

PROVIDENCE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

THE LORD'S DAY, JANUARY 3, 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 "How Firm a Foundation" No. 94

Pastoral Prayer

Anthem

Presentation of Tithes and Offerings

*Hymn "Jesus, Lover of My Soul" No. 508

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

Scripture *Genesis 1-2* Page 1

Sermon "The Pattern of the Kingdom" Pastor Reeves

*Benediction

*Postlude

*Congregation Standing

*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 "Our God, Our Help in Ages Past" No. 30

*Invocation

*Hymn "Lead On, O King Eternal" No. 580

Presentation of Tithes and Offerings

*Hymn "Abide with Me: Fast Falls the Eventide" No. 402

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

Scripture *Joshua 1:1-9* Page 178

Sermon "The Changing of the Guard" Pastor Reeves

*Benediction

*Postlude

*Congregation Standing
Reverend John K. Reeves, Pastor

MISSIONARY OF THE WEEK

Robert and Linda Rahaim – MTW Scotland

PRAYER FAMILY OF THE WEEK

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Sartor (Paula) and family

Nursery Today Morning: J. Chapman, T. Pitts, L/T Bennet, E/J Martin
Evening: M. McNair, Opal Hall
Jan. 10 Morning: J. Inman, R. Elliott, M/L Lavallee, ML/L Govero
Jan. 10 Evening: M. McDonald, P. Lotterhos
Children's Church Leader:
TLC: R. Pride
January Deacons/Elder: J. Spears, P. Bishop
Greeters: Harrison/Gault

CALENDAR OF THE WEEK

TODAY

9:45 A.M. Sunday School

11:00 A.M. Morning Worship Service

5:00 P.M. Preschool Committee Meeting

5:00 P.M. Outreach Committee Meeting

5:00 P.M. Japan Prayer Group I

5:00 P.M. Scotts Prayer Group

6:00 P.M. Evening Worship Service

7:20 P.M. Adult Choir Rehearsal

TUESDAY

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

11:30 A.M. Pros Luncheon

WEDNESDAY

Small Groups and Youth Groups begin next week, Jan. 13.

THURSDAY

8:00 A.M. Ladies Prayer in Prayer Room

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BRIDAL SHOWER

Friends of the Elliott family are hosting a bridal shower for Albrey Elliott, bride-elect of Reuben Oates, on Saturday, January 16, at Providence. Everyone is invited to come between the hours of 10:00 and 11:30 a.m. The couple is registered at Bed, Bath and Beyond, Dillard's, Target and Home Depot.

PROS LUNCHEON

The Pros will meet Tuesday, January 5, at 11:30 a.m. for their monthly luncheon. The Boatman family from Vicksburg will be singing Blue Grass Gospel Music. They are happy to play for the glory of God, but we would like to take a love offering for them. Please bring a covered dish to share.

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

Each summer, Providence offers an exciting Vacation Bible School for our young people and others in the community. Much effort is required to make these sessions happen, and it's not too early to plan just as we begin a new year. We particularly need a coordinator to begin the planning process. If you are able to help in this effort, please contact the church office or a member of the CE committee.

SMALL GROUP

The new small group led by Pastor Reeves and Don Malin will begin next Wednesday, Jan. 13, at 7:00 p.m. We would love to order a book for you so you can study along with us! Please sign up in the narthex if you want a copy of Broken Down House.

CHILDREN'S CHURCH

Sign up in the narthex to lead children's church (ages 4 & 5) for one month in 2010. We need **your** help!

NOTE OF THANKS

Dear Church Family,

John and I once again want to thank you for your generous love gift.

Sometimes we wish there was a new way to tell you how much you mean to us. We are truly grateful for your kindness, your patience, and your gracious heart.

Please know how much we love you. May God sustain, renew, revive, and enlarge our vision in 2010.

Love, John and Emily

ADULT SUNDAY SCHOOL

New Adult Sunday School classes begin today and will run through May 30. Please plan on attending one of the following classes:

THE GIFTED CLASS – Some of us never were able to attend the “gifted class” in our school years, but now your opportunity has come! As a child of God, WE ARE ALL GIFTED. Join us as we explore the Spiritual Gifts that God gives each of us and how we can use them to further His Kingdom and more specifically, how we can use them to strengthen our programs here at Providence. This class will be taught by Bill Pleasant.

JOSEPH: A MAN OF INTEGRITY AND FORGIVENESS – Taught by Harold Miller, this class will examine this remarkable man, relating Joseph's struggles to those we face every day. His example will challenge and encourage you to trust God, even in the midst of seemingly desperate circumstances. This class is taken from a series done by Chuck Swindoll, “Insight for Living.”

SERMON OUTLINES

Genesis 1–2

“The Pattern of the Kingdom”

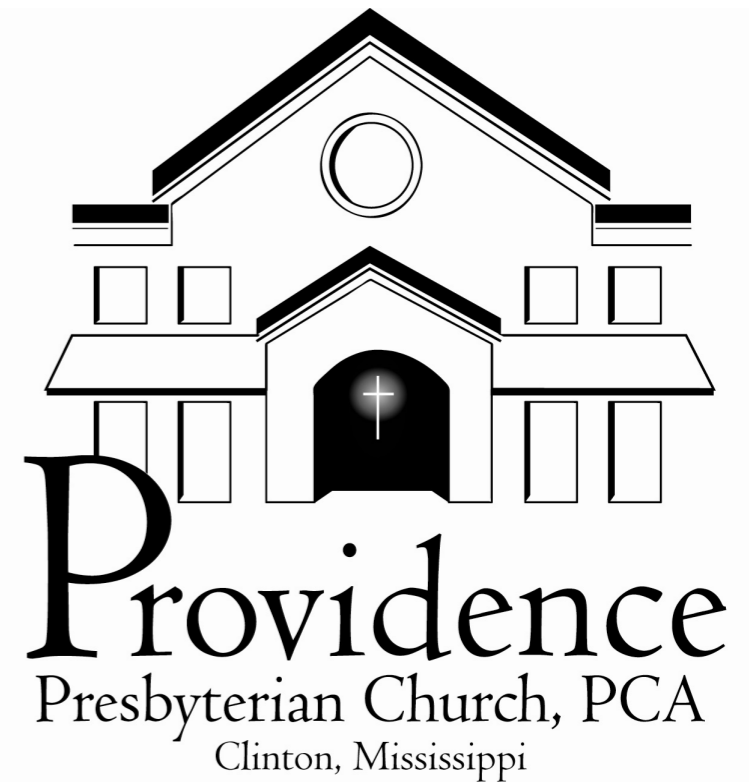
- I. The Ruler in the Kingdom
- II. Vice-Regents in the Kingdom
- III. Rest in the Kingdom
(Rest, Remembering, Rejoicing, Renewal = Worship)
- IV. Relationships in the Kingdom

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Joshua 1:1–9

“The Changing of the Guard”

- I. The Promises Remembered
- II. The Presence
- III. The Imperative



“In the beginning, God created the heavens and the earth.”

~ Genesis 1:1 ~

January 3, 2010