Kingdom & Covenant II
Portraits of Providence
2 Kings 6:1-23 Message #6

Introduction:

1. **God's providence is _____.** (1-7)
2. **God's providence is _____.** (8-20)
   - God's providence is constant in the lives of His _____. (8-17)
   - God's providence is constant in the lives of His _____. (18-23)
3. **God's providence reveals His _____.** (21-23)

TAKE HOME TRUTH

God's providence means He is _____
In every _____ of your life.

Conclusion:



Growing Deeper
Small Group Discussion Questions

1. Read these passages and summarize what they teach about God's Providence (Eph 1:11-12; Acts 4:22-24; Isa 46:9-10; Matt 10:29-30).
2. How does understanding God's Providence help Job and Joseph? Read Gen 50:15-21; Job 1:20-22; Job 2:9-10 to answer.
3. How should God's Providence cause you to interact with your enemies?
4. How does God's Providence help you in approaching good or difficult circumstances in your life?
5. How has or will this passage help to encourage you this week?

Coming Up ...
November 8, Pastor Fred, 2 Kings 6:24—7:20
November 15, Pastor Fred, 2 Kings 8:1-29
November 22, Pastor Anthony, 2 Kings 9:1-29

Just a Moment with Pastor Fred

Bringing young children to church takes preparation and patience, but every Sunday is a beautiful opportunity to help them grow in their love for Jesus. Matthew Price put together a list of things they do to help.

Saturday Night
☐ Lay out clothes and shoes
☐ Pack Bibles, quiet activities, crayons and notebook
☐ Get to bed at a decent hour

Sunday Morning
☐ Ask God to help your family worship him
☐ Arrive a early before the service begins
☐ Breakfast refreshments are available at 9:00 am
☐ Before service starts use the bathroom.
☐ All nursery volunteers are background-checked. For toddlers - playtime, snacks, and a short story. To prevent separation anxiety, say goodbyes at the door. If your child needs you, you'll be texted.
☐ Activity Sheets are available on the table foyer for children to help them in the main worship service.

During Worship
☐ Encourage your children sing, pray, follow the sermon sheet, and listen for something they can learn.
☐ Children learn to sit, listen, and participate through patience, guidance, and practice.
☐ Not every Sunday will go perfectly. Keep at it. Remember that learning to worship takes time.

We teach our children the importance of worship by modeling it ourselves. Let's encourage each other showing grace to our little ones, and rejoicing that new generation is growing up among us.

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YOU HAVE *Exalted* ABOVE ALL THINGS YOUR *Name* & YOUR *Word.*

PSALM 138:2

Prelude
Call to Worship

All Creatures of Our God And King
God The Uncreated One

Missions Moment

Scripture Reading & Pastoral Prayer

A Mighty Fortress

Portraits of Providence
Pastor Anthony

10,000 Reasons

Benediction
Prayer Team

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THE LORD'S DAY
November 1, 2026

Corporate worship is designed to remind you of your identity in Christ so that you won't waste your time looking for identity elsewhere.

Loving God
Loving People

Nursery Schedule

Sunday School - Adult Bible Fellowship
Gina Hart & Kali Lange
Worship Service
Nursery: Gina Froman & Jocelyn Carter
Toddler: Barb Bush, Sarah Winnie & Michelle Clark

Today
9:00am Coffee & Fellowship
9:30am Sunday School / Adult Bible Fellowship
10:30am Worship

Wednesday, November 4
10:30am Senior Saints Bible Study
11:30am Senior Saints Potluck
7:00pm Praise Team

Saturday, November 7
7:30am Mens Breakfast @ Bob's
9:00am Fall Workday

Announcements

Thank you for cards, gifts and words of gratitude for Pastor Appreciation Month. – *Pastor Fred & Pastor Anthony*

Men's Fall Retreat at Camp Barakel ends today. Pray for Pastor Fred as he speaks this morning and for the men's safe return home.

Seniors Citizen Lunch after the Bible study this Wednesday at 11:30 am.

Men's Breakfast is Saturday from 7:30 – 8:45 am. **Fall Work Day** is Saturday from 9am till noon. Even if you can come for an hour, many hands make light work. Bring a rake.

Extended Ministry. Pastor Fred and Susan are speaking at a marriage conference in Canton, MI this Saturday. Prayers are appreciated.

Adult Bible Fellowship will be taught next Sunday by Paul Krepps in the auditorium.

Mike and Linda Petkof, our missionaries with CEF in Greece will be here Sunday, November 15. Mike will speak during SS/ABF. We will honor them in the Morning Service as they will retire in June 2027.

Guest Services
Paul Recher

Greeters
Today: Donna Kimmel
Next Week:
Jan Peck

Call for Cookies! 20 dozen cookies are needed for the Magnify Conference November 13 & 14. Please sign up to help.

We've Moved! New address - Titus & Kari Baugus, 4210 Turnbridge Dr, Holt, 48842

CEF World Day of Prayer, Wednesday, November 4, 9:30am to Noon, 2026 at the CEF office at 4215 W Mt Hope Hwy, Lansing.

Ladies, Save the Date! November 20 will be a craft night at the Langes. This is for girls as well. Bring your own craft to work on or we will have supplies to make one. More details to follow.

A Family Chat will be held November 22 during the SS/ABF hour presenting the new strategic plan for 2027-2029. There will be a time for questions and answers as well.

Enter His gates with thanksgiving, and His courts with praise! Give thanks to Him; bless His name."
Psalm 100:4

You are matchless and deserve all the glory and honor due Your name. We praise You, Lord, with thanksgiving for who You are and for all Your wonderful attributes.
Amen

Prayer Requests

Devote yourselves to prayer, being watchful and thankful.
Colossians 4:2

General Requests
- Bells & Petkofs on furloughs
- The Clark family - praise
- Counseling Ministry - certification & weekly appointments
- For HBC to grow deeper spiritually/to reach out to others
- New strategic plan—praise for all that was done in 2024-26!

Physical Needs
- Amber Breinling (Lois Martin's niece) - chemo & heart issues
- Cheryl Woodruff (Melissa Hurley's stepmother) - cancer
- Chris Stolk (Lois Martin's nephew) - acute kidney failure
- Cindy Bettenhausen - healing & strength from surgery
- Doug Stein - (pastor friend of Fromans) skull & back fractures
- Gina Golden - PT for strength
- Kara deRoos (Ryan's mother) - health concerns
- Marge Bisel (Susan Elliott's mom) - Dobie Road rehab
- Nic Martin - pain management

Praying Scripturally – James 1:13
We pray we will take responsibility for our actions. Help us lean into You when tempting thoughts take root in our hearts and minds, so that they will not become actions that dishonor You. We thank You that You do not judge us by our temptations but help deliver us from evil.

Missions Moment
Child Evangelism Fellowship

Prayer For Our Government Officials
General Election November 6

Prayer Person of the Week
Diane Wilson

Shut in of the Week
Joan Allen

"Oh, that we might know the LORD! Let us press on to know Him, He will respond to us as surely as the arrival of dawn or the coming of rains in early spring." HOSEA 6:3 NLT