson
- Greeters:** Session
- Lay Leader:** Kevin Creech
- Nursery:** Arline Mott and Eva Stephenson
- Prayer Team:** Barri Martin
- Security:** Steve Newnam
- Ushers:** Tony Bryant, John Mott, and Eric Faircloth

Assisting in Worship Next Sunday, November 7:

- Acolyte:** Nadia DeJesus
- Children’s Worship:** Allison Nelms
- Elder of the Month:** Scott Martin
- Greeters:** Session
- Lay Leader:** Mary Ann Booth
- Nursery:** Kristy Stephenson and Eva Stephenson
- Prayer Team:** Vickie Faircloth
- Security:** David Collier
- Ushers:** Pete Booth, Tony Bryant, and Vickie Faircloth

Weekly Statistics

2021 General fund Receipts through September	\$200,442.52
2021 General Fund Expenses through September	\$204,048.52
General Fund Receipts for September	\$14,326.93
General Fund Expenses for September	\$15,360.46
General Fund Receipts so far for October	\$21,592.44
General Fund Receipts for October 24	\$7,649.00
Homecoming Offering so far	\$39,077.71
Attendance for Sunday School October 24.....	TBD
Attendance for Worship October 24	84

Ministries of Providence Presbyterian Church
The People of Providence Presbyterian Church

Reverend
Roger Korsten

Session

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

CHURCH CALENDAR

Today at Providence:

Youth Meet 6:00 pm in Youth Center

Weekly Events:

- Nov. 2.** Fellowship & Fitness Walking Group 11:00 am
- Nov. 3.** Adult Choir Practice 7:30 pm Choir Room
- Nov. 4.** Fellowship & Fitness Walking Group 11:00 am
- Nov. 6.** Installation Service for Rev. Roger Korsten 4:00 pm

Upcoming Events:

- Nov. 7.** Sunday School 9:45 am
Sunday Worship Service 11:00 am
All Saints Remembrance Day
Communion Sunday
Youth Meet 6:00 pm in Youth Center
- Nov. 8.** Session Meeting 7:00 pm
- Nov. 9.** Fellowship & Fitness Walking Group 11:00 am
- Nov. 10.** Adult Choir Practice 7:30 pm Choir Room
- Nov. 11.** Fellowship & Fitness Walking Group 11:00 am

PRAYER LIST OF JOYS AND CONCERNS

JOYS: Let the peace of Christ rule in your hearts, to which indeed you were called in one body. And be thankful. Colossians 3:15 ESV

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); Joanne Boyle, (Bob Zattiero); Lisa Bradshaw, Dede Bumgarner, (Brittany Davidson); Shepherd Byrd, (Brenda Byrd); Paula Coates, (A. Benson); Tabitha Collier; Ann Hargis, Jamie Harris, (A. Jones); Consuelo Hawkins, (Sue Bryant); Sylvia Holbrook, (C. Johnson); Robert Holding, John Husuley, (C. Johnson); Teresha McChann, (Bob Reed); Bill Rice, (C. Johnson); Andrew S., (Sonderfan); Carol Sawyer, (Ray Sawyer); Thomas Stephenson, (Haley Jones); Mike Stropich, (Shawn & Rev. Nadia).

Persons with Ongoing Health Concerns, including:

H. Andrews, (Andrea Jones); Sara Barber, (V. Faircloth); Dean Benson, (Beck); Worth Bowman, Rufus Brown, (V. Faircloth); Evelyn Burdette, Matt and Delaina Faircloth, (Mott); Junior Cassidy, (Eunice Newnam); Doris Colville, (Joyce Lamb); Brittany Cross, (Lamberts); JoAnn Creech, Ricky Denning, Community; Pat Embrey, Norma and Charles Evans, (C. Johnson); Chic and Mary Lou Folkman, Pat Forren; Ronda Fullenkamp, (Rick and Margie Taylor); David Guss, (Andrea Jones); Willie Hardison, (Carol Sawyer), John Harris, (A. Jones); Nancy Hults, (Carolyn Stevenson); Barbi Hyatt, (Newnams); Brian Johnson, (Don Dupree); Tonya Johnson, (EPC, Galatia PC); Laura Kershaw, (Jonathan and Carole Kershaw); Harley Kremer, (Andrea Jones); Cathy Maddux, Ray Manuel, (Nadine Reed); Bill Massey, (Bob Reed); Bill McClandless, (Bob Zattiero); Ken McGee, (A. Benson); Elsie Nederhoff, (Linda Roberts); Daphne Noles; (Christiane Nooney), Mary Tyler Nordan, (Nordans); Glenwood and Joan Parrish, Ed & Lou Penny, Mary Powell, Caleb Reese, (A. Jones); Lycia Reese, (A. Jones); Laeron Roberts, (Roberts); John Rogers, Peggy Smith, (J. Mott); Mitch Sonderfan, (D. Sonderfan); Starr, (Zattieros); Stephen Southers, Ann K. Stephenson, Tasha, (C. Johnson); Joseph Stewart, (Kathy Wood); Charles Tadlock, (P. Collier); Calvin Thomas, (C. Johnson); Angelia Walker (Newnam's); Austin Williamson, (C. Johnson); Jean Yeager, (Rich Lambert); and Eva Younts, (Nadine Reed).

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Pastor Roger's Installation and Reception - The installation takes place on Saturday, 6 Nov at 4:00 pm, in the Sanctuary; reception to follow in the Upper Foyer. All are invited to attend. A sign-up sheet to bring a "dish to share" for the reception is in the Upper Foyer. Thanks for your support of this special time in the life of Pastor Roger and of Providence Presbyterian Church. Questions? Contact Donna Stolle <dms6330@gmail.com> or 860-214-6698.

All Saints Remembrance Day, Sunday, November 7th - Please submit the names of your loved ones that have passed this last year to the church office by Tuesday, November 2nd. If you have any questions, please contact Vickie Faircloth at 919-902-1407 or vickiefaircloth@yahoo.com

Leftover Halloween Candy - M&O is accepting donated candy for distribution to residents at Universal Health Care in Lillington. Place in the marked blue barrel in the Upper Foyer. Questions? Contact Donna Stolle <dms6330@gmail.com> or 860-214-6698.

Advent Readers Needed - We need readers for the four Sunday's of Advent beginning on Sunday, November 28th. Singles, Couples, Families or any combination are welcomed. Those whose 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.co

Poinsettias for Advent 2021 - This annual sales program runs Sunday, 31 Oct to 21 Nov. The plants are \$9, 6.5" pots in green foil with a red bow. Complete an order form and include a check payable to Providence Presbyterian Church, with "Poinsettia Sale" on the memo line. Place your order with cash or check payment in the offering plate. You can retrieve your plants from the church starting after Christmas Eve service. Questions? Contact Donna Stolle at <dms6330@gmail.com> or 860-214-6698.

The Sanctuary is Available on Sunday Mornings: Enjoy a live broadcast from the sanctuary; and we thank Sam Stephenson and his team who worked diligently to make this happen.

Online Giving at www.providencepresb.org. For more information contact Sam Stephenson, samuelstephenson@me.com or 919-757-5869.

Fellowship & Fitness Walking Group - Tuesday and Thursday mornings at 11:00 am in the UFH. All are welcome! Come and join us!

Prayer Requests: When sharing a prayer request, please get permission and realize some information may not be appropriate to be shared online.



Volunteer Opportunities

- Nursery and Sunday School - Kristy Stephenson, kstep74@gmail.com
- Children's Worship - Annah Creech, annahcreech@gmail.com
- Usher - Vickie Faircloth, vickiefaircloth@yahoo.com
- AV Team - Sam Stephenson, samuelstephenson@me.com
- PPC Choir - Brittany Jones, blkefauver07@hotmail.com

Up Coming Dates to Remember And Be In Prayer For:

- Harvest Sunday, November 14
- Stewardship Sunday, November 21
- Advent Decorating at PPC, November 27
- 1st Sunday of Advent, November 28
- Youth Angel Tree Shopping, December 4
- Christmas Program Practice, December 4
- Christmas Program, December 12
- PPC Cantata, December 19
- PPC Office Closed December 24

Pastor Roger's Contact: pastor@providencepresb.org and 440-655-4351

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

Please email ppchurchscertary@gmail.com for prayer requests, announcements, and change of address or email.

Deadlines for the Month:

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

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