

## 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



# THIRD SUNDAY *in* LENT

## THE SESSION

### Class of 2021

Dale Burgess

Becky Hart

Vance Moore

Eddie Steele

Clerk of Session: Dale Burgess

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** – Mike Anderson, Reid Goodman & Brian Jackson\*

**Christian Education and Fellowship** – Dale Burgess\* - Shannon Knox

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

**Nurture and Care** – Joy Miller\*

**Outreach** – Beth Stacy\*

**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 – TBD

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

### *3rd Sunday in Lent*

March 7, 2021

10:30 am

#### WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

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

PRELUDE *Jerusalem* arr. Welch

#### PRAYER OF INVOCATION AND THE LORD'S PRAYER

ANTHEM *Tell Me the Old, Old Story* Doane  
*Wade Carrigan & Melody Morrison, Duet*

#### PRAYER OF THE PEOPLE

SPECIAL MUSIC *My Song is Love Unknown* arr. Leavitt

SCRIPTURE READING **Acts 17: 16 – 34**

SERMON Rev. William Gipe

#### CELEBRATION OF THE SACRAMENT OF THE LORD'S SUPPER

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

\*CHARGE AND BENEDICTION

\*POSTLUDE *Toccata in G Major* Dubois

**\*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.

**ONE SERVICE:** We asks that everyone please set on the **GREEN** tape pews for our worship service. This will help with our being able to spread apart. 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.

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

**Easter Egg Hunt!** Our church Easter Egg Hunt will be held on **Saturday, March 27<sup>th</sup> (if bad weather, rain makeup date is Saturday, April 3<sup>rd</sup>)**. Thanks so much for your help and donations. Connie Brown

**Easter Lilies** will decorate our church sanctuary again this year on **April 4<sup>th</sup>, Easter Sunday**. If you would like to reserve your lily in honor of, in appreciation of, or in memory of someone special, please sign the list on the clipboard in the Commons Area. These names will be listed in the bulletin on Easter Sunday. **Only the lilies that are paid for in advance will be purchased and the cost is \$7.00 each. Please have your reservation and payment made by Thursday, March 25<sup>th</sup>.** You may take your lily home after worship on Easter Sunday.

We will receive the **One Great Hour of Sharing offering on Sunday, April 4<sup>th</sup>**. This offering travels around the world and stays here at home too. This offering feeds the world, establishes work opportunities, works to meet medical needs, helps develop and rebuild in difficult situations and after disasters, gives people hope, and so much more. Consider this offering a worthy recipient of your generosity.

**The Flower Calendar for 2021** is on the wall outside the church office. **IT IS LOOKING VERY EMPTY!** 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.

## Greetings from your Health Ministry!!

- **Covid-19** numbers are steadily going down. People are getting vaccinated. This is Great! But Do continue to practice social distancing, handwashing, mask wearing & sanitizing. Plan outings at times when the crowds are less. If you are sick, please stay home. Call the church office so we can check on you and pray for you. If you need help getting an appointment for a vaccination, please call me.
- **COVID-19 Vaccines** - The vaccines are now being giving in many places. Many of you have already begun your vaccinations or finished them. Group 3 is now being administered along with Groups 1 & 2. Group 4 is to be open very soon.
- **Exercise Group** is meeting Mondays & Thursdays at 11am, here in the FLC. We have room for 2 more people. Come! Check us out! Also, this month we are doing 'exercises" to build our minds as well as our bodies. We are considering adding an evening class. If you or a friend would be interested, please let me know. It would be on Mondays.
- **MARCH 14, at 9:30 am or 11:45 am CLASS** on the Automatic External Defibrillator (AED). Please sign up or email the church that you want to attend. EVERY ONE THAT IS WILLING TO HELP IN AN EMERGENCY IS ENCOURAGED TO SIGN UP. ANY QUESTIONS, PLEASE SEE THE CHURCH NURSE, VIRGINIA. THANK YOU!!
- **During this Lent Season**, let us reflect and remember about the Great Sacrifice that was given to you and me, Jesus. And the Sacrifice that continues today.
- **Be sure and look** at the bulletin board in the Commons. In March, we are raising awareness about Mental Health and the Help that is available. See me with any questions.
- **The Socks were delivered!!** Thank you to the volunteers that separated and sorted them. Distribution is set to begin next week. Please let me know if you have any suggestions of people that need socks.
- **Charting-Currently**, I chart with paper and pen & place in your confidential file. We are soon to be going to an electronic charting system. I will keep you posted. Any questions call me.

# If you leave home, know your Ws!



**WEAR** a cloth covering  
over your nose and mouth.



**WAIT** 6 feet apart.  
Avoid close contact.



**WASH** your hands or  
use hand sanitizer.

@NCDHHS

#StayStrongNC

**For Prayer:**

**Missionary:**

Justin & Kristen Raymer (African Island Mission in Washington DC)

Brian & Christy Ward (Spokane, Washington)

Rob & Sandy Shaffer (Czech Republic)

**Local Church:**

West Corinth Baptist 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)

Helen Lyerly (Cadence Living – Mooresville)

**Please Remember:**

Vi LaShomb	Allen Lowrance
Anita & Wyatt Fesperman	Pam Beaver
Carl & Mary Agnes Wiggins	Linda Brooks
Jackie McKnight	Pearl Bell
Dick Bennett	Rachel Powers
Carol & Larry Stutts	Frances Ann Neel
Jo Powers	Dan Edmiston & Family
Martha Brown	

**Friends & Family of the Congregation:**

Barbara Wilson Howard family (*Cancer, cousin of Vance Moore*)

Jessica Lindsay (*Pancreas, daughter of Melody Morrison*)

Jamie Hall (*longtime friend of Will & Stacey Gipe*)

Candace Hagerty (*Health Issues, wife of Matt Hagerty*)

Bruce & Justin Simmons (*friends of Candace Simmons Jackson*)

Frankie Thompson (*Cancer, Cousin of Jean Gibson*)

Judy Palmquist (*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*)

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*)

**Elder On Call:** Bob Edmiston (704) 878-3942

**Front Before/West After Service:** Bob Edmiston

**Open/Close Church:** Reid Goodman

**Sound System:** Paul Moore

**Newcomer/Visitor:** Sharron Clanton

**Ushers/Offering:** Matt Hagerty, Head Usher, Dale Burgess, Seth Burgess, Reid Goodman, Mike Stacy, Don Truedson

**This Week at Prospect:**

**Sunday, March 7, 2021**

8:30 am – CE & Fellowship Committee

9:30 am – Youth Sunday School

10:30 am – Worship Service / Communion

**Monday, March 8, 2021**

11:00 am - Exercise

6:30 pm – Boy Scouts

**Tuesday, March 9, 2021**

6:30 pm – Nurture & Growth Committee

**Wednesday, March 10, 2021**

7:00 pm – Bible Study

**Thursday, March 11, 2021**

10:00 am – Bible Study

11:00 am – Exercise

**Sunday, March 14, 2021**

8:30 am – Building & Grounds Committee

9:30 am – AED Training

9:30 am – Youth Sunday School

10:30 am – Worship Service

11:45 am – AED Training

**Sunday, February 28, 2021**

**Attendance:**                      Worship:                      106

**Offering:**                      General Fund:                      \$3,780

2 Cents A Meal:                      \$498