

Fun • Fellowship • Service • Enrichment
Opportunities

2025 Offering Envelopes - are now available in the narthex. Please pick yours up following worship.

PPC Youth Group - We will NOT meet December 22 or December 29. Have a joy filled Christmas with your families! For more information, please contact Ashley Schroeder ashdogger@me.com.

Joy Offering - The denominational Joy Offering will be received December 22. By giving to the Joy Offering you provide assistance to current and retired PCUSA church workers in their time of need and our future leaders at Presbyterian-related schools and colleges. Make checks payable to Providence with an indication for "Joy Offering." Mail your donation to Providence Presbyterian Church, 5497 Providence Road, VB 23464 or send using your bank's bill pay feature, marking check for Joy Offering.

Providence Men's Dinner – Please join us on **Thursday, January 9** for our Men's Dinner at Providence. We will meet at **6:00 pm in fellowship hall**. Bring a friend and sign up on the bulletin board at church. For more information, please contact Aaron at agilbert95@gmail.com.

PW Mission Project Day – Women are invited to our Mission Project Day scheduled for **Saturday, January 25, 9 am – 2 pm**. Lunch will be provided. We will make items to be used in missions throughout the year like baby hats, blankets, prayer shawls and many other items. There are activities for every skill! Our focus this project day will be on making toiletry bags for nursing home residents. The following items are needed for the bags: combs, toothbrushes, toothpaste, deodorant, bath sized bars of soap, hand sanitizer, skin moisturizer, Efferdent or Polident tablets, Poligrip, Band-Aids, men's and women's socks, small bottles of mouthwash. We are currently collecting items for the nursing home bags. Please see items needed list on the collection box in the narthex. Register yourself and a friend online or at the church by **January 23**. For more information, please contact PPW@provpres.org.

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 1 at 6:05 pm**. If you would like to attend, sign up below or 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 January 12**. For more information email Jane at gloriajpritchett@yahoo.com.

Gotsneakers - The PPC youth invite the congregation to place any used sneakers in the bins in the narthex and back foyer for recycling . We will package and send them to "gotsneakers.com" who pays us for them and re-sells or recycles them to reduce landfill waste. Proceeds go to the **Work Camp fund**. We already have **133** pairs this year! PLEASE SNEAKERS ONLY! We cannot send other types of shoes. Thank you

Immediate Position Open – There is an immediate need for a volunteer to audit Providence Presbyterian Church's financial records. This position would be perfect for someone who enjoys organization and working with numbers. The hours involved are minimal, around 25-30 hours total to conduct the yearly audit. The previous auditor and current Treasurer can be available if protocol questions arise. If you are interested, please reach out to **Elizabeth Carter** at 757-470-8371 or ecwatchdog@gmail.com to see the full job description.

Job Opportunity (Little Lambs) - Providence is seeking a part-time Little Lambs Nursery and Preschool Assistant to work under the supervision of the Little Lambs Supervisor to ensure a secure, nurturing environment in the nursery and preschool where each child will hear and feel the love of Jesus Christ. As part of a team of 3 you will work **Sunday mornings 9:30 to 12:30**. For further information about specific qualifications, job responsibilities, or to request a position description and/ or an employment application contract **Dianne Stockmeier, at stockm@cox.net** or 757-548-0091.

Today

Sunday, December 22

4th Sunday of Advent

9:30 am - Discipleship class
9:30 am - Youth / Elementary Bible Study
10:30 am - Choir Warm Up
11:00 am - Worship
11:15 am - Enrichment

This Week

Tuesday, December 24

5:00 pm - Christmas Eve Worship Service

Wednesday, December 25

Christmas Day
Church Office Closed

Thursday, December 26

Church Office Closed

Sunday, December 29

9:30 am - Discipleship class
9:30 am - Youth / Elementary Bible Study
10:30 am - Choir Warm Up
11:00 am - Worship
11:15 am - Enrichment

Weekly joys and concerns

We lift up in prayer this week

Within our church family

Our Preschool Director, Brooke Vellines
Our homebound and elderly members

We celebrate

The Fourth Sunday of Advent

Our community and our world

For peace and resolution in the Middle East
International Missionaries
Nations at war
Our servicemen and women, at home and abroad



To add a prayer concern, please email the church office at office@provpres.org or the Pastor at pastor@provpres.org. Submissions must be received by Tuesday noon to be included for Sunday. In order to respect confidentiality, all requests should be self-made.

To send a private message to our current pastor you may use the following addresses.

Pastor@provpres.org