



# Providence Prophet

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## Message from our Pastor

I have always loved *Micah 6.8* which says, “What does the Lord require of you? To act justly and to love mercy and to walk humbly with your God.” But lately I have been wondering whether or not that fully captures what *Christ* requires of me. In the *Gospel of John*, Christ told the Disciples, “As the Father has sent me, so I send you.” Then he breathed the Holy Spirit on them. In *Mark and Matthew*, Christ commissioned the Disciples telling them to go into the world proclaiming the good news to all creation. What does Christ require of you? To be an evangelist.

An evangelist is someone who proclaims the Gospel, who shares “the good news.” In short, an evangelist is someone who builds authentic relationships with people. The Lord requires us to strengthen the relationships we already have and to constantly form new ones. We are called to really get to know our church family but also the people at the restaurant and coffee shop we regularly visit. We are called to be Christ’s face, Christ’s voice, and Christ’s love in this broken world. What does Christ require of you? To proclaim the good news to all creation!

### Providence Dinners

This spring you will be invited to dine in the home of one of your Providence brothers or sisters. The host will provide a main dish and beverages and the guests will be invited to bring a side dish or dessert. This will help us fulfill our role as evangelists as we deepen our relationships with people in our church family. More details are coming soon!

### Video Ministry

Lent 2016 Worship has looked a little different. We have begun to integrate video into our worship with a Welcome Message and images to enhance the sermon. Our video system is a memorial to **Milly Browning** and **Donnie Draper**. Milly, mother of Susan Kinnard and Marti Bullock, was the first woman Elder at Providence, leader of Women’s ministries in the state and nation, quilter and sewer, a hugger, a great cook, and a friend to men and mentor to women. Donnie, husband of Theresa, was an Elder, a Greeter, a Board member, an attendance Counter, a Security volunteer, the Janitor, a Jokester and a great Friend to everyone at the church.

Their memories live on in our hearts and in our church. Also thanks to **Larry Kinnard, Gary Anderson, Bob Bellman, Jonathan Hagy and John Downs** for researching, purchasing, installing and setting up the system.

*Honored and Blessed to be your Pastor!*

**Carol**

**Membership News** Our updated Providence directory will be here this month. We are requesting a donation of \$2.50 per directory to cover the cost of producing and printing. Order yours now.

### **Welcome New Members**



Tammy Vanover



Ryan Rivard

### **Spanning Generations our youngest and oldest members**

In July of 2015, we celebrated **Rose Hall’s 95<sup>th</sup>** birthday.

In November of 2015 we welcomed **Anaiah Bauta** as our newest member.

*(Thanks Dona Renfro for the photo.)*

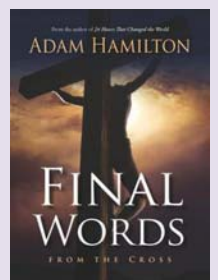


## **Lent and Easter at Providence**

The Adult Sunday School class continues the Bible Study based on the book, *Final Words from the Cross* by Adam Hamilton. Though not necessary, if you wish to read the book, it can be purchased online. This study follows Rev. Carol’s sermon series and will deepen your worship experience.

- **Lenten Sermon Series continues**  
 Scriptures for Rev. Carol’s sermon series during lent, *The Last Words of Jesus*:  
 March 6th Lent 4 – Mark 15:29-36  
 March 13th Lent 5 – John 19:28-29  
 March 20th Lent 6, Palm Sunday – John 19:30 and Luke 23:43-37

- **Special Easter Offering**  
 Again this year we are collecting a Special Easter Offering, beginning with the first Sunday of Lent and continuing through the Season of Easter. People often give up something for Lent in reflection of the sacrifice of our Lord at Calvary. The Providence Board would like to challenge you to place a monetary value on what you give up and set that amount aside each day of each week. We are all then invited to bring that amount to church each week during the Season of Easter when we celebrate the Resurrection. Our goal for this special offering is one church mortgage payment of \$5,103.



**PROVIDENCE WEBSITE** <http://providenceccdoc.org>

- Carol’s Sermon Manuscripts and NOW Sermon Audio are found on the Providence website.
- You can arrange to make your contributions by auto-deduction. It is easy to set up and very safe. Go to our website or see Bob Bellman for more information.

## Happening at Providence in March

- March 6 9:00 AM – Rev. Carol’s radio address can be heard the first Sunday of each month. Tune your radio to FM 105.9 or go to <http://www.wnjkm.com/listen/live>
- March 8 6:00 PM – Two by Tuesday Visitation Ministry
- March 10 6:30 PM – Providence Book Club meet at Mi Pequena Hacienda at Brannon Crossing (see also below)
- **March 13 DAYLIGHT SAVING TIME BEGINS – SET YOUR CLOCKS ONE HOUR AHEAD**
- March 13 12:00 PM – Youth Group Taco Dinner (see also below)
- March 13 1:00 PM Providence Board Meeting
- March 13 2:00 PM Bridgepointe Worship Service
- March 17 6:00 PM – J.O.Y Group Meeting – location TBD
- March 23 9:30 AM – Providence Women’s Service Group
- March 21-26 12:00 PM – Holy Week Services at Nicholasville Methodist Church (behind the courthouse). A free lunch is served each day.
- March 24 7:00 PM – Maundy Thursday Service
- March 27 Easter Sunday

### Each Sunday

1:30 PM Slavic Church of Evangelical Faith  
12:00 PM Youth Group, Christian Children

### Each 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday

2:00 PM Worship Service at Bridgepointe

### Each Monday, Wednesday, Friday

10:00 AM “Bodies in Motion” Exercise Class

### Each Tuesday

7:00 PM Slavic Church of Evangelical Faith

### Each Wednesday

7:00 PM Choir Rehearsal

7:00 PM Slavic Church of Evangelical Faith

## MARCH BIRTHDAYS

Beth Waits	2
Randy Cox	3
Patsy Samples	17
Anneliese Jones	18
Anna Tackett	21
Charlie Slack	22
Jennifer Robbins	24
Matthew Anderson	24
Mallory McDonald	31

## CAMP DATES 2016

### Kum ba Ya (KBY) / Wakon’ Da Ho (WKDH)

April 15-16	Photography Event	KBY
June 3-5	Mini Camp	WKDH
June 6-11	CYF I	WKDH
June 12-17	Eighter’s Camp	WKDH
June 19-24	Spirit Sailing Camp	KBY
June 20-24	Junior Camp	WKDH
June 24-26	Camp 101a	WKDH
June 27-July 2	CYF II	WKDH
July 4-9	Chi Rho I	WKDH
July 11-16	Chi Rho II	WKDH
July 22-24	Camp 101b	WKDH

## YOUTH GROUP MISSION TRIP 2016 FUND RAISERS

Easter Lilies for decorating the sanctuary and narthex may be purchased for \$15.00 each. You can designate your purchase in memory or in honor of a loved one. A list of donations, memorials and honorariums is included in the Easter Sunday bulletin on March 27<sup>th</sup>. See order form in the bulletin and order by Sunday, March 13<sup>th</sup>.



### TACO DINNER

March 13<sup>th</sup> – 12:00 PM

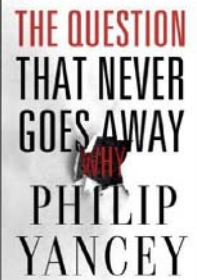
No need to bring a potluck dish the second Sunday in March. The Youth and their parents will provide tacos and sides for a delicious lunch.

Your donations will support the Youth Group 2016 Mission Trip.

## Providence Book Club

The March 10<sup>th</sup> meeting will be held at 6:30 PM, at Mi Pequena Hacienda (Brannon Crossing.) Our book choice for discussion is *The Question that Never Goes Away: Why* by Philip Yancey.

Join us for a delightful, thought provoking evening with friends who love to read.



## Kentucky Disciples Women’s Ministries Spring Conferences 2016

Intended for women of all ages, these conferences present opportunities for worship, fellowship, and relevant workshop offerings. They are specifically designed to provide tools needed to strengthen one’s faith life, speak to and act upon matters of social justice, and increase knowledge and understanding of biblical teachings.

Saturday, April 16, 2016

Crestwood Christian Church, Lexington KY  
Rev. Erin Wathen, Pastor of St. Andrew Christian Church in Olathe, Kansas and native Kentuckian, preaching.  
Music with Nashville singer/songwriters Andra Moran, Disciples Recording Artist, and Sarah Williams, and Kentucky’s own Deborah Garr, Music Minister, Seventh Street Christian Church, Paris KY

Saturday, April 23, 2016

First Christian Church, Madisonville KY  
Rev. Tanya Tyler, Pastor of Chalice Christian Church in London, Kentucky, preaching  
Music with Deborah Garr, Music Minister, Seventh Street Christian Church, Paris, KY  
For further information, contact Linda Jones, CCK Associate Regional Minister, at [linda@ccinky.net](mailto:linda@ccinky.net) or by phone at 859-233-1391.

## From our Building Use Committee

We need to let everyone know that our insurance company does not cover any activity in the church building other than church events and activities.

Other organizations that use our building such as Boy Scouts, the Slavic Church of Evangelic Faith, Prodigy Preschool, and Upward Basketball carry their own insurance which is kept on file in the office.

We are not covered for events like private family parties, work or community related events unless a certificate of insurance is provided by that group and put on file. We trust everyone understands.

## RUPP ARENA VOLUNTEERS

Come out and serve concessions at UK Home Basketball games. Money earned by our volunteers working at Rupp Arena goes to our Mortgage Fund. Over the season, such money adds up to a significant amount - \$4,320 so far this season! Sign-up sheets are in the church narthex or contact Gary Anderson for more info 537-3750 or [gary@indfassupply.com](mailto:gary@indfassupply.com)

## Prayer Concerns

### PRAYERS FOR THOSE SERVING OUR NATION:

Let us pray for peace, guidance for our country’s leaders, our military and all who serve our nation: Jacob Durbin, Ricky Highnote, Donnie Thornton, Jason Rutherford, Randy Coy, Trip Browning, Bobby McNeil, Eric Heathman, Ken Harney, Steven Russell, Bradley Clark, First Responders.

### MEMBERS, FAMILY AND FRIENDS

Jim Burger, Margaret Waits, Tammy Vanover, Bill Herrell (Sidebotham), Lil Bruegge (Rose Hall’s half-sister), James Lee (Beth Waits), Jean Christian, Kevin Boschert (McDonald), Bob Andrews (Rivard), Stanley Hicks (Margaret Waits), Jayne Mattingly, David Potter (Eddie Cox), Margaret Barriger (Doane), Allen Fielder, Mike Hanley (Draper), Leon Cissell and Joyce Hack (Hack), Evan Wayne (Coy), Barbara Bobblitt (Martha Morrow), Mike Flynn, Laura Crawford, Mary Betts Hodson (Flynn), Lloyd Crockett (Sarah Walker), Cindy McKinney, Bill Turner, Julie Potts (Anderson), baby Anna Grace Yanantuono, John Fitzhugh and Sarah Fitzhugh (Krupski), Roberta DeHaven (Sharon Heathman’s mother).

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