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Providence Prophet

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Message from our Pastor

1 Corinthians 12 says, "Now there are varieties of gifts, but the same Spirit; and there are varieties of services, but the same Lord; and there are varieties of activities, but it is the same God who activates all of them in everyone. To each is given the manifestation of the Spirit for the common good.... Indeed, the body does not consist of one member but of many. If the foot were to say, 'Because I am not a hand, I do not belong to the body', that would not make it any less a part of the body.... If the whole body were an eye, where would the hearing be?... Now you are the body of Christ and individually members of it."

We are each members of the body called Providence Christian Church. For PCC to be the best and to be what God desires us to be, requires each person to use his or her gifts and talents for the common good.

If you are not serving the common good of this congregation in some way, it is time to step up and do that now. There will be a ministry sign-up table at the Youth Group Taco Dinner on February 9th. Please stop by the Ministry Table and add your name to one of the ministries listed below so that Providence can be a fully functioning body for Christ.

Carol

Ministry Teams:

- Adult Sunday School
- Back Pack Program
- Bridgepointe Volunteers – **NEW**
- Children's Fellowship
- Children's Sunday School
- Choir
- Communion Team
- Creation Care
- Exercise (Pilates, Low-Impact)

- Food Pantry/Hospice Food Delivery
- Garden Team
- Homebound Communion Visitation
- JOY Group
- Membership
- Men's Group
- Pastoral
- Personnel
- Property

- Outreach
- Rupp Arena
- Sound Booth
- Stewardship and Finance
- Vacation Bible School
- Women's Service Group
- Worship Ministry
- Youth Group
- Youth Sunday School



**Youth Mission Trip
Fund Raiser
Taco Dinner Bar**

February 9, 2014

Immediately following
worship



Building Use:

We are so pleased that our building is being used every day for Boy Scouts, basketball practice, Slavic Church of Evangelical Faith, as well as all of our activities (worship, choir, women's groups, men's group, youth group, children's fellowship and more).

With all this use, the building is showing some wear and tear. So, we are asking PCC folks to help out by:

- Tidying any space you use
- Making sure water is turned off
- Turning down thermostats
- Shutting all doors tightly
- Alerting someone if you notice a problem

The good people of Providence built this space to be used and now all of us are responsible for caring for it. Thanks in advance!



CREATION CARE TEAM Message from Jenifer

The Creation Care Team has a few goals for Providence in 2014. One of them is to become a Green Chalice Congregation. This is a 3-step process: form a Creation Care Team, adopt and sign the Alverna Covenant as a congregation, and make three changes church wide to promote care of God's creation. Sounds pretty easy, eh? It will be! Because we have already made some changes that make Providence greener than we used to be!

Please take the time to go to the Disciples Home Missions webpage (www.discipleshomemissions.org) and check out the Green Chalice Ministry.

From the "Home" page just click on "DHM Ministries" and then "Environment". From that page you will be able to see all that Green Chalice does to promote caring for this precious gift that God has given us. You will also be able to read through the Alverna Covenant. If you need a paper copy I will have some available in the Narthex.

What better way to show God how much we love and appreciate all our blessings than to take care of the gift through which God sustains us physically AND spiritually!? Stay warm, but peek outside on these bitter cold nights and enjoy the clear skies and bright stars! The constellations are truly amazing right now!

Love and blessings!

Jenifer

PS: Plastic card recycling! There is a box in the Narthex where you can place plastic gift cards and old credit cards, insurance cards, etc. You can cut them up just as you would for the garbage at home.

PSS: Don't forget that we have PCC reusable shopping bags for sale! Promote the church AND a healthier planet at the same time! Awesome! \$2 each, or 3 for \$5.

FEBRUARY CALENDAR

- 2/8/14 – 8:00 AM – Providence Men’s Breakfast
- 2/9/14 – 12:30 PM – Youth Group Taco Dinner Fundraiser followed by Board Meeting
4:00 PM – Garden Team Meeting (*see also below*)
- 2/23/14 – 4th Sunday – Bring 4 Cans for Christ
- 2/23/14 – Scout Sunday – All Boy Scouts and Girls Scouts are invited to wear your uniforms.
- 2/26/14 – 9:30 AM – Disciples Women’s Service Group

Each Sunday

- 12:15 PM Pilates with Sarah Downs
- 1:30 PM *Slavic Church of Evangelical Faith*
- 5:00 PM Youth Group and Christian Children’s Program

Each Monday

- 10:00 AM – “Bodies in Motion” Exercise Class
- 7:00 PM *Slavic Church of Evangelical Faith*

Each Wednesday

- 10:00 AM – “Bodies in Motion” Exercise Class
- 5:45 PM – Providence Prayer Team
- 6:30 PM – Choir Rehearsal
- 7:00 PM *Slavic Church of Evangelical Faith*

Each Thursday

- 7:00 PM – *Slavic Church of Evangelical Faith*

Each Friday

- 10:00 AM – “Bodies in Motion” Exercise Class

FEBRUARY BIRTHDAYS

Melody Ward	8
C. R. Gash	12
Roxana Stark	12
Ruth Delacey	14
Erin Roberts	16
George Dean	21
Kaylee Morton	21
Frank Coots	22
Martha Morrow	23
Wyatt McDanald	26
Gloria Whitt	27
Barbara Flynn	28
Bobby Payne	28
Tonya Wells	29

YOUTH GROUP FEBRUARY CALENDAR

- 2/2/14 – Immediately following Worship Information meeting for middle school mission trip with parents and middle school youth.
- 2/2/14 – Youth Group will be from 5-6 pm only due to Super bowl. NO meal will be provided - only a snack.
- 2/9/14 – Second payment for the Guatemala mission trip due.
– Taco dinner immediately following Worship.
- 2/16/14 – District youth will be at Twin Pines Christian Church from 4-6 pm. NO meal will be provided - only a snack.

Elders and Deacons Workshop

March 7-8, 2014

Christmount Christian Assembly
222 Fern Way
Black Mountain, NC 28711
828-669-8977

info@christmount.org

***A Lenten Meditation:
The Pastoral Concerns of Each
Gospel as Revealed in the Passion
Narratives***

Dr. Margaret Ralph

Growing Together . . .

The Providence Garden Team meeting is February 9th, 4:00 PM at the church. Please come join us if you'd like to be part of this effort to plant and grow the garden for our community and congregation.

Shannon Baker, of Faith Feeds, <http://faithfeedslex.org/> will join us and is a great resource.

Please come and be a part of this important food ministry.

Help Grow our Garden Team!

Glen Payne
(859) 797-0048

Providence Day Camp 2014

June 2nd, 2014 - August 8th, 2014



Providence Christian Day Camp is a Christian-based developmentally age-appropriate summer program for kids entering kindergarten through exiting fifth grade.

The Day Camp aims to provide a safe, fun, and loving environment for all participants.

**Providence Christian Church Day Camp
(at Brannon Crossing)**

Hannah Conyer, Director
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The church building is the Lord’s House and property of the community. It belongs to all of us. Please help us keep the building tidy. Pick up after yourself, as well as the rest of the church family. Put trash in the trash can, recycling in the recycle receptacles and hymnals and Bibles under the chairs. Thank you for your help.

PROVIDENCE PRAYER TEAM

The Providence Prayer Team meets at 5:45 on Wednesday evenings.

SERVING IN THE ARMED FORCES

Let us pray for peace, guidance for our country’s leaders and for our military: Donnie Thornton, Jacob Durbin, Allen Fielder, Jason Rutherford, Randy Coy, Trip Browning, Bobby McNeil, Craig Tackett, Ken Harney, Steven Russell, Bradley Clark.

MEMBERS, FAMILY AND FRIENDS

Jayne Mattingly, Milly Browning, Harold Coots (Frank’s brother), Steve Carr (Nicole Hagy’s uncle), Mary Ramsey, Susie Holbrook (Jennifer Payne), Barry Brown, Dewey Thorton, Erica Thornton, Isabella Thornton, Suzie Branham (Ertel Whitt’s niece), Chuck and Charlene Carter (Beth Waits), Jack Coomer (Draper), Mary Betts Hodson (Norman Flynn’s niece), Treva Adams (Brenda Coots’ sister), Tammy Vanover (Frank Coots’ Daughter), Paula Cull, Denise Turner (Sidebothams), Jack Musgrave (Ann Rea Anderson), Sarah Fitzhugh (John Krupski), Theresa McWhorter (Tammy Durham’s sister), Roberta DeHaven (Sharon Heathman’s mother), James Ruckman (Allene Fielder’s brother), Reece King (Linda Schweitzer), Laura Crawford (Flynn), Margaret Waits.