

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

**November 21, 2021  
Stewardship Sunday**



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**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**

**# 83**

**"Children of the Heavenly Father" (vs 1-2, 4)**

**Unison Prayer of Confession**

**Assurance of Pardon**

**\* Responsive Hymn**

**# 270**

**"O How He Loves You and Me"**

**\*Affirmation of Faith**

**"The Apostle's Creed"**

**Musical Interlude for Children's Worship**

*(Children ages 4 through 5<sup>th</sup> grade are dismissed to Children's Worship)*

**Pastoral Prayer and The Lord's Prayer**

Remember your ABC's – Audible, Brief, Clear

**Offering and Doxology**

Rev. Roger Korsten

*The Word From God*

**Anthem**

**Providence Choir**

**Sermon**

Rev. Roger Korsten

**"She Did What She Could"**

**Mark 14:1-11**

**\*Dedication Hymn and Acolyte**

**# 66**

**"To God Be the Glory"**

**Benediction and Postlude**

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*\*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.*

*The Sanctuary is available on Sunday mornings for you to come and enjoy a live broadcast.*

**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 and they will be cleaned.*



*A Nursery is offered during Worship Services for infants – 3 year olds. Children ages 4 - 5<sup>th</sup> grade are invited to attend Children's Worship after the Affirmation of Faith.*

*Thank you for placing any discarded bulletins in the blue recycle bins.*

### SERVICE SCHEDULE

#### Assisting in Worship This Sunday:

**Acolyte:** Meadow Creech  
**Children's Worship:** Miriam Lambert  
**Elder of the Month:** Scott Martin  
**Greeters:** Session  
**Lay Leader:** Kevin Creech  
**Nursery:** Carolyn Johnson and Eva Stephenson  
**Prayer Team:** Allison Nelms  
**Security:** David Collier  
**Ushers:** Vickie Faircloth, Pete Booth, and Scott Martin

#### Assisting in Worship Next Sunday, November 28:

**Acolyte:** William Stephenson  
**Children's Worship:** Miriam Lambert  
**Elder of the Month:** Scott Martin  
**Greeters:** Session  
**Lay Leader:** Doug Sonderfan  
**Nursery:** Miriam Lambert  
**Prayer Team:** Barri Martin  
**Security:** David Collier  
**Ushers:** John Kopanski, Donna Stolle, Kristy Stephenson

#### Weekly Statistics

2021 General fund Receipts through October.....	\$233,036.41
2021 General Fund Expenses through October .....	\$239,310.85
General Fund Receipts for October .....	\$32,593.89
General Fund Expenses for October .....	\$35,262.33
General Fund Receipts so far for November .....	\$15,474.20
General Fund Receipts for November 14 .....	\$8,242.20
Homecoming Offering so far .....	\$36,627.71
Attendance for Sunday School November 14.....	39
Attendance for Worship November 14 .....	91

## 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 &amp; 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. 22.** M&O Comm. Mtg. 11:00 am  
**Nov. 23.** Fellowship & Fitness Walking Group 11:00 am  
**Nov. 24.** Adult Choir Practice 7:30 pm Choir Room  
**Nov. 25.** PPC Office closed for Thanksgiving  
**Nov. 26.** PPC Office closed for Thanksgiving  
**Nov. 27.** Advent Season Church Decorating 9:00 am

#### Upcoming Events:

**Nov. 28.** Sunday School 9:45 am  
 Sunday Worship Service 11:00 am  
 Meeting After Worship for the Election of Elders  
**Nov. 29.** Worship Committee Meeting 10:00 am  
**Nov. 30.** Fellowship & Fitness Walking Group 11:00 am  
**Dec. 1.** Adult Choir Practice 7:30 pm Choir Room  
**Dec. 2.** Fellowship & Fitness Walking Group 11:00 am  
**Dec. 4.** PPC Christmas Program Practice 10:00 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); Nancy Hults, (Carolyn Stevenson); 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); 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); Family of Robert Holding, 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); Jim Ricker, (Newnams); 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); Austin Williamson, (C. Johnson); Jean Yeager, (Rich Lambert); and Eva Younts, (Nadine Reed).**

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

**Operation Christmas Child Shoebox Ministry – Today** is the last day that shoeboxes will be received. If you miss the November 21<sup>st</sup> deadline, you can take your prepared shoebox to Pleasant Grove Baptist Church on Monday, November 22<sup>nd</sup> between the hours of 9:00 am-12:00 pm. Pleasant Grove Church is located at 1241 Old Fairground Rd.

**Today the Youth will be packaging meals** to deliver for their ThanksGIVING event. For those that volunteered to prepare food, please have your food in the Upper Fellowship Hall by 3:30 pm. If you are interested in preparing your food in the kitchen of the Upper Fellowship Hall, please let Katlin know. If you have any questions or concerns please email Katlin at [katlinadare@gmail.com](mailto:katlinadare@gmail.com).

**Advent Season Decorating at PPC** – Advent decorating will take place on Saturday, November 27, starting at 9:30am in the Upper Foyer. The Presbyterian Women sponsor this event, but it is open to everyone to join in on the fun of decorating our Church.

**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](mailto:vickiefaircloth@yahoo.co)

**The Youth will be doing their annual Angel Tree shopping** on Sunday, December 5th to help support local families in the Dixon and McGees Crossroads school communities at Christmas. If you would like to donate to the cause please add Angel Tree in the memo line of your check.

**Boy Scout troop 210 annual 5K Decemberrrr-dash: Saturday, Dec. 4th.** Run or walk. If you or your company would like to sponsor this event please contact Eric Faircloth. Register early to get your T-shirt at: <https://runsignup.com/Race/NC/Benson/Decemburrrrdash>

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

**Online Giving** at [www.providencepresb.org](http://www.providencepresb.org). For more information contact Sam Stephenson, [samuelstphenson@me.com](mailto:samuelstphenson@me.com) or 919-757-5869.

**Thank You!** - For all your poinsettia purchases. Next Sunday you will see the beauty in the arrangement of the plants here at PPC. Your support is appreciated.

**NOTES:**

**Volunteer Opportunities**

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

**Up Coming Dates to Remember And Be In Prayer For:**

- Advent Decorating at PPC, November 27
- 1<sup>st</sup> Sunday of Advent, November 28
- Meeting After Worship for the Election of Elders, November 28
- Christmas Program Practice, December 4
- Youth Angel Tree Shopping, December 5
- Christmas Program, December 12
- PPC Cantata, December 19
- PPC Office Closed December 24

**Deadlines for the Month:**

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

Monthly Newsletter: 23<sup>rd</sup> of the month, 1:00 pm

**Pastor Roger's Contact:** [pastor@providencepresb.org](mailto:pastor@providencepresb.org) and 440-655-4351

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

Please email [ppchurchscertary@gmail.com](mailto:ppchurchscertary@gmail.com) for prayer requests, announcements, and change of address or email.