Fun · Fellowship · Service · Enrichment Opportunities

PPC Youth Group - All youth grades 6-12 are invited to join us **today from 5:00 pm - 7:00 pm** in the fellowship hall as we prepare for the youth service on **Sunday, February 11**. Bring your script and your energy! For more information contact Ashley at **ashdogger@me.com**.

JCOC – On Friday, February 9 Providence will provide meals and serve the homeless. Volunteers are needed to prepare and serve meals for the shelter, donate food, or donate financially. If donating food or volunteering, please sign up at church or online. For more information, contact **Nick Bolton at nick@cardinalmessenger.com**

Family Fusion - Sunday, February 11 You are invited to join us in the parlor at 12:15pm. We believe when families make time for faith, fellowship, and fun, everything changes! Life becomes less stressful, relationships grow, and Christ's community strengthens. Please sign up on the bulletin board at church. For more information, please contact Karen and Rick Moore at karenmoore16@aol.com.

Men's Valentine's Dinner - Saturday, February 10 at 5:00 pm - 7:30 pm. Join us for a great evening of food and fellowship. Ticket costs is \$20.00 per person and will be on sale after worship. There is a signup sheet at the church. For more information please contact Aaron Gilbert at agilbert95@ymail.com.

Valentine Goodie Boxes – Attention parents of college students, recent high school graduates or those serving in the armed forces! On **Sunday**, **February 11** after worship we will be packing goodie boxes to mail on Monday, February 12. If you wish for your child to receive one, please make sure the church office has your child's current address on file **by February 9.** Providence will happily send them one of our annual Valentine boxes. For more information, please contact **Karen Dixon** at **kdixonvab@gmail.com**

Ash Wednesday Worship - Join us for Ash Wednesday worship on **Wednesday, February 14, at 7:00 p.m. in the Parlor**. This is a quiet, reflective way to begin the Lenten season with scripture, song, and the imposition of ashes.

Care Team Leader Announcement - Care Team Coordinator, Cecilia Daley, is requesting all current Care Team Leaders submit a Care Team Leader form by February 18. A copy of the form can be acquired through our weekly newsletter or in the office. Return the completed copy to **Cecilia or the Church Office** by **February 18.**

Care Team Opportunity - Care team is looking for volunteers to assist as a Care Team Leader for the upcoming year. This is a great opportunity to be a servant and meet others in our church family. What is a Care Team Leader? A Care Team Leader is a spiritually led person willing to be responsible for a group of about five church families, keep them in prayer, and lend an ear when there is a need or concern. Care Team Leaders will be in a liaison between the leaders, minister, and congregation, assisting where needed. If you are interested or want more information, please contact Cecilia Daley at Careteam@provpres.org or 757-572-4612.

Soup and Rolls - Our Lenten study begins **Wednesday, February 21 at 6:00 pm**, in the fellowship hall. We will share a meal of soup and rolls provided by the participants. Each week we will explore "Make Disciples," part of the Follow Me: Biblical Practices for Faithful Living series produced by Presbyterian Publishing. Register online or on the sign-up bulletin board to let us know what you can bring for the meal. For more information, contact Connie at seasaltcpa@cox.net

Fellowship Admiral's Night - The fellowship committee invites everyone to join in the fun at an Admirals hockey game. We are planning on attending the game on February 24 at 6:05 pm. If you would like to attend, please send an email to Chris Bauman at cbauman@alumni.psu.edu or sign up on the bulletin board. Tickets will be between \$15 and \$25 depending on how many people sign up. By signing up, you are committing to purchasing a ticket. Deadline to sign up is February 4. If you have any questions, please reach out to Chris.

Providence Family Lenten Workshop – **Sunday, February 25 at 12:00 pm** in the fellowship hall. Join us for a family Lenten workshop. We will celebrate the Easter season with Providence friends, eating yummy lunch treats and creating wonderful Easter crafts for our homes and friends. RSVP online or on the sign-up sheet by the fellowship hall. For more information or to volunteer, please contact **Sue Crosland, suecrosland2940@outlook.com** or **Connie Salter at seasaltcpa@cox.net.**

PW Honorary Lifetime Membership Award - PW is now accepting your nominations for The Presbyterian Woman Honorary Lifetime Membership Award. Please give completed form to **Ashley Schroeder or Cecilia Daley by March 10**.

2024 Youth Conferences – We have two exciting opportunities for Providence youth to attend! The **Massanetta Springs Middle School Conference** for rising 6th, 7th and 8th graders is located in Harrisburg, VA. The potential dates include July 11-14 or July 16-19. The **Montreat Youth Conference** is located in Montreat, NC and holds a yearly summer conference for rising 9th – 12th graders. The potential dates include July 7-13 or July 14-20. We would love to send our youth. For a little more detail, see our promotion in the weekly newsletter. Please let us know of your interest and we will determine the dates that work best and seek chaperones as needed. If your child is interested, please let **Connie Salter** know by **March 1** at **757-288-2072 or seasaltcpa@cox.net**.

Today

Sunday, February 4

Communion Sunday

9:00 am - Merry Bells

9:30 am - Discipleship Class

10:30 am - Choir Warm Up

11:00 am - Worship

11:15 am - Enrichment

12:00 pm - Fellowship

12:15 pm - Confirmation Class

12:15 pm - MOE Meeting

4:00 pm - PNC Meeting

5:00 pm - Youth Group

This Week

Monday, February 5

7:00 pm- Committee Chairs meeting

7:30 pm - Committee meetings

Tuesday, February 6

7:00 pm - Bells of Providence

Wednesday, February 7

7:00 pm - Chancel Choir

Thursday, February 1

6:00 pm - PW Bible Study

Friday, February 9

4:00 pm - JCOC

Saturday, February 10

5:00 pm - Men's Valentine's Dinner

Sunday, February 11

9:00 am - Merry Bells

9:30 am - Discipleship Class

10:30 am - Choir Warm Up

11:00 am - Youth-Led Worship

12:00 pm - Fellowship

12:00 pm - M.O.T.Y. meeting

12:15 pm - Family Fusion



Patty Landrum Butterfly Scholarships - Applications for the Butterfly Scholarships are now available for High School Seniors, students currently enrolled in college or Christian based post graduate studies, and those who intend to enroll in Christian based collegiate or vocational studies this fall. Those who qualify must be an active member of Providence Presbyterian and submit an application by Monday, April 15, 2024. Application forms are available in the church office.

Patty Landrum Butterfly Grants - Applications for Butterfly Grants are available to organizations outside the membership of Providence. These grants must be used for scholarships of students within its organization. Application forms are available in the church office and must be submitted by **Wednesday**, **May 15, 2024.**

gotsneakers? 2024 - PPC Youth Group invites the congregation to donate used sneakers in the boxes in the narthex and back foyer for recycling and fundraising. Last year we collected 235 pairs. This year we are up to **143** pairs so please keep them coming! Please do NOT put shoes in the bin which are not sneakers. We cannot recycle them." Go to "**gotsneakers.com**" or ask a youth for more info!

Weekly Joys and Concerns

We lift up in prayer this week

Within our church family

Dan Ortman
Our homebound and elderly members

We celebrate

Our confirmation class: Skylar Burdette, Lilly Crouch, Dominic Glass, Josh Rhode, Micah Rhode, Rachel Schroeder

Our community and our world

For those affected by the snow storms
For peace and resolution in Israel and Palestine
International Missionaries
Nations at war
Our servicemen and women, at home and abroad