

## WELCOME TO WORSHIP AT PROVIDENCE

We welcome you to the worship of Almighty God. Providence is an evangelical, conservative Christian church. Our hallmarks are joy, friendliness, and Christian zeal. If you are a visitor, we hope that you will sense the joy and spiritual energy that our church family shares. Our hope is that you will experience the Living God in this place. We invite you to join with us in our mission to **CAUSE GOD JOY!**

We have **large-print copies of today's bulletin and hymns** and wireless receivers, if you have difficulty hearing. Please ask an usher or inquire at the table in the Narthex. **Childcare** is offered during worship for infants and children through the first grade in the Mills Building. If you prefer to worship as a family, the Narthex is equipped with speakers if your infant should grow restless. **Copies of *Our Daily Bread* devotional book are available in the Narthex and the Church Office.**

If you would like to provide flowers for our worship service, the 2010 sign up sheet is in the Narthex. There are several Sundays during the year that still need to be taken and this is a nice way to honor a loved one. Call Gene Ann Ellison, 671-2748, with any questions.

<u>Today in worship:</u>	9:00 a.m.	11:00 a.m.
<b>Greeters</b>	Betty & Jason Watson	Kathy & Joe Alexander June Eggert
<b>Visitor Angels</b>	Emily & Jim Webb	Marilyn Hopper
<b>Head Usher</b>	Ward Hinze	Warner Plahs
<b>Ushers</b>	Lynda Hinze Eric Magnin Ron Sadler	Ed Brown Chris Walker Lisa Walker
<b>Youth Ushers</b>	Nicholas Magnin Tyler Magnin	Justin Perez Grace Berrigan
<b>Acolytes</b>	Tyler Magnin	Grace Berrigan
<b>Children's Church</b>	Gary Sabbatino	Jill Farrar
<b>Beadle</b>	Pete deHebreard	JoAnn Meier
<b>Stephen Ministers</b>	Jack Dempsey	

**Stephen Ministers** assisting Dr. Lifer with pastoral notes following services today are Pat Dempsey and Ruth Germany.

**We Invite You to Join Us.** If you are interested in joining our faithful Providence Family, please speak with Dr. Lifer or Dr. Armistead following worship, or call the church office (842-5673).

**Providence Media Outreach:** Today's sermon is available on CD immediately following the service, outside the Narthex on the CD cart. A donation of \$5 is requested. DVDs of today's entire service will be available in the church office Monday afternoon. Call Jenny Douglas in the church office, (842-5673), or order online at [www.CauseGodJoy.com](http://www.CauseGodJoy.com).

## STEWARDSHIP

**BECOMING PARTNERS IN GOD'S WORK:** "Remember this my children .... two thousand years ago the world was filled with those in need, just as it is today, and when the helpless and the hopeless called out to me for mercy, I sent a savior." Are you cheerful in your heart about giving your offering to the Lord, or is it a task? Do you pray about the amount you give and respond to the extra blessings God has given you during the previous week? If you receive a raise at work, do you increase your giving proportionately? It is traditional to make an offering as a way to show our gratitude to the giver of all gifts. Are we going through the motions, or is our heart in our giving?

### CHRISTIAN EDUCATION - 10:10 SUNDAY SCHOOL

**Sunday Nursery, 9 a.m. to noon:** "Our Little Blessings" Nursery provides a Christian experience for ages 0-3 and is located in the Mills Building.

**REMINDER:** There is no Sunday School this week. Instead, we invite you to join us for the Youth Pancake Brunch Fundraiser in Fellowship Hall. Sunday School will resume next Sunday, February 7<sup>th</sup>.

## DISCIPLESHIP & FELLOWSHIP

**CHILDREN AND YOUTH:** Join us on Wednesdays for LOGOS (4:00 p.m.) and YouthROC (5:30 p.m.) Come and bring a friend!

**TODAY IS 5<sup>TH</sup> SUNDAY** and there is a Pancake Brunch in the Fellowship Hall from 10:00 - 11:00 a.m. and 12:00 - 1:00 p.m. Adults are \$10 and children 12 and under \$5. Enjoy a delicious brunch while supporting the youth mission team. The youth are headed back to Lakeshore, Mississippi in June to continue in the relief efforts with our friends at Lakeshore Baptist Church. This fundraiser will be a great time of fellowship and fun. Sign up at tables outside the narthex today. Thank you for supporting the Youth of Providence!

**NEW BIBLE STUDY FOR WOMEN** on Tuesdays at 10:00 a.m. in the Fellowship Hall. Join us as we study Priscilla Shirer's, *He Speaks to Me*. Cost is \$25 and includes the workbook, DVD sessions and coffee each session. There is a sign up sheet in the church office. Contact Alora for additional information, registration, workbooks or questions. Your check is your registration. All checks should be made payable to Alora McAlister. Phone 338-2204 or email [ppcbiblestudy@gmail.com](mailto:ppcbiblestudy@gmail.com).

**A HEART FOR JESUS - A HEART FOR PRAYER:** Tuesday, February 16<sup>th</sup>, Women's Ministry Retreat and Luncheon 9:30a.m. - 1:00 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall. Come hear Cindy Foster as she explores the Biblical guidelines for prayer. Cost of \$10 includes lunch. Sign up today outside the Narthex.

**AN INVITATION:** The anthem today is one of the pieces we will be doing with the composer, Pepper Choplin. Pepper will be at Providence Church for a Music Clinic on Saturday, March 13. You are invited to join us in learning some new music, fellowshiping with fun people, and performing in a concert on Saturday evening. In addition, you will have the opportunity to sing a beautiful piece with the choir on Sunday morning during worship services. Do not miss this chance to meet a popular composer of church music and learn from him! Contact Paul Elgin, 842-5673, for more information.

Ruth Circle will meet tomorrow, February 1<sup>st</sup>, at 10:00 a.m., at the home of Helen Soutter. **Mary Martha Circle** will meet Wednesday, February 3<sup>rd</sup>, at 10:30 a.m. at the home of Nancy Lee.

**Providence Men, transform your mind, heart, and soul.** A new trimester of men's discipleship studies is about to begin and we encourage you to join our band of brothers as we seek to grow in our faith together. **Monday February 1 at 6:30 p.m. is our Open House BBQ Dinner** in the Mills Building. Meet us for a great meal, wonderful fellowship, and the opportunity to learn more about our offerings. **Classes begin the week of February 8.** Please look for more information at sign up tables and through the mail. Call Paul Cifaldi (301-6640) or Bob Linneman (842-7542) with questions and for more information.

**Meet N Greet Dinner Groups begin soon!** Sign up today outside the Narthex to join Meet N Greet! Groups of 6 or 8 meet in homes 4 times a year and the entire group gets together twice a year. Dinners begin in February. For more information, contact Ruth Giles at 338-0755.

**Are you SEARCHING for a way to give back to The Lord?** Looking for a fun and easy way to get involved? *Join the Coffee Club today!* A simple 30 minutes on Sunday...nothing to buy or bring. Training and support will be provided and the schedule is flexible. Sign up today outside the Narthex or call Gloria Scott in the church office (842-5673) and tell her what date you would like to HELP!

### 2010 Church Leaders and their Ministry Areas

<u>ELDER</u>	<u>MINISTRY</u>
Lynn Clanton	Mission
Sonja Gorman	Stewardship
David Grandt	Clerk
Paul Grier	Assimilation
Jennifer Jenkins	Children's Ministries
Suzanna Johnston	Youth Ministries
Don Leech	Worship & Music
Carolyn Martin	Personnel
John Ortega	Buildings & Grounds
Rich Prange	Communications
Jay Pruehs	Discipleship
Kate Rechin	Worship & Music
Phil Smith	Discipleship
Elaine Thomas	Discipleship
Charlotte Willis	Evangelism
<u>DEACONS</u>	<u>MINISTRY</u>
Sue Creighton	Visitation
Sterling Hight	Local Mission
Larry Janson	Communications
Wanda Kleinert	Fellowship
Vicki Lich	Shepherding
Nancy Lifer	Local Mission
Johnna Marbut	Youth Ministries
Alora McAlister	Fellowship
Warren Norris	Fellowship
Tom Rasch	Fellowship, Youth Ministries
Joanne Revie	Bldg. & Grnds., Loc.Missions
Chuck Russell	Shepherding
Jennings Snider	Discipleship/Prayer

# Providence Presbyterian Church

January 31, 2010 4th Sunday in Ordinary Time 9:00 and 11:00 a.m.

Gathering Music Sonata No. 5 G. F. Handel  
*Larghetto, Allegro, Giga*  
Irene King, Flute; Susan Glenn, Piano

Striking of the Bell

Welcome and Announcements

Moment for Mission Adult Sunday School Dr. Mike Armistead

Opening Prayer

Introit *Thy Word* A. Grant & M. Smith

Call to Worship

\* Hymn 359 *Alleluia, Alleluia! Give Thanks* ALLELUIA NO. 1

\* The Second Helvetic Confession, Chapter 1, Par. 1

We believe and confess the canonical Scriptures of the holy prophets and apostles of both Testaments to be the true Word of God, and to have sufficient authority of themselves, not of men. For God himself spoke to the fathers, prophets, apostles, and still speaks to us through the Holy Scriptures.

\*\* Praise *Gloria Patri*

*Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost,  
as it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be,  
world without end. Amen. Amen*

Anthem *Siciliana, from Sonata No. 5* G. F. Handel  
Irene King, Flute

Morning Prayer and *The Lord's Prayer* (Hymn 631)

Time for Young Disciples Jill Farrar  
Children's Church available for ages 4-1<sup>st</sup> grade in the Chapel in the Mills Building  
(Please pass the Friendship Pads at this time.)

\* Hymn 583 (verse 1) *You Are My All in All* JERNIGAN

\* Prayer of Dedication

Offering the Gifts of our Life and Labor to the Lord

Offertory Music *Music of the Morning* P. Choplin  
Chancel Choir and Irene King, Flute

Scripture Luke 4:16-21 (Page 1075 in the pew Bible)

Trimester Theme: The WORD on the Word

Sermon "Yes, Now! (Part 1): God and Gospel in the Present Tense"  
Dr. Martin Lifer

\* Hymn 438 (verses 1 & 4) *Jesus Saves!* JESUS SAVES

\* Invitation to Christian Commitment

\* Closing Prayer and Blessing

\* Choral Response *God Be With You Till We Meet Again* W. Tomer

\* Postlude *Basse de Trompette* L. Marchand  
Susan Glenn, Guest Organist

\* Those who are able, please stand

\*\* Latecomer seating

## THIS WEEK AT PROVIDENCE

Monday, February 1, 2010

10:00 a.m. Ruth Circle (home of Helen Soutter)

3:00 p.m. Granny's Laps (Room 5)

6:30 p.m. Men's Discipleship Open House (Mills Building)

Tuesday, February 2

9:00 a.m. ESL (Mills Building)

9:45 a.m. PCC Music (Mills Chapel)

10:00 a.m. Women's Bible Study (Fellowship Hall)

4:00 p.m. Early Bird Anchor Group (Library)

5:30 p.m. Stephen Ministry (Mills Building)

Wednesday, February 3

8:00 a.m. Men's Bible Breakfast (Parlor)

9:30 a.m. PCC Chapel (Mills Chapel)

10:30 a.m. Mary Martha Circle (home of Nancy Lee)

4:00 p.m. Men's Fellowship (Library)

4:00 p.m. LOGOS (Campus Wide)

4:30 p.m. Praise Band rehearsal (Chapel in the Woods)

5:30 p.m. YouthROC (Campus Wide)

6:00 p.m. Adult Bible Study (Library)

Thursday, February 4

9:30 a.m. Esther Circle

11:30 a.m. Providence Prays (Library)

3:00 p.m. Granny's Laps (Room 5)

3:30 p.m. Contemplative Prayer Group (Parlor)

4:00 p.m. Praying the Scriptures (Small Conference Room)

7:00 p.m. Chancel Choir (Music Room)

Friday, February 5

9:00 a.m. Men's Bible Study (Mills Conference Room)



Is today too much like yesterday? Is the promise of tomorrow boring and looking like a replay of today? Depressed on the inside and coping on the outside? Do you really think that this is what God had in mind when he made you? -To be cut off from the great joy that He promises? Call a Stephen Minister and let yourself be listened to and loved. Call Patty Schroeder at 671-2481 or Jack Dempsey at 686-6270 and see if having a Stephen Minister in your life is right for you. It's confidential, it's free, and it's there for you ~ today.

**Presbyterian Men of the Church** invite you attend their Valentine's Day Dinner and Dance on Thursday, February 11<sup>th</sup>, 6:00 p.m., at the Bear Creek Golf Club. Cost will be \$30 per person (\$60 per couple.) Featured entertainment will be **The Headliners**. Advance reservations are required. Make check payable to Presbyterian Men of the Church and send to Bob Heidrich, 37 Cypress Marsh Drive, HHI, SC 29926. Questions? - Call Bob at 681-9534

## Cause God Joy

January 31, 2010

Rev. Dr. Martin Lifer, *Senior Pastor*

Rev. Christopher Benek, *Associate Pastor of Family Ministries*

Rev. Dr. Mike Armistead, *Temporary Parish Associate*

Rev. Dr. Gerald Mills, *Pastor Emeritus*

Betty Shirley, *Lay Pastor serving at TidePointe*

Paul Elgin, *Director of Music Ministries*

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