

# PROVIDENCE FORGE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

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## CHURCH STAFF

Interim Pastor	Rev. Nancy Coleman
Administrative Assistant	Kristel Lamp
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Sunshine Nursery School Director	Cathy Davis
Church Treasurer	Paul Robinson

## THE SESSION 2021

Ginny Adamson (Worship) T1	2021-2023
Tom Ballou (Outreach) T1	2020-2021
Allison Christian (Fellowship) T1	2019-2021
Johanna Davis (Youth & Young Adult) T2	2020-2022
Davis Gammon (Stewardship) T1	2021-2023
Jamie Gray (Good Sam) T1	2019-2021
Ruth Hopke (Policy & Personnel) T2	2020-2022
Ayars Lore (Buildings & Grounds, PTP) T1	2019-2021
Leigh Quick (Clerk of Session) T2	2021-2023
Nathan Richards (Planning & Finance) T1	2020-2022
Patricia Robinson (Christian Ed.) T1	2021-2023
Jim Wallace (Nominating) T1	2020-2022



Providence Forge  
Presbyterian Church

To further God's Kingdom on Earth, one soul at a time.

**PROVIDENCE FORGE  
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Holy Communion, July 4, 2021**

**PRELUDE** Melody Raef

**WELCOME** Johanna Davis

**MOMENT FOR REFLECTION** Melody Raef

**\*CALL TO WORSHIP** (from Psalm 30)

Leader: I will bless the Lord at all times; the praise of God shall ever be in my mouth.

**People: I will glory in the Lord; let the humble hear and rejoice.**

Leader: Proclaim with me the greatness of the Lord;

**People: Let us exalt the name of God together.**

**\*SONG OF PRAISE** #263 Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise

**\*PRAYER OF CONFESSION**

**Merciful God, you reveal your will to us through the Word and by the Spirit, but we refuse to listen and follow. We do the very things we hate and then feel trapped in guilt and shame. We long to know the abundant life Jesus came to give but neglect to take up his yoke and learn from him. Forgive us for not doing that which we know to do. Forgive us for not being who you call and create us to be. Accept our confession and free us yet again from the burdens we can no longer bear. (Silent prayer)**

**\*WORDS OF FORGIVENESS**

**\*RESPONSE TO GOD'S FORGIVING LOVE** #579 Gloria Patri

**TIME FOR CHILDREN** Mark 6:7 (ICB)

He called the twelve followers together and sent them out in groups of two.

**SCRIPTURE** Mark 5:1-13 (NRSV)

**ANTHEM** Tom Ballou & Melody Raef

**SERMON** Rev. Nancy Coleman

**AFFIRMATION OF FAITH** *The Apostles' Creed (Traditional)*

I believe in God, the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth; and in Jesus Christ his only Son, our Lord; who was conceived by the Holy Ghost, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; he descended into hell; the third day he rose again from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and sitteth at the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Ghost, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

**PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE**

**OFFERING**

**SONG OF PREPARATION** #319 Spirit

**SACRAMENT OF THE LORD'S SUPPER**

Invitation

Prayer of Thanksgiving and Lord's Prayer

Words of Institution

Sharing the Elements

Prayer

**\*SONG OF RESPONSE** # 525 Here I Am, Lord

**BENEDICTION**

The Lord bless you and keep you; the Lord make his face shine on you and be gracious to you; the Lord turn his face toward you and give you peace. Amen.

**POSTLUDE** Melody Raef

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***\*All who are able are invited to stand***