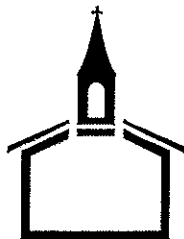


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February 16, 2020



Providence
Presbyterian Church

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Who is Providence?

Our Purpose: Providence Presbyterian Church exists to make disciples.

¹⁸ And Jesus came up and spoke to them, saying, "All authority has been given to Me in heaven and on earth. ¹⁹ Go therefore and make disciples of all the nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and the Son and the Holy Spirit, ²⁰ teaching them to observe all that I commanded you; and lo, I am with you always, even to the end of the age." (Matthew 28:18-20)

Our Vision: Providence Presbyterian Church works to see every man, woman, and child in the world trusting Jesus Christ. To accomplish this we will **engage** in relationships with people who are new to us; **equip** each other to love and serve Jesus Christ; and **empower** one another to own and expand our ministries.

Welcome

We are happy you are worshiping with us today. If you are new to Providence, please fill out a visitor card located in the pockets on the chair backs or sign in using the pew pads. We also invite you to pick up a gift bag on the welcome table.

In Need of Prayer?

The office staff meets every Tuesday morning and prays for the needs of the church. If you would like prayer, please fill out a Prayer Card which can be found in the chair in front of you and place it in the offering plate or in the "Giving Box" to the left of the office door.

Children & Youth

A nursery is available for infants and toddlers through 2 years of age during the worship service. Children's Church is also offered for children from 3 years of age through Kindergarten prior to the sermon. See an usher if you have any questions.

Hearing Assistance

If you have a hearing impairment and would like an assistive listening device, please ask one of the ushers.

E-giving

If you would like to give electronically, scan the QR code to the right:



Office Hours

The office is open Tuesday through Fridays, 8:30 AM to 12:30 PM.

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Order of Worship

“For I determined to know nothing among you except Jesus Christ, and Him crucified.”
-1 Corinthians 2:2

Welcome and Announcements

Darryl MacPherson

Responsive Call to Worship

Ephesians 1:7-13

In Him we have redemption through His blood,

the forgiveness of our trespasses,

according to the riches of His grace

which He lavished on us.

In all wisdom and insight He made known to us the mystery of His will,

according to His kind intention which He purposed in Him

with a view to an administration suitable to the fullness of the times,

that is, the summing up of all things in Christ,

things in the heavens and things on the earth.

In Him also we have obtained an inheritance,

having been predestined according to His purpose who works all things after the counsel of His will,

to the end that we who were the first to hope in Christ would be to the praise of His glory.

Invocation and Confession of Sin

Declaration of Forgiveness

Ephesians 1:7

“⁷In Him we have redemption through His blood, the forgiveness of our trespasses, according to the riches of His grace.”

Songs of Praise

When I Survey the Wondrous Cross

F C F Gm D Gm F C F

1. When I sur - vey the won - drous cross on which the
 2. For - bid it, Lord, that I should boast, save in the
 3. See, from his head, his hands, his feet, sor - row and
 4. Were the whole realm of na - ture mine, that were a

6 Bb F C7 F C7 F C F C F Gm D

Prince of glo - ry died, my rich - est gain I
 death of Christ my God: all the vain things that
 love flow min - gled down: did e'er such love and
 pres - ent far too small; love so a - maz - ing

11 Gm F C F C7 Dm Gm C7 F

count but loss, and pour con - tempt on all my pride.
 charm me most, I sac - ri - fice them to his blood.
 sor - row meet, or thorns com - pose so rich a crown?
 so di - vine, de - mands my soul, my life, my all.

Here I Am to Worship

D A Em D A

Light of the world, You stepped down in-to dark-ness, o - pened my eyes, let me
King of all days, oh so high - ly ex - alt - ed, glo - rious in heav - en a -

4 G D A Em D A

— see. — Beau - ty that made this heart — a - dore You, hope of a life spent with
— bove. Hum - bly You came to the earth You cre - a - ted, all for love's sake be - came

8 G ⊕ A D A/C#

— You. So here I am to wor - ship, here I am to bow down, here I am to
— poor.

12 D/F# G D

say that You're my God. — You're al - to - geth - er love - ly, al - to - geth - er

15 A/C# D/F# G

wor - thy, al - to - geth - er won - der - ful to me. — And I'll nev -

19 A/C# D G A/C# D

- er know how much — it cost — to see — my sin — up - on

22 G G To Coda 3. D

— that cross. And I'll ne - that cross. —

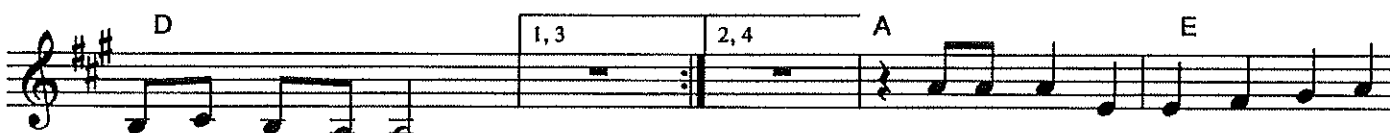
Blessed Be Your Name



1. Bless - ed be ___ Your name ___ in the land that ___ is plen -
 2. Bless - ed be ___ Your name ___ when I'm found in ___ the des -
 3. Bless - ed be ___ Your name ___ when the sun's shin - ing down
 4. Bless - ed be ___ Your name ___ on the road marked with suf -



- ti - ful, ___ where Your streams of ___ a - bun - dance flow, ___ bless -
 - ert place, though I walk through the wil - der - ness, ___ bless -
 - on me, ___ when the world's "all ___ as it ___ should be," ___ bless -
 - fer - ing, ___ though there's pain in ___ the of - fer - ing, ___ bless -



ed be Your name. Ev-'ry bless-ing You pour out I'll
 ed be Your name.
 ed be Your name.
 ed be Your name.



turn back to praise. When the dark-ness clos - es in Lord, still I will



say, "Bless-ed be the name of ___ the ___ Lord, ___ bless-ed be Your name.



Bless-ed be the name of ___ the ___ Lord, ___ bless-ed be Your glo - ri - ous name."

_____ You give and take a - way, You

give and take a - way. My heart will chose to say, "Lord,

bless - ed be Your name." You name." Bless-ed be the

name of the Lord, bless-ed be Your name. Bless-ed be the

name of the Lord, bless - ed be Your glo - ri - ous name.

Bless-ed be the _____

Scripture Reading

1 John 5:1-12

¹Whoever believes that Jesus is the Christ is born of God, and whoever loves the Father loves the child born of Him. ²By this we know that we love the children of God, when we love God and observe His commandments. ³For this is the love of God, that we keep His commandments; and His commandments are not burdensome. ⁴For whatever is born of God overcomes the world; and this is the victory that has overcome the world—our faith. ⁵Who is the one who overcomes the world, but he who believes that Jesus is the Son of God? ⁶This is the One who came by water and blood, Jesus Christ; not with the water only, but with the water and with the blood. It is the Spirit who testifies, because the Spirit is the truth. ⁷For there are three that testify: ⁸the Spirit and the water and the blood; and the three are in agreement. ⁹If we receive the testimony of men, the testimony of God is greater; for the testimony of God is this, that He has testified concerning His Son. ¹⁰The one who believes in the Son of God has the testimony in himself; the one who does not believe God has made Him a liar, because he has not believed in the testimony that God has given concerning His Son. ¹¹And the testimony is this, that God has given us eternal life, and this life is in His Son. ¹²He who has the Son has the life; he who does not have the Son of God does not have the life.”

Congregational Prayer

Vince Wood

Offering Ourselves to God

Only Jesus

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Sermon

Dr. Vincent Wood

“³I thank my God in all my remembrance of you, ⁴always offering prayer with joy in my every prayer for you all, ⁵in view of your participation in the gospel from the first day until now.”
-*Philippians 1:3-5*

Sermon Notes

I. I will _____ . (vv. 3-4)

A. _____ .

B. _____ .

C. _____ .

II. I will _____ in the _____ . (v. 5)

A. I _____ .

B. I will _____ it.

Song of Commitment

More About Jesus Would I Know

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1. More a - bout Je - sus would I know, more of his grace to
 2. More a - bout Je - sus let me learn, more of his ho - ly
 3. More a - bout Je - sus; in his Word, hold - ing com - mu - nion
 4. More a - bout Je - sus on his throne, rich - es in glo - ry

G Am D7 G Am

oth - ers show; more of his sav - ing full - ness see, more of his love who
 will dis - cern; Spir - it of God, my teach - er be, show - ing the things of
 with my Lord; hear - ing his voice in ev - 'ry line, mak - ing each faith - ful
 all his own; more of his king - dom's sure in - crease; more of his com - ing,

REFRAIN

G D7 G G D G

died for me.
 Christ to me. More, more a - bout Je - sus, more, more a - bout Je - sus,
 say - ing mine. Prince of Peace.

Am D7 G Am G D7 G 1

more of his sav - ing full ness see, more of his love who died for me.

Updates & Information

Attendance (1.9.20)	
8:30 AM	48
10:30 AM	105
Sunday School	46

Financials (1.9.20)	
Weekly Giving	\$8,267.73
YTD Giving	\$42,101.63
YTD Budgeted Expenses	\$54,994,.73

Volunteers	This Sunday (2/16)	Next Sunday (2/23)
<i>Ushers — 8:30 AM 10:30 AM</i>	Gary Petersen Jerry Reath	Chris Oles Mark Montgomery
<i>Counters</i>	Scott Wisner Gary Petersen	Doug Dickey Charlie Richcreek
<i>Nursery — 8:30 AM</i>	Margaret Ramage	Karen Montgomery Lauri Brady
<i>Nursery — 10:30 AM</i>	Jamie Menges Caitlyn Craig	Cindy Alleman Trena Ruhs
<i>Children's Worship</i>	Cindy & Tim Alleman	Darryl MacPherson
<i>Sound — 8:30 10:30</i>	Andrea Denning	Andrea Denning
<i>Livestream — 8:30 10:30</i>	Lennon Mazonde Lauri Brady	Hannah Menges Hannah Menges

Please pray for...

Sister Church: Harvest Presbyterian Lampeter
Missionaries: Jamie & Jacki Gildard MTW, France
PPC Ministry: Refuge Ministries & Voices Conference

Providence Prayer Concerns:

Nancy Beam, Dorothy Foster (Judy Jackson's cousin), Barb Hetrick (Nathan Schmuck's mom), Judy Jackson, Bob Jury, Judy McCoy

Homebound Members:

Kenny Burke, Nancy Burnside, Bob Jury, Sara Kerchner, Betty McClure,
 Betty Pinkernell, Lois Ruppert, Connie Shade, Margaret Turner, Don Weigle

Email ppc@yorkpca.org to add or remove your name from the prayer list or to receive prayer-chain emails.

Meet Sara Kerchner...

Sara was born March 23, 1930 in Sunnyburn, York and became a member of Pine Grove Presbyterian Church. At age 4, Sara lost her father in a drowning accident. Sara played the accordion and piano and at age 12 saw her mother remarry which moved the family to Collinsville PA. Sara graduated from Lower Chanceford H.S. in 1948. Sara worked in the cannery in Brogue, PA and at Werts Store in Collinsville, PA. where she and Maurice met before marrying in July of 1950. During her 64 years of marriage, Sara served as homemaker, mom, and wife of a Re-activated Reservist which moved them to Indiana. Before coming to PPC, Sara was very active in her church choir, women's ministry, visitation to the elderly, teaching pre-school Sunday School, the church "rummage sale", and with raising 2 boys and 2 girls. In December of 1997, the Kerchners became members of PPC. Sara has 5 grandchildren and 7 great grandchildren. Sara was widowed in December of 2014 and moved to The Haven At Springwood in south east York in January of 2016.

February Reading List

1. The Pilgrim's Progress - John Bunyan. This is a significant religious allegory: a story filled with characters that interact with the main character "Christian" as he searches for the "Celestial City." Written in 1678 it is available in Old English as well as updated versions.
2. The Pilgrim's Progress (rewritten for children 6-12). Look for it under Great Commission Publications which provides material for our children's Sunday School.
3. The Case for Christ - Lee Strobel. Strobel is a journalist with a legal background who called himself a skeptic and an atheist. He decides to personally investigate the evidence to see if Jesus Christ is really who he claims to be.

Winter Sunday School (12/1~2/23)

The Book of Acts: Beginning December 1st, the adult Sunday school will be studying the New Testament book of Acts. The unique commentary, Acts: a Visual Guide, will set the stage for each week's lesson. Acts is the divinely inspired history of early church. As Calvin says, "The things that Luke sets down for our instruction are great things and of extraordinary benefit. At the beginning when he reports that the Holy Spirit was sent to the apostles, he not only confirms that Christ was true to the promises he made, but he teaches that he also remembers his own and is the perpetual governor of his church, because the Holy Spirit has descended for that purpose. From this we learn that spatial distance does not prevent Christ from being always present with his own as he promised." Acts, Calvin says, is "a kind of vast treasure."

Youth Sunday School — Classes are offered for all children from age 2 through High school. See Darryl MacPherson if you have questions.

Announcements & Opportunities

Women's Events Planning Meeting

We will be having a meeting at 12:00 noon in Room 1 Sunday March 8th here at PPC. For anyone interested in helping with women's events in 2020. (Spring tea, Christmas dinner etc...) If you'd like to help coordinate or help work on these events, please come! We'd love ideas as well. Lunch will be provided. If you have any questions, please contact Robin Wood at rmwood1985@gmail.com.

Pictorial Directories

The pictorial directories are here! If you participated, your directory is in the narthex with your name on it. The regular 2020 directories are also printed and available for whomever else would like a directory.

Church Work Day

The deacons are planning a work day here at PPC for May 9th, 2020. There is always a list of things to do and plenty of work to go around. Please speak with any of the deacons (page 15) if you are interested, willing, and able to help.



Inquirer's Class UPDATE!

PPC will begin its next inquirers class March 1st during Sunday school at 9am on Sunday mornings. Topics to be covered include: What is the Church? Who is Providence? What do we believe? How can I become a member and get involved? Please sign up on the sheet in the narthex if you are interested.

Belize 2020 Youth and Adult Mission Trip July 4 - 11

PPC will be going back to Belize in 2020, July 4th - 11th. This trip will involve construction and VBS in Patchakan. If you are interested or have any questions, please contact Pastor Wood at vwood@yorkpca.org.

Life Line Screening

February is National Heart month. Lifeline will be offering screenings here at Providence on Thursday, February 20th. To schedule a screening call 888-653-6450 or visit www.LifeLineScreening.com/community-partners.

24th Annual Women's Retreat

Trinity PCA and Hershey PCA are holding their annual Women's Retreat this year March 6-8. The retreat will be held at Kenbrook Bible Camp in Lebanon. Please see the flyers on the bulletin board in the narthex for more information.

Missionaries We Support

Providence Presbyterian Church is blessed to be able to support both financially and prayerfully the following missionaries and ministries:

Worldwide Missionaries:

- ◆ Chuck & Barbara A. (MTW)*
- ◆ Dean & Kyria B. (MTW)
- ◆ Craig & Ree Coulbourne (MTW)
- ◆ Phil & Barb D. (MTW)
- ◆ Jamie & Jacki Gildard (MTW)
- ◆ Rob & Jenny Ilderton (MTW)
- ◆ Samy & Carol Foucachon
(Global Outreach Mission)
- ◆ Tim & Barbara Yates (Friends
of Chinese Reformed)
- ◆ Gordy & Grace Z. (Pioneers)

National Missionaries:

- ◆ Trip & Joy Beans, Reformed University Fellowship, Millersville University
- ◆ Cam Smith, Reformed University Fellowship, Penn State
- ◆ Richard Smith, RUF—International, Penn State
- ◆ Chris & Rebecca Knaebel, Mission to North America, Sarasota, FL
- ◆ Chuck & Nancy Snyder, Deaf Reformed Ministries, York, PA

Local Ministries:

- ◆ Good News Jail & Prison Ministry
- ◆ Human Life Services
- ◆ New Hope Ministries
- ◆ New Life for Girls
- ◆ Search Ministries
- ◆ LifePath Ministries

If you want to know more about our missionaries, detailed information and recent prayer letters can be found at the missionary kiosk. Pre-addressed and stamped cards are also available. Pick one up and send a cheerful note to a missionary today!



Ministry to Missionaries: Vince & Robin Wood minister to Michael & Robin McMahan, their assigned overseas MTW missionary family serving in Africa. Providence supports this vitally important work that Vince and Robin do and appreciate your prayers for the McMahans.

* MTW—Mission to the World, a ministry of the Presbyterian Church in America.

Small Groups and Bible Studies at Providence

Bulletin Folders—Contact Larry at lmhughes155@msn.com

East York Home Fellowship—Contact Sue at spalmer85@gmail.com

Grandview at Shiloh Small Group—Contact George at geobon@comcast.net

Ladies Bible Study—Contact Shannon at shannonhawk@comcast.net

Men's Bible Study/Breakfast—Contact Chris at (717) 880-2441

Prayer Group—Contact Nancy at nedickey@juno.com

Saginaw Fellowship—Contact Nancy at nedickey@juno.com

Shiloh Family Community Group—Contact Jamilah at jamilahgregory@gmail.com

Women's Bible Study—Contact Kathy at kathyhassinger@gmail.com

Young Adults Small Group—Contact Noah at ntrask@yorkpca.org

Young Men's Mid-High School Bible Study—Contact Noah at ntrask@yorkpca.org

Young Women's Mid-High School Bible Study—Contact Sarah at sarah.coutts94@gmail.com

Contacts

Elders—Tim Alleman, Jon Burke, Russ Denning, Jay Hassinger, Darryl MacPherson, Dennis Ohme, Rick Ramage.

Deacons—John Burnsworth, Doug Dickey (Treasurer), Tyler MacPherson, Gary Petersen, Nathan Smith

Pastor	Dr. Vincent Wood	vwood@yorkpca.org
Pastoral Associate	Darryl MacPherson	dmacpherson@yorkpca.org
Director of Youth & Young Adults	Noah Trask	ntrask@yorkpca.org
Bookkeeper/ Office Manager	Jill Oles	joles@yorkpca.org
Administrative Assistant / Music Director	Patrick Wood	ppc@yorkpca.org / pwood@yorkpca.org

This Week at Providence

Sunday, February 16

- 8:30 AM Worship Service
- 9:00 AM Sunday School
- 10:30 AM Worship Service
- 6:00 PM C.R.E.W. Youth group

Monday, February 17

- 6:30 PM Young Men's Bible Study
- 6:30 PM Young Women's Bible Study
- 7:00 PM Grandview at Shiloh Small Group

Tuesday, February 18

- 1:00 PM Ladies Craft Group
- 7:00 PM East York Home Fellowship

Wednesday, February 19

- 9:30 AM Helping Hands
- 7:00 PM Music Team Practice

Thursday, February 20

- 8:30 AM Life Line Screening
- 6:30 PM Prayer Meeting
- 7:00 PM Young Adult Small Group
- 7:00 PM Prison Ministry Team to York County Prison

Friday, February 21

- 8:30 AM Bulletin Folders
- 6:30 PM Saginaw Fellowship

Saturday, February 22

- 7:30 AM Christian Leadership Class—Doctrine

Sunday, February 23

- 8:30 AM Worship Service
- 9:00 AM Sunday School
- 10:30 AM Worship Service
- 6:00 PM C.R.E.W. Youth group