

**PROVIDENCE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**

**THE LORD'S DAY, FEBRUARY 23, 2014**

WE WELCOME ALL VISITORS WORSHIPPING WITH US TODAY. IF YOU WOULD LIKE INFORMATION CONCERNING THIS CHURCH, PLEASE SPEAK TO THE PASTOR OR ONE OF THE OFFICERS.

Nursery Today Morning: K. Foster, D. Bishop, K/J Bullock, C/SR Govero  
Evening: L/C Cullnane  
Mar. 2 Morning: I. Vallejos, A. Davis, P/H Miller, B/T Bennet  
Mar. 2 Evening: B. Malin, A. Perkins  
Children's Church Leader: R. Upton & O. Hall  
Greeters: Spears  
TLC: For Need Call Church Office (601-924-4747)  
Deacon/Elder: J. Bullock, P. Bishop, J. Spears

**MORNING WORSHIP SERVICE 11:00 A.M.**

Prelude *(We quiet our hearts and voices)* Mrs. Janet Taylor  
Announcements  
Call to Worship Rev. Matt Giesman  
Missions Introit "We've a Story to Tell to the Nations"  
\*Hymn "Jesus Shall Reign" No. 441  
\*Invocation and The Lord's Prayer  
\*Hymn "How Sweet and Awesome Is the Place" No. 469  
Pastoral Prayer  
Anthem "Make a Joyful Noise" arr. Harlan  
~ Adapted from Psalm 100 ~  
Presentation of Tithes and Offerings  
Children (ages 4 & 5) leave for Children's Church  
Scripture *Matthew 9:35 – 10:1* Page 814  
Sermon "Mission Strategy: How Do We Make Disciples?" Dr. Paul Long, Jr.  
\*Benediction  
\*Postlude

**EVENING WORSHIP SERVICE 6:00 P.M.**

Prelude *(We quiet our hearts and voices)* Mrs. Janet Taylor  
Call to Worship  
\*Hymn "O Breath of Life, Come Sweeping Through Us" No. 341  
\*Invocation  
\*Hymn "For All the Saints" No. 358  
~ Led by Praise Team ~  
Presentation of Tithes and Offerings  
Anthem "People Need the Lord" arr. Purifoy  
Scripture *John 4:34-38* Page 889  
Sermon "Mission Opportunity: Just Where Is That Plentiful Harvest?" Dr. Paul Long, Jr.  
\*Benediction  
\*Congregation Standing

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MISSIONARY OF THE WEEK  
Gary and Anita Chambers – MTW Belize

PRAYER FAMILY OF THE WEEK  
Mr. and Mrs. Jason Carter (Amy) and family

COLLEGE STUDENT OF THE WEEK  
Hannah Miller – Jr. @ MC

**CALENDAR OF THE WEEK**

TODAY

9:45 A.M. Sunday School  
11:00 A.M. Morning Worship Service  
12:00 P.M. Congregational Luncheon  
6:00 P.M. Evening Worship Service  
7:15 P.M. Adult Choir Rehearsal

TUESDAY

6:45 A.M. Men's Prayer Group

WEDNESDAY

6:00 P.M. Martins/Goveros Small Groups  
6:30 P.M. Youth Group  
6:30 P.M. Harrison's' Small Group  
8:00 P.M. College Group @ the Giesmans' (Revelation 5)

THURSDAY

8:00 A.M. Ladies Prayer Meeting  
9:30 A.M. Ladies Bible Study

**PREACHING SCHEDULE**

Sunday Morning Evening  
March 2 Rev. Matt G./Communion Mr. Matthew Elliott  
March 9 Dr. Robert Hays Rev. Matt Giesman  
March 16 Rev. Matt Giesman Mr. Kyle Brent

Please sign an attendance pad at the morning worship service. This helps us if you sign in. You might also notice names of folks you don't know so you can greet them by name.

#### WEDDING INVITATION

We would like to invite our church family to join us in the celebration of the marriage of our daughter, Hannah Johnson, to Daniel McPhearson, on Saturday, March 1, 2014, at 3:00 p.m., in the sanctuary of Providence Presbyterian Church. A reception will be held in the fellowship hall following the service.

~ Kathy and David Johnson

#### PROS MEETING

Join us for the next Pros Luncheon, Tuesday, March 4, at 11:30 a.m. It will be a covered dish luncheon. The program will be Jack Hollingsworth, "Rolling for Jesus." He will be singing the good old hymns of long ago.

#### CONGREGATIONAL MEETING

The Session unanimously approved a motion to call a congregational meeting for Sunday, March 16, 2014, at the conclusion of our morning worship service, for the purpose of electing Reverend John K. Reeves as pastor emeritus of Providence Presbyterian Church, in accord with the Book of Church Order 23-3 and 25-2.

#### SURVEY RESULTS AVAILABLE

We have made the results of the survey available here:

<http://www.ppcpca.com/survey.pdf>, and there are several copies available in the narthex. The Session and Diaconate met to discuss the results on January 18. As the leadership continues to think about the identity, vision and direction of Providence, this tool was a valuable listening exercise. Thank you for the time that you took to fill out the Congregational Survey, and please pray for us in this important season in the life of our church.

#### TODAY DEVOTIONAL

The Today Devotional book is available in the narthex. You may also get your daily devotional online at [www.ThisIsToday.com](http://www.ThisIsToday.com).

#### CHILDREN'S CHURCH VOLUNTEER NEEDED

We need a volunteer(s) for March Children's Church. Please sign up on the board in the narthex if you can help in this way.

#### WELCOME

We welcome Dr. Paul Long, Jr., to the pulpit this weekend for our missions conference.

#### PEOPLE NEED THE LORD

*Evening Choir Anthem*

Ev'ry day they pass me by, I can see it in their eyes.  
Empty people filled with care, headed who knows where,  
On they go through private pain, living fear to fear.  
Laughter hides the silent cries— only Jesus hears.

People need the Lord, people need the Lord.  
At the end of broken dreams He's the open door.  
People need the Lord, people need the Lord.  
When will we realize people need the Lord.

We are called to take His light to a world where wrong seems right.  
What could be too great a cost for sharing life with one who's lost?  
Through His love our hearts can feel all the grief they bear.  
They must hear the words of life — only we can share.

People need the Lord, people need the Lord.  
At the end of broken dreams He's the open door.  
People need the Lord, people need the Lord.  
When will we realize that we must give our lives,  
For people need the Lord. People need the Lord.

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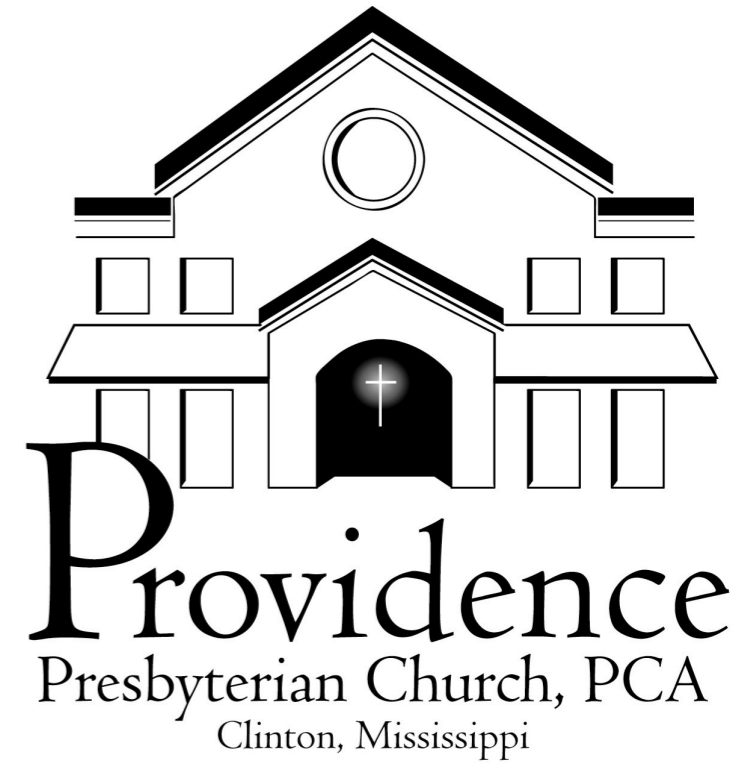
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*“Let the nations be glad  
and sing for joy,  
for you judge the people with equity  
and guide the nations  
upon earth.”*

*~ Psalm 67:4 ~*

**February 23, 2014**

**~ MISSIONS CONFERENCE ~**