

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 2021

Dale Burgess

Becky Hart

Vance Moore

Edie Steele

Clerk of Session: Dale Burges

Treasurer: Becky Hart

Class of 2022

Connie Brown

Reid Goodman

Brian Jackson

Joy Miller

Asst. Treasurer: Bob Edmiston

Class of 2023

Mike Anderson

Bob Edmiston

Shannon Knox

Rick Lyerly

Beth Stacy

SESSION COMMITTEES

Administration and Personnel – Bob Edmiston* & Rick Lyerly

Building and Grounds – Reid Goodman & Brian Jackson*

Christian Education and Fellowship – Dale Burgess*

Mission – Vance Moore* & Edie Steele

Nurture and Care – Joy Miller*

Stewardship & Finance – Becky Hart*

Worship and Music – Connie Brown*

(* Chairman of Committee)

TRUSTEES

Becky Hart (2021)

Brian Jackson (2022)

Bob Edmiston (2023)

USHERS

Chairperson – Tommy McLelland

January, May, September – Brian Jackson

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



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THE SERVICE FOR THE LORD'S DAY

4th Sunday after Epiphany

January 31, 2021

9:30am & 11:00 am

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

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

PRELUDE *Lord of the Dance* arr. Raney

PRAYER OF INVOCATION AND THE LORD'S PRAYER

ANTHEM *Creation Will Be at Peace* Page

Dixie Forbes-Gorby, soloist

In the holy mountain of the Lord, all war and strife will cease; In the holy mountain of the Lord, creation will be at peace.

The wolf will lie down with the lamb, the cow and bear will feed; Their young will play together, a little child will lead.

*The leopard and goat will graze, the lion will feed on straw.
They will war no more; a child will lead them all.*

PRAYER OF THE PEOPLE

SPECIAL MUSIC *How Great Thou Art* arr. Miller

SCRIPTURE READING **Matthew 15: 1-2, 10-20**
Matthew 16: 13-18

SERMON Rev. William Gipe

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

*CHARGE AND BENEDICTION

*POSTLUDE *Praise to God, Immortal Praise!* arr. Wagner

*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.

REMINDER: Just a reminder to everyone that the **GREEN** tape on the pews is for the 9:30 am worship service & the **BLUE** tape on the pews is for the 11:00 am worship service. Also, remember that we have mask & hand sanitizer available for you. We are **STRONGLY** encouraging everyone to wear a mask. Stay 6 feet apart, wash your hands often, do not touch your face & wear a mask. Please be aware of this and stay safe.

Hart Scholarship applications are available in the church office. Completed applications should be put in the box marked "Hart Scholarship Committee" in the commons area. The deadline for applications is February 25, 2021.

The Flower Calendar for 2021 is on the wall outside the church office. If you would like to place flowers in the church for Sunday worship in honor of or in memory of someone special in your life, please choose your Sunday and make your reservation on the calendar.

Today will be the last collection day for the Mitten Tree. Please bring your hats, gloves, scarves, and mittens to fill the tree full. These gifts will be given to the Barium Springs Home for Children to help keep them warm.

It's back, UNDISUNDAY! Next Sunday, February 7th, as part of our **February** Mission projects, we would like for you to bring a brand-new package of underwear to be sent to the Mooresville Christian Mission. We will be collecting any & all **NEW** under garments the **entire month of February.** If you have any questions, please contact Vance Moore.

Baby Bottles! Change a baby's LIFE! This is a ministry supporting the Community Pregnancy Center of Lake Norman. Baby bottles are still available in the Narthex. Please turn your bottles in on Sunday, February 7th or by Wednesday, February 10th. You can place them in the crate in the narthex or in my box downstairs. Thank you so much for your support.
Connie Brown

For Prayer:

Missionary:

Justin & Kristen Raymer (African Island Mission in Washington DC)
Brian & Christy Ward (Spokane, Washington)
Rob & Sandy Shaffer (Czech Republic)

Local Church:

Thyatira Presbyterian Church

Nursing Homes, Rehab & Retirement Facilities:

Mac Atwell (Trinity Oaks-Salisbury)
Helen Barber (Trinity Oaks-Salisbury)
Ginny Bennett (Elmcroft Assisted Living, Salisbury)
Tom George (Elderwood Assisted Living, Hamburg, NY)
Edith Lewis (Citadel, Mooresville)
Harriet Lipe (Citadel-Mooresville)

Please Remember:

Vi LaShomb	Perry Teeter
Anita & Wyatt Fesperman	Pam Beaver
Carl & Mary Agnes Wiggins	Helen Lyerly
Jackie McKnight	Pearl Bell
Dick Bennett	Rachel Powers
Carol & Larry Stutts	Frances Ann Neel
Jo Powers	Kay Edmiston
Barbara Ussery	Martha Brown
Allen Lowrance	Linda Brooks
Vicki Freeze & Family	

Friends & Family of the Congregation:

Jim Staley (*Health Issues, son of Pearl Bell*)
Bruce & Justin Simmons (*friends of Candace Simmons Jackson*)
Frankie Thompson (*Cancer, Cousin of Jean Gibson*)
Judy Palmquisk (*friend of the Howie family*)
Kim Lambeth (*Cancer, Rachel Marlowe's mother*)
Judy Overcash (*Cancer, home bound in our community*)
Jeff Reid (*Leukemia, cousin of Pam Seamon*)
Julia Hallum (*Breast Cancer, granddaughter of Betty Alexander*)
Scott Brady (*Male Breast Cancer, friends of the Chandlers*)
John Clarke (*CL Cancer, uncle of Frances Ann Neel & Lee Williams*)
Beth Segui (*Parkinson, Daughter of Betty Alexander*)
Elaine Holt Brown (*Breast Cancer, 1st Cousin of Mary & Allen Lowrance*)
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:

January 31, 2021

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

Monday, February 1, 2021

11:00 am - Exercise
6:30 pm – Serendipity Circle in FLC
6:30 pm – Boy Scouts

Tuesday, February 2, 2021

7:00 pm – Ruth Circle in Session Room

Wednesday, February 3, 2021

10:00 am – ACTS/Lettie Beatty Circle in Session Room
7:00 pm – Bible Study

Thursday, February 4, 2021

10:00 am – Bible Study
11:00 am – Exercise
7:00 pm – Youth Group

Sunday, February 7, 2021

8:30 am – CE & Fellowship Committee
10:30 am – Worship Service / Communion

Sunday, January 24, 2021

<u>Attendance:</u>	Worship:	78
<u>Offering:</u>	General Fund:	\$3,045
	Development Fund:	\$50

Greetings from your Health Ministry!!

- **WOW!!** Can you believe we are at the end of January? - Time flies! But let us make the very best of the time that we have. (Psalm 90:12)
- Calling All!! **Calling ALL ages!** etc... SUNDAY, **FEBRUARY 14th** I am asking ALL that will to wear **RED** to raise Awareness about Heart/Stroke Month! And please extend your "**RED WEARING**" that whole week. When people ask why, you can tell them what you/we are doing!! Spread the Word!!
- **RED CROSS Blood Drive** was a Great Success!!! Thank you to Everyone that helped in Every way! 35 units was the final count!! The most we have EVER collected at 1 time! Give yourself a pat on the back. Rest up! Another blood drive will be coming.
- **Exercise** - Mondays & Thursdays at 11am in the Family Life Center. We have room for 2 more people in these "Covid Safe" Classes.
- **Emergency Information Update**- If you have had any changes in address, phone number or Emergency contacts, please complete the form & place in offering plate. If you have not completed a form, please do so. All Information is kept **CONFIDENTIAL** and is NOT given out. It is ONLY for **EMERGENCY** purposes. Thank you! Any questions, please see Joy Miller or Virginia Stewart, RN.
- **SOCKS! SOCKS! SOCKS!** We were blessed with donations of new socks for men, women & children AND we were able to distribute to NC Feed, Salvation Army Shelter, VA Medical Center in Salisbury and The Clothes Closet. Thank you for being Mission-minded! And thank you to those that helped with the Socks & deliveries.
- **Vaccination** sites and availability change almost daily. I will send out via email the information as I receive it. If you do not have email, please call me or call the health department you want to go to.
- **Good-bye January and "Hello" February!**
- **Covid Safety!** Wear a mask when in public, around those NOT you family. **WASH** your hands-frequently. Avoid Crowds. If you are sick or think you are sick, please do not go out. Call your doctor or your church nurse. Maintain & support your health by eating healthy, getting enough sleep, taking a multivitamin daily, Zinc daily, Vitamins C and D. If you are allergic to any supplements, do not take them. If you would like to talk more, please call me. Thank you. Virginia Stewart, RN, Faith Community Nurse at Prospect Presbyterian Church.

Center.

Sunday, February 7th, the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be served. Please prepare your hearts & minds to receive this sacrament. If a family member is homebound & wishes to have communion brought to the home, please call the church office.

February 14th has been designated as Blanket Sunday for our congregation. A donation of \$10.00 will buy a warm blanket for someone in need. Please support this special ministry of Church World Service by donating money for at least one blanket. Blankets are sent to areas facing disaster in the United States as well as to other countries. Special offering envelopes will be included in your bulletin that day.

Please do not bring anymore Yard Sale items at this time. We are in the process of scheduling the Yard Sale. It looks like it may be LATE spring. Once a date is set, we will make an announcement and items may be brought at that time.

As approved by the Session, beginning Sunday, February 7th we will return to one (1) Worship Service at 10:30 am. We will be splitting between the sanctuary and the New Family Life