

Providence Presbyterian Church

Christ the King Sunday
November 25, 2007

Prelude and Acolyte

Welcome and Announcements

* Worship Song "To God Be the Glory" Hymn 66

* Call to Worship Psalm 98

Leader: *Sing to the Lord a new song, for the Lord has done marvelous things.*

People: **The right hand of the Lord has secured victory for God's people.**

Leader: *Shout with joy to the Lord, all you lands! Lift up your voice, rejoice, and sing!*

People: **Sing to the Lord with a harp, with trumpets and the voice of song!**

Leader: *Let the sea make a noise, the rivers clap their hands, and let the hills ring out with joy before the Lord.*

People: **For the Lord alone is judge of all the world, and God shall treat all people with equity.**

ALL: **Come, let us worship God.**

* Hymn 471 "As the Deer"

Confession of Sin (*In Unison*)

Merciful Savior, we receive with gratitude your love, which you demonstrated by laying down your life for us. You have chosen us as your own, and called us to love one another as you have loved us. But we fall far short of your life-giving command; we cling in fear to the little we have, rather than laying it down so that your riches of love may fill us and flow through us. Pour out your Spirit on us anew, that we may know and proclaim the depth, the breadth, the height, and the length of your love that passes all measure. Cause us to abide in that love so fully that it will overflow among us, and through us to the world around us; that we would be faithful children of our heavenly Father, who loves us with everlasting love.

Silence for Personal Confession

Assurance of Forgiveness

Leader: *The boundless grace of God is demonstrated through the good news of Jesus Christ in whom we are forgiven!*

People: **Merciful God thank You for Your infinite compassion for us, strengthen our faith and pour Your light into us so we may shine on all those we meet. Amen.**

* Responsive Praise "Spirit of the Living God" Hymn 492

* Greeting and Rites of Friendship

Special Music Children's Choir

Offertory and Giving of His Tithes and Our Offerings

* Doxology and Prayer of Dedication Hymn 34

The Old Testament Jeremiah 23:1-6

Anthem "Prince of Peace" Adult Choir

Musical Interlude: Children exit with Charlie and Roxann Porter to Children's Church

Leader: *The Lord is risen!*

People: **He is risen indeed!**

Morning Prayers and The Lord's Prayer

The New Testament Luke 23:33-43

Sermon "God's Amazing Grace" Rev. Jim Davis

* Hymn 422 "Amazing Grace"

* Acolyte, Benediction and Postlude

* *Signifies Congregation to Stand*

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Flowers. The flowers today are given to the glory of God and in honor of Hannah Stephenson's birthday, by Sam, Wendy, Samuel and Daniel Stephenson.

Newsletter. If you have articles for the December newsletter, please forward those to DeEtta Wood today at jdwood72@gmail.com.

Assisting in Worship this Sunday:

Ushers: Sandra Lordi and Lisa Nelms
Acolyte and Bell Ringer: Hannah Stephenson
Infant Nursery: Cindy Parrish and Amy Reed
Toddler Nursery: Jason Parrish and Johnathan Reed

NOVEMBER SCRIPTURE VERSE

“...You are citizens with the saints and also members of the household of God, built upon the foundation of the apostles and prophets, with Christ Jesus himself as the cornerstone. In him the whole structure is joined together and grows into a holy temple in the Lord; in whom you also are built together spiritually into a dwelling place for God.” (Eph. 2:19-22)

Assisting in Worship next Sunday, December 2:

Ushers: Haley Jones and Kendall Nelms
Acolyte and Bell Ringer: Abigail Wood
Children’s Message: Lauren Langdon
Children’s Church: Kay Dry and Sandra Lordi
Infant Nursery: Andrea Jones and Kristy Stephenson
Toddler Nursery: Richard Jones and Chris Stephenson

Today at Providence:

9:45 a.m.: Adult Sunday School Assembly; Children’s Choir Rehearsal
10:00 a.m.: Sunday School for Adults, Youth & Children
11:00 a.m.: Worship Service

Events for the week:

Wednesday, Nov 28: Adult Choir Rehearsal at 7:30 p.m. in the Sanctuary
Saturday, Dec 1: Christmas Cantata Rehearsal at 9:00 a.m.; Presbyterian Women decorate the church at 12 noon
Sunday, Dec 2: Youth Sunday

Upcoming Events:

December 4. Stated Session Meeting at 7:30 p.m.
December 9. Celebration of the Sacrament of the Lord’s Supper
December 9. Children’s Christmas Celebration at 6:00 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall. There will be a telling of the Christmas Story, Christmas carols, crafts, refreshments, and a visit from Santa Claus. Everyone is invited to come!
December 11. Presbyterian Women Christmas Dinner at 6:30 p.m.
December 16. Christmas Cantata at 11:00 a.m. and 6:00 p.m. A meal will be served in the Fellowship Hall following the 6:00 p.m. performance. Everyone is invited to come!

The Prayer List

Jeff Anderson, Elaine Andrews, Velma Bost, Josephine Byrd, Stacy Byrd, Carol Clifton, Ronnie Creech, Vera Critcher, Tony Docherty, Sheila Dupree, Bill Embrey, Valerie Ennis, Gene Glasgow, Sheila Ivey, Chris Johnson, Lacy and Marilyn Johnson, David Kopanski, Betty Lou Lee, Carolyn Lewis, Carol Mayben, Carol Nauquin, Jim Parrish, Jenny Parsons, Jonathan Pourron, Peyton Rodgers, Larry Ross, Alice Stephenson, Jimmy Stephenson, Paul Stephenson, Wayne Stephenson, David Stewart, Bobby Stone, Allison Tart, Christine Wallace, and Rosemond and Ann Woodall.

Providence Presbyterian Church



Jesus Christ touching lives through us
and growing His church

MISSION STATEMENT

We believe God’s mission for Providence Presbyterian Church is:
To make new disciples by sharing the gospel through our words and actions,
To nurture existing Christians into a mature faith by worship, fellowship and Christian education,
To serve God by worshipping Him through Jesus Christ by the power of the Holy Spirit,
And to serve our neighbor as Jesus taught us.