



*“growing a family
to reach a community”*

Loving God, loving one another, and embracing
our community and world with Jesus

Lord's Day Worship

March 12, 2023

Call to Worship

1 Chronicles 16:31-36

Let the heavens rejoice, let the earth be glad; let them say among the nations, "The Lord reigns!" Let the sea resound, and all that is in it; let the fields be jubilant, and everything in them! Let the trees of the forest sing, let them sing for joy before the Lord, for he comes to judge the earth. Give thanks to the Lord, for he is good; his love endures forever. Cry out, "Save us, God our Savior; gather us and deliver us from the nations, that we may give thanks to your holy name, and glory in your praise." Praise be to the Lord, the God of Israel, from everlasting to everlasting.

Let the Nations Be Glad

Song

Lord, I Need You

Song

Opening Prayer

Confessing Our Sins Together

Hosea 13:4-6

I am the Lord your God from the land of Egypt; you know no God but me, and besides me there is no savior. It was I who knew you in the wilderness, in the land of drought; but when they had grazed, they became full, they were filled, and their heart was lifted up; therefore they forgot me.

Holy Father, you see us as we are, and know our inmost thoughts. We confess that we are unworthy of your gracious care. We forget that all life comes from you and that to you all life returns. We have not sought to do your will with our whole hearts. We have not lived as grateful children, nor loved as Christ loved us. Apart from you, we are nothing. Only your grace can sustain us.

Lord, in your mercy, forgive us, heal us, and make us whole. Set us free from our sin, and restore us to the joy of your salvation now and forever. Amen.

Rejoicing in Our Forgiveness

Hebrews 4:14-16

Therefore, since we have a great high priest who has ascended into heaven Jesus the Son of God, let us hold firmly to the faith we profess. For we do not have a high priest who is unable to empathize with our weaknesses, but we have one who has been tempted in every way, just as we are—yet he did not sin. Let us then approach God’s throne of grace with confidence, so that we may receive mercy and find grace to help us in our time of need.

O Praise the Name of the Lord

Song

Christ the True and Better

Song

Praying for the Persecuted Church

Elder Eric Hobold

Giving of Tithes & Offerings

Breathe on Me, Breath of God

Hymn #334

Hearing God’s Word Together

The Gospel According to Mark

Mark 5. 21-43

An Unexpected Faith

Rev. Mark Fodale

Just As I Am

Hymn #501

Benediction

Revelation 1:5-6

To him who loves us and has freed us from our sins by his blood and made us a kingdom, priests to his God and Father, to him be glory and dominion forever and ever. Amen.

Scripture Reading

Mark 5. 21-43 (English Standard Version)

²¹ And when Jesus had crossed again in the boat to the other side, a great crowd gathered about him, and he was beside the sea. ²² Then came one of the rulers of the synagogue, Jairus by name, and seeing him, he fell at his feet ²³ and implored him earnestly, saying, "My little daughter is at the point of death. Come and lay your hands on her, so that she may be made well and live." ²⁴ And he went with him.

And a great crowd followed him and thronged about him. ²⁵ And there was a woman who had had a discharge of blood for twelve years, ²⁶ and who had suffered much under many physicians, and had spent all that she had, and was no better but rather grew worse. ²⁷ She had heard the reports about Jesus and came up behind him in the crowd and touched his garment. ²⁸ For she said, "If I touch even his garments, I will be made well." ²⁹ And immediately the flow of blood dried up, and she felt in her body that she was healed of her disease. ³⁰ And Jesus, perceiving in himself that power had gone out from him, immediately turned about in the crowd and said, "Who touched my garments?" ³¹ And his disciples said to him, "You see the crowd pressing around you, and yet you say, 'Who touched me?'" ³² And he looked around to see who had done it. ³³ But the woman, knowing what had happened to her, came in fear and trembling and fell down before him and told him the whole truth. ³⁴ And he said to her, "Daughter, your faith has made you well; go in peace, and be healed of your disease."

³⁵ While he was still speaking, there came from the ruler's house some who said, "Your daughter is dead. Why trouble the Teacher any further?" ³⁶ But overhearing what they said, Jesus said to the ruler of the synagogue, "Do not fear, only believe." ³⁷ And he allowed no one to follow him except Peter and James and John the brother of James. ³⁸ They came to the house of the ruler of the synagogue, and Jesus saw a commotion, people weeping and wailing loudly. ³⁹ And when he had entered, he said to them, "Why are you making a commotion and weeping? The child is not dead but sleeping." ⁴⁰ And they laughed at him. But he put them all outside and took the child's father and mother and those who were with him and went in where the child was. ⁴¹ Taking her

by the hand he said to her, “Talitha cumi,” which means, “Little girl, I say to you, arise.” ⁴² And immediately the girl got up and began walking (for she was twelve years of age), and they were immediately overcome with amazement. ⁴³ And he strictly charged them that no one should know this, and told them to give her something to eat.



Sermon Quotes and References:

²⁵ “If a woman has a discharge of blood for many days, not at the time of her menstrual impurity, or if she has a discharge beyond the time of her impurity, all the days of the discharge she shall continue in uncleanness. As in the days of her impurity, she shall be unclean. ²⁶ Every bed on which she lies, all the days of her discharge, shall be to her as the bed of her impurity. And everything on which she sits shall be unclean, as in the uncleanness of her menstrual impurity. ²⁷ And whoever touches these things shall be unclean, and shall wash his clothes and bathe himself in water and be unclean until the evening. ²⁸ But if she is cleansed of her discharge, she shall count for herself seven days, and after that she shall be clean. ²⁹ And on the eighth day she shall take two turtledoves or two pigeons and bring them to the priest, to the entrance of the tent of meeting. ³⁰ And the priest shall use one for a sin offering and the other for a burnt offering. And the priest shall make atonement for her before the LORD for her unclean discharge.

Leviticus 15. 25-30

The Gospel According to Mark
Mark 5. 21-43
An Unexpected Faith

I. Some “Big Picture” Connections

A. Differences

1. Named vs. anonymous
2. Insider vs. outsider
3. Powerful vs. powerless
4. Delay vs. *“immediately”*

B. Similarities

1. Desperate
2. *“Twelve years”*
3. *“Daughter”*
4. Mocking
5. *“Immediately”*
6. Unclean > clean

II. The Main Point: A Daughter’s Faith (vs. 25-34)

“Daughter, your faith has made you well ...”

III. An Exposure of Jesus

1) Jesus is the _____

2) Jesus is a _____ Savior

Providence Activities

March 12, 2023

Task Schedule	This Week	Next Week
Greeting Upper-Level.....	Christiansen/Cuomo.....	M. Beatrice / C. Brand
Greeting Lower-Level.....	McKenna	Fryauff
Coffee Fellowship Host	Fodale.....	Wilsey / Haldeman
Nursery.....	Croll	T. Jarrett / S. McClure
Nursery Helper	A. Buldo / J. Fryauff	D. Van Norden / T. Henderson
Sound Booth.....	Sam (B) / Darrin (L).....	Ethan (B) / Heather (L)
Deacon of the Month.....	Mark Opdycke	Mark Opdycke

This Week:

Today..... Fellowship Meal, 12:30 p.m. in the fellowship hall
..... Men's Leadership Training, 5:30 p.m. at church
Tuesday..... Ladies *Ezra* Bible Study, 9:30 a.m. lower-level foyer
..... Ladies *Genesis* Bible Study, 6:30 p.m. lower-level foyer
Wednesday..... Men's Fellowship Breakfast, 8:00 a.m. in the fellowship hall
Thursday..... Bible Study on the Gospel of Mark, 9:30 a.m., Fellowship Hall
..... Ladies Fellowship Luncheon, 12:30 p.m. at Dominick's Restaurant, QT
..... Men's *James* Bible Study, 6:30 p.m. at Jacob's Home, Pennsburg
Friday..... Miles HFG, 7:00 p.m. at Snyder's home, Quakertown
Saturday..... Christ's Cupboard Food Distribution/Outreach 8:30 a.m. at church
..... *Women's Event on Depression*, 12:30 p.m. Providence Fellowship Hall*

Announcements:

Today is our Fellowship Meal, everyone is invited; especially visitors.

Our next **Discovering Providence Class** is taking place on Sunday, March 26th from 12:30 – 2:00 p.m. in our fellowship hall. Lunch is provided. Please sign up in the upper-level foyer if you'd like to attend. Class materials will be emailed to you in preparation for the class. Please see Diane Henderson with any questions.

*If you would like to register for the Ladies ***Finding Hope – Giving Hope*** event, there will be some ladies from the Women's Ministry Team in the upper-level foyer, by the round table with the purple tablecloth, after worship today to answer any questions you may have and/or to help you register.

PROVIDENCE WOMEN'S MINISTRY PRESENTS

Finding Hope Giving Hope

*care & encouragement
for facing depression*

Saturday, March 18th

**Lunch 12:30 pm
Program 1:30 pm
Cost: \$15**

*Come to grow in your understanding
and ability to care for someone
struggling with depression.*

*Shannon Fodale and Lauren Kuehlewind
will teach on caring for the
whole person, body and soul.*

*.A panel of Providence women will share
how God has shown Himself faithful even
in the midst of struggling with depression.*

Register at: www.findinghope.rsvpify.com

For more information contact Shannon ·

Providence Presbyterian Church ~ 2200 Krammes Road, Quakertown



Discovering PROVIDENCE

lunch + learn

If you are asking questions about Providence Church like:

"What is our church vision?", "What are our beliefs?" or "How do I become a member and plug into ministry?" then we would like to invite you to the

Discovering Providence Lunch + Learn Class!

This is the first step if you are interested in becoming a member. New members must attend the Discovering Providence Class. Please note: you are under no obligation to become a member if you take the class.

Sunday, March 26th

12:30 – 2:00 p.m.

Providence Fellowship Hall

We hope to be informative, get to know each other and have fun together. A sign-up sheet is in the upper-level foyer or you may see Diane Henderson if you want to participate or have a question. Class materials will be emailed to you in preparation for the class.

Lunch is provided!



Upcoming Events at Providence 2023

18 MAR	Finding Hope Giving Hope Ladies Event, 12:30 pm	26 MAR	Discovering Providence Lunch & Learn Class 12:30 pm
7 APR	Good Friday Service 6:30 pm	9 APR	Easter Sunday 8:30 am Worship 9:30 am Breakfast 10:30 am Worship
22 APR	Men's Conference 9:00 am	23 APR	Ministry Team Fair 12:30 pm
29 APR	Titus 2 Ladies Speed Chatting 2-4 pm	6 MAY	Car Wash Fundraiser 9 am – 2 pm
21 MAY	Fellowship Meal 12:30 pm	Please note these dates are special events which are currently listed on the church calendar, others may be established in the future.	

More details to come on some of the events,
please visit our website

WWW.PROVIDENCE-PCA.ORG



CELEBRATE *Easter* WITH US!

INVITE NEIGHBORS, FAMILY
& FRIENDS TO COME.
ALL ARE WELCOME!

We warmly invite you and your family to celebrate Easter with us, as we remember the death and resurrection of our Lord, Jesus Christ.

Good Friday

6:30 PM
EVENING SERVICE

Easter Sunday

08:30 AM - 1ST SERVICE
09:30 AM - EASTER BREAKFAST
10:30 AM - 2ND SERVICE

These special services were designed to focus our hearts and minds on the true meaning of Easter and on the Lord's great love and sacrifice for us.

If you are unable to join us in person, please join us online at

www.providence-pca.org/live



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TITUS 2 LADIES SPEED CHATTING

Praying that "the love of each one of you toward one another grows ever greater" 2 Thess 1:3

A WAY FOR YOUNGER & OLDER WOMEN TO
GET TO KNOW EACH OTHER BETTER.

Saturday, April 29

2-4pm | Ages 15-up

at Providence Church

Check-in starts at 1:30pm

Register at www.providence-pca.org/speedchatting

Free event. Must register by April 25.

Questions? Please contact Shannon Fodale at 610-295-7787