

## Welcome to Providence Presbyterian Church

**We are** a congregation of the Presbyterian Church in America (PCA), a reformed, evangelical and conservative denomination. **We believe** the Bible is the written Word of God, inspired by the Holy Spirit and without error in the original manuscripts. **We exist** to glorify God and to enjoy Him forever. **We aim** to worship the one true God in a reverent and joyful manner, to preach and teach the whole counsel of God's Word, to cultivate a true and gracious Christian fellowship among the saints, to shepherd and equip every member of the body of Christ that each one might grow in knowledge, in grace and in the desire to serve, to give and to go and make disciples both here and around the world.

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# PROVIDENCE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH



a congregation of The Presbyterian Church in America

THE CELEBRATION OF  
WORSHIP

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Sermon Notes

Welcome and Announcements

Prelude

\*Please stand if you are able.

**GOD CALLS US TO WORSHIP**

\*CALL TO WORSHIP                      Psalm 121:1-3,7-8

LEADER: I lift up my eyes to the hills.

From where does my help come?

**PEOPLE: My help comes from the LORD,  
who made heaven and earth.**

LEADER: He will not let your foot be moved;  
he who keeps you will not slumber.

**PEOPLE: The LORD will keep you from all evil;  
he will keep your life.**

**ALL: The LORD will keep  
your going out and your coming in  
from this time forth and forevermore.**

\*HYMN OF PRAISE ..... #106

*Father, Father of All Things*

\*INVOCATION

**My heart is filled with thankfulness  
To him who reigns above,  
Whose wisdom is my perfect peace,  
Whose ev'ry thought is love.  
For ev'ry day I have on earth  
Is given by the King;  
So I will give my life, my all,  
To love and follow him."**

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CELEBRATION OF THE LORD'S SUPPER

## **GOD BLESSES US & SENDS US OUT**

\*BENEDICTION

Galatians 1:3-5

*Grace to you and peace from God our Father and the Lord  
Jesus Christ, who gave himself for our sins to deliver us  
from the present evil age, according to the will of our God  
and Father, to whom be the glory forever and ever.  
Amen*

\*Closing Hymn #644..... *May the Mind of Christ*, v. 1

**May the mind of Christ, my Savior,  
Live in me from day to day,  
By His love and power controlling  
All I do and say.**

POSTLUDE

## **GOD INVITES US TO THE MEANS OF GRACE**

AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

*The Apostles' Creed*

***I believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of  
heaven and earth.***

***I believe in Jesus Christ, His only Son, our Lord,  
who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, and born of  
the virgin Mary. He suffered under Pontius Pilate,  
was crucified, died, and was buried; he descended  
into hell. The third day he rose again from the  
dead. He ascended into heaven and is seated at the  
right hand of God the Father Almighty. From there  
he will come to judge the living and the dead.***

***I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic\*  
church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness  
of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life  
everlasting. Amen.***

(\*universal)

CALL TO CONFESSION OF SIN

Hebrew 5:12-14

*For though by this time you ought to be teachers, you  
need someone to teach you again the basic principles of  
the oracles of God. You need milk, not solid food, for  
everyone who lives on milk is unskilled in the word of  
righteousness, since he is a child. But solid food is for the*

*mature, for those who have their powers of discernment  
trained by constant practice to distinguish good from evil.*

CORPORATE PRAYER OF CONFESSION          Psalm 25:4-7

**Make me to know your ways, O Lord;  
teach me your paths.  
Lead me in your truth and teach me,  
for you are the God of my salvation;  
for you I wait all the day long.  
Remember your mercy, O Lord,  
and your steadfast love,  
for they have been from of old.  
Remember not the sins of my youth  
or my transgressions;  
according to your steadfast love remember me,  
for the sake of your goodness, O Lord! Amen.**

SILENT AND PRIVATE CONFESSION

ASSURANCE OF PARDON                          Hebrews 10:16-18

Hear the promises of God in the Holy Spirit to those who truly repent of their sins and trust in Christ: *“This is the covenant that I will make with them after those days, declares the Lord: I will put my laws on their hearts, and write them on their minds, I will remember their sins and their lawless deeds no more.” Where there is forgiveness of these, there is no longer any offering for sin.*

\*OT READING    Jeremiah 6:13-15

PRESENTATION OF TITHES AND OFFERINGS

PASTORAL PRAYER

\*HYMN OF PREPARATION .....#725  
*The Lord’s Prayer*

SERMON    Matthew 7:15-20  
“Beware of False Prophets”                          Rev. David Hina

\*HYMN OF RESPONSE  
*My Heart is Filled With Thankfulness\*\**

**My heart is filled with thankfulness  
To Him who bore my pain;  
Who plumbed the depths of my disgrace  
And gave me life again;  
Who crushed my curse of sinfulness  
And clothed me in His light  
And wrote His law of righteousness  
With pow’r upon my heart.**

**My heart is filled with thankfulness  
To Him who walks beside;  
Who floods my weaknesses with strength  
And causes fears to fly;  
Whose ev’ry promise is enough  
For ev’ry step I take,  
Sustaining me with arms of love  
And crowning me with grace.**