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Dear Friends...

Every year I look forward to things slowing down a bit as the seasons move into summer. Then summer arrives and things speed up, instead. But I wouldn't have it any other way. Different things happen in the summer than in the rest of the year both in our own families' lives and in the life of our church family. In about two weeks 16 youth and adults will be going to Montreat, NC for the Worship and Music Conference. Two weeks later a number of us in the church will be in Banner Elk, NC, for the Habitat for Humanity mission trip, which concludes with a young adult and families retreat. Later in July is our Vacation Bible School weekend for the church family and the Child Development Center families. All this is punctuated with what moments of recreation any of us can find. In the midst of all this 'doing', I want to encourage everyone to be diligent in three things.

Worship. Ten or Twelve years ago we began the early worship service with two reasons in mind. First, Jesus calls us to the Lord's Table of Communion to "do this as often as you will." We celebrate the Lord's Supper at the 11:00 AM service on the second Sunday of every month, but there are some who wish to receive the sacrament more often. Every Sunday at the 8:45 AM service we celebrate the Lord's Supper. The service is casual and more like a service of prayer. When we share the bread and cup, we all come up to the chancel, stand around the table and serve each other. The other reason we began this service is for those times when Sunday plans consume most of the day. Come to the early service and the rest of the day is still ahead.

Rest. Let Jesus be our model here. After Jesus had cured a man of leprosy, Luke says, "... Jesus often withdrew to lonely places and prayed." (Lk 5:16) Take care of your walk with God. The many things we have to do and the many places we have to go claim lots of


time. Too often the casualty of our increased summer busy-ness is the time we need to simply be quiet and present with God and His Christ.

As you have received ... give. Every year in the summer giving goes down, and the main reason is summer busy-ness. God has given you this grand creation to be part of and live in, as well as the time and resources to enjoy it with. However, the work and commitments of maintaining the church do not ever take time off. They go on as though there were no summer, and reduced regular giving can put a strain on the budget. Please be diligent in keeping up your stewardship.

I pray for God's blessing for all of you for safe travels, good times, rest, and a closer walk with God.

Blessings,

Mike



Friends of Northside food donations can be made anytime through the summer. A box will be located in the church office.

Music Notes

The 2016 Montreat Conference on Worship and Music, Week I, is June 19 - 24, at Montreat Conference Center in North Carolina. The conference is sponsored by the Presbyterian Association of Musicians, and the theme for the week is Grace and Gratitude. The following children/youth/adults are registered to attend: Mike, Fran, Cindy, Cathy, Donna, Emily, Sarah, Margo, Morgan, Laken, Virginia, Jon, Christopher, Noah, David, Wyatt, and Brady, with Staci joining us for part of the week. I ask your prayers for our week, for all of us who are attending, and for our families at home. We are excited about participating in this excellent conference, and we look forward to bringing back music and worship ideas to share with you.

Thank you, always, for your support of our Providence Musicians.

Donna

VBS is July 29—July 31

***No Special Offering
during the Summer Months***



The May graduation was a wonderful success. Eight of the 4K graduates are a part of our afterschool program for the summer and are excited to join the ranks of the field trip group!

Now that it's June, the summer program officially begins. We will celebrate the special men in the CDC children's lives with a simple breakfast on June 17. From 7 am. to 9 a.m., juice, coffee, fruit and assorted breads will be enjoyed by the families.

As the temperature rises, the water play fun begins! The younger children will splash in the sprinklers, slip on the slides and scoop out the water on their play tables.



The afterschool children swim at Edenwood Pool on Wednesdays and visit the Saluda Shoals Splash Pad and the new water adventure area at Riverbanks Zoo as part of their regular field trips.

We all enjoy the slower pace of the summer. Thank you for your continued support of the CDC.

The PPCDC Management Team.

Men of the Church

As a reminder to the men of Providence, ***Men's Prayer breakfast*** is every ***Tuesday morning at 7:00 am*** at Providence in the Fellowship Hall.

If you are not an early bird, you can also attend the *MOC* on the *second Monday of every month*. Our next meeting will be in August.

Keep the Change Sunday, June 26

That's right! Keep the change --- to retire the debt! We encourage every Providence family to set aside your pocket change daily. On the 4th Sunday of the month, ***June 26***, -"Keep the Change" Sunday -- we will collect the change we've saved. Mark your calendars, save your change and help us retire the debt.

Good Samaritan Clinic

The Good Samaritan Clinic is a faith-based 501(c)(3) group that provides free health care to those in need. Be alert for specific needs which will be listed from time to time in our weekly church bulletin. Prayerfully consider donating as you can. If you have questions, please call Joretta Rawl at (803) 234-7844.

Nursery Schedule

The Worship Toddlers has been combined with Worship Nursery.

We could use more volunteers. Please contact Emily or the church office if you would like to help.

Please review as your dates may have changed. If you have questions about the schedule, please contact Emily Mooneyhan or call the church office at 794-6766.

There will be **No Sunday School Nursery** during the months of **June, July and August**

<i>Date</i>	<i>Sunday School</i>	<i>Worship Nursery</i>	<i>Jr. Church</i>
06/05		Karan Bundrick	Sheri Gordon
06/12		Dee Pukl	Anne Marie Ashley
06/19		Sandra Simpson	Dave McCree
06/26		Maria Patton	Tim Monetti
07/03		Jessica Moore	Anne Marie Ashley
07/10		Kathy Hawks	Sarah Scarborough
07/17		Lauren Finnegan	Rosie Robinson
07/24		Sandra Simpson	Sheri Gordon
07/31		Karan Bundrick	Dave McCree
08/07		Maria Patton	Tim Monetti
08/14		Jessica Moore	Anne Marie Ashley
08/21		Kathy Hawks	Sarah Scarborough
08/28		Sandra Simpson	Sheri Gordon

Worship Schedules

Our ushers continue to do an excellent job and we want to express our appreciation for their dedicated service. If you would like to become part of this ministry, you may call the church office (794-6766) or contact Emily Mooneyhan. Listed below are our schedules for the next 3 months. If you are unable to serve as scheduled, please make arrangements with someone on the list to substitute for you.

Elder Readers

- 06/05 Rosie Robinson
06/12 Faye Daniel
06/19 Tim Hawks
06/26 Phillip Enlow
- 07/03 Lauren Finnegan
07/10 Jay Coles
07/17 Laurie White
07/24 Roy Rushing
07/31 Dotti Foreman
- 08/07 Jason Bundrick
08/14 Eddie Enfinger
08/21 Joretta Rawl
08/28 Judy Clas

Usher/Communion Elder

JUNE 2016

Roy Rushing, Judy Clas, Eddie Enfinger,
Laurie White

EXTRA COMMUNION ELDERS:

Roy Turner, Dave McCree

JULY 2016

Steve Gordon, Violet & Simons Hane,
Stoney Patton

EXTRA COMMUNION ELDERS:

Tim McKeever, Janet Jordan

AUGUST 2016

Dotti Foreman, Roy Rushing, Laurie White,
Tim Hawks

EXTRA COMMUNION ELDERS:

Roy Turner, Nancy Pilat Renner

Acolyte Schedule

There will be **No Acolytes or Book Bearers** during the months of **June, July and August**

Worship Directors

- 06/05 Roy Rusing
06/12 Janet Jordan
06/19 Dotti Foreman
06/26 Judy Clas
- 07/03 Michael Scarborough
07/10 Joretta Rawl
07/17 Tim Hawks
07/24 Caralytta Barnhill
07/31 Nancy Pilat Renner
- 08/07 Lauren Finnegan
08/14 Laurie White
08/21 Jason Bundrick
08/28 Eddie Enfinger

Sun Mon Tue Wed Thu Fri Sat

			1 Chancel Choir 6:15 pm <i>Eli Bundrick</i> <i>Dale Steudel</i>	2	3	4
5	6 <i>Mary Wood</i>	7 Men's Prayer Breakfast 7:00 am <i>Susan Turner</i>	8 Chancel Choir 6:15 pm	9	10	11
12	13 <i>Sandra Simpson</i>	14 Men's Prayer Breakfast 7:00 am	15 Chancel Choir 6:15 pm	16	17	18
19 <i>Jordan Bullock</i> Montreat	20 Montreat	21 Men's Prayer Breakfast 7:00 am <i>Caroline Patton</i> Montreat	22 Chancel Choir 6:15 pm <i>James Bullock</i> Montreat	23 No Chancel Choir <i>Bill Coleman</i> <i>Joey Pukl</i> Montreat	24 <i>Kim Simmons</i> Montreat	25 <i>Joretta Rawl</i> <i>Kevin Simmons</i>
26	27	28 Men's Prayer Breakfast 7:00 am	29 Chancel Choir 6:15 pm	30 <i>Caralytta Hawks</i>	June 2016	

Church Family Prayer Requests

We encourage you to remember them in your prayers. If you know of any sickness or concerns, please call the church office at 794-6766.

Our Members

Carolyn Kay	Bucky Masters	Mary Wood
Jean Rushing	Susan Hicks	Margaret Lankford
Al Montgomery	Pearl Langford	Shirley VanKley
Kathy Hawks	Laurie White	Maria Patton
Ralph Barton	Tom Wyatt	Frances Julian
Jeanette Bragan	Faye Daniel	Bea Shannon
Judy Thrana	Bob Dennis-Leigh	Gail Pukl
Caroline Patton	Graham White	Dot Wilson
Veneta Renner	Betty White	Betty Jackson

Our Family and Friends

Mack McGahee	Megan Sease (<i>Donna Martin</i>)
Janice Breazeale (<i>Simons & Violet</i>)	Vickie McGahee (<i>Patton, Bullock, Pardue</i>)
Dan Miranda (<i>Curry</i>)	Terri Barton (<i>Barton</i>)
Avie (<i>Billingsley</i>)	Joyce Kistler (<i>Montgomery</i>)
Terry Jones (<i>Scarborough</i>)	Carmen Dennis-Leigh
Anthony Plante (<i>Kay</i>)	Callie Simpson (<i>Sandra Simpson</i>)
Chris	Chuck Curry
Family of Vernon Jerry Carroll (<i>Gore</i>)	Brian Fallaw (<i>Lindsey Fallaw, CDC teacher</i>)
Debbie Culbreth (<i>Pukl</i>)	Erika Browning (<i>Woods</i>)
Don Hagy (<i>Pardue/Hicks</i>)	Elena Carter (<i>Patton</i>)
Joe McKinney (<i>Renner</i>)	Tom Johnson (<i>Martin</i>)
Tommy Tullis (<i>Masters</i>)	Katie Atkinson (<i>Barton</i>)
Ken Martin (<i>White</i>)	Chip Houser
Claudine & Foster (<i>Patton</i>)	Kathy Rigg (<i>Monetti</i>)
Crystal Hawks (<i>Kathy Hawks</i>)	Kent Rigg (<i>Cathy Monetti</i>)
Bob & Jane Harris (<i>Rawl</i>)	Pat Causey (<i>CDC Teacher</i>)
Ken Akin (<i>Wyatt</i>)	Military Service Members & Families
Butch Shirey (<i>Laurie White</i>)	Eloise Sarvis (<i>Jay & Teresa Coles</i>)
Janet Vehorn	John Coles (<i>Jay & Teresa Coles</i>)
Jaxson (<i>Roy & Jean Rushing</i>)	
Landon Derrick (<i>Donna Martin</i>)	
Doris Hane & daughter, Spann (<i>Hane</i>)	
Frankie & Sonia Riley (<i>Enfinger</i>)	
Jim (Cotton) Huffman (<i>Violet & Simons Hane</i>)	

Calling All Cell Phones

Evangelism and Mission Committee is collecting old cell phones for Sister Care. If you have any cell phones that their calling is to serve Sister Care, please bring them to church and place them in the marked box around the corner from the Narthex.

Gods Helping Hands

Thank you for responding to the needs of this ministry. Your help is greatly appreciated. The suggested items for **June** are: **Bath Soap, Crackers and Juice.**

You may drop them by the church any time you would like or bring them with you to church on Sunday. Thanks!



Save Those Tabs

While you're saving labels remember to save your drink can tabs and deposit them in the container in the hallway collection area. The Ronald McDonald House, the families who stay there, and the children who are hospitalized greatly appreciate our support.

Clip The UPC Labels for Thornwell

You may have heard that Campbell's is changing the way they collect the soup labels. The only change is that you now clip the UPC code instead of the front label. Thornwell still redeems them for merchandise as they have done in the past. So please keep clipping!



Also, clip the box tops from hundreds of your favorite General Mills products! Each box top is worth \$.10 to Thornwell.

Church Contacts

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Emily Mooneyhan.....	Christian Educator
Alice Wyatt	Clerk of Session
Debbie Pardue	Treasurer

Child Development Center **796-0492**

Joan Bullock	Director
Sharon Enlow.....	Assistant Director
Jason Bundrick.....	Assistant Director
Kyle McCree.....	CDC Administrative Assistant

Active Elders

Lauren Finnegan.....	2016
George Hayes	2016
Roy Turner	2016
Laurie White	2016
Jason Bundrick.....	2017
Eddie Enfinger	2017
Tim Hawks	2017
Joretta Rawl.....	2017
Judy Clas	2018
Dotti Foreman	2018
Roy Rushing.....	2018
Michael Scarborough	2018

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