

Providence United Methodist Church

CONNECTIONS 9:00 a.m.

Greeting and Welcome

Opening Prayer

Singing

“Your Grace is Enough”

“What a Beautiful Name”

Making Connections

A Time with the Children

Scripture

John 1: 35-42

Message

“Discipleship”

Rev. Derrick Parson

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

“I Have Decided to Follow Jesus”

Benediction

Third Sunday after Pentecost

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.

Prelude

"Beautiful Savior"

arr. Paul Davis

Call to Worship *

One: Great is our God and greatly to be praised!

Many: The whole earth reflects God's power and might.

One: When we recall the wonders of God's creation ...

Many: We rejoice at the awesome complexity of it all.

One: Lord you have brought us up from fear to hope.

ALL: Let us worship and praise God for all God's faithfulness. AMEN.

Prayer

+ Hymn

"I Want to Walk as a Child of the Light"

UMH #206

Making Connections

A Time with the Children

Sherry Jeter

Responsive Reading (UMH #798)	Psalm 77:1-2, 11-20	Thanks be to God.
+ Hymn	“Close to Thee”	UMH #407
Second Reading *	John 1: 35-42	Thanks be to God.
Special Music		
Sermon	“Discipleship”	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.	
Offertory	“Fairest Lord Jesus”	arr. by Joel Rainey
+ Response *	“Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow”	UMH #94
+ Hymn	“I Have Decided to Follow Jesus”	TFWS #2129
+ Benediction		
+ Postlude	“Praise Ye the Lord!”	by Roger Moorpark



The **flowers on the altar** are given to the glory of God by the United Methodist Women, in memory of Doris Creasy. This arrangement is a “forever” arrangement and will be on the altar occasionally. When you see it, please take a private moment to remember Doris and to thank the UMW for the work they do especially here at PUMC.

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.



The church office will be closed on Thursday, July 4th. There will be NO Wednesday Night Dinner on the 3rd due to the holiday on the 4th.

The next **UMW Unit meeting** will be Sunday, July 14 at noon in the Social Hall. This meeting will be a celebration of the 150th anniversary of the UMW! Circle members are asked to bring a salad to share; the UMW Unit will provide the ice cream sundae dessert. Remember that you do not need to belong to a circle to attend the Unit meeting. All ladies are welcome! We hope to see you there!

CAP

Creative Arts @ Providence

July 22-26, 6:00 pm — 8:00 pm
Free dinner for campers starts at 5:30 pm

The CAP team is requesting:

- paper towel tubes (lots of them!)
- stuffed animals (to borrow, please put your name on them)

Other needed items will be on the “giving ark” in the hallway near the water fountain.

Looking ahead, there will be **ONE worship service** on Sunday, July 28, at 10:30 a.m. We will be sharing all that the kids have learned in CAP that week so come and enjoy this special service with us!



Upward Soccer is for athletes age 4 (as of 9/1/19) through 5th grade.

Online registration is open until the first game which is on September 7. If you're reading your bulletin online, [click here](#) for a direct link to the online registration page. Onsite registration and evaluations are Saturday, July 27, 9:00 a.m.—12:00 Noon.

Ages:

- *4 year olds & Kindergarten*, boys and girls
9—10am
- *1st & 2nd grade*, boys and girls
10—11am
- *3rd-5th grade*, boys and girls
11am-12pm

Practices: Tuesdays and Thursdays, 6pm to 7pm and begin August 20 or 22, depending on child's team.

Games: Saturday mornings, 9 am or 10 am, September 7—October 26.

Registration forms are available in the narthex and in other places around the church. Please take a couple to share with your family or neighbors.

The United Methodist Women are collecting the following **items for Grace Inside**. These donations go to women in correctional institutions. We appreciate the help you in showing these women the love Jesus has for them with these gifts.

- July—1 individually wrapped toothbrush (must be in original container)

- August—1 tube of toothpaste, 6 oz. (must be in original container)
- September—1 deodorant stick, 2.6 oz. (no spray or roll-on)
- October—1 bottle of shampoo, 15 oz. (as close to 15 oz. as possible but no larger)
- November—1 bottle of lotion, 15 oz. (as close to 15 oz. as possible but no larger)

Please note that only described items and sizes can be accepted. Donations can be placed in the marked container in the donations area outside the 2nd floor elevator. Thank you for your support.

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

June 30: We pray for the criminal justice system in Metropolitan Richmond: For just institutional policies and programs that foster restorative practices, leading to wholeness and healing.

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. 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 gathered prayer concerns:

- * Dot Ashburn
- * Curtis Bailey
- * Anne Baird (home)
- * Bobby Baker (friend of the Bells)
- * Nan Blackwell
- * Ron Brooks (home)
- * Sherri Brooks (cancer, friend of Julie Gaudett)
- * Jean Chappell (home)
- * Mae Clarke (Laurels/Bon Air, room 142B))
- * Keisha Clement (niece of Althea Armstrong)
- * Keri Lyn Coleman (cancer; friend of Dave Robinson)
- * John Curtis
- * Uldine Curtis
- * David Dennier (diagnosed with diabetes)
- * John Duncan
- * Evelyn Hastings (home)
- * Jeannette Houston
- * Earl Jennings (cancer friend of Paul Martin)
- * Jack & Linda Keery

PUMC Financial Report as of May 31, 2019

	May	2019 YTD	2018 YTD
Receipts	\$20,949.53	\$123,233.76	\$138,063.89
Disbursements	\$25,902.74	\$155,279.03	\$150,516.79
Net Receipts	(\$4,953.21)	(\$32,045.27)	(\$12,452.90)
Transfers to OF			
Operating Fund	\$64,991.94		

Our gathered prayer concerns: (continued)

- * Kelli (cancer; sister of Jake Vogeler)
- * Anna Knight (home)
- * **Shawn Liverpool** (nephew of Cynthia Liverpool)
- * Gwen Madison
- * Mariam (battling sepsis; friend of Mike Collins)
- * Michele (urgent prayers needed; friend of Betty-Anne Roberson)
- * Catherine Milholen
- * Johnise Molloy (home)
- * Mary Murdock (Paul Martin's sister)
- * Nicole Riekers (surgery 7/10)
- * **Ginny Thompson**
- * Bill Steele
- * Mary Steele (Home)
- * Edward Vernon (testing; son of Ralph & Billiedale Vernon)
- * Frank Wildeson (in hospital, Althea Armstrong's brother)

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

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

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Sunday, June 30

9:00 Connections Service
9:45 Sunday School
11:00 Traditional Service
5:30 Youth (309)

Monday, July 1

10:00 Line Dancers (309)
NO Staff Parish

Tuesday, July 2

11:00 Bible Study (L)
6:30 Cubs/Boy Scouts (SH/309)

Wednesday, July 3

10:30 Staff Meeting (205)
NO Wednesday Night Dinner

Thursday, July 4

Church Office Closed
6:30 AA (205)

Friday, July 5

8:00 AA (309)

Saturday, July 6

10:00 Grief Support Group (301)

Prayer Requests

Pray for:

Place in Bulletin: Yes / No

Specific Request:

Meal Needs: Yes / No

Transportation Needs: Yes / No

Desire Card: Yes / No

Comments: _____

Your Contact Information:

Name: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Email Address:

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 Tabitha & Oliver

Greeters:

9:00 _____ (Library)
Klaus Worrell (Narthex)
11:00 Nickie Price (Library)
Klaus Worrell (Narthex)

Ushers:

9:00 Chris Healy
Sheila Dougherty
11:00 Pam Asbury, Melvin Watkins
Linda Wettle, Frank Bell

Nursery:

9:00 Laurie Breeden
SS Troye Hamilton
11:00 Mike & Wendy Collins

Counters:

Jimmy Sculthorpe
Hugh Miles

Reader:

Laura Loper

Audio/Visual Team:

9:00 Tyler Griggs (A)
Nikki Earley (V)
11:00 Tyler Griggs (A)
Nikki Earley (V)

Sanctuary Organizers:

Nickie Price
(7/1-31)

Grass Cutters: June 30

Area 2: Jimmy Sculthorpe

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Office Hours:

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

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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