

PROVIDENCE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

THE LORD'S DAY, APRIL 11, 2010

MORNING WORSHIP SERVICE 11:00 A.M.

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

Announcements

Call to Worship

*Doxology No. 731

*Invocation and Lord's Prayer

*Hymn "All Creatures of Our God and King" No. 115

Pastoral Prayer

Anthem

Presentation of Tithes and Offerings

*Hymn "God Moves in a Mysterious Way" No. 128

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

Scripture *Psalm 60* Page 478

Sermon "Hope in the Midst of Disaster" Pastor Reeves

*Dismissal and Benediction

*Postlude

We're asking everyone to sign an attendance pad this morning. Please help us by signing 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 A PASTOR OR ONE OF THE OFFICERS.

EVENING WORSHIP SERVICE 6:00 P.M.

Prelude *(We quiet our hearts and voices)* Mrs. Emily Reeves

Call to Worship

*Hymn "Trust and Obey" No. 672

*Invocation

Hymn "More Love to Thee, O Christ" No. 649
Praise Song "In Christ Alone" Hand Out

Presentation of Tithes and Offerings

*Hymn "Sweet Hour of Prayer" No. 634

Children (ages 3-5) leave for Children's Video

Scripture *Deuteronomy 22:1-4* Page 164

Sermon "A Higher Standard Than 'Finders Keepers'" Pastor Reeves

*Benediction

*Postlude

*Congregation Standing
Reverend John K. Reeves, Pastor

MISSIONARY OF THE WEEK

Mission America – Jarvis Ward

COLLEGE STUDENT OF THE WEEK

Miss Tracy Pitts

Nursery Today Morning: P/M Atkinson, S/J/G Wright, P/K Freeman
 Evening: A. Kelly, S. Miller, L. Govero
 Apr. 18 Morning: B/N Gault, L/J Harrison, G. Coxwell, M. Atkinson, L/C Cullnane
 Apr. 18 Evening: P. Rodriguez, B. Malin
 Children's Church Leader: D/J Inman
 TLC: ML Govero Greeters: Robinson/Coxwell
 April Deacons/Elder: R. Robinson, D. Johnson, L. Lavallee

PRAYER FAMILY OF THE WEEK

The Valadie Family

CALENDAR OF THE WEEK

TODAY

9:45 A.M. Sunday School
 11:00 A.M. Morning Worship Service
 5:00 P.M. NM Trip Meeting
 6:00 P.M. Evening Worship Service
 7:00 P.M. West Virginia Prayer Team
 7:20 P.M. Adult Choir Rehearsal

TUESDAY

6:45 A.M. Men's Prayer Meeting
 7:00 P.M. Circle 2 (Study Lesson 4)

WEDNESDAY

9:30 A.M. Circle 1 - Study Romans 12 and 13
 (Chapter 11 of "Be Right" study guide.)
 6:30 P.M. Jr. and Sr. High Youth Groups, Pioneers
 6:30 P.M. Reeves/Malin, Martin's & Men's Small Groups
 6:30 P.M. English Conversations
 7:00 P.M. Harrison's Small Group

THURSDAY

8:00 A.M. Ladies Prayer in Prayer Room
 9:00 A.M. Ladies Bible Studies
 6:30 P.M. Circle 3/Ladies Bible Study @ Rodriguez' home

NEW MEXICO TRIP MEETING

Meeting is this afternoon at 5:00 in the room off the Fellowship Hall. It's not too late if you are thinking about going, but it will be soon!

BABY SHOWER

All ladies are invited to a baby shower for Susan Inman, given by her friends, at the home of Robin Elliott (109 Spanish Moss Dr.), on Sat., April 17, 'come and go' from 2-4 p.m. Susan is registered at Target and Babies R Us.

SESSION MEETING

The Session will be meeting next Tuesday, April 20. If you would like to join this church by profession of faith, reaffirmation of faith or transfer of letter please speak to one of the officers or the pastor.

FAMILY NIGHT SUPPER

This month, the men of the Saturday morning prayer breakfast will be preparing Family Night Supper (April 21)! Please sign up in the narthex if you plan to attend, so they will know how much food to buy.

GRADUATE INFO

If you know of someone graduating this spring, please let Robin Elliott know or call the church office.

BEREAVEMENT COMMITTEE

Opal Hall, Jane Russ, Karen Freeman, and Gloria Coxwell will form the new Bereavement Committee. They will serve our congregation by communicating with the bereaved family and learning their needs, calling ladies for help, and overseeing a meal for the family. If you would like to be called on in the future to provide food or to help set up, serve, or clean up for the meal for the grieving family, please sign up in the narthex. Thanks for your willingness to help in this important way to minister to our congregation.

SERMON OUTLINES

Psalm 60

"Hope in the Midst of Disaster"

- I. The Circumstance
- II. The Catastrophe
- III. The Coming Victory
- IV. The Call for Help

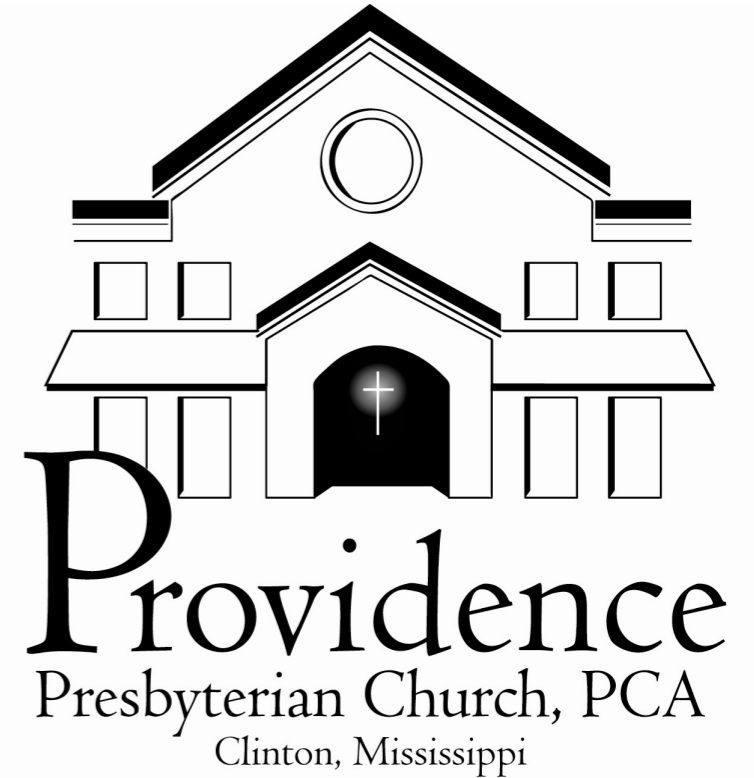
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Deuteronomy 22:1-4

"A Higher Standard Than 'Finders Keepers'"

- I. Find and Restore
- II. Find and Hold Until Claimed
- III. Find and Help
- IV. Fulfillment

Offerings As A Part Of Worship: Why do we take up offerings as a part of worship? We see offerings as part of the worship pattern in the Bible, not dues or administrative fees. Offerings are an expression of gratitude to God for what he has given to us. Offerings are an expression of trust that God will provide for me in the future as I let go of my finances in the present. Offerings are an expression of stewardship, recognizing that all that I have is held in trust from God. Offerings are also a way of reminding ourselves of the first principle of wholehearted self commitment in worship and in giving: "they gave themselves first to the Lord." (I Corinthians 8:5)



*"O grant us help against
the foe, for vain is the
salvation of man!"*

~ Psalm 60:11 ~

April 11, 2010