



*The Providence
Methodist Church
Barbados*

*Service for
3rd Lord's Day after Pentecost*

June 29, 2025

9:00 a.m.



***Preacher: Bro. Michael Worrell
Congregational Steward: Sis. Susanna Holder
Liturgist: Sis. Floretta Harbin
Musicians: Bro. Kumar Whitehead
Bro. Anthony Mayers***

ORDER OF SERVICE

♪ **Organ Prelude** **Call to Worship**

Leader: Blessed is the man you discipline, O Lord, the man you teach from your law

Response: For the Lord will not reject his people : He will never forsake his inheritance

Leader: The Lord has become my fortress, and my God the rock in whom I take refuge

Response: For great is the Lord and most worthy of praise

Together: May my meditation be pleasing to him, as I rejoice in the Lord.

♪ **Opening Hymn**– And are We Yet Alive (# 392 VIP)

Prayers

The Lord's Prayer

Welcome and Notices (*Sis. Susanna Holder*)

♪ **Hymn**– Revive thy Work O Lord (# 405 VIP)

Receiving and Blessing of Tithes and Offering

♪ **Praise and Worship**

♪ **Children's and Young People's Hymn**– Saviour Like a Shepherd Lead Us (# 338 VIP)

Children's and Young People's Address

♪ **The Ministry of Music** – (*The Choir*)

The Ministry of the Word

The Collect – Lord God, your Son left the riches of heaven and became poor for our sake : when we prosper save us from pride, when we are needy save us from despair, that we may trust in you alone; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

The Old Testament: 2 Kings 2 : 1-2, 6-14 *(Sis. Sandra Boyce)*

Psalms 77: 1-2, 11-20 *(Sis. Rosalind Connell)*

The Epistle: Galatians 5: 1, 13-25 *(Sis. Lucille Goddard)*

The Gospel: Luke 9: 51-62 *(Sis. Monica Taylor)*

♪ **Hymn of Preparation** –Through the Love of God Our
Saviour (# 277 VIP)

The Sermon – “The Unburied Dead”

Period of Reflection

Prayers of Intercession

♪ **Closing Hymn**– Standing on the Promises (# 207 VIP)

Benediction

WELCOME

We welcome you to the Providence Methodist Church and hope you will find our worship inspiring, as we sing, pray and worship God. We welcome the Preacher for today, Bro. Michael Worrell

BIRTHDAY CELEBRATIONS

**July 03, 2025 - Sis. Thelma Blackman &
Sis. Maria Walcott-Broomes**

July 05, 2025 - Dahllino Alleyne

ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATIONS

CONDOLENCES

The Minister and Members of the Providence Church would like to offer condolences to the family of Rev. Pearson Blackman, whose brother, Mr. Lennox Blackman, passed away recently in Canada. Condolences are also extended to Circuit Steward, Sis Bonita Wharton and family, whose husband, Mr. Leaton Wharton recently passed away. Please uplift their families in prayer.

PRAYERS

Prayers are requested for our nation and people, those mourning the loss of loved ones, as well as the sick and homebound: Sisters: Sylvia Daniel, Verona Trotman, Cynthia Layne and Patricia Felix. Brother Wilbert Small. We give God thanks and praise for their lives, work and witness in our church and community.

NOTICES

Monday, June 30, 2025 at 7:30 p.m. - Providence Congregational Council meeting via the Zoom platform. All Congregational Stewards, Local Preachers within the congregation, the Chair and Secretaries of the standing committees and Congregational Representatives are required to attend this meeting. Zoom credentials will be circulated as they become available.

Tuesday, July 01, 2025 at 7:30 p.m. - Bethel Circuit Bible Study **via the ZOOM Platform** will be facilitated by Bro. Michael Worrell.

Thursday, July 03, 2025 at 10:00 a.m. at the Providence Church- Sunlight Bible Study facilitated by Rev. Pearson Blackman. This week's study will focus on Revelation 14 and 15

Thursday, July 03, 2025, at 5:00 pm at the church - Choir rehearsals: All choir members as well as persons interested in joining the Providence choir are encouraged to attend.

July is Missions month in the Bethel Circuit. This year's theme is ***"We Gathering - Each One Love One, Just As Christ Loves Us"***.

Activities for the month are as follows:

SAT. JULY 5	MISSION WORKSHOP BETHEL METHODIST CHURCH 9:00 A.M. – 12:00 P.M.	Facilitator: PASTOR KEVIN HUNTE (Abundant Life Assembly)
TUES. JULY 15	CONGREGATIONS MISSION COMMUNITY OUTREACH DAY	SOCIAL PROJECTS
WED. JULY 16	PUBLIC LECTURE DALKEITH METHODIST CHURCH 6:30 P.M.	Facilitator: Mr. Fabian Sargeant (M.E.N.S.)
FRI. JULY 18	YOUTH EXPLOSION 125 PROVIDENCE METHODIST CHURCH 7:00 P.M.	Speakers: Bro. Brian Lashley Sis. Judah Burke
SUN. JULY 20	MISSIONARY SUNDAY	All Congregations
SUN. JULY 20	CIRCUIT MISSION RALLY BAY STREET ESPLANADE 5:30 P.M.	Guest Speaker: Pastor Byron Waithe (Cornerstone Wesleyan Holiness Church)
"A NEW COMMAND I GIVE YOU: LOVE ONE ANOTHER, AS I HAVE LOVED YOU, SO YOU MUST LOVE ONE ANOTHER" (JOHN 13:34)		

Sunday, July 06, 2025 – 4th Lord's Day after Pentecost. Join us for service at 9:00 a.m. when Sis. Sonia Rowe will be the Preacher. The readings are: 2 Kings 5:1-14, Psalm 30, (VIP # 585). Galatians 6:1-16, Luke 10:1-11, 16-20

Sunday, July 06, 2025, at 4:30 p.m. at the Vauxhall Methodist Church - The Bethel Circuit will be hosting an evening Prayer and Praise. All members and friends are encouraged to attend.

It's here again! We Going Outside! on Friday, August 01, 2025.....
The Providence Methodist Church will be hosting a scenic island bus tour. Cost per ticket is \$60.00, inclusive of lunch at the Scotland View Restaurant, St. Peter. Tickets will be available from Sunday, July 6, 2025.

Saturday, August 30, 2025 at 4:00 p.m. in the Belmont Chapel - The Belmont Methodist Church presents a musical celebration featuring the Barbados Police Service Band in Concert. Tickets are available at \$40.00 each.

Confirmed Members are invited to nominate persons for offices for the church year 2025 – 2026. Nomination forms can be collected from the Congregational Stewards and must be returned to the Superintendent Minister by July 14, 2025. You are reminded to seek permission from members whom you wish to nominate for these positions.

Confirmation Classes are scheduled to commence in the very near future at Providence. Confirmation in the Methodist Church is an important step in a person's spiritual journey. The study explores salvation, the Holy Spirit, doctrines, traditions, and the history of the Methodist Church. Persons of all ages interested in being confirmed members are asked to give their names to any Congregational Steward or Sis. Cheryl Mayers as soon as possible.

Members and/or organisations of this congregation desirous of having *church related* documents printed, are asked to kindly submit their documents via email to provmeth@gmail.com, by the Friday preceding the week for which the information is needed. Your cooperation is greatly appreciated.

Kindly note that Sexton, Bro. Kennel Rice will be on vacation from Tuesday July 01, 2025 until Sunday August 03, 2025, resuming duties Tuesday 05, August, 2025. Sis. Floretta Harbin will perform the duties as sexton during this period. We wish Bro. Kennel a relaxing vacation.

Additional information is posted on the notice board or available on our website at www.provmethchurchbb



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