

**PROVIDENCE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH MEMBERSHIP INFORMATION**

**2012**

**01-01-2012**

**256 Members on roll**

**DECEASED 2012:**

|                               | <u>Age</u> | <u>Date</u> | - 3 |
|-------------------------------|------------|-------------|-----|
| 1. Sara Watkins Bull          | 89         | 01-11-12    |     |
| 2. Franklin Grady Shuler      | 87         | 06-04-12    |     |
| 3. Charles L. Bryant          | 72         | 06-25-12    |     |
| 4. Lila Mae Wannamaker Moorer | 94         | 10-06-12    |     |
| 5. Bobby William Hill         | 78         | 11-01-12    |     |

**TRANSFERRED MEMBERSHIP TO OTHER CHURCHES:**

|  |          |     |
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| 1. Matt Jones to Corinth Baptist Church    | 04-15-12 | - 2 |
| 2. Shannon Jones to Corinth Baptist Church | 04-15-12 |     |

**NEW MEMBERS**

|   |          |     |
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| 1. Linda Martin from Main Street UMC, Greenwood, SC | 09-02-12 | + _ |
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**NUMBER ON ROLL 12-31-2012**

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**CHURCH FAMILY EVENTS**

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**MARRIAGES: (3)**

|                                   | <u>Date</u> | <u>Place</u>   |
|-----------------------------------|-------------|----------------|
| 1. Nicole Bozard and Charles Rose | 06-09       | Providence UMC |

**BIRTHS: (1)**

|   | <u>Date</u> |
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| 1. Daisy Dianne, daughter of Ashley & Kent Whetsell | 02-22-12    |
| 2. Ethan Boyd, son of David & Michelle Dantzler     | 06-25-12    |

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**MOTHER OF YEAR - Karen Bull Shuler    FATHER OF YEAR – David P. Shuler, Jr.**

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**GRADUATES: (High School)**

1. Taylor Johnson – Edisto High School
2. Raven Hutson - Holly Hill Academy
3. Madison West - Holly Hill Academy
4. Chris Shuler - Holly Hill Academy

**COLLEGE PLANS**

- College of Charleston
- Bridge Program of Clemson University
- Clemson University

**(College)**

1. Wesley Collier – Orangeburg-Calhoun Tech
2. Chance Shelley – Presbyterian College
3. Roberta Shuler – University of South Carolina

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**FUNERALS/BURIALS OF NON-MEMBERS:**

| <u>Name</u>                               | <u>Age</u> | <u>Date</u> | <u>Cemetery</u> |
|---|------------|-------------|-----------------|
| 1. Ella Toolen (infant in Biering family) | newborn    | 03-29       | Providence      |

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**PASTOR APPOINTMENTS:**

Rev. Karen E. Starr (Providence 2005-2012) to Lewis Chapel UMC, Sumter, S. C.  
Rev. Terry C. Martin (from Main Street UMC, Greenwood, SC) to Providence 2012

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**MOVED TO RETIREMENT HOME:**

The Methodist Oaks – Mona Avinger (September)  
Magnolia's of Santee – Mary Ann Shuler (October)

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### GIFTS TO CHURCH:

**Centipede Sod** for *Bart's Corner* donated by Willshire Farms (value **\$8,600.00**)

**Donations for Asbestos Removal from school:** **\$20,000.00**

Dantzler Farms

R. Barry Hutto Farm –Hutto Brothers Partnership

Ted Shuler & Sons Farms

H.E & J.B. Shuler Farms

**In memory of Margaret & Olin Collier, Jr** (Parsonage Fund)

by Cheryle Collier Kizer **\$2,500.00**

**In memory of Leon West** (Cemetery Fund) by Gayle J. West **\$1,000.00**

### AWARDS AND HONORS

**Maida O. Dantzler** – President of the Garden Club of South Carolina, Inc.

**Betty C. Shuler** – Chairperson of School Board for Orangeburg Consolidated School District 3  
President of Orangeburg County Family and Community Leaders

**Lois A. West** – Vice President of Orangeburg County Family and Community Leaders

**Rev. Zach Farmer** – S.C. Turkey Call Maker of the Year

Orangeburg Chapter of National Wild Turkey Federation named in his honor

**Brad Hutto** – Named Legislator of the Year by S.C. Defense Attorneys

**Mary Auburn Shuler** – Norville Frye Scholarship - Presbyterian College

**Skyler Hutto** – Selected as one of Ten Most Outstanding Seniors – Vanderbilt University

**Middleton Bull, Jay Shuler** – Members of SCISA 2A State Championship Baseball Team (HHA)

**Bartow Keller** (Majors), **Dyson Dantzler** (Minors) –*Boyd Lancaster Sportsmanship Award*,

Providence Little League Teams

**Jay Shuler** - Palmetto Boy's State Delegate

**Madison West, Raven Hutson** –Each recipients of \$1,000 *Bart Hutto Memorial Scholarship*

### PURCHASES/IMPROVEMENTS

January - *Providence Farmer's Supply Company* store demolished. **Travis Stokes** (track hoe), **William Bull** (track hoe) and **Barry Hutto** (dump truck) provided machinery for this project. DHEC trailer, which tracked 23 gas monitoring wells on property for six years, was removed.

June-July - DHEC gave the property a clear report and two remaining underground tanks were removed at the time the asphalt was taken up. Topsoil was brought in and leveled.

July - **William Bull** and **Andrew Bull** (Wilshire Sod Farm) donated and planted sod on the lot.

Members of committee in charge of this work, **Johnny Hutto, Gayle Rush, Barry Hutto, David Shuler and Matt Stokes** worked tirelessly throughout all aspects of this project from contacting all stockholders in the *Supply Company*, dissolving the Corporation, getting appraisals, supervising the purchase of the property, asbestos inspection and removal, getting DHEC permits, and organizing the actual demolition of the building and leveling of the lot.

July - **Parsonage improvements:** Hardwood floors installed, painted den, kitchen, hall, two bedroom and two baths, new bed, mattress, sofa, ceiling fans, kitchen stove, kitchen countertops, window treatments (den, master bedroom and breakfast room) Cost: \$20,790.31

September - BART'S CORNER Sign erected

November-December - Asbestos removed from school building

**NOTE: By clipping the annual membership audit in the back of your CHURCH HISTORY BOOK, you will be able to keep your records up to date.**