

October 2018

Providence Ponderings



Providence Christian Church invites you to attend our
180th Homecoming Celebration on Sunday, Sept. 30:

9 a.m. – Sunday School
10 a.m. – Worship Service
11 a.m. – Music Program with Don White
11:45 a.m. – Homecoming Dinner Hog Roast

Meat, drinks, and table service will be provided for the Homecoming Dinner.
Please bring your favorite food(s) to share.

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CW7 Annual Craft Fair and Bake Sale

Find some new ideas for holiday gift-giving at our [Annual Craft Fair and Bake Sale](#) hosted by Christian Women's Fellowship. The sale will take place on Saturday, Oct. 6, from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m.

Besides offering homemade crafts and food items created by the PCC congregation, we also will be selling hot dogs and chili in the Shelter House.



Some of our vendors will include Norwex, Thirty-One, Papparazzi jewelry, Keep Collective, and décor made from upcycled products.

If you would like to donate items for the sale, bring them to the church on Thursday, Oct. 4, from 4 to 7 p.m. and on Friday, Oct. 5, from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Jane Sample has donated one of her handmade quilts to CWF, and you can have a chance to own it! Donate \$1 for one chance or receive six chances with a \$5 donation. The quilt will be on display at Homecoming and during the Craft Fair and Bake Sale.

Memorial contributions

These individuals contributed to the Clinton Taylor Memorial Fund:

Kenny and Judy Eldridge
Andy Findley
Bill Hatchett
Steve and Alma Shaul
Dr. Steven and Lavonne Sorensen

Keith Cochran
Kenny and Judy Eldridge
Andy Findley
Jason and Carol Gehrs
Bill Hatchett
Bob and Paula Heuchan
Sam and Sandy Hoagland

Carma Kipfer
David and Karen Morrison
John and Jill Norris
Roger and Mary Plummer
Richard and Becky Ritter
Steve and Alma Shaul
James Sleighter and family
Lorene Sloop
Ina Lou Smith
Dr. Steve and Lavonne Sorensen
M. Louise Spicer
Joan Thompson
Larry and Angelika Vandenberg
Nina West
Beth Woodsmall
Dr. Sam and Judy Young
John and Jamie Zeilinga

These individuals contributed to the Norma Deer Memorial Fund:

Dr. Doug and Gayla Bullington
David and Pamela Burkhart
Jerry and Stellamae Carley
Mike and Connie Clark



Missions - Serving His world

CSI Ministries

Pray for:

- The sale of the CSI headquarters and the potential move to Kokomo.
- Wisdom and discernment for John as he leads CSI.
- An exploratory trip to Guatemala to a mission training school.
- Full-time missionaries in Belize and Jamaica.
- The right timing and the right place to rent a guest house in Belize.

Praise God for:

- The new possibility of a much-needed school in Belize.
- A successful CSI board meeting and a board that is prayerful and passionately engaged.

- Good visits with pastors, universities, and church leaders.
- The continued recovery of Mike Ginter's father after a workplace accident.
- A great season of teams serving.



Bridges Alliance of Johnson County

Learn how to become actively involved in ending poverty within our community at the Bridges Out of Poverty Workshop. The workshop will explore issues and misconceptions surrounding poverty. You will come away gaining relevant insight into the challenges and issues related to poverty, exploring the hidden rules of poverty and learning how to become actively involved in ending poverty within our community. The workshop will take place on Saturday, Oct. 20, from 8:30 to 11:30 a.m. at Grace United Methodist Church in Franklin. [Register online.](#)

Providence Christian Church Mission Partners

Silvia Balcazar – Ecuador
Samuel Chung – China
Luis Jaime Duran Buendia – Peru
Mike Ginter – CSI
Marggy Hensley – CSI
Sovann Keo – Cambodia
Ricardo Marquez – Ecuador

Duyen Nguyen – Vietnam
Elva Novillo Quito – Ecuador
Elizabeth Nyakudanga – Zimbabwe
Leonor Solis – Ecuador
Yon Chesy Suarez Chavez – Peru
Dr. Mary Ruth Wise – Peru
Florentino Zarate – Peru

Christ Youth Bible Clubs
Food 4 Souls
Interchurch Food Pantry
of Johnson County
KIC-IT
Multiplication Network
Ministries
St. Thomas Free Clinic

News from the congregation

Sympathy

PCC extends our sympathy to the family of William "Toby" Meek who passed away on Sept. 2. A memorial service will be held at PCC on Saturday, Oct. 20, at 1 p.m.

PCC extends our sympathy to the family of Norma Deer who passed away on Sept. 3.

PCC extends our sympathy to Vince and Annette Barr and family upon the death of Ned Barr.

Marriages

Many blessings to Luke Zahnd and Ashley Johnson who were married on Sunday, Sept. 16, in Bargersville. Luke is the grandson of Charlene Legan. Pastor Steve was the ceremony officiant.

Birthday party

The Eldridge family invites the PCC congregation to celebrate Edna Eldridge's 90th birthday at a party on Sunday, Oct. 7, at 2:30 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall.

Thank you notes

I would like to thank everyone for their thoughts and prayers during my operation and recovery. Pastor Steve and church members, thank you very much.

Brad Reed

Thank you so much for being a part of our revival. Everyone thoroughly enjoyed the praise and worship. We must do it again sometime in a special service at your place or ours. God bless you in all that you do. Thank you for giving to the Lord!

In Christian love,
Dave Duke
Worship Leader
Christian Chapel Church

Thank you for your prayers of healing for my eye. It continues to improve each week. I know God answers prayers!

Sincerely,
Julie Burton

Notes to the congregation

Hi! Just a note to say hello and that we are thinking about you all. Dad is fine. He has slowed down some but continues all his daily activities. He's hoping to spend more time outside as soon as it cools down some. Just been so hot and humid this summer. We think of our dear friends and pray for all our church family at PCC

Love to all,
Becky and Rich Ritter

Love and blessings to all,
William Hatchett

Bible Study

Join us for our weekly Bible study on Wednesdays at 2 p.m. New members are encouraged to attend!

Ladies Day Out

All PCC ladies are invited to enjoy lunch and fellowship together at our next Ladies Day Out at Stream Cliff Herb Farm in Commiskey, Indiana. Watch for details soon!



Ring in the Advent season at the Christmas Tea

Mark your calendar! All ladies are invited to attend the Annual Christmas Tea on Friday, Dec. 7, at 6:30 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall.

Cherie Lowe, a local blogger and expert on personal finance, will be the guest speaker. She will share a message of hope and encouragement during a season that tries to focus our eyes on everything except its true meaning.

Since 2008, Cherie has been confidently wearing a plastic crown and encouraging others to dream big dreams. Together with her husband, Brian, Cherie paid off \$127,482.30 in a little under four years. She scribed the ups and



downs of their “debt slaying journey” on her popular website, www.QueenOfFree.net.

Cherie strongly believes that something can come from nothing and that there is always a way for her

readers to simplify their lives and their budgets. More than anything, through speaking and written word, Cherie longs for others to know that there is hope for getting their finances under control.

Her family’s story has appeared in the *Wall Street Journal*, Yahoo Finance, *Redbook* magazine, AOL Daily Finance, and more. Cherie and Brian reside in Greenwood along with their daughters, Anna and Zoe.

If you are interested in hosting a table at the Christmas Tea, please see Connie Clark. Table hostesses are responsible for table decorations, place settings, and a small gift for your table’s guests.

A poster for the Providence Christian Church Autumn Revival Series. At the top, there is a decorative border of colorful autumn leaves in shades of purple, green, yellow, orange, and red. Below the leaves, the text is written in a dark red, cursive font. The main title is "Providence Christian Church Autumn Revival Series". Below this, the dates and times for three events are listed in a bold, dark red font, followed by the activities and speakers in a smaller, dark red font.

Providence Christian Church
Autumn Revival Series

Sunday, Oct. 28
6 p.m. – Appetizers
7 p.m. – Rev. Tracy M. Ross

Sunday, Nov. 4
6 p.m. – Taco and Nacho Bar
7 p.m. – Pastor Dean Combs

Sunday, Nov. 11
5:30 p.m. – Chili Dinner
7 p.m. – Pastor Ronn Oren

Prayer concerns

- Jennifer Burt's friend Shelly – Cancer
- Logan – Tumor
- Kyra Baker – Recuperation
- Laura Beck – Leukemia
- Kimberly Briskey – Recuperation
- Evelyn Brown – Health
- Pastor Andrew Brunson – Imprisoned
- Janice Bullman – Recuperation
- Julie Burton – Eye
- Ryan Byrd – Health concerns
- Larry Clark – Cancer
- Pauline Clem – Neurological
- Chris Coll – Throat cancer
- David Deer – Recuperation
- Pam Deer – Seizures
- Ed Denman – Cancer
- Brad Dillion – Cancer
- Linda Doutt – Heart
- Christopher Eldridge – Heart
- Rachel Eldridge – Liver
- Dennis Eldridge – Cancer
- Connie Facemire – Liver cancer
- Mark Findley – Cancer
- Marth Ann Findley – Recuperation
- Mary Ford – Recuperation
- Gary Francis – Heart
- Annie Frasier – Cancer
- Mae Goodwin – Heart and respiratory
- Zach Green – National Guard in Kuwait
- Bill Hatchett – Cancer
- Patti Heldman – Liver
- Phyllis Hellmich – Health concerns
- Stacy Henderickson – Health concerns
- Bob Hoagland – Cancer, stroke
- Donald Julian – Stroke rehab
- Lighthouse Shelter - Domestic violence victims
- Barry Lutzke – Lyme disease
- Frank Marshall – Heart
- Elizabeth McDonald – Seizures
- Sandra McNicholas – Infection
- Baby Logan Miller – Healing
- Mabel Morgan – Recuperation
- David Morrison – Health concerns
- Shannon New – Respiratory issues
- Bryan Page – Melanoma
- Michael Parkhurst – Remission
- Michael Parkhurst – Health concerns
- Andrea Parsley – Health concerns
- Steve Potter – Heart
- Julie Pottorff – Seizures
- Phil Radcliffe – Health concerns
- Nicole Richards – Cancer
- Becky Ritter – Cancer
- Jimmy and Mickey Rodriguez
- Carmen Sharp – Cancer
- Susan Sloop – Cancer remission
- Mike Smitson – Stroke
- Louise Spicer – Cancer
- Pam Spicer – Cancer
- Angela Stark – Transfusions and biopsy
- Jaxon Stark – Health issues
- Tim Stearns – Vision
- Kelli Street – Multiple sclerosis
- Emma Stumpf – Brain tumor
- Deann Tomlinson – Cancer
- Katrina Vollmer – Broken hip
- Max Wise – Juvenile diabetes

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Happy birthday!

October 1
Savannah Miles

October 2
Matt Legan

October 3
Jennifer Stearns

October 4
Megan Ellet

October 5
Mary Plummer

October 6
Ben Shoffner

October 8
Edna Eldridge
Samantha Love

October 9
Alma Shaul

October 10
Connie Clark

October 11
Carma Kipfer

October 12
Cara Baker

October 15
Lynn McGuire

October 21
Roxane Chadwell

October 22
Mitchell McGuire

October 23
Connor Tomlinson

October 24
Carline Andros

October 25
Gary Bolin
Dave Broshears
Kaylee Hoagland
Linda Sandlin

October 27
Aleasha Peters
William Zell-Allen

October 28
Nickolas Davis
Mike Parkhurst

October 29
Cory Nuetzmann
Carla Sutton

October 30
Jess Findley
Jaxon Stark

October 31
Mary Ford
Mickey Rodriguez

November 1
Shannon New
Zander Sledge
Wade Vaught

November 3
Steve Miller

November 6
Mike Miles
Zach Vaught

November 7
Jeri Thompson

November 8
Darryl Haggard

November 9
Sam Hoagland Sr.
Lana Jochim
Angela Sledge

November 10
Mike Clark
Tom Mathena
Callie Spillman

November 11
Jeannine Sons
Dana Haggard
Linda Tabeling

November 13
Janna Miles

November 14
Becky Bolin
Brett Findley
Katie Sparks

November 15
Mike Boyd
Marion Spriggs

November 16
Evan Burton
Karley Hoagland

November 17
Mack Marlin

November 18
Raymond Cragen
Ruth Ann Henderson

November 20
Caden Clark
Martha Ann Findley

November 22
Kiernyn Boehnlein

November 23
Jeff Ort
LaVonne Sorensen
Holly Zeilinga

November 24
Teresa Clark
Joyce Potter

November 27
Sam Boyd

November 29
Brody Sparks

November 30
Steven Brown



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Edna Eldridge's 90th Birthday Party

2:30 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall

Monday, Oct. 8

Christian Women's Fellowship

6:30 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall

Wednesday, Oct. 17

Double Nickel Weiner Roast

6:30 p.m. at Eddy and Judy Smith's
house

Saturday, Oct. 20

Memorial Service for Toby Meek

1 p.m. in the Sanctuary

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Children's Costume Party

3 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall

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