

PROSPECT PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

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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 2022

Connie Brown

Brian Jackson

Joy Miller

Johnny Wilkinson

Class of 2023

Mike Anderson

Bob Edmiston

Shannon Knox

Rick Lyerly

Beth Stacy

Class of 2024

Karen Cornett

Van Knox

Terri McKnight

Paul Moore

Walter Teeter

Clerk of Session: Rick Lyerly

Treasurer: Becky Hart

Asst. Treasurer: Bob Edmiston

SESSION COMMITTEES

Administration and Personnel – Bob Edmiston & Walter Teeter*

Building and Grounds – Mike Anderson, Brian Jackson*, Paul Moore & Johnny Wilkinson

Christian Education and Fellowship – Shannon Knox* / Beth Stacy

Mission – Terri McKnight* / Van Knox

Nurture and Care – Joy Miller*

Outreach – Beth Stacy* / Shannon Knox

Stewardship & Finance – Bob Edmiston* & Van Knox

Worship and Music – Connie Brown* & Karen Cornett

(* Chair of Committee)

TRUSTEES

Brian Jackson

(2022)

Bob Edmiston

(2023)

Walter Teeter

(2024)

USHERS

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
Palm Sunday

April 10, 2022

10:30 am

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

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

PALM SUNDAY READING

Matthew 21: 1-11

PRELUDE

"Lift Up Your Heads, Ye Mighty Gates"
Richard Woods, Saxophone

arr. Hamlin

PRAYER OF INVOCATION AND THE LORD'S PRAYER

*HYMN

All Glory, Laud & Honor

No. 173

CHILDREN'S PALM SUNDAY PROGRAM

ANTHEM

"Via Dolorosa"
Kristin Donaldson, Soloist

Sprague-Borop

*Down the Via Dolorosa in Jerusalem that day,
 The soldiers tried to clear the narrow streets,
 But the crowd pressed in to see the man condemned to die on Calvary.*

*He was bleeding from a beating, there were stripes upon His back,
 And He wore a crown of thorns upon His head.
 And He bore with every step the scorn of those who cried out for His death.
 Down the Via Dolorosa, called the way of suffering,*

*Like a lamb came the Messiah, Christ the King.
 But He chose to walk that road out of His love for you and me.
 Down the Via Dolorosa all the way to Calvary.*

*Por la Via Dolorosa triste dia en Jerusalem.
 Los soldados le abrian paso a Jesus.
 Mas la gente se acercaba.
 Para ver al que llevaba aquella cruz.*

*Por la Via Dolorosa que es la via del dolor
 Como oveja vino Christo, Rey, Senor.
 Y fue El quien quiso ir por su amor por ti y pormi.
 Por la Via Dolorosa al Calvario y amorir.
 The blood that would cleanse the souls of all men
 Made its way through the heart of Jerusalem.*

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

OFFERTORY

"Were You There?"
Richard Woods, Saxophone

arr. Olstad

SCRIPTURE READING

Genesis 4: 1-16
Hebrews 12: 22, 24, 28-29

SERMON

Rev. Will Gipe

*PROFESSION OF FAITH

The Apostles' Creed

*HYMN

Alas! And Did My Savior Bleed?

No. 208

*CHARGE AND BENEDICTION

*CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE **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

"Hosanna!"

Wachs

***Please rise in body or in spirit CCLI#2659202 +Latecomers may be seated.
 Please place all cell phones and other electronics 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.

Greetings from your Health Ministry!!

- **Exercise** - Mondays & Thursdays at 11am in the FLC. Join us!! We have room for you & are practicing social distancing, mask wearing & Hand Hygiene.
- **Easter will be** here before you know it. LIFE! Choose it! Happy Resurrection Day!
- **Do you know where each 1 of our 3 AED's are located?** Do you know how to use them? We will be having a refresher class on Sunday, June 12th right after morning worship service. Class should only last about 30 minutes.
- **Sunday, April 10th,** I will have available for you to pick up, Advance Directives and Health Care Power of Attorney forms. If you have any questions or would like to meet in person, give me a call at the church office or email me to make an appointment.
- **Every Kid Healthy Week** / April 24th – 30th! Watch for more details.
- **April Nurture & Care Committee** meeting is scheduled for Tuesday, April 12th at 6:00 pm.
- **Calling ALL sewers, Knitters and or Crocheters!** Hospice & Palliative Care of Iredell honors our veteran patients with a ceremony in which they receive recognition and appreciation for their service. During this ceremony the patient receives a handmade afghan or quilt. These are typically lap-sized, and are made of red, white and blue materials or yarn. We are currently running very low on the patriotic colored blankets and quilts that we give during these ceremonies. We are in search of sewers and creative souls that would be willing to use their stitchery skills to help us fill this need. Each blanket that is created means another veteran has the gift of handmade warmth and comfort that later becomes an heirloom for their family to treasure. Thank you in advance for using your talents to help us honor our veterans with such a wonderful gift. Contact Amy Feimster at 704-873-4719 ext. 4423.



Holy Week Events: We begin today, **Palm Sunday, April 10th**, with the children and their **Palm Procession**. We will have a Good Friday worship service on **Friday, April 15th at 12:00 pm** in the sanctuary. The service will last approximately 30 minutes with lunch following the service.

Easter Sunday, April 17th, will begin with the Sunrise Service at 7:30 am, followed by breakfast at 8:00 am in the Fellowship Hall, Sunday School at 9:30 am, and Worship at 10:30 am. **Bring a flower for our resurrection flower cross** in front of the sanctuary building too! Come celebrate Christ's Resurrection with us again!

Easter Lilies will decorate our church sanctuary again this year on **April 17th, 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 \$8.00 each. Please have your reservation and payment made by Thursday, April 14th.** You may take your lily home after worship on Easter Sunday.

CE & Fellowship committee is looking for **VOLUNTEERS** for the Nursery during Sunday School at 9:30 am. Please contact Shannon Knox at 704-662-4191. You are also invited to join in Sunday School at 9:30 for anyone interested in fellowship and learning.

The church office will be closed on Monday, April 18th, in the observance of the Easter holiday.

GOLDEN PROSPECTORS Please join us for our monthly luncheon on Tuesday **April 19th** at 11:00 am at the China Grove Family Restaurant. We will meet at the church at 10:45 am and take the church van and or carpool. Any questions, contact Mary Beth Edmiston. **PLEASE SIGN UP OUTSIDE THE CHURCH OFFICE!**

Bluegrass Sing-a-Long! The Worship/Music Committee invites you to a Bluegrass sing-a-long featuring our own Matt Sellars Please join us on **Sunday, May 1st** in the Family Life Center for lunch, music, and some good times. Lunch will be BBQ with all the fixins. Hope to see everyone there.

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)
People in Eastern Europe

Local Church:

First Presbyterian Church, Statesville

Nursing Homes, Rehab & Retirement Facilities:

Mac Atwell (Trinity Oaks-Salisbury)
Helen Barber (Trinity Oaks-Salisbury)
Anne Cloaninger (Heritage Place, Statesville)
Helen Lyerly (Cadence Living – Mooresville)
Meghan McSwain (Brookdale Peachtree, Statesville)
Margaret Martin (Abernathy Laurels, Newton)
Tink Wilkinson (Cadence Living – Mooresville)

Please Remember:

Thad Linker	Jo Powers
Anita & Wyatt Fesperman	Pam Beaver
Carl & Mary Agnes Wiggins	Toni Wheeler
Jackie McKnight	Lib Knox
Carol & Larry Stutts	Martha Brown
Ben & Judy Stacy	Sarah Jackson
Jaime Hovis	Roy Watkins
Mary Lib Kipka	Pearl Bell
Krystal Kipka	Lynda Fries

Friends & Family of the Congregation:

Tillie Coyne (*Cancer w/hospice, neighbor of Betty Alexander*)
Mike Pebbles, (*Friend of Jean Gibson*)
Scott Wilkinson (*Health Issues – son of Tink Wilkinson*)
Ronnie Stewart (*Small Stroke, husband of Virginia Stewart, FCN*)
Michael Weller (*Brain tumor, friend of Will & Stacey Gipe*)
Teresa Ervin (*Breast Cancer, Vi LaShomb daughter*)
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*)

Elder On Call: Connie Brown 704-437-1860 **Front Before/West After Service:** Connie Brown

Open/Close Church: Brian Jackson

Newcomer/Visitor: Frances Ann Neel

Children’s Church: Melody Morrison

Sound System: Don Truedson

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

This Week at Prospect:

Palm Sunday, April 10, 2022

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

Monday, April 11, 2022

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

Tuesday, April 12, 2022

6:00 pm – Nurture & Care Committee

Wednesday, April 13, 2022

Easter Lily Payment Due!
6:30 pm – Dinner & Bible Study - FLC

Maundy Thursday, April 14, 2022

10:00 am – Bible Study
11:00 am – Exercise Class
6:30 pm – Choir Practice

Good Friday, April 15, 2022

12:00 pm Good Friday Service w/Lunch

Easter Sunday, April 17, 2022

7:30 am – Sunrise Service
8:00 am – Easter Breakfast
9:30 am – Sunday School
10:30 am – Worship Service / One Great Hour of Sharing Offering

Sunday, April 3, 2022

<u>Attendance:</u>	Sunday School:	49
	Worship:	126
<u>Offering:</u>	General Fund:	\$7,545
	Development Fund:	\$120