

# *Providence United Methodist Church*

**CONNECTIONS 9:00 a.m.**

**Greeting and Welcome**

**Palm Sunday Blessing**

**Opening Prayer**

**Singing:**

“Hosanna (Praise is Rising)”

**Making Connections**

**A Time with the Children**

**Singing:**

“This I Believe”

**Scripture**

Luke 19: 28-40

**Special Music**

“Hosanna” & “Blessed is He”

Sung by the Providence Youth Choir

**Message:**

“What is Significant about Palm Sunday?”

**Prayer Time**

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come, thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

**Singing with Offering:**

“Build Your Kingdom Here”

**Benediction**

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April 14, 2019

# Palm Sunday

11:00 a.m.

## Welcome Guests! We're glad you're here!

- Please pick up a welcome gift from an usher in the foyer.
- **Children's activity bulletins, bags and boxes** are available in the foyer.
- **Restrooms** are located down the main hall turning to the left. A baby changing table is available in the handicap accessible restroom.
- Assisted listening devices, large-print hymnals and large-print bulletins are available. Ask an usher for assistance.
- A **nursery** with professional care is offered as an option for our children newborn through age four (located downstairs).

**UMH** = United Methodist Hymnal (Red)

**FWS** = The Faith We Sing (Black)

\* = Words Projected

+ = Please stand as you are able

## Thank you for silencing all electronic devices.

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Prelude "Holy Week Meditation" arr. by Tom Birchwood

A Palm Sunday Blessing Althea Armstrong

### + Call to Worship \*

One: Hosanna! Blessed is the One who comes in the name of the Lord!

**Many: Hosanna! Rejoice for the Lord is in our midst.**

One: He comes with joy and hope.

**Many: He comes to set us free from fear.**

One: Hosanna!

**ALL: Hosanna! Glory to God in the Highest Heaven. AMEN.**

+ Hymn "Hosanna, Loud Hosanna" UMH #278

Making Connections

Responsive Reading (UMH #839)	Psalms 118: 14-29	<b>Thanks be to God.</b>
+ Hymn	"All Glory Laud and Honor"	UMH #280
Second Reading *	Luke 19:28-40	<b>Thanks be to God.</b>
Special Music	"Hosanna" "Blessed is He"	by Carl Tuttle by Frank & Betsy Hernandez
	Sung By: The Providence Youth Choir	
Sermon	"What is Significant about Palm Sunday?"	Rev. Derrick Parson
Prayer		
The Lord's Prayer	Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come, thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.	
Special Music	"Rejoice Greatly!"	Sung by: Chancel Choir
Offertory	"Ride On in Majesty!"	arr. by David Paxton
+ Response *	"Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow"	UMH #94
+ Hymn	"All Hail King Jesus!"	TFWS #2069
+ Benediction		
+ Postlude	"Crown Him With Many Crowns"	arr.by Cindy Berry

The **flowers on the altar** are given to the glory of God and in memory of the birthday of Jane, Harold Fleenor's wife.

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

All guests, visitors and members (adults and children), **please sign in** on a pew clipboard today and include your contact information. Please continue to sign in each Sunday and especially tell us if you have changes to the personal information that the church maintains.

**EASTER REMINDER:** Please bring cut flowers with you to church on Easter Sunday so we can make our wooden cross come to life with colorful blossoms. There will be assistance at the cross to help you with placing your flowers.

**TODAY is the LAST day to order tulips, lilies or Bibles for Easter.** The cost is \$10. Flowers can be picked up after the 11:00 a.m. service on Easter Sunday.

The **church office will be closed** on Monday, April 22.



***Maundy Thursday*** (4/18) at 7:00 pm — Chancel Choir singing.

***Good Friday*** (4/19) at 7:00 pm — Violinist Jonathan Lingerfelt will be joining us for special music, and Ellen Fleenor will be performing a solo.

***Easter Sunday*** (4/21)

- Sunrise Service, 6:30 am, at the picnic shelter
- Breakfast, 7:30 am, in the Social Hall
- Connections Service, 9:00 am
- Traditional Service, at 11:00 am. The Bells of Providence and the Chancel Choir will be sharing their gift of music at the 11:00 service.

### PUMC Financial Report as of March 31, 2019

	March	2019 YTD	2018 YTD
Receipts	\$28,616.70	\$79,228.23	\$82,886.04
Disbursements	\$31,460.59	\$94,793.32	\$94,301.72
Net Receipts	(\$2,843.89)	(\$15,565.09)	(\$11,415.68)
Transfers to OF	(\$400.00)		
Operating Fund	\$81,672.12		

## “Going Deeper and Higher!”

Dear Friends,

Providence hopes to have a time of spiritual growth in our church. I would like for each of you to consider working along side of me in this endeavor. Please come to a 30-minute informational meeting in room 205 today after the 11:00 a.m. worship service.

Guru Robert M. Davis of Insight Retreats ([Brochure](#)) accompanied by Susan Chapman, Timothy Wofford and Dr. Lisa Johnson will be here to lead us in “***Strength for the Journey***”, a time of spiritual growth. Dates and times are:

Friday, May 31	5-9pm
Saturday, June 1	8am-3pm

This is open to the entire congregation. There is no cost and meals will be provided.

Grace and peace,  
Derrick

## Bookkeeper Position

PUMC is currently seeking a **part-time bookkeeper** who will work closely with the church treasurer and church secretary. A copy of the job description can be found on the church website at: [Bookkeeper](#).

Interested applicants should submit a resume and letter of interest, by April 22, 2019 to:

Staff Parish Committee  
Providence UMC  
901 S. Providence Road  
N. Chesterfield, VA. 23236

Or email to:

[Providenceumc@providenceumc.net](mailto:Providenceumc@providenceumc.net)

Please direct questions to Wayne Smith, at [kmsmith1212@comcast.net](mailto:kmsmith1212@comcast.net).

Are you thinking about being baptized or becoming a member of Providence? Speak with Pastor Derrick who will guide you in the next steps (804) 276-4289.

## PRAYER MINISTRY

**April 14:** We pray for the Spirit of the Resurrection in Metropolitan Richmond: for a spirit of hope, of possibility, of eternal life, and of commitment to the redeeming power of God who brings new life out of death to people and communities..

Handmade **prayer squares are available** in the foyer to take or mail to someone for whom you are praying.

To connect with our email prayer ministry, you may send a prayer request to Nancy Coffman at [nlctlc73@gmail.com](mailto:nlctlc73@gmail.com). If you would like to be added to the list to receive prayer requests, contact Nancy. Please check your email address book to make sure you have this email address.

### Our service men and women, wherever they serve, and their families:

Jessica Ammon	Paul Hager
Harrison Bailey	Wayne Lee
Hunter Blankenship	Marshall Mallory
Terrance Brunson	Nathan Spencer
Jennifer Collins	Megan Thomas
Shelby Gordon	

### Our gathered prayer concerns:

- \* Keisha Clement (niece of Althea Armstrong)
- \* Keri Lyn Coleman (cancer; friend of Dave Robinson)
- \* John Curtis
- \* Uldine Curtis
- \* **Jim & Laura DeLap** (sudden death of their son-in-law)
- \* The family of Ed Driskill (died 3/29); father of LaVonne Stanley)
- \* John Duncan
- \* The family of Rommie Durwood Glasscock (died 3/24; brother-in-law of Carlton & Betty Gregory)
- \* The family of Leon Headley (died 3/31; father of Lisa Fleenor)
- \* Jeannette Houston
- \* Earl Jennings (cancer Friend of Paul Martin)
- \* Jensen (4-year old; surgery was successful; cancer free)
- \* Jack & Linda Keery
- \* Kelli (cancer; sister of Jake Vogeler)
- \* Anna Knight (home)
- \* **The family of Sandra Lynne Marshall** (sudden death on 3/28; daughter of Billy Marshall)
- \* The family of Leigh Middleton (Died 3/16)
- \* Buddy Maxey (LaVonne Stanley's cousin)
- \* Galen Reil
- \* Michele (urgent prayers needed; friend of Betty-Anne Roberson)
- \* Catherine Milholen
- \* Johnise Molloy (home)
- \* Mary Murdock (Paul Martin's sister)
- \* Bill Steele
- \* Mary Steele (Lucy Corr Rehab)
- \* Gordon Wyrick (had eye removed; son of Grace Wyrick)
- \* Christine Forte Klotz and her French family. Alexandre's grandmother died in Paris at age 103.

## CALENDAR OF EVENTS

### Sunday, April 14 — PALM SUNDAY

- 9:00 Connections Service
- 9:45 Sunday School
- 11:00 Traditional Service
- 2:00 Disciple 2 (205)
- 3:00 Girl Scouts (309)
- 5:30 SonRise Sisters
- 5:30 Youth (YH)
- 6:30 Bells of Providence

### Monday, April 15

- 10:00 Line Dancers (309)
- 7:00 Church Council (309)
- 7:00 Ruritan Dinner (SH)

### Tuesday, April 16

- NO Bible Study (L)
- 4:30 End of the Month Hump (AM Davis)
- 6:30 Cubs/Boy Scouts (SH/309)

### Wednesday, April 17

- 7:00 Men's Breakfast (Shoney's)
- 10:30 Staff Meeting
- 6:30 Chancel Choir
- 7:00 Gregory Circle (301)

### Thursday, April 18—MAUNDY THURSDAY

- 10:30 Prayer Team (L)
- 6:15 Men's Study (L)
- 6:30 AA (YH)
- 7:00 Maundy Thursday Service (Chapel)

### Friday, April 19 — GOOD FRIDAY

- 9:15 Cooks for Christ
- 7:00 Good Friday Service (Sanc)
- 8:00 AA (309)

### Saturday, April 20

## Prayer Requests

Pray for:

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Place in Bulletin: Yes / No

Specific Request:

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Meal Needs: Yes / No

Transportation Needs: Yes / No

Desire Card: Yes / No

Comments: \_\_\_\_\_

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Your Contact Information:

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

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Drop this sheet in the offering plate or at the church office.

To direct an urgent concern for yourself or a family member to our email prayer group, please contact the church office by phone or email.

## THOSE SERVING TODAY

### Acolyte:

11:00 Joshua

### Greeters:

9:00 \_\_\_\_\_ (Library)  
Klaus Worrell (Narthex)  
11:00 \_\_\_\_\_ (Library)  
Klaus Worrell (Narthex)

### Ushers:

9:00 Wayne Latimer  
Doug Sheek  
11:00 Klaus Worrell  
Sean Collins, Tony Fleshman  
Laurie Breeden, Gary Wettle

### Nursery:

9:00 Pam Asbury  
SS Barbara Oliver  
11:00 Kathy Alred

### Counters:

Klaus Worrell  
Steve Oliver

### Reader:

Laura Loper

### Audio/Visual Team:

9:00 .....(A)  
.....(V)  
11:00 .....(A)  
.....(V)

### Sanctuary Organizers:

Penny Duckworth  
(April 1-30)

### Grass Cutters (April 15):

Area 1: Gary Vest  
Area 2:

Providence United Methodist Church  
901 S. Providence Road  
N. Chesterfield, VA 23236-2649  
804-276-4289

### Office Hours:

Monday—Thursday 10:00 a.m.—4:00 p.m.  
Friday Office Closed

### Contact us at:

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### Church Staff:

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**Custodial Service** Curtis Jones  
**Nursery Attendant** Cynthia Liverpool  
**Youth Ministries** Mary & Greg Elliott (interim)  
**Young Adult Ministries** Terrence Jeter (interim)  
**Our Covenant Missionary** Kim King Torres  
**Presiding Bishop** Sharma Lewis