

## PROSPECT PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

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## CHURCH STAFF

Pastor – Rev. William Gipe

Office Administrator – Cheryl Chandler

Music Director – Dixie Forbes-Gorby

Organist – Pat McCall

Parish Nurse – Virginia Stewart, RN

## THE SESSION

### Class of 2020

Nick Cornett

Frances Ann Neel

Mike Stacy

Walter Teeter

Clerk of Session: Dale Burgess

Treasurer: Becky Hart

### Class of 2021

Dale Burgess

Becky Hart

Vance Moore

Edie Steele

Asst. Treasurer: Bob Edmiston

### Class of 2022

Connie Brown

Reid Goodman

Brian Jackson

Joy Miller

## SESSION COMMITTEES

**Administration and Personnel** – Frances Ann Neel & Walter Teeter\*

**Building and Grounds** – Reid Goodman, Brian Jackson & Mike Stacy\*

**Christian Education and Fellowship** – Dale Burgess\*

**Mission** – Vance Moore\* & Edie Steele

**Nurture and Care** – Joy Miller & Frances Ann Neel\*

**Stewardship & Finance** – Becky Hart\*

**Worship and Music** – Connie Brown & Nick Cornett \*

(\* Chairman of Committee)

## TRUSTEES

Walter Teeter (2020)

Becky Hart (2021)

Brian Jackson (2022)

## USHERS

Chairperson – Tommy McLelland

January, May, September – Chip Atwell

February, June, October – Dan Edmiston

March, July, November – Matt Hagerty

April, August, December – Tommy McLelland

## PRESBYTERIAN WOMEN

Co-Moderators – Connie Brown & Lee Williams

Secretary – Melody Morrison

Treasurer – Becky Hart

Historian – Pam Beaver

Bereavement Team – Sharron Clanton

## CIRCLE CHAIRPERSONS

ACTS/Lettie Beatty Circle – Virginia Edmiston & Mary Lowrance

Ruth Circle – Lynn Britz & Judy Brumley

Serendipity Circle – Joy Miller



# Prospect Presbyterian Church

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Organized 1824



THE SERVICE FOR THE LORD'S DAY  
*4<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Pentecost*

June 28, 2020

9:30am & 11:00 am

*Entrance of the Light of Christ*

*Acolyte*

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

*If you notice a new face, please take a moment greet them & welcome them to Prospect Presbyterian Church.*

PRELUDE *Be Thou My Vision* arr. Hayes-Gaspard

PRAYER OF INVOCATION AND THE LORD'S PRAYER

SPECIAL MUSIC *Sweet Beulah Land* Parsons

PRAYER OF THE PEOPLE

SCRIPTURE READING **2 Thessalonians 2: 13-17**

SERMON Rev. Will Gipe

\*PROFESSION OF FAITH **The Apostles' Creed**

\*CHARGE AND BENEDICTION

\*CONGREGATIONALRESPONSE *Gloria Patria*

*Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost;  
 As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end.  
 Amen, Amen.*

\*POSTLUDE *Jesus Saves* Callahan  
*The Light of Christ goes before Us into the World* Acolyte

**\*Please rise in body or in spirit CCLI#2659202 +Latecomers may be seated  
 Please place all cell phones and pagers on silent. Thank you.**

**WE GREET YOU IN THE NAME OF JESUS CHRIST AND WELCOME** all who worship here today. We trust that our service of worship will enable you to sense the presence of God & the fellowship of God's people. A nursery is available for our youngest friends in the educational building. We would love to have you become part of our church family. Please speak to any of the elders at the doors as you exit to receive more information about our congregation. We invite you to worship with us again soon.

*The beautiful flowers in the sanctuary today are given to the glory of God and in memory of and honor of the V. C. Edmiston Family by Bob & Mary Beth Edmiston, Dan & Kay Edmiston, Jack Edmiston and Nick, Karen, Sam and Charleston Grace Cornett.*

**FOURTH OF JULY!** The church office will be closed on **Monday, July 6, 2020** in observance of the Independence Day Holiday.

**Attention Committees:** The Session as approved "**July Jubilee**". There will not be any committee or Session meetings for the month of July. Meetings will resume as scheduled in August.

**TIME TO SIGH UP!** We will be doing a new pictorial church directory. Our dates for photography will be **July 14<sup>th</sup> – 16<sup>th</sup> and August 20<sup>th</sup> – 22<sup>nd</sup>**. **NEW CHURCH DIRECTORY UPDATE:** Our scheduling process has begun; you can schedule your family for their portrait time. You will be receiving a phone call for scheduling and or you can schedule online yourself. Please pick up the information sheet in the Narthex. It has all the online scheduling information you will need. **Please contact the church office if you have any question or problems with the online scheduling.** Remember, this is a terrific opportunity for a professional portrait in the comfort of our own church. Schedule your family soon!

**Hello Prospectors!** The Mission Committee is going to have a **yard sale August 28th and 29th!** The money raised will be used for several mission projects. Please start bringing your items and putting them in the second Sunday School room on the left as you enter the educational building from the sanctuary side. There will be a sign on the door. All types of items are needed—remember one man's trash is another man's treasure! Clothing items need to be in good condition and clean. Donation slips that you can use for tax purposes are available. Closer to the event, there will be sign-up sheets for helpers. If you have any questions, please contact Violet Knox at 704-579-8386 (call or text) who will be heading up this outreach project.

**Bible study** is now on summer break. We will start up again sometime in August. Please keep an eye out in the bulletin and newsletter. Have a blessed summer.

## Greetings from your Health Ministry!!

- Join us for walking Monday through Thursday at 9:30am. Cardio? Do the 3 flights of steps.
- COVID 19 has affected everyone in 1 way or another. Together, we are better. Call someone. Keep in touch. Go outside and look at.... the shape of the leaves, the birds, the worm in the bird's beak, the flowers and the petals, the ants going about their business. Breathe in the air. Soak in the Sunshine. Read a book. **TURN OFF THE TV. TURN OFF THE NEWS.** Make a list of 10 things you are thankful for. Pray-talk to God. He loves to hear your voice.
- "Open your mouth, judge righteously, defend the rights of the poor and needy." ESV Proverbs 31:9
- The Nurse is back in the office this Monday, June 29<sup>th</sup>.
- **July 4<sup>th</sup>, Independence Day” America;** America, God shed His grace on thee....." The freedom we have and enjoy today was purchased by a US Soldier. Freedom is not Free. Thank you to all that are or have served.
- **July's focus is Water & Summer Safety!** Swim with a buddy. Can't swim? Take Swim Lessons. Obey the lifeguards and signs. Wear a life jacket. **NEVER DIVE** into unknown water such as a shallow pool, area you have Never swam in before, etc. Apply Sunscreen **BEFORE** going outside or into the pool. Reapply Sunscreen often! Wear a Hat to protect your head & Sunglasses to protect your eyes. **DRINK** "5" 16-20 ounce bottles of Water every day (unless the doctor has instructed you otherwise.) If you are active or sweating, drink more water. Rest frequently **OUT** of the Sun. Alcoholic beverages along with caffeinated drinks increase Dehydration. Avoid these. Be aware of your surroundings. Look. Take a First Aid Kit with you. If a storm arises, get **INSIDE** quickly. If lightning is near, Get out of the **WATER. LOOK. LOOK** before crossing the street. Stop. **LOOK** again. Know where shelters are to get out of dangerous Weather. Refresh your CPR & First-Aid Skills. Summer is time for fun!! Planning ahead will help you have **FUN!!! ENJOY!!**

# A Prayer for America

Father in Heaven,  
We, the people, in the  
land of the free and  
the home of the brave,  
desperately need You.

Oh that we would leave our ways  
of seeking to be blessed  
and instead seek to bless others.

We beg for Your guidance and wisdom  
for our leaders.

We ask You to protect our land  
from enemies, both within and without.  
And we praise you for the freedom  
we have through the blood of Your Son.  
May Your plan be the desire of our nation.

Amen

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**For Prayer**

**Missionary:**

Justin & Kristen Raymer (Tanzania, Africa)  
Brian & Christy Ward (Papua, New Guinea)  
Rob & Sandy Shaffer (Czech Republic)

**Local Church:**

ALL Churches!!

**Nursing Homes, Rehab & Retirement Facilities:**

Mac Atwell (Trinity Oaks-Salisbury)  
Helen Barber (Trinity Oaks-Salisbury)  
Tom George (Elderwood Assisted Living, Hamburg, NY)  
Harriet Lipe (Genesis-Mooresville)

**Please Remember:**

Ella Mae Stewart	June & Reid Goodman
Anita & Wyatt Fesperman	Toni Wheeler
Mary Agnes Wiggins	Helen Lyerly
Jackie McKnight	Martha Meredith
Edith Lewis	Dick & Ginny Bennett
Louise Beeker	Carol & Larry Stutts
Jo Powers	Dale McKnight
Barbara Ussery	Roy Watkins
Martha Brown	Johnny Wilkinson
Pearl Bell	Lynn Britz & Family
Mike & Beth Stacy	Ann Clarke

**Friends & Family of the Congregation:**

Brandon Mundy (*Stage II Hodgkin's Lymphoma, husband of Kaitlyn Howie*)  
Jimmy Arthurs (*ALS, friend of Barbara & Rick Lyerly*)  
Nell Lawing (*friend of Vi & Don LaShomb*)  
Scott Brady (*Male Breast Cancer, friends of the Chandlers*)  
Linda Abel (*Health Issues family of Mary Beth Edmiston*)  
Emory McLaurin (*Cancer, friend of Jean Gibson*)  
Bruce Anne Steadman (*Granddaughter of Betty Alexander*)  
Woody Lookabill (*Rehab, brother in law of Melody Morrison*)  
Elaine Holt Brown (*Breast Cancer, 1st Cousin of Mary & Allen Lowrance*)  
Steve Darne (*Neurological, family of Toni Wheeler*)  
Larry Abel (*Stage 4 Cancer, brother of Mary Beth Edmiston*)  
Pressley Cashion (*Bladder Cancer, brother of Becky Hart*)  
Whitaker Raymer (*Cancer, Missionary Child*)  
Ellen Goldstein (*Cousin of Becky Hart*)  
Tina Davis (*Cancer, friend of Edie Steele*)  
Rita Purvis (*Non-Hodgkin's Lymphoma, friend Brown Family*)

**This Week at Prospect:**

**Sunday, June 28, 2020**

9:30 am – Worship Service / 2 Cents A Meal Offering  
11:00 am – Worship Service / 2 Cents A Meal Offering

**Monday, June 29, 2020**

9:30 am – Walking with Virginia

**Tuesday, June 30, 2020**

9:30 am – Walking with Virginia

**Wednesday, July 1, 2020**

9:30 am – Walking with Virginia

**Thursday, July 2, 2020**

9:30 am – Walking with Virginia

**Sunday, July 5, 2020**

9:30 am – Worship Service  
11:00 am – Worship Service

**Sunday, June 21, 2020**

**Attendance:**

Worship Services: 109

**Offering:**

General Fund:	\$5,465
Development Fund:	\$50
Family Life Center:	\$4,070