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Providence Baptist Church Kinsman Location 12712 Kinsman Road Cleveland, Ohio 44120 Sunday Worship 9:00-10:00 a.m.

Euclid Location
Life Development Center
24111 Rockwell Drive
Euclid, Ohio 44117
Sunday Worship 11:00 a.m.

Sunday School Zoom classes with Dr. Brenda Smith are back in session at 2:00 p.m. Meeting ID: 976 8698 3279 Passcode: 330 655



Hello to our worship attendees. At Providence, we address real life issues and as such, the sermon style, presentation and atmosphere will not be in the traditional sense that you may be accustomed to seeing. Remember that when Jesus taught lessons to the disciples and when he went through the cities healing people, he had to "meet people where they were." That sometimes meant going into places that were not deemed "godly." It is in that same spirit that we try to convey the message of Christ here at our church. God's message does not change, but the approach in understanding His Word sometimes changes. I invite you to join us in these experiences.

Please join Pastor Maiden for Noon Time Prayer Every Monday-Friday at Noon! Dial-in Number: (508) 924-2827

Please join the Pastor's Prayer Partners Every Friday at 7:00 p.m. Dial-in Number: (978) 990-5000

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"One Church, Two Locations" Rev. Rodney Maiden, Senior Pastor

PROVIDENCE BAPTIST CHURCH

Providence Church Sermon: "Expecting God's Best" Text: 1 Samuel 17:1-52 Rodney Maiden, Senior Pastor April 14, 2024

"According to your faith will it be done to you." Matt. 9:29 "Faith assures us of things we expect." Heb. 11:1 (GW)

EXPECTING GOD'S BEST: is the confident assurance that God is

for my life because He loves me.	
"I will guide you along the <u>best pathway</u> for <u>your life</u> . I'll advise you and watch over you." Ps. 32:8 (NLT)	
WHY EXPECT GOD'S BEST?	
1 Samuel 17:52 (David faces Goliath)	
1. IT "This day the Lord will hand you over to me, and I'll strike you	
down and the whole world will know that there is a God."	
1 Sam. 17:46 (NIV)	
2. IT	
"David hurled a stone from his sling and hit the Philistine in the forehead. The stone sank in, and Goliath stumbled and fell face downward to the ground." 1 Sam. 17:49 (NLT)	
3. IT	

"Then the Israelites gave a great shout of triumph and rushed after the Philistines, chasing them as far as Gath." 1 Sam. 17:52 (NLT)

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HOW TO EXPECT GOD'S BEST WHEN FACING GIANTS

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1. TUNE IN	EVERY MORNING.	
	you hear my voice; in the morning I	
	ou and <u>wait in expectation</u> ."	
	3 (NIV)	
2 0 0	est; worship opens doors to all his	
goodness."	Ps. 34:9 (Mes)	
2. THINK ON	THROUGHOUT THE DAY.	
DAVID: "Though the wicked h	ide along the way to kill me, I will	
guietly keep my mind upon y	<i>rour promise</i> ." Ps. 119:95 (LB)	
DAVID: "I've banked your pro	omises in the vault of my heart"	
Ps. 119	2:11 (Mes)	
"You'll <u>do best</u> by filling your m	inds and meditating on things true,	
noble, reputable, authentic, com	pelling, gracious— <u>the best, not the</u>	
worst, the beautiful, not	the ugly" Phil. 4:8 (Mes)	
"Let's keep a firm grip on the pro-	mises that keep us going. He always	
keeps His Word.	" Heb. 10:23 (Mes)	
3. TRUST IN	WHEN THINGS LOOK BAD.	
DAVID: "O my soul, don't be discouraged. Don't be upset. Expect God to act! For I know that I shall <u>again</u> have plenty of reason to		
praise him for all that he will do." Ps. 42:11 (LB)		
1 0	rents did what <u>seemed</u> best to them.	
<u> </u>	or us, training us to live God's <u>holy</u>	
· ·	b. 12:10 (Mes)	
	o. 12.10 (Mes) l give you the best of care if you'll only	
gei io know ana irus	st me." Ps. 91:14 (Mes)	
4. TALK WITH	•	
"I'm a friend and companion o	f those committed to living by your	

rules." Ps. 119:63 (Mes.)
"Let us not give up the habit of meeting together.... Instead, let us
encourage one another...." Heb. 10:25 (GN)
"Keep company with God get in on the best." Ps. 37:4 (Mes)