



PROVIDENCE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

February 8, 2026

5th Sunday after Epiphany

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

PRELUDE *"The Lord's My Shepherd"* arr. Hustad

*CALL TO WORSHIP

Praise the Lord! Happy are those who fear the Lord, who greatly delight in his commandments.

Their descendants will be mighty in the land; the generation of the upright will be blessed.

Wealth and riches are in their houses, and their righteousness endures forever.

They rise in the darkness as a light for the upright; they are gracious, merciful, and righteous.

Let us worship God!

*OPENING PRAYER

*HYMN *"Praise the Lord, God's Glories Show"* # 33

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Gracious God, our sins are too heavy to carry, too real to hide, and too deep to undo. Forgive what our lips tremble to name, what our hearts can no longer bear, and what has become for us a consuming fire of judgment. Set us free from a past that we cannot change; open to us a future in which we can be changed; and grant us grace to grow more and more in your likeness and image; through Jesus Christ, the light of the world.

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

*GLORIA PATRI # 583

ANTHEM *"Way Maker"* Okoro

CHILDREN'S CHAT

PRAYER OF ILLUMINATION

OLD TESTAMENT Isaiah 58: 1-8

NEW TESTAMENT Matthew 5: 13-16

SERMON "Salt and Light"

*HYMN *"Lord, I Want to Be a Christian"* # 729

*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH APOSTLES' CREED
I believe in God, the Father Almighty, creator of heaven and earth. I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried; he descended to the dead. On the third day he rose again; he ascended into heaven, is seated at the right hand of the Father, and will come again to judge the living and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

INVITATION TO OFFERING

OFFERTORY *"Jesus, the Very Thought of Thee"* arr. Wells

*DOXOLOGY *"Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow"* # 608

PRAYER OF DEDICATION

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE AND THE LORD'S PRAYER

Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name, your kingdom come, your will be done, on earth as in heaven. Give us today our daily bread. Forgive us our sins as we forgive those who sin against us. Save us from the time of trial and deliver us from evil. For the kingdom, the power, and the glory are yours now and forever. Amen.

*HYMN *"Come! Live in the Light!"* # 749

*CHARGE AND BLESSING

*POSTLUDE *"Shall We Gather at the River"* arr. Young

* Please stand if you are able.

*The flowers are given in loving memory of
Lundyn Treese
Missing you always love Dad, Mom and Sissys*

Prayer: Marsha Hansard, Zeke, Maria Knox, Riley family
Liturgist: Jim Burchfield Organ: Dr. Carole Parsons

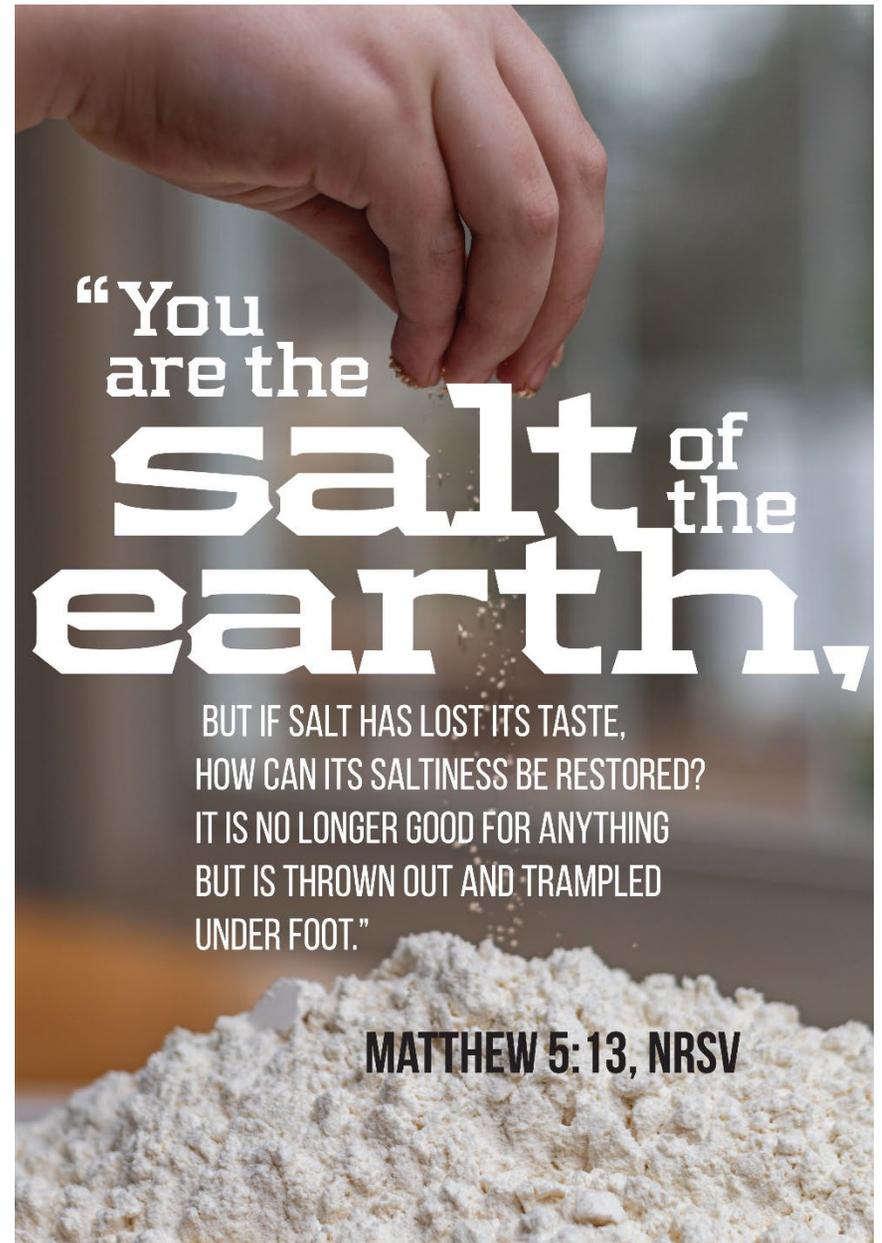
Today	10:15 AM	Worship
TUESDAY	9:30 AM	Mission meeting
WEDNESDAY	5:00 PM	Bell Choir
	6:00 PM	Choir
THURSDAY	11:30 AM	Bible study
FRIDAY		Youth Movie Night
SUNDAY	9:00 AM	Sunday School
	10:15 AM	Worship
	11:30 AM	Congregational meeting

The Annual Congregational Meeting will be held on Sunday, February 15, 2026, immediately following the morning worship service. Copies of the church's annual report for 2025 will be distributed prior to this meeting.

The Per Capita amount for 2026 is \$41 per member.

In the event of inclement weather, before venturing out, please check your email and/or the church's Facebook page or website for any scheduled changes or cancellations.

Tentative date for Youth Movie Night is February 13. There will be two movies, one for each age group.



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