

**PROVIDENCE FORGE
PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**
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THE SESSION 2022

Johanna Davis (Youth & Young Adult) T2	2020-2022
Davis Gammon (Stewardship) T1	2021-2023
Jamie Gray (Good Samaritan) T2	2022-2024
Ruth Hopke (Policy & Personnel) T2	2020-2022
Ayars Lore (Buildings & Grounds, PTP) T2	2022-2024
Leigh Quick (Worship) T2	2021-2023
Nathan Richards (Planning & Finance) T1	2020-2022
Patricia Robinson (Christian Ed.) T1	2021-2023
Ginny Taylor (Outreach) T1	2021-2023
Jim Wallace (Clerk of Session) T1	2020-2022
Jo White (Fellowship) T1	2022-2024

welcome
to our church family



 Providence Forge
Presbyterian Church

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

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All Saints Day
October 30, 2022

*Thank you to Claire, Paige, and Will Richards, Olivia Davis,
and Grady VanDyke for helping in our service today.*

** All who are able are invited to stand*

PRELUDE Melody Raef

WELCOME

MOMENT FOR REFLECTION Melody Raef

***CALL TO WORSHIP** Psalm 149

Leader: Praise the Lord!

PEOPLE: Sing to the Lord a new song.

Leader: Praise God among the communion of saints.

PEOPLE: Let the people of God rejoice in their creator.

Leader: Let them praise the Lord with dance and celebrate with musical instruments.

ALL: Let all the saints jump for joy! Praise the Lord!

***SONG OF PRAISE** #526 For All the Saints

***CALL TO CONFESSION**

Before we speak, God knows our needs, yet our words open our hearts to God's grace. Let us prepare ourselves for God's healing as, in words and silence, we tell of all that separates us from God and one another. Please join me as we pray.

***PRAYER OF CONFESSION**

Beloved God, who was known to our mothers and fathers, and to our spiritual forebears, have mercy on us. We do not always love as you would have us love. We do not always do as you would have us do. In our stubbornness, we turn from you when we should turn toward you. Hold us, dear One – comfort us when we mourn the passing of our friends and family, and help us to know that they are rejoicing in your presence. We praise you for the grace you shower on us, constantly forgiving our errors, especially the ones that we don't share with any but you. Hear now the silent fears and worries of our hearts, as we seek to follow your Son, Jesus the Christ. Amen

***DECLARATION OF FORGIVENESS**

The mercy of the Lord is from everlasting to everlasting. I declare to you, in the name of Jesus Christ, you are forgiven. May the God of mercy, who forgives you all your sins, strengthen you in all goodness, and by the power of the Holy Spirit keep you in eternal life. Amen.

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

***THE PEACE**

The peace of Christ be with you ... And also with you.

CELEBRATION OF COMMUNITY

While we "Pass the Peace," please consider filling out a "Welcome to Our Church Family" card. Please drop your card in the offering plate.

TIME FOR CHILDREN Exodus 18:1 (Easy to Read Version)

8 Later, the LORD again appeared to Abraham near the oak trees of Mamre. It was the hottest part of the day, and Abraham was sitting at the door of his tent.

FIVE CENTS A MEAL

PRESBYTERIAN MINUTE

READING FROM THE OLD TESTAMENT Psalm 149; Pew Bible p 508

READING FROM THE NEW TESTAMENT Colossians 4:7-18;
Pew Bible p 958

ANTHEM

SERMON "For All the Saints" Rev. Dr. Cindy Kissel-Ito

***CONFESSION OF FAITH** Apostle's 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 The Lord's Prayer

Our Father who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory, forever. Amen

OFFERING

***DOXOLOGY**

***SONG OF SENDING** #439 In Christ There is No East or West

CHARGE AND BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE Melody Raef