



*The Providence  
Methodist Church  
Barbados*

*Service for  
21st Lord's Day after Pentecost  
**Sunday, November 02,  
2025***

SEEKING & SAVING THE



***Preacher: Sis. Dr. Natalie Phillips  
Congregational Steward: Sis. Angela Brewster  
Musicians: Bro. Kumar Whitehead  
Bro. Anthony Mayers***

## **ORDER OF SERVICE**

**Organ Prelude**

**Introit**

### **Call to Worship**

**Leader:** The Son of Man came to seek and to save the lost

**Congregation:** **Therefore, we come to seek the Lord, to call upon him while he is near.**

**Leader:** Jesus calls us by name, inviting himself into our hearts and homes.

***All: With joy, we receive him and worship him with gratitude.***

### **Invocation**

♪ **Opening Hymn** - Praise Him! Praise Him! (VIP # 55)

**Prayers of Adoration, Confession & Thanksgiving**

♪ **Hymn** – Blessed Assurance (VIP # 235)

### **Ministries of Members**

**Welcome, Courtesies & Notices** – Congregational Steward

**Children & Youth Address** – Sis. Lucille Goddard

**Children's Hymn** - I Just Want to Follow Jesus (VIP# 488)

**Ministry by the Church School** – Providence Church School

### **Receiving and Blessing of Tithes & Offerings**

♪ **Worship Time** (*Providence Worship Team*)

### **MINISTRY OF THE WORD**

**Collect:** God of peace, whose Son Jesus Christ proclaimed the kingdom and restored the broken to wholeness of life: look with compassion on the anguish of the world, and by your healing power make whole both people and nations; through our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ. **Amen.**

**Old Testament Reading:** Habakkuk 1:1-4; 2:1-4

*(Sis. Kayla Marsh)*

**Responsive Reading** -Psalm 119:137-144 (VIP #639)

*(Jahvani Payne)*

**The Epistle Reading:** 2 Thessalonians 1:1-4, 11-12

*(Sis Kimberley Skeete)*

♪ **Ministry of Music** *(Providence Church Choir)*

**The Gospel Reading:** Luke: 19:1-10 *(Sis Monica Taylor)*

♪ **Hymn of Preparation** Amazing Grace (VIP # 162)

**Sermon: "Seeking and Saving the Lost" –**

**Sis. Natalie S. Phillips**

**Reflections**

### **Response to God's Word**

♪ **Hymn**– O For a Closer Walk with God (VIP #261)

**Prayers of Intercession and the Lord's Prayer**

♪ **Closing Hymn** - And Can it Be # 188

**Collection for Hurricane Relief (Hurricane Melissa)**

**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, Sis. Dr. Natalie Phillips**

### **✚ BIRTHDAY CELEBRATIONS**

**November 04, 2025 - Sis. Eleanor Hughes**

**Sis. Janelle Clarke**

**November 05, 2025 – Miss Kayla Webb**

### **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. We give God thanks and praise for their lives, work and witness in our church and community.

## NOTICES

Persons who **do not** currently receive the Sunday bulletin containing the Order of Service and Notices by email or Whatsapp Messaging and wish to do so, can give their email address and/or whatsapp number to any congregational steward or email [provmeth@gmail.com](mailto:provmeth@gmail.com)

**From Monday, November 03, 2025** - Please be advised that the work on the floor of the Waithe Memorial Auditorium will commence. There will therefore be restricted access to this area.

**Thursday, November 06, 2025 at 10:00a.m.** – Sunlight Bible Study facilitated by Rev. Pearson Blackman All members are encouraged to attend and bring a friend.

**Thursday, November 06, 2025 at 7:00 p.m.** – Choir rehearsals at the Providence Church. All choir members are encouraged to attend as well as those interested in joining the choir.

**Sunday, November 09, 2025** – 22<sup>nd</sup> Lord's Day after Pentecost Remembrance Lord's Day. Join us at 9:00 a.m. service, when Rev. Dr. Marcelle Brathwaite will be the Preacher. The readings are: Haggai 1:15b–2:9, Psalm 145:1-5, 17-21 (VIP # 653), 2 Thessalonians 2:1-5, 13-17, Luke 20:27-38, 2 Samuel 23: 13-17, Psalm 46, Romans 8: 31-35, 37-39, John 15: 9-17. This will also be a memorial service for those members who passed away during the last year.

**Thursday, November 13, 2025, at 6:00 p.m.** - The Bethel Circuit Prayer Meeting via the ZOOM Platform

**Saturday, November 22, 2025, 10:00 a.m. until 2:00 p.m. at the Bethel Methodist Church** - The Bethel Circuit Organizations & Education Committee invites you a Protocol and Etiquette Training Seminar designed to empower your leadership and enhance your service within the Church. Mrs. Jennifer Hinkson, will be the facilitator. Persons who are desirous of attending should register with either Sis. Natalie Phillips at 231-1791 or Sis. Kathy-Ann Long at 230-4794 by November 18, 2025.

**On Monday, December 01, 2025 at 8:00 a.m.** - You are invited to join the Members of Providence Church for **"The Break-fast Concert"** to be held in the Waithe Memorial Auditorium, Providence Church. A sumptuous Bajan Breakfast will be served while you are being entertained by Paula Hinds, Neesha Woodz, and other artistes. Lots of giveaways will be in store!! Tickets are available at \$70.00 from any Congregational Steward of the church or Sis. Cheryl Mayers. Proceeds go towards the church's building fund.

**On Sunday, December 21, 2025, 5:00 p.m.** at the Vauxhall Methodist Church - **The Bethel Circuit Fundraising Committee** presents *A Christmas Gift of Music- "Caribbean Flava"*, with the renowned Barbados Police Service leading an extraordinary musical selection. Tickets priced at Adults \$50 and Children (under 12) \$20. To purchase your tickets, kindly contact: 426-2223 or Sis. Ingrid Stapleton 833-1033. Limited seats are available.

**We are all aware** of the devastation Hurricane Melissa has wrought on Caribbean brothers and sisters, especially Jamaica and at a lesser extent Haiti. The Methodist Church in the Caribbean and the Americas, particularly the MCCA Disaster **Relief Fund** is therefore asking that a 'love offering' be collected to assist the people of Jamaica and Haiti in the aftermath of this hurricane. This offering will be collected during the singing of the closing hymn today, Sunday, November 02, 2025.

**Additional information is posted on the notice board or available on our website at [www.provmethchurchbb.com](http://www.provmethchurchbb.com)**



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