



## ANNOUNCEMENTS

**WELCOME HOME.....**we are glad you have joined us for our Homecoming Services today, and invite you to stay in touch with your Providence family throughout the year by visiting our website at [www.providencepresb.org](http://www.providencepresb.org). Our website is updated regularly, including bulletins, newsletters, activities and events.

**NEW MEMBERS CLASS** begins next Sunday, October 18 in the Fellowship Hall at 9:45 a.m. If you are interested in joining our church, or just curious about what Presbyterians believe, please come and join us.

**ADULT BIBLE STUDY.** Please join us on Thursday evenings at 7:00 p.m. All are welcome! The course of study will be determined by the class. Please contact Rev. Davis with any questions.

**APPAREL FUNDRAISER.** We are offering an apparel program this year to help pay for the many youth activities, retreats, service projects, missions and ministries for 2009/2010. Please stop by the Fellowship Hall during Fellowship time and after worship and support our Youth programs by purchasing one or all of the many different clothing items offered. All apparel will bear the Providence Presbyterian Church logo! *All orders are due by November 15.*

### Assisting in Worship this Sunday:

**Ushers:** Tony Bryant, Atlee Roberts, Jimmy Stuart, and Russell Wood  
**Acolyte/Bell Ringer:** Justin Wood  
**Nursery Workers:** Sue Bryant, Jane Pickens, Linda Roberts & Lisa Weatherly

### Assisting in Worship next Sunday, Oct 18:

**Ushers:** Mark Nelms and Charlie Porter      **Acolyte/Bell Ringer:** Riley Wood  
**Children's Church:** Kent and Gwen Walton  
**Nursery:** Lindsey Frampton, Mary & Emily Langdon, and Carolyn Stuart

### Today at Providence:

9:45 a.m.: Sunday School for Children, Youth and Adults  
10:25 a.m.: Fellowship Time for everyone in the Fellowship Hall  
11:00 a.m.: Homecoming during Worship  
5:00 p.m.: Middle and High School Youth Group

### Weekly Events:

**Tuesday, Oct 13:** Stated Session Meeting at 7:00 p.m.  
**Wednesday, Oct 14:** Youth Choir Rehearsal at 6:30 p.m.; Adult Choir Rehearsal at 7:30 p.m. in the Sanctuary  
**Thursday, Oct 15:** Adult Bible Study at 7:00 p.m.

### Upcoming Events:

**October 18.** Pioneer Clubs Hayride at 5:00 p.m.; Youth Group at 5:00 p.m.; Men's Fellowship at 5:30 p.m.  
**October 20.** Presbyterian Women Circle meetings at 10:00 a.m. and 7:30 p.m.  
**October 28.** Youth Choir Rehearsal at 6:30 p.m.

## Prayer List of Joys and Concerns

### **JOYS:**

Congratulations to Brian and Leshia Wheeler on the birth of their daughter, Greenleigh!

### **CONCERNS:**

Elaine Andrews, *Andrea Jones' mother, health concerns*  
Pam Aycock-Grimes, *Robin Grimes' wife, breast cancer*  
Sylvia Barbour, *member of community, recovering from a stroke*  
Jerry Batchelor, *Linda Roberts' nephew-in-law, cancer*  
Edward Bernier, *Pam Collier's father, cancer*  
Jean Blalock, *member of community, cancer*  
Eddie Blanks, *Randy Benson's friend, tumor*  
Jeannie Byers, *John Pickens' sister, degenerative spine*  
Betty Carroll, *Linda Roberts' sister, health concerns*  
Shelby Clifton, *member of community, health concerns*  
Justin Coats, *son of J.L. and Barbara Coats, deployed to Afghanistan*  
Odell Council, *friend of Lisa Nelms, health concerns*  
Sonja Dunn, *Robert Joyner's mom, health concerns*  
Larry Ezzelle, *Brandy Joyner's uncle, cancer*  
Kathryn Harris, *Kay Dry's niece, breast cancer*  
David Kopanski, *John Kopanski's brother, cancer*  
Norbert Kopanski, *John Kopanski's dad, health concerns*  
Ray Manuel, *Nadine Reed's dad, health concerns*  
Carol Mayben, *Sandy Kopanski's sister-in-law, cancer*  
Wanza Mayben, *Sandy Kopanski's mother, health concerns*  
Joan Morris, *friend of Pat Embrey, complications from car accident*  
Olivia Mullis, *Andrea Jones' aunt, health concerns*  
Jeremy Muncert, *friend of community, recovering from car accident*  
Stephen Nicholson, *friend of Melinda Kendall, deployed to Iraq*  
Ray Nooney, *Jon Nooney's father, health concerns*  
Carter Pepper, *2-year old awaiting bone marrow transplant*  
Charles Powell, *Brandy Joyner's uncle, cancer*  
Ina Jean Powell, *Chris Roberts' aunt, cancer*  
Robert Powell, *Brandy Joyner's dad, cancer*  
Pete and Brenda Skinner, *friends of Sue Bryant, health concerns*  
Jimmy Stephenson, *member of community, cancer*  
Michael Tillis, *Chris Nooney's nephew, deployed to Iraq*  
Nan Walker, *Andrea Jones' grandmother, health concerns*  
Angie Walton, *Barbara Walton's daughter-in-law, health concerns*  
Kathy Ward, *friend of Ann Stephenson, lung cancer*  
Carmen Watson, *friend of Brandy Joyner, cancer*  
Ann Woodall, *member of church family, health concerns*

### **Members of the Providence Family in Long-Term Care:**

Alice Honeycutt at *Oak Hill Assisted Living in Angier*  
Brack Johnson at *Classic Care Assisted Living in Smithfield*  
Lacy & Marilyn Johnson at *Britthaven in Smithfield*  
Alice Stephenson at *Oak Hill Assisted Living in Angier*

*Ministers of Providence Presbyterian Church*  
 The People of Providence Presbyterian Church

*Pastor*  
 Rev. Jim Davis

*Session*

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	<u><i>Class of 2009</i></u>	
John Kopanski <i>Personnel &amp; Clerk of Session</i>	Steve Nordan <i>Long-Range Planning</i>	Kent Walton <i>Fellowship</i>
	<u><i>Class of 2010</i></u>	
Sandra Lordi <i>Finance</i>	Mark Nelms <i>Worship</i>	Atlee Roberts <i>Property &amp; Facilities</i>
	<u><i>Class of 2011</i></u>	
Gary Phillips <i>Christian Education</i>	Carolyn Stevenson <i>Mission &amp; Outreach</i>	Russell Wood <i>Congregational Care</i>

*Staff*

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<i>Secretary</i> DeEtta Wood	<i>Music Director</i> Brittany Kefauver
<i>Treasurer - Accounting</i> Joan Littleton	<i>Treasurer - Collections</i> Ann Benson
<i>Organist</i> Ann Stephenson	<i>Pianist</i> DeEtta Wood
<i>Webmaster</i> David Nelms	

**OUR MISSION STATEMENT**

*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 worshiping Him through Jesus Christ  
 by the power of the Holy Spirit,  
 And to serve our neighbor as Jesus taught us.*

**Weekly Statistics**

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Designated Funds Receipts for 10/4 .....	\$15.00
General Fund Receipts for 10/4.....	\$5,446.50
<i>Total Receipts for 10/4.....</i>	<i>\$5,461.50*</i>
Total Receipts for October.....	\$10,613.70*
Revitalization Project total received.....	\$41,249.31
Attendance for October 4.....	102

*\*Receipts include General Fund and Designated Funds*



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