

PROVIDENCE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

THE LORD'S DAY, JULY 12, 2015

MORNING WORSHIP SERVICE 11:00 A.M.

Prelude *(We quiet our hearts and voices)* Mrs. Janet Taylor

Announcements

Call to Worship Rev. Matt Giesman

*Hymn "Forever Settled in the Heavens" (v. 1, 4) No. 59

Invocation and the Lord's Prayer

*Hymn "Come, Thou Almighty King" No. 101

Reception of New Member Mrs. Thereza Weis

Pastoral Prayer

Solo "Draw Me Near" arr. McDonald
~ Mrs. Diane Pleasant, soprano ~

Presentation of Tithes and Offerings

*Hymn "God, in the Gospel of His Son" No. 141

Children (ages 4 & 5) leave for Children's Church

Scripture *Luke 8:4-15* Page 865

Sermon "He who has an ear, let him hear . . ." Rev. Matt Giesman

*Benediction

*Postlude

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.

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

EVENING WORSHIP SERVICE 6:00 P.M.

Prelude *(We quiet our hearts and voices)* Praise Team

Call to Worship Rev. Matt Giesman

*Hymn "O Love That Wilt Not Let Me Go" No. 708

*Invocation

Hymn "Let Us Love and Sing and Wonder" No. 172

Presentation of Tithes and Offerings

*Hymn "Nothing but the Blood" No. 307

Scripture *Psalm 119:50* Page 512

Sermon "Christian Maturity in Afflictions" Rev. Troy Milliken

*Benediction

*Congregation Standing

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~ All music will be led by the Praise Team tonight. ~

MISSIONARY OF THE WEEK
USA Global Medical Outreach

PRAYER FAMILY OF THE WEEK
Mr. and Mrs. Tim Palmer (Cathy)

Nursery Today Morning: A/I Vallejos, H/S Miller, AG Govero,
B. Roberts
Evening: J/C Spears
Jul 19 Morning: L. Giesman, E. Weis, J/C/J Carter, P/H Miller
Jul 19 Evening: S. Reeves, P. Davis
Children's Church Leader: H. Miller
TLC: For Need Call Church Office (601-924-4747)
Deacon Duty:
Elder on Call: S. McNair

CALENDAR OF THE WEEK

TODAY

9:30 A.M. Coffee and Fellowship in Fellowship Hall
9:45 A.M. Sunday School
11:00 A.M. Morning Worship Service
4:30 P.M. Ladies Ministry Team Meeting
4:45 P.M. Deacon's Meeting
6:00 P.M. Evening Worship Service

TUESDAY

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

WEDNESDAY

6:30 P.M. Youth Group at David & Suzanne's house
7:00 P.M. College Group

THURSDAY

8:30 A.M. Ladies Prayer Group

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WELCOME

We welcome Rev. Troy Milliken to the pulpit this evening. Troy
is a Chaplain in U.S. Army Reserve.

Mrs. Thereza Weis is joining our fellowship today. Mrs. Weis
has transferred her membership from Plains Presbyterian
Church in Zachary, Louisiana, and is already singing in our
adult choir. Please welcome her.

OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD

The simple gift of a filled shoe box can be the first step in a life long walk with Jesus Christ. YOUR help is needed with this first step — a filled shoe box. A list of items is on the bulletin board in the narthex. A basket is outside the office. Monetary gifts are most welcomed.

PPC DIRECTORIES ARE HERE!

The new church directories are in the narthex. Due to copier difficulties, there are still limited copies. If you don't get one this week, there will be more available next week. ONE PER FAMILY PLEASE.

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL 2015

We are sad to announce that VBS has been canceled this year due to a lack of volunteers. Please pray for how we might minister to our children and to those in our community, and even how God might use this to spur us on to grow in our faithfulness to Him! And join Pastor Matt at 9:00 a.m., Monday through Wednesday and Friday (July 20–22, 24) for prayer walks in the neighborhood around our church.

INQUIRER'S CLASS

PPC will hold an Inquirer's Class in the Fall for prospective members, as well as anyone who wants to learn more about the church and Presbyterianism, in general. We are planning to start on August 2. If you are interested in signing up, please contact the church office (601-924-4747) or dscott@ppcpca.com.

PREACHING SCHEDULE

<u>DATE</u>	<u>MORNING</u>	<u>EVENING</u>
July 19	Dr. Mike McKelvey	Rev. Matt Giesman
July 26	Rev. Matt Giesman	Undershepherd Groups

“Draw Me Near”

~ Choir Solo ~

I am thine, O Lord, I have heard Thy voice,
And it told Thy love to me,
But I long to rise in the arms of faith,
And be closer drawn to Thee.

Consecrate me now to Thy service, Lord,
By the pow'r of grace divine;
Let my soul look up with a steadfast hope,
And my will be lost in Thine.

CHORUS:

Draw me nearer, nearer,
To the cross where Thou hast died;
Draw me nearer, nearer, blessed Lord,
To Thy precious bleeding side.

O the pure delight of a single hour
That before Thy throne I spend;
When I kneel in prayer, and with Thee, my God,
I commune as friend with friend!

There are depths of love that I cannot know
Till I cross the narrow sea;
There are heights of joy that I may not reach
Till I rest in peace with Thee.

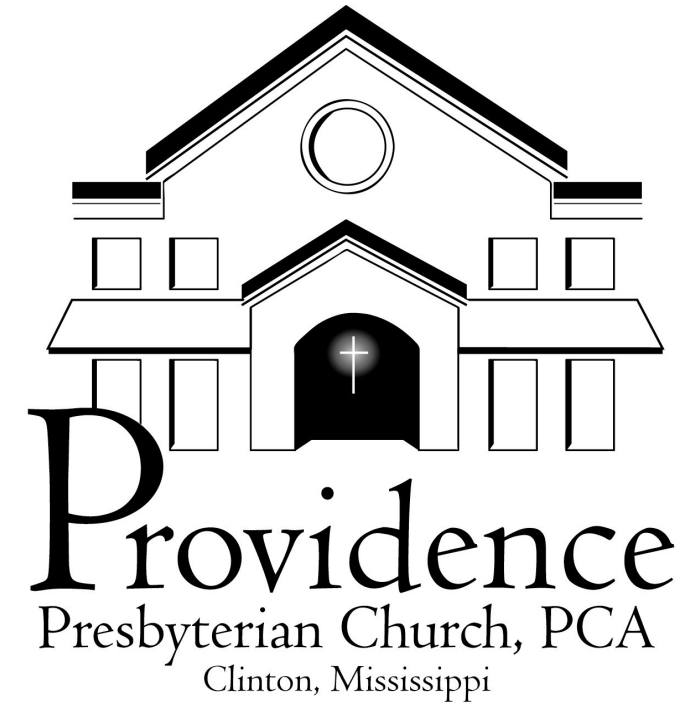
CHORUS

SERMON OUTLINE (A.M.)

Luke 8:4–15

“He who has an ear, let him hear . . .”

- I. The Word is given to many, vv. 4–5, 8–11.
- II. The Word to many is stifled by Satan, vv. 5–7, 12–14.
- III. The Word to some bears much fruit, vv. 8–10, 15.



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*“He who has an ear,
let him hear . . .”*

~ *Luke 8:8b* ~

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