# **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

Class of 2023

**Bob Edmiston** 

Shannon Knox

**Rick Lyerly** 

Beth Stacy

Mike Anderson

# **Class of 2021**

Dale Burgess Becky Hart Vance Moore Edie Steele Clerk of Session: Dale Burges Treasurer: Becky Hart <u>Class of 2022</u> Connie Brown Brian Jackson Joy Miller

THE SESSION

Asst. Treasurer: Bob Edmiston

# SESSION COMMITTEES

Administration and Personnel –Bob Edmiston\*& Rick Lyerly Building and Grounds – Mike Anderson & Brian Jackson\* Christian Education and Fellowship – Dale Burgess\* - Shannon Knox Mission – Vance Moore\*& Edie 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)

# <u>USHERS</u>

Chairperson – Tommy McLelland January, May, September – Brian Jackson February, June, October – Nick Cornett March, July, November – Matt Hagerty April, August, December – Tommy McLelland

# PRESBYTERIAN WOMEN

Co-Moderators – Connie Brown & Lee Williams Secretary – Melody Morrison Treasurer – Becky Hart Co-Historians – Pam Beaver & Pam Tulbert Bereavement Team – Cheryl Chandler

# **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 21<sup>st</sup> Sunday after Pentecost

October 17, 2021		10:30 am		
WELCOME AND AN	INOUNCEMENTS	10.30 am		
If you notice a Presbyterian C	new face, please take a moment greet them & welcome hurch.	them to Prospect		
MOMENT FOR HEAD	LTH MINISTRY			
PRELUDE	"When Morning Gilds the Skies"	arr. Wood		
PRAYER OF INVOCATION AND THE LORD'S PRAYER				
ANTHEM	"Peace In the Midst of My Storm"	Caesar		
	Dixie Forbes-Gorby, Soloist			
When	the world that I've been living in collapses at my feet, When my life is shattered and torn.			
Tho' I'm windswept and battered, I can cling to His cross				
	And find peace in the midst of my storm.			
Т	here is peace in the midst of my storm-tossed life;			
Oh, there's an anchor, there's a rock to cast my faith upon.				
Jesus rides in my vessel, so I'll fear no alarm.				
	He gives me peace in the midst of my storm.			
When in twe	nty-four short hours, years of living are brought to mo	ments,		
And when life's final picture is taking form;				
In the dark room of my suffering, there's a light comes shining through.				
	He gives me peace in the midst of my storm.			
When	n my body has been broken 'til it's wracked in misery,			
When all the doctors shake their heads and look forlorn;				
Jesus comes to make my bedside a cathedral of hope and love.				

He sends His peace right into the midst of my storm.

# PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

SPECIAL MUSIC	"'Tis So Sweet to Trust in Je	esus" arr. Larson		
SCRIPTURE READING	John 11: 1-6, 14-15, 17-	44		
SERMON		Rev. Will Gipe		
*PROFESSION OF FAITH	The Apostles' Creed			
*CHARGE AND BENEDICTIO	Ν			
*POSTLUDE	"March in F Major"	Guilmant		
*Please rise in body or in spirit CCLI#2659202 +Latecomers may be seated. Please place all cell phones and pagers on silent. Thank you.				

**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 lovely flowers* in the sanctuary today are given to the glory of God and in memory of Harry Hart and Donald Hart by their sister Helen Hart Barber.

**Just a reminder** to continue to bring your BJs books to our organist, Pat McCall. The coupons will be used by the Food for Days program at St. Mark's Lutheran Church. Thank you for your help!

**Golden Prospectors:** October meeting is scheduled for **Tuesday, October 19<sup>th</sup> at 11:00 am** in the Family Life Center. Lunch and drinks will be provided. This meeting will be an informational and discussion and planning for future Golden Prospector events. Please plan to attend.

**Stewardship News:** you will be receiving your stewardship packet containing a letter, pledge cards, and a copy of the proposed operating budget for **2022** in the mail. We ask that you prayerfully consider your pledge and return it to the church on **November 7<sup>th</sup>** for our commitment Sunday. We are grateful for your support of the ministry of Prospect and look forward to an exciting year for our church as we move forward in a new year.

**Dear Congregation**, I am asking everyone to contact the church office via email (<u>office@prospectpres.org</u>) and or call the church office to make sure that we have all your correct contact information. It seems that we are missing birthday, marriage, and other dates, correct addresses, and emails in our information data base. We need to make sure everything is correct. Thanks, Cheryl

# **Greetings from your Health Ministry!!**

- Health & Wellness: Exercise at the church Mondays & Thursdays 11am. Be sure to Exercise (walking is great) at least 150 minutes of activity each week at home/work. We are focusing on weights for toning and strength and preamble of the Constitution for our Brain Workout. Join US!
- **TODAY** is **Wear PINK Sunday** to raise awareness about Breast Cancer. YOU are invited to the front if you have had or have Breast Cancer. We serve as HOPE to One Another. Join us as we offer HOPE & Encouragement. Thank you. After service, materials will be available & FREE Blood Pressure Checks.
- **BREAST CANCER FACTS**-Early diagnosis is the key for recovery. What can you do? Get a Mammogram if you are 40 or have Breast Cancer in your family. Talk to your doctor. Do monthly self-checks. Do it at the same time of the month such as the 17th. Look at yourself in the mirror. Know what your normal is. Look for swelling, lumps/bumps, changes in color or shape, discharge, symmetry. Raise your arms above your head at the same time then look in the mirror. Are you even or uneven? Feel for lumps or bumps including under your axilla (arm pits) or any discharge. Do this once a month. Report abnormal findings, concerns, questions to your medical provider or church nurse. TAKE CARE of YOURSELF!! You are AWESOME!
- **HOMe of Mooresville** Collected the items you gave last week & they were **OVERWHELMED** with your love & generosity. A "Thank you Note" is on the bulletin board.
- OCTOBER 28- Red Cross Blood Drive in the FLC. Tell Everyone & invite them. Our goal is 40 pints! You can pre-register at RedcrossBlood.org and enter Prospect Presbyterian Church or call the church for the nurse. THANK YOU!!! Volunteers NEEDED & Wanted!!
- Health & Wellness- Wash your hands OFTEN. DON'T TOUCH YOUR FACE. Do practice Social Distancing in crowds. Do wear a mask while out or in a group setting.

**CAR SHOW / Trunk or Treat:** Car Show is scheduled for **Saturday, October 30th**, 12:00 pm to 4:00 pm. We will also be doing Trunk or Treat on **Saturday, October 30th** at 4:30 following the car show. It will be located in the parking lot at the education building. **Due to Covid-19 we will not be having the Fall Festival.** We need many of you to support our church youth by bringing your trunks and giving out candy. This is also a great community outreach to neighborhood children. Hope to see a lot of you with open trunks! Suggestions for safety: Wear your mask, have candy in treat bags to limit contact touching, wear gloves will provide those if needed), and of course maintain social distancing as possible. Any questions about the car show, please contact Mike Stacy and any questions about Trunk or Treat, please contact Connie Brown.

**Students Need Your Help!** Rowan-Cabarrus Community College has a Food & Resource Pantry to provide temporary food and hygiene items to Rowan-Cabarrus students at no cost. If students are short on food and basic hygiene items, then that significantly hinders their academic success. The pantry has gotten severely depleted during Covid, so the **Mission Committee** is collecting items during the month of October to help **RCCC** stock their pantry. The most needed items are:

- Laundry detergent (small sizes due to storage containers)
- Toilet paper
- Paper towels
- Dry pet food
- Feminine products
- Soup
- Chef Boyardee (or another brand)
- Granola bars (on-the-go type items)

**We will have a box in the Commons area for collection**. Any help you can give will be greatly appreciated. Thank you in advance on behalf of the Mission Committee. If you have any questions, please contact Terri McKnight (704-458-4905) or Vance Moore.

**It's time to think about Christmas already**. For several years, we have been supporting Mt. Ulla Elementary School as a local mission opportunity. As an extension of that, we have partnered with several Rowan County churches to provide Christmas gifts for children in need. If you are interested in adopting a child, please let me know **ASAP** so that I can get a rough count of children that we can support. If you want to help but not able to do the gift shopping, you can still help. As Christmas approaches, we also collect food items for the families that we have adopted. More information to come.... Call Beth Stephens at 704-664-7185 and leave a message or email: <u>beth13@windstream.net</u>.

#### **For Prayer:** Missionary:

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

# **Local Church:**

Centenary UMC, Mooresville

### Nursing Homes, Rehab & Retirement Facilities:

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

# **Please Remember:**

Thad Linker
Anita & Wyatt Fesperman
Carl & Mary Agnes Wiggins
Jackie McKnight
Carol & Larry Stutts
Ben & Judy Stacy
Frances Ann Neel
Sarah Jackson
June Goodman & Family

Jo Powers Pam Beaver Linda Brooks Lib Knox Martha Brown Lisa Jackson Pam Tulbert Roy Watkins Wayne Chandler

# Friends & Family of the Congregation:

Larry Hensley (Foot surgery w/infection, friend of Frances Ann Neel) Jerry, Jody, & Vickie Ledford (Friends of Mike Anderson & Family) Michael Weller (Brain tumor, friend of Will & Stacey Gipe) Jeff Staley (Liver Cancer, son of Pearl Bell) Teresa Ervin (Breast Cancer, Vi LaShomb daughter) Eli Freeze (Army, Stationed in Poland, grandson of Vicki Freeze) Karen Broadway (Brain Injury, family of the Chandlers) Edgar Moore (Lung Cancer, friend of Jean Gibson) Lou Ann Compton Isenhour (Blood Cancer, cousin of Becky Hart) Jamie Hall (longtime friend of Will & Stacey Gipe) Kim Lambeth (Cancer, Rachel Marlowe's mother) Beth Segui (Parkinson, Daughter of Betty Alexander) Whitaker Raymer (Cancer, Missionary Child) Ellen Goldstein (Cousin of Becky Hart) Rita Purvis (Non-Hodgkin's Lymphoma, friend Brown Family) Elder On Call: Vance Moore (704) 408-4828 Front Before/West After Service: Vance Moore Open/Close Church: Bob Edmiston Newcomer/Visitor: Teresa Compton Sound System: Adam Lyerly Nursey Volunteer: Connie Brown Children's Church: Judie Sellers Ushers/Offering: Nick Cornett, Head Usher; Bob Edmiston, Jack Edmiston, Mary Beth Edmiston, Karen Cornett

# This Week at Prospect:

# PINK Sunday, October 17, 2021

8:30 am – Missions Committee 9:30 am –Sunday School 10:30 am – Worship Service

# Monday, October 18, 2021

11:00 am – Exercise Class 6:30 pm – BSA

Tuesday, October 19, 2021 11:00 am – Golden Prospectors

Wednesday, October 20, 2021 7:00 pm – Bible Study

# Thursday, October 21, 2021

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

# Sunday, October 24, 2021

9:00 am – Worship Meeting 9:30 am –Sunday School 10:30 am – Worship Service / Stewardship

# Sunday, October 10, 2021

<u>Attendance</u> :	Worship:	116
<b>Offering</b> :	General Fund:	\$4,835
Ι	Development Fund:	\$25