

3rd SUNDAY IN LENT
March 7, 2010

Welcome
Prelude and Acolyte
Announcements

Call to Worship Psalm 50

Leader: *The mighty one, God the LORD, speaks*

People: *and summons the earth from the rising of the sun to its setting.*

Leader: *Out of Zion, the perfection of beauty, God shines forth.*

People: *God calls to the heavens above and to the earth*

Leader: *The heavens declare his righteousness,*

People: *for God himself is judge.*

Leader: *The LORD God says: Call on me in the day of trouble*

People: *I will deliver you, and you shall glorify me.*

Leader: *Those who bring thanksgiving as their sacrifice honor God*

People: *God will show salvation to those who go the right way.*

All: *To God be the glory who is worthy to be praised.*

*Opening Hymn “This is my Father’s World” #21

Confession of Sin (In Unison)

Gracious Lord and Redeemer, You have chosen us as Your own, and called us to love one another as You have loved us. But we fall 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: *Strive first for the kingdom of God and his righteousness*

People: *and all these things will be given to those who live with assurance of Christ as Lord and Savior.*

*Responsive Hymn “O God, You Are My God” # 494

* Greeting and Rites of Friendship

Giving of His Tithes and Our Offerings

Offertory

*Doxology *Hymn # 34*

Prayer of Dedication

Old Testament Scripture Lesson Genesis 12:1-8

Anthem “All People that on Earth Do Dwell” Providence Choir

Musical Interlude

(Children exit with Sam and Wendy Stephenson to Children’s Church)

Morning Prayers and The Lord’s Prayer

New Testament Scripture Lesson Hebrews 2:10-15

Sermon “Called by the One God” Rev. Jim Davis

*Dedication Hymn “God of Grace” #569

*Acolyte and Benediction

*Postlude

**Signifies Congregation to Stand*

March Scripture Passage

⁸ For by grace you have been saved through faith, and this is not your own doing; it is the gift of God -- ⁹ not the result of works, so that no one may boast. ¹⁰ For we are what he has made us, created in Christ Jesus for good works, which God prepared beforehand to be our way of life.

Ephesians 2:8-10

ANNOUNCEMENTS

FELLOWSHIP COMMITTEE. Anyone willing to serve on the Fellowship Committee is invited to attend a meeting on Tuesday, March 9 at 7pm. If you have questions, please contact Kent Walton.

RELAY FOR LIFE Team #59 is accepting pre-orders for Easter suckers to sell at \$1 each. Please place your order with any team member, or contact Brandy Joyner or Stephanie Bagley.

YOUTH BBQ FUNDRAISER. The Youth will host a BBQ Lunch & Dinner on Friday, March 26 from 11 a.m. – 7p.m. All money from sold tickets should be turned in by March 14.

BRIDAL SHOWER. All members of the Providence family are invited to a bridal shower honoring Travis Jones and Brittany Kefauver on Sunday, March 21 from 2:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall. Travis and Brittany are registered at Belks, Walmart, and Bed, Bath & Beyond.

Assisting in Worship this Sunday:

Ushers: Nathan and Kay Dry
Nursery: Mark, Pam and Kendall Nelms, Melinda Kendall

Acolyte/Bell Ringer: Justin Wood

Assisting in Worship next Sunday, Mar 14:

Ushers: John and Sandy Kopanski
Children's Church: Carlos and Stephanie Bagley
Nursery: Pat Davis, Kelly Nordan, Crissy Porter & Carolyn Stuart

Acolyte/Bell Ringer: Abigail Wood

Today at Providence:

9:45 a.m.: Sunday School for Children, Youth and Adults
10:25 a.m.: Fellowship Time in the Fellowship Hall
11:00 a.m. Worship
5:00 p.m.: Pioneer Clubs and Youth Group

Weekly Events:

Monday, Mar 8: Stated Session Meeting at 7:00 p.m.
Tuesday, Mar 9: Fellowship Committee meeting at 7:00 p.m.
Wednesday, Mar 10: Youth Choir Rehearsal at 6:30 p.m.; Adult Choir Rehearsal at 7:30 p.m.
Thursday, Mar 11: Adult Bible Study at 7:00 p.m.
Saturday, Mar 13: Relay for Life Team meeting at 9:00 a.m. to make suckers

Upcoming Events:

March 14. Relay for Life meeting at 3:00 p.m.; Long-Range Planning Committee meeting at 4:00 p.m.
March 21. Bridal Shower for Travis and Brittany from 2pm – 4pm; Pioneer Clubs and Youth Group at 5pm; Men's Fellowship at 5:30 pm.
March 26. Youth BBQ Fundraiser from 11am – 7pm

Prayer List of Joys and Concerns

JOYS:

Praise the Lord for His many blessings!

CONCERNS:

Nancy Allen, *Sheila Dupree's mother, health concerns*
Elaine Andrews, *Andrea Jones' mother, health concerns*
Pam Aycock-Grimes, *Robin Grimes' wife, breast cancer*
Doug Bailey, *member of community, lung cancer*
Elaine Bass, *friend of Sue Bryant, cancer*
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*
Betty Carroll, *Linda Roberts' sister, health concerns*
Glenn Carroll, *Kelly Nordan's father, 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*
Max Denning, *member of community, health concerns*
Halle Eicher, *teenage member of community, migraines*
Barbara Ennis, *aunt of Brenda and Janice, cancer*
Laura Fite, *member of community, colon cancer*
David Kopanski, *John Kopanski's brother, cancer*
Norbert Kopanski, *John Kopanski's dad, health concerns*
Laura Krivac, *friend of Pam Collier, cancer*
J.R. Lee, *member of community, recovering from a stroke*
Carol Mayben, *Sandy Kopanski's sister-in-law, cancer*
Wanza Mayben, *Sandy Kopanski's mother, health concerns*
Denise Napp, *friend of Brenda Byrd, breast cancer*
Thomas Nooney, *Jon Nooney's uncle, stroke*
Maxine O'Connell, *friend of Lisa Nelms, cancer*
Carter Pepper, *2-year old who recently received a bone marrow transplant*
Tommy Pope, *friend of Brenda Dupree, cancer*
Charles Powell, *Brandy Joyner's uncle, cancer*
Sybil Ross, *friend of Johnny & Elaine Wood, stroke*
Kathy Ryals, *member of church family, health concerns*
Matthew Shattell, *friend of Pam Collier, deployed to Afghanistan*
Jerry Shaw, *Kathy Ryals' cousin, heart attack*
Pete and Brenda Skinner, *friends of Sue Bryant, health concerns*
Benny Smith, *member of community, liver cancer*
Danny Stephenson, *Edsel and Lou Penny's son-in-law, heart problems*
Michael Tillis, *Chris Nooney's nephew, deployed to Iraq*
Bunny Walker, *Andrea Jones' aunt, cancer health concerns*
Molly Ward, *friend of Brenda Byrd, health concerns*
Carmen Watson, *friend of Brandy Joyner, cancer*
Kay Williams, *friend of Sandy Kopanski, cancer*
Ann Woodall, *member of church family, health concerns*
Our Christian Sympathy to.....
The family of Billy Blackmon
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 (Phone# 919.938.4492)
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

Class of 2010

Sandra Lordi <i>Long-Range Planning</i>	Mark Nelms <i>Worship</i>	Atlee Roberts <i>Property & Facilities</i>
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Class of 2011

Gary Phillips <i>Christian Education</i>	Carolyn Stevenson <i>Mission & Outreach</i>	Russell Wood <i>Congregational Care</i>
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Class of 2012

Laura McLamb <i>Personnel & Clerk of Session</i>	Kristy Stephenson <i>Finance</i>	Kent Walton <i>Fellowship</i>
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<i>Secretary</i> DeEtta Wood	<i>Music Director</i> Brittany Kefauver
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<i>Treasurer - Accounting</i> Joan Littleton	<i>Treasurer - Collections</i> Ann Benson
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<i>Organist</i> Ann Stephenson	<i>Pianist</i> DeEtta Wood
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Webmaster
 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

Designated Funds Receipts for 2/28.....	\$145
General Fund Receipts for 2/28.....	\$2,436.35
<i>Total Receipts for 2/28.....</i>	<i>\$2,581.35*</i>
Total Receipts for February.....	\$13,381.61
Revitalization Project total received.....	\$51,789.31
Attendance for Sunday School February 28.....	52
Attendance for Worship February 28.....	105

**Receipts include General and Designated Funds*



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