

# Providence United Methodist Church



6450 Bringle Ferry Road, Salisbury, NC 28146  
(704) 633-5326

August 18, 2013 10:30 AM  
Pastor: Rev. Dan Gobble Lay Leader: Evelyn Eller  
Organist: Jean Funderburk

## Thirteenth Sunday after Pentecost

### Gathering of the People Before God:

Welcome, Celebrations & Announcements at 10:25 AM

### Entrance:

Call to Worship & Lighting of the Candles: *Providence Praise Band*

\*Opening Song of Praise led by: *First Light Praise Team*

\*Opening Prayer

\*Share the Peace of Christ with One Another

Children's Good News! (*Children are invited to come to the altar for a message*)



Special recognition of our graduate &  
Presentation of Scholarship Awards

### Offering God Our Time, Our Talents, & Our Treasures:

Tithes & Offerings: (*Children are invited to bring their offerings forward.*)

Offertory: Providence Praise Band

\*Doxology: "Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow" #94

\*Prayer of Dedication:

\*Hymn of Thanksgiving: "My Lord, What a Morning" #719

### Meeting with God in Prayer

The *Prayer Book* is located on the altar table. Please write down your prayer concerns & praises in the Prayer Book before the service (as we are gathering or during the Passing of the Peace). These will be shared with the congregation during our time of prayer. Please remember our homebound friends and folks that are in the hospital or nursing homes in your daily prayers!

**Special Music:** *First Light Praise Team*

### Sharing the Good News of God's Love:

A Word from God's Word: Isaiah 5:1-7

Sharing from the Heart: "Briers & Thorns OR Grapes & Wine?"  
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### Responding to the Good News & Preparing to Go Out & Share God's Love

\*Hymn of Invitation: "Come, We That Love the Lord" #732

\*Dismissal & Blessing

\*Postlude

Now, let's Go Out and Serve!

May your believing and your doing become one!

\*Asterisks – Indicate "Congregation please stand as able"

## Our Mission Statement:

### **Growing Together In God's Grace/**

**Ushers for August:** Jack Lowman, Sylvia Sofley, Evelyn Eller &  
Ann Wallace

**Ushers for September:** The Ketchie family

**Acolyte for Today:** Ashley Oddie

**Nursery:** Wayne & Wanda Nichols

**Children's Church Leaders:** Amy Vestal & Sheryl Thompson

**Offering Counters for August:** Ann Bell & Connie Cauble

**Offering Counters for September:** Janet Rockette, Larry Clodfelter

**Thanks for Serving!**

# Growing Together In God's Grace!

Gifts: Offering Sunday, August 11, 2013.....\$3,309.00  
Needed each week.....\$3,562.00

## Attendance the week of August 11<sup>th</sup>:

First Light.....17  
Traditional Worship Service.....117  
Solomon's Porch.....12  
Total Attendance.....146



## Fall Bazaar



It's time to start preparing for the annual Fall Bazaar held on  
Saturday, October 5<sup>th</sup>.

If you make crafts, can, bake, etc., we welcome your participation.  
See any UMW member for additional information.

*Providence UMM will be barbequing Boston Butts  
this year. Order details will be provided  
as time gets closer.*

**Scripture for next week: Jeremiah 1:4-10**  
**"Appointed & Sent"**

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Be sure to subscribe to receive updates via email.

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### Providence UMC Weekly Calendar of Events

Sunday:	8:30 a.m.	First Light Worship Service
	9:30 – 10:15 a.m.	Sunday School
	10:30 a.m.	Traditional Worship Service -

*(Nursery services available at the Traditional Service. Please see an usher.)*

Wednesday:	6:30 p.m.	Solomon's Porch
Wednesday:	7:00 p.m.	Choir Practice

## Growing Together In God's Grace!

### *Prayer concerns and praises lifted up the week of August 11, 2013.*

Rachel Wagoner, Eric Agner, Judy Troutman, Ruth Agner, Patrick Broadway, Lani Jones, Pieter Swart, Hilda Hartley, Jackie Newark, Ruby Rabon, prayers for healthy pregnancy, unspoken request, Ryan & Ally & Sierra, special family caring for a teenage foster child, Bobby Leazer, Nellie Schenk, Barbara Pierce, Aaliyah Kesler, John Jones, Nicole Trott, Carl Rabon, Gerry Scott, Donna Brown, Branson Heifner, Mills family, Barbara Brown Kesler, the family of Margaret Beck, the family of Rena Basinger, Chad Kirkendall, Marsha Craver, Betty Boger, Scott, Edna, Carole & David, Carl Haynes, Hunter Walker, Ted Lyon, Loretta Lyon, Kim Smith, Sheryl Barnhardt, Virginia Eller, Bill Clement  
**Praises:** Grey Walker is home from Afghanistan.

*At the Traditional Service this morning Special Recognition was given to our graduate "Megan Kesler" and Scholarship Awards were presented to Jason Cauble, Samantha Darconte, Hayley Kirschner, Ashlyn Laney, and J. R. Poole.*

## Upcoming Events & Worship Opportunities

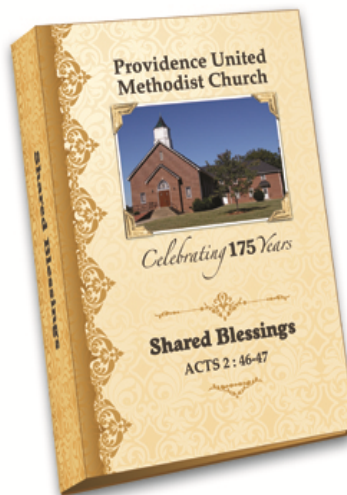


*Rowan Helping Ministries* collection item for *August* is:  
canned vegetables

**August 24<sup>th</sup>, Saturday: 7:00 PM** Darrell Connor and his band will be performing at St. Matthew's Lutheran Church Family Life Center. The Boy Scouts will be selling hamburgers and hot dogs. This is a tribute to the late Paul Hill and proceeds will go to the sound system at Liberty United Methodist Church. \$5.00 Admission Fee

The **date for Charge Conference** has been set. We will meet as a Rowan Missional Cluster with other Rowan County churches, along with our District Superintendent, Sam Moore, on **Thursday, November 21st at 6:00 PM at Shiloh U.M.C. in Granite Quarry**. Please mark your calendars and begin making preparations (filling out reports, preparing budgets, etc.) for our 2013 Charge Conference.

☀ **Choir:** Choir practice resumes on Wednesday, August 21<sup>st</sup>. If you enjoy praising God through song, please consider joining the choir. They practice on Wednesday evenings at 7:00 PM. New members are always welcome.



## Providence UMC "Shared Blessings"

**Be sure to get your copy of this historical cookbook.**

**The cost is \$20 per book.  
Cash or check accepted.  
Make checks payable to:  
Providence UMW**

**Please see a committee member if you would like to purchase a book. Committee members are: Jill Earnhardt, Betty Boger, Ann Wallace, Jackie Newark, Sandra Ketchie, Melva Menius, Betty Rufty, & Pam Ervin**

***Thank you for your support!***

## **September 8<sup>th</sup>, Sunday**

Rev. Sally Langford, former District Superintendent of the Salisbury District, will be our Homecoming Speaker.

Immediately following the Traditional Service we will have a covered dish luncheon. Bring your favorite dish to share.

First Light Worship will join with the Traditional Worship Service for a combined service starting at 10:30 AM.

