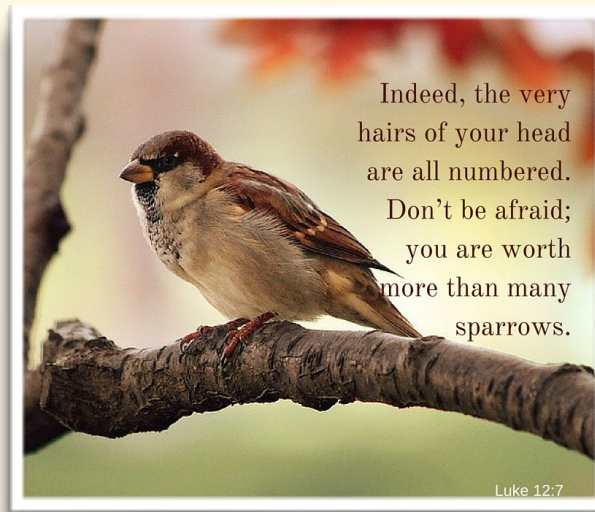


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PROVIDENCE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH  
A Caring Christian Fellowship Reaching Out in Response to God's Love

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## The Diaspora Gather in God's Name

Welcome.  
We are glad  
you have chosen  
to gather and  
worship!  
Go to  
[www.provpres.org](http://www.provpres.org)  
to join us for a live  
broadcast starting  
at 11:00 am.

### Welcome

**Tolling of the Bell** - Rung three times to symbolize our Triune God

### Call to Worship

The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ be with you all.

**And also with you.**

Come and bow down before God, and glorify God's name.

**For God is great and does wondrous things; who alone is God.**

### Opening Song

*"Faith of Our Fathers"*

(Linda Baker)

*Faith of our fathers, living still  
In spite of dungeon, fire and sword,  
O how our hearts beat high with joy  
When e'er we hear that glorious word!  
Faith of our fathers! Holy faith!  
We will be true to thee till death!*

*Faith of our fathers, we will strive  
To win all nations unto thee;  
And through the truth that comes from God  
Mankind shall then indeed be free.  
Faith of our fathers! Holy faith!  
We will be true to thee till death!*

*Faith of our fathers, we will love  
Both friend and foe in all our strife,  
And preach thee, too, as love knows how  
By kindly words and virtuous life.  
Faith of our fathers! Holy faith!  
We will be true to thee till death!*

*The Affirmation of  
Faith helps us  
express the faith  
and hope we  
have as people of  
God.*

### **Affirmation of Faith**

**I believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth, and in Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord; who was conceived by the Holy Ghost, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; he descended into hell; the third day he rose again from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and sitteth on the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Ghost; the holy catholic church; the communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting. Amen.**

*We confess  
our sins as the  
people of God  
together, out  
loud, and to  
others  
because of the  
incredible  
power there is  
in putting our  
failures and  
faults in the  
light of God's  
love.*

### **Prayer of Confession**

**God of immeasurable grace, how shall we measure our sins? Only you know their real dimensions; the history of human disobedience; the depth of hatred; the wrong-doing over the years by generation after generation; the perpetuation of prejudice by unthinking repetition; the aggravation of offenses by the unforgiving and vengeful. However you account for our sin, there are none of us who do not stand in need of some measure of your grace, which in Jesus Christ is out of all proportion to human wrongdoing.**

### **Silent Prayer of Confession**

### **Words of Assurance**

### **Time with Young Disciples**

## **We Hear God's Word**

### **Scripture Reading**

Matthew 10:24-39

### **Sermon**

"Cross Purposes"

# We Give Thanks to God

*A time to offer  
prayer for others  
and ourselves to  
God.*

## **Pastoral Prayer and Lord's Prayer**

**Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name.**

**Thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven.**

**Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.**

**For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.**

# We Go in Christ's Name to Serve

## **Benediction**

### **Benediction Response**

*"May The Lord"*

John S. Dixon

(sung by members of the Chancel Choir; video produced by Robie Armbruster)

*Today's closing  
music has been  
pre-recorded and  
may be found on  
the church's  
website.*

## **Closing Music**

*please see online  
instruction below*

### **Online instruction for Worship**

1. Go to [provpres.org/worship](http://provpres.org/worship)
2. The top green buttons are the bulletin, sermon notes, and bulletin for the kids.
3. Scroll down until you see all the music selections

*Have a blessed week!*