

August 17, 2025



PROVIDENCE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Rooted in Faith, Nurtured by Grace, Growing God's Kingdom

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

Chiming of the Hour and Greeting

Enter Into Worship

Prelude

McCoy's Antiphon

John S. Dixon

Call to Worship

Remember the wonders He has done.

His miracles, and the judgments He pronounced.

You His servants, the descendants of Israel, His chosen ones, the Children of Jacob.

He is the Lord our God, His judgments are in all the earth.

Introit

Come! Live in the Light!
[See Hymn 749 for the text.]

David Haas, 1988

Prayer of Confession

Merciful Father, in your presence we confess our sinfulness, our shortcomings, and our offenses against you. You alone know how often we have sinned, how often we have wandered from your ways and wasted your gifts. Have mercy on us, O Lord, for all we have done to displease you. Forgive our sins, help us to walk in your light for the sake of Jesus Christ, our Savior. Amen.

Confessional Response

Kyrie Eleison (Lord have mercy)
Christe Eleison (Christ have mercy)
Kyrie Eleison (Lord have mercy)

Assurance of Pardon

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.

Response to God's Grace

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.

Hymn 687

Our God , Our Help in Ages Past

text by Isaac Watts, 1719
music by William Croft, 1708

The Word

Solo

Come to Jesus

(Ashely Veraque, soprano)

Chris Rice
arr. Patti Drennan

Weak and wounded sinner, lost and left to die;
O raise your head, for Love is passing by.

Come to Jesus, come to Jesus, come to Jesus and live!

Now your burden's lifted and carried far away,
and precious blood has washed away the stain. . .

Like a newborn baby, don't be afraid to crawl,
and remember when you walk, you sometimes fall. . .

Sometimes the way is lonely, and steep and filled with pain,
so if your sky is dark and pours like rain, then cry to Jesus. . .

And when the love spills over, and music fills the night,
and when you can't contain your joy inside, then dance for Jesus. . .

And with your final heartbeat, kiss the world goodbye,
then go in peace, and laugh on Glory's side, and fly to Jesus. . .

Time with Young Disciples

Scripture Reading

Genesis 40:1-23

Sermon

Meant for Good: Forgotten

Responding to the Word

Prayers of the People 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.

Offering Our Gifts

Offertory

Chanson Douce

John S. Dixon

Doxology

***Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; Praise Him, all creatures here below;
Praise Him above, ye heavenly host; Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.***

Prayer of Dedication

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.

Hymn 353

My Hope Is Built on Nothing Less text by Edward Mote, 1834
music by William Bradbury, 1863

The Sending

Benediction

Benediction Response

May the Lord

***May the Lord, mighty God, Bless and keep you forever
Grant you peace, perfect peace, Courage in every endeavor.
Lift up your eyes and see His face and His grace forever.
May the Lord, mighty God, Bless and keep you forever.***

Postlude

Festive Voluntary

Robert Lau



Brunch and Bunco - Our event will be held on **Saturday, August 23 at 9:30 am** and in the fellowship hall. Come play (it's easy to learn), enjoy some good food and fellowship. Bring a dish if you want. We would love to see you! There will be a sign up for food. **Please RSVP by Thursday, August 21 to ppw@provpres.org.**

Men's Fellowship BBQ Dinner - PPC Men will be hosting their annual BBQ dinner on **Saturday, September 6 at 4:30pm - 6:00 pm** in the fellowship hall. Tickets cost \$13 for adults and \$7 for children. Tickets are currently on sale after worship, by the fellowship hall. For more information, please contact **Aaron Gilbert at agilbert95@ymail.com.**

*The flowers that grace our sanctuary today are
given to the glory of God by Ashley and Mike Schroeder
in celebration of their 33rd wedding anniversary.*

Have a blessed week!

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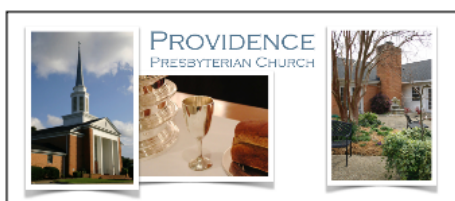
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