

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

Eddie 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 – 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



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Organized 1824



THE SERVICE FOR THE LORD'S DAY
2nd Sunday of Easter

April 11, 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.

RECEPTION OF NEW MEMBER

PRELUDE *Good Christian Friends, Rejoice and Sing!* arr. Burkhardt

PRAYER OF INVOCATION AND THE LORD'S PRAYER

ANTHEM *"Rise Again"* Holm
Dixie Forbes-Gorby, soloist

Go ahead, drive the nails in my hands, Laugh at me where you stand.
Go ahead, and say it isn't me, The day will come when you will see!

'Cause I'll rise again, ain't no pow'r on earth can tie me down.
Yes, I'll rise again, death can't keep me in the ground!

Go ahead, and mock my name, My love for you is still the same.
Go ahead and bury me, But very soon, I will be free!

Go ahead and say I'm dead and gone, But you will see that you were wrong.
Go ahead, try to hide the Son, But all will see that I'm the One!

'Cause I'll come again, ain't no power on earth can keep me back.
Yes, I'll come again, come to take my people back.

PRAYER OF THE PEOPLE

SPECIAL MUSIC *That Easter Day with Joy was Bright* arr. Wood

SCRIPTURE READING **Luke 24: 13-35**

SERMON

Rev. William Gipe

CELEBRATION OF THE SACRAMENT OF THE LORD'S SUPPER

*CHARGE AND BENEDICTION

*POSTLUDE *Come, People of the Risen King* Getty-Townend
*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.

Prospect Presbyterian Church would like to welcome Virginia "Ginny" Dowdy to our congregation. Virginia will be joining the church by transfer from Bethel Presbyterian Church. Please take a moment to welcome them to our church family.

ONE SERVICE: We asks that everyone please sit 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, Sunday, April 11th, 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.

Human Trafficking remains a scourge in the world, in our country and in our area. In the past, Prospect has been proud to partner with Present Age Ministries (a human trafficking ministry located in Concord, NC). We have hosted them for a Lunch and Learn and donated to their very good work in a variety of ways. Present Age has reached out again to us. They are hiring an additional case worker to help them protect even more young women. Our Mission Committee has agreed to make a donation to this effort. Moreover, the Mission Committee would like to provide our congregation the opportunity contribute more to this effort should you feel led. If you would like to contribute, please mark your offering with "Present Age". We will be collecting through Sunday, April 25. If you have any questions, please ask Vance Moore, Edie Steele, Virginia Stewart or Will Gipe. Thank you."

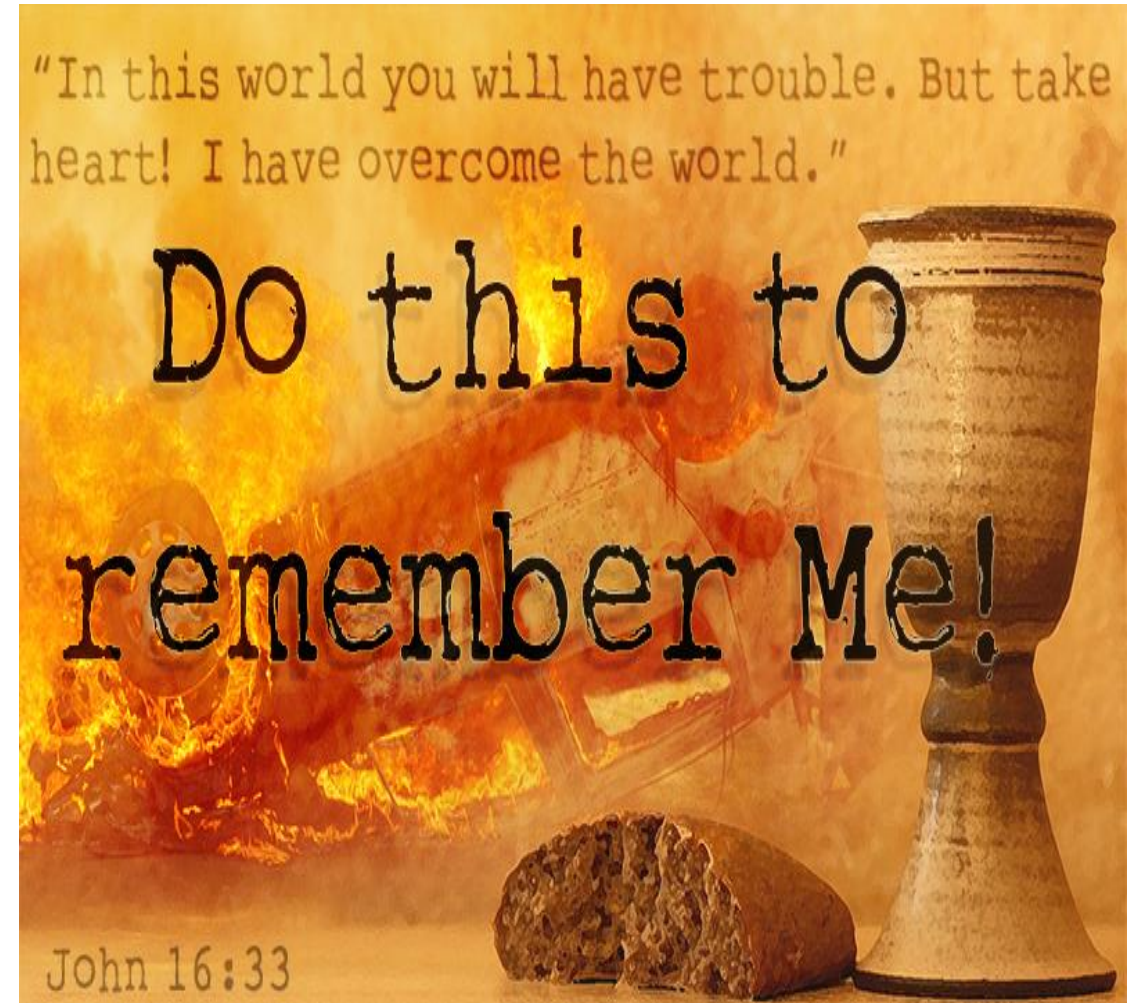
GOLDEN PROSPECTORS Please join us for our monthly luncheon on Tuesday **April 20th** at 11:00 am in the Family Life Center for a covered dish lunch. Please bring a covered dish and or dessert. The meat will be provided. Any questions contact Mary Beth Edmiston. **PLEASE SIGN UP OUTSIDE THE CHURCH OFFICE!**



Sunday, April 18th is wear **PINK** Sunday! April is Breast Cancer Awareness Month! So, join in and wear **PINK** to show your support.

Greetings from your Health Ministry!!

- **EXERCISE**- Mondays & Thursdays at 11 am. Join us. We are focusing on Hand and Finger Strength this month.
- **APRIL is all about Life!!** We will highlight various aspects of Life. Life. Choose Thank you for the opportunity to serve here.
- **WATER is vital to our life & health:** both physical water and spiritual water. Anyone know the minimum amount of water recommended for adults (unless your doctor tells you otherwise)? If you said 64 ounces a day are correct! 4-16 ounces bottles of water per 24 hours. Water helps to Hydrate us, lubricate your joints, flush out toxins as well as many other Benefits. Be sure to see the "Water Board" in the Commons Area. Spiritual Water is necessary for our spirits to flourish & grow. In John 4, with Jesus referring to the woman at the well, Jesus said those that drink from the ground well will thirst again **BUT** the Water I will give you will become like a well of water springing up to "eternal life".
- The **Blood** Drive was a great **SUCCESS!!!** Thank you for your help & giving.
- **Present Age Ministry is a life-giving ministry that reaches out to free those caught up in Human Trafficking.**
- **Please continue to remember all those that have recently lost family and friends. Also, please remember the sick.**
- If you have any "**GENTLY USED**" medical equipment such as a Transport Wheelchair, walkers, etc., please contact the church nurse, Virginia Stewart, RN.



For Prayer:

Missionary:

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

Local Church:

Bethpage UMC, Kannapolis

Nursing Homes, Rehab & Retirement Facilities:

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

Please Remember:

Thad Linker	Jo Powers
Anita & Wyatt Fesperman	Pam Beaver
Carl & Mary Agnes Wiggins	Linda Brooks
Jackie McKnight	Pearl Bell
Dick Bennett	Rachel Powers
Carol & Larry Stutts	Martha Brown
Mary Lowrance	Ben & Judy Stacy
Vicki Freeze	Beverly Bartlett

Friends & Family of the Congregation:

Lou Ann Compton Isenhour (*Blood Cancer, cousin of Becky Hart*)
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*)
Beth Segui (*Parkinson, Daughter of Betty Alexander*)
Elaine Holt Brown (*Breast Cancer, 1st Cousin of Mary & Allen Lowrance*)
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: Becky Hart (704) 664-5037

Front Before/West After Service: Becky Hart

Open/Close Church: Seth Burgess

Newcomer/Visitor: Frances Ann Neel

Sound System: Don Truedson

Ushers/Offering: Tommy McLelland, Head Usher, Tommy Blackwelder, Vicki Freeze, Carol Linker, Tom McLelland

This Week at Prospect:

Easter Sunday, April 11, 2021

8:30 am – Building & Grounds Committee
9:30 am – Adult Sunday School - FLC
9:30 am – Youth Sunday School – Ed Building
10:30 am – Worship Service / Communion

Monday, April 12, 2021

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

Tuesday, April 13, 2021

6:30 pm – Nurture & Care Committee – FLC

Wednesday, April 14, 2021

7:00 pm – Bible Study

Thursday, April 15, 2021

10:00 am – Bible Study
11:00 am – Exercise
7:00 pm – Session Meeting - FLC

Easter Sunday, April 18, 2021

9:30 am – Adult Sunday School - FLC
9:30 am – Youth Sunday School – Ed Building
10:30 am – Worship Service

Sunday, April 4, 2021

<u>Attendance:</u>	Worship:	130
<u>Offering:</u>	General Fund:	\$6,049
	Development Fund:	\$45
	One Great Hour of Sharing:	\$440