#### 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

<b>Class of 2022</b>	<b>Class of 2023</b>	<b>Class of 2024</b>
Connie Brown	Mike Anderson	Karen Cornett
Brian Jackson	<b>Bob Edmiston</b>	Van Knox
Joy Miller	Shannon Knox	Terri McKnight
Johnny Wilkinson	Rick Lyerly	Paul Moore
•	Beth Stacy	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**

#### PRESBYTERIAN WOMEN

Brian Jackson	(2022)	Co-Moderators – Connie Brown & Lee Williams
<b>Bob Edmiston</b>	(2023)	Secretary – Melody Morrison
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Walter Teeter (2024) Treasurer – Becky Hart

Co-Historians – Pam Beaver & Pam Tulbert

<u>USHERS</u> Bereavement Team – Cheryl Chandler

Chairperson – Tommy McLelland

January, May, September – Brian Jackson ACTS/L February, June, October – Nick Cornett Mary Lo

March, July, November – Matt Hagerty

April, August, December – Tommy McLelland

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 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday of Easter

April 24, 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.

PRELUDE "Trumpet Tune on 'The Day of Resurrection'" Payne

PRAYER OF INVOCATION AND THE LORD'S PRAYER

\*HYMN *Christ, Arose* No. 216

PRAYER OF THE PEOPLE

ANTHEM "They Could Not" Harris-Cloninger

Terry Witt, soloist

They looked at Him and saw a simple man, A carpenter with healing in His hands.

They saw Him calm the sea and heal a dying man.

They saw, but could they really understand?

They could not, they could not. Though they tried, they could not. He was just a simple carpenter with healing in His hands.

But could they really understand? They could not.

They listened to the teaching that they heard And wondered at the mystery of His word.

They wondered what He meant about a Father's plan.

They heard, but could they really understand?

They could not, they could not. Though they tried, they could not.
They listened to His teaching about a Father's plan.
But could they really understand? They could not.

So finally upon a rugged cross, They killed the man who would not suffer loss. And when at last they took what willingly He gave, He died. But could they keep him in the grave?

They could not, they could not! Praise God, they could not! And when at last they took from Him what willingly He gave, Could they keep Him in the grave? They could not!

#### A TIME FOR YOUNG CHRISTIANS

OFFERTORY "Speak, O Lord" arr. McDonald

Betty Robertson, pianist

SCRIPTURE READING Philippians 3: 3-11

Ecclesiastes 7: 2-4

SERMON Rev. William Gipe

\*PROFESSION OF FAITH The Apostles' Creed

\*HYMN He Lives No. 220

\*CHARGE AND BENEDICTION

\*POSTLUDE "Good Christian Friends, Rejoice and Sing" arr. Burkhardt

\*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 beautiful flowers are placed in the sanctuary today to the glory of God and in honor and in honor of their parents' birthdays, Tom Trotter 04/16, Jacquie Trotter 04/19, and Pam Tulbert 04/20, by Bart Tulbert and Sarah Russell.

**Sunday, May 1**<sup>st</sup>, 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.

**Bluegrass Sing-a-Long!** The Worship/Music Committee invites you to a Bluegrass sing-along 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.

**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.

**Camp Grier!** Young Disciples Parents **don't forget** I need the number of families going to Camp Grier (**May 21-22**) this week. Please text me at (704) 437-1860 before Friday if we haven't already talked. Thanks! Connie

**Are You Graduating?** We would like to honor our high school and college graduates on **Sunday, May 22<sup>nd</sup>**, but first we must know who they are. If you or a family member is graduating, please notify the church office please notify the church office, Dale Burgess, or Shannon Knox with student name, degree and school by **Wednesday, May 18<sup>th</sup>**. Thank you, we do want to miss anyone!

# **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.
- JOIN US! Monday, May 2<sup>nd</sup> @ 6pm for a NEW class entitled: "Take Back Your Temple", OVERCOMING EMOTIONAL EATING GOD'S WAY! A 6-week class to help you Escape Emotional Eating. ALL are invited. Class is limited to 20 participants and will last 1 hour. You Are Worth It. Let me or Cheryl know if you plan to attend. Books will be given out at the first gathering. Any questions, please give us a call or email.
- **June 12** Refresher AED Class after church, in the FLC, lasting approximately 30 minutes. All are Welcome.
- I have forms available for **Advance Directives & Healthcare POA**.
- Hospice & Palliative Care of Iredell County is pleased to offer both in-person and virtual grief & loss support groups for adults. In-person groups will begin in May 2022 and will be limited to 10 people. We respectfully ask that if you are experiencing any symptoms of illness or have had a known COVID exposure that you do not attend. Masks not required, but strongly encouraged. To attend an in-person group please call (704) 924-4335. To participate in virtual grief group please email <a href="mailto:randyb@hoic.org">randyb@hoic.org</a>

# MOTHER DAUGHTER BANQUET

Sunday, May 15th at 5:00 p.m.

Mothers and Daughters,

Our annual Mother-Daughter Banquet will be on Sunday, May 15th, at 5:00 pm in the Family Life Center. Invite your family and friends for an evening of fun and fellowship. Bring your favorite salads, finger foods, or dessert. We will be collecting items for the Community Pregnancy Center of Lake Norman. They are in need of diapers (no newborn), boy clothing (newborn to 18 month), sleepers, onesies up to 24 months, boys' shoes, socks, and bibs, Johnson and Johnson baby wash, shampoo and lotions, crib sheets, unscented baby wipes (Parents choice at Wal-Mart and Up and Up at Target), and any summer maternity clothes. We hope to see you there! Women of the Church! Please turn your slip in by Thursday, May 12<sup>th</sup>.

Number attending:	
Names:	
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Mothers & Daughters

#### 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:**

Oak Grove UMC, China Grove

#### **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 Lvnda Fries Carol & Larry Stutts Martha Brown Ben & Judy Stacy Sarah Jackson Jaime Hovis Roy Watkins Pearl Bell Mary Lib Kipka

# **Friends & Family of the Congregation:**

Janet Baker (Cancer, friend of John Edmiston)

Nancy Shinn (Health Issues, cousin of Frances Ann Neel)

Rachel Shinn Stone (Breast Cancer, cousin of Frances Ann Neel)

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)

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: Joy Miller (919) 698-7946 Front Before/West After Service: Joy Miller

**Open/Close Church:** Brian Jackson **Newcomer/Visitor:** Frances Ann Neel

<u>Children's Church</u>: Connie Brown <u>Sound System:</u> Seth Burgess

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

Linker, Tom McLelland

# This Week at Prospect:

# **Sunday, April 24, 2022**

9:00 am – Worship Committee

9:30 am – Sunday School

10:30 am – Worship Service / 2 Cents A Meal Offering

# Monday, April 25, 2022

8:00 am FEEDNC

11:00 am – Exercise Class

6:30 pm - BSA

# Tuesday, April 26, 2022

#### MAY NEWSLETTER DEADLINE!

# Wednesday, April 27, 2022

6:30 pm – Dinner & Bible Study - FLC

# Thursday, April 28, 2022

10:00 am – Bible Study

11:00 am – Exercise Class

6:30 pm – Choir Practice

# Sunday, May 1, 2022

8:30 am – CE & Fellowship Committee

 $9:30\ am-Sunday\ School$ 

10:30 am – Worship Service

11:45 am – Bluegrass Music w/Lunch in the FLC

# **Sunday, April 17, 2022**

Attendance: Sunday School: 58

Worship: 176

Offering: General Fund: \$3,840

Development Fund: \$75

One Great Hour of Sharing: \$460