

**PROVIDENCE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**

**THE LORD'S DAY, OCTOBER 6, 2013**

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**MORNING WORSHIP SERVICE 11:00 A.M.**

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

Announcements

Call to Worship Pastor Giesman

\*Doxology No. 731

\*Invocation and Lord's Prayer

\*Hymn "O Day of Rest and Gladness" (vv. 1,2,5) No. 392

The Apostles Creed Page 845

Pastoral Prayer

Anthem "Amazing Grace" arr. Courtney  
~ Words in Hymnal # 460 ~

Presentation of Tithes and Offerings

\*Hymn "Have Thine Own Way, Lord!" No. 688

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

Scripture *I Samuel 16:1-13* Page 238

Sermon "God's Plan Unfolding" Pastor Reeves

\*Benediction

\*Postlude

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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.

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WE WELCOME ALL VISITORS WORSHIPING WITH US TODAY. IF  
YOU WOULD LIKE INFORMATION CONCERNING THIS CHURCH,  
PLEASE SPEAK TO A PASTOR OR ONE OF THE OFFICERS.

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**EVENING WORSHIP SERVICE 6:00 P.M.**

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

Call to Worship

\*Hymn "O Love That Wilt Not Let Me Go" No. 708  
~ David Reeves and the Youth Praise Team ~

\*Invocation

\*Hymn "Jesus, I My Cross Have Taken" No. 717  
~ David Reeves and the Youth Praise Team ~

Presentation of Tithes and Offerings

\*Hymn "Glorious Things of Thee Are Spoken" No. 345

Scripture *Psalms 16* Page 453

Sermon "Solid Joys and Lasting Pleasures" Pastor Giesman

\*Benediction

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\*Congregation Standing

MISSIONARY OF THE WEEK  
New Life Ministries

PRAYER FAMILY OF THE WEEK  
Mr. Kevin Albritton (Beth) and family

COLLEGE STUDENT OF THE WEEK  
Brittany Roberts – Freshman @ Belhaven

Nursery Today Morning: K. Clark/M. Baxter, **Volunteer Needed**,  
P/H Miller, L/T Bennet  
Evening: R/T Bennet  
Oct. 13 Morning: J. Sanders, **Volunteer Needed**, K/J Bullock, J/L  
Harrison  
Oct. 13 Evening: **Volunteers Needed (2)**  
Children's Church Leader: Susan Inman  
TLC: Susan Inman  
October Deacon/Elder: N. Inman, B. Pleasant

**CALENDAR OF THE WEEK**

TODAY

9:45 A.M. Sunday School  
11:00 A.M. Morning Worship Service  
4:30 P.M. Ladies Ministry Team  
5:00 P.M. Outreach Committee Meeting  
5:00 P.M. Japan Prayer Group I  
6:00 P.M. Evening Worship Service  
7:15 P.M. Christmas/Adult Choir Rehearsal

TUESDAY

6:45 A.M. Men's Prayer Group  
7:00 P.M. Circle 2 – Read Chapter 12

WEDNESDAY

8:30 A.M. Ladies Prayer Group  
10:00 A.M. Circle I – Read Chapters 10 & 11  
6:30 P.M. Youth Meeting  
6:30 P.M. Pioneers Group  
6:30 P.M. Small Groups  
8:00 P.M. College Bible Study at the Giesmans  
(153 Bailey's Ridge Circle, Clinton)

THURSDAY

9:30 A.M. Ladies Bible Study

SATURDAY

8:00 A.M. Men's Prayer Breakfast

## CONGREGATIONAL MEETING

The session has called a congregational meeting for October 20, 2013, immediately following the morning worship service. The purpose of this meeting is the pastor's request for the congregation's concurrence with his request to Presbytery for the dissolution of the pastoral relation between Pastor Reeves and Providence Presbyterian Church. The effective date of this dissolution is December 31, 2013. The results of this congregational meeting will be forwarded to Presbytery with Pastor Reeves' request for honorable retirement.

## SAMARITAN'S PURSE SHOE BOXES

Time is running out! On Thursday, October 17, and Friday, October 18, shoe boxes will be packed. (Date in newsletter is incorrect.) Your help is still needed. Monetary gifts are welcomed. We will be happy to shop for you. Questions? See Opal Hall.

## OCTOBER HARVEST FESTIVAL

The October Harvest Festival will be at the church on the 26<sup>th</sup>. There will be a sign up sheet for bringing side dishes and for helping with setting up, games, etc. Mt. Salus folks are invited!

## VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

Volunteers are needed for the nursery. Our church is having a baby boom! Nursery volunteers are typically scheduled to serve once every other month. Please contact Amy Vallejos at 601-397-2201 or amyvallejos@gmail.com.

## IMPORTANT NOTES

Congratulations to Reuben and Albrey Oates in the birth of their son, Jonathan Elliott Oates, on Monday, September 30. Elliott is welcomed by brother Cotten and grandparents Ken and Linda Elliott.

*Christian sympathy to family and friends of Rose Mae Estess in her death last Tuesday, October 1.*

## SERMON OUTLINES

### *I Samuel 16:1-13*

"God's Plan Unfolding"

- I. The Crisis
- II. The Call
- III. The Constraint
- IV. The Crucial Matter
- V. The Consecration

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### *Psalm 16*

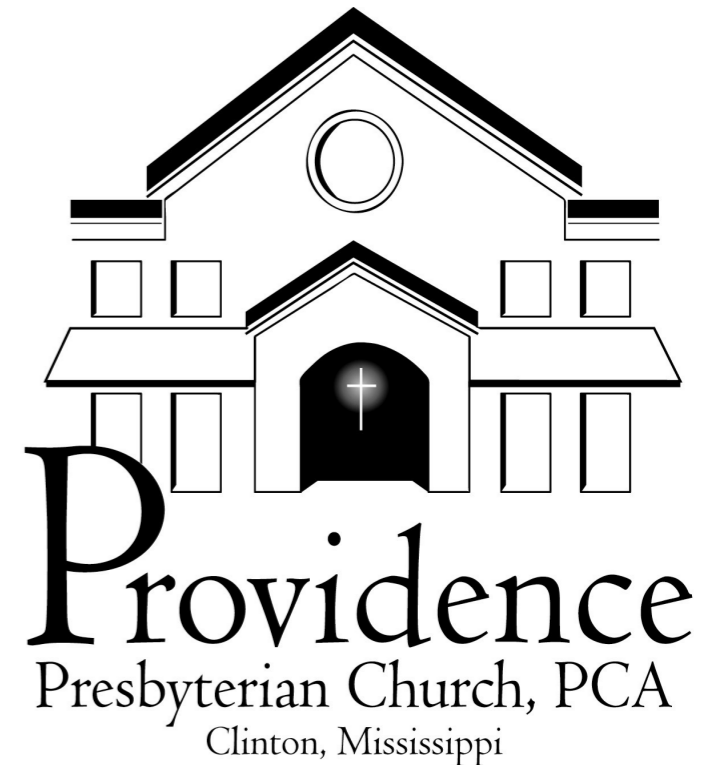
"Solid Joys and Lasting Pleasures"

To be UNSHAKEABLE means you have . . .

- I. Multiple pleasures instead of multiple sorrows, vv. 4,7-11.
- II. God's security instead of anything else, vv. 1-6.
- III. Resurrection instead of rejection, vv. 4, 8-11.

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*"For the Lord sees not as man sees: man looks on the outward appearance, but the Lord looks on the heart."*

*~ I Samuel 16:7b ~*

**October 6, 2013**