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Teammate Day at Carowinds and Six Flags! Teammate Day a Carowinds is back! However, this time you'll have an entire week take advantage of discounted ticket prices! Atrium Health Teammates will be able to get discounted Carowinds tickets from August 14 — August 20. Tickets will cost \$34 for teammates and this price also includes parking fees! You can also visit <a href="Carowinds.com">Carowinds.com</a>; click on the Promotions button and enter "atriumhealthproud" as the promotion code. Make sure you get <a href="your tickets">your tickets</a> today! Navicent Tea mates also have an opportunity to have some fun. From now through October 30 teammates can get discounted Six Flags tickets. Don't delay! Purchase <a href="your tickets">your tickets</a> today!



2022

Sunday School 9:30 a.m. Worship Service: 10:30 a.m.

#### THE GOOD PROSPECTS

**Prospect Presbyterian Church** 9425 West NC 152 Hwy, Mooresville, NC 28115

Church Office Hours: Monday – Thursday: 7:00am - 5:00pm

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# FROM YOUR PASTOR'S KEYBOARD:

I hope everyone is having a great summer. I know school is starting back up this month as well. In many ways, the first day of school is a kind of "New Year's Day". We get back together and start a new season in church and in school. We don't like letting summer vacation go, but it is also an exciting time as we start up a new year.

I am looking forward to, among many other things, the return of our weekly Bible studies later this month. We will begin our Wednesday evening Bible study on August 24 at 7:00 PM (child care will be provided for this Bible study and we also have supper every Wednesday starting at 6:30 PM). The Thursday morning group will resume on August 18 at 10:00 AM.

We have another continuing opportunity at Sunday School. Our Sunday school has great teachers and is available for all ages at 9:30 AM every Sunday. All of these groups are wonderful. They are one of the ways God moves us, individually and as a church, from good to great. The people and the fellowship and the support are good. Bible study is a great time to ask questions and learn from each other. We pray with and for each other. We get into the details on how to be a better follower of Jesus. Our Lord appreciates, and deserves, that commitment.

If you are not already part of one of these groups, you need to get into one. I am confident you will be glad you did. Your life will be deeper and more joyful if you do. If you have any questions about the Bible studies or Sunday school, or any other topic, please give me a call (276.275.1942), send me an email (willgipe@hotmail.com) or stop by the office and talk. I'd love it. Have a good August. Know that you are loved.

Will

### **ROWAN** HELPING **MINISTRIES**

Suggested Donation for August:

> Canned/Dried Rice & Beans







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Brice Knox	August 1
Michael Moore	August 2
Linda Brooks	August 3
Rev. Will Gipe	August 4
Palmer Wilkinson	August 4
Dianne Davis	August 6
Robert Fallowes	August 8
Edie Steele	August 8
Joey Lantrip	August 9
Beth Stephens	August 10
Kaitlyn Ervin	August 11
Gavin Melton	August 11
Terri McKnight	August 13
Lou Ann Robinson	August 13
Anne Collier	August 14
Bill Hart	August 14
Amy Weatherman	August 14
Jason Church	August 15
Krystal Kipka	August 17
Ryan Donaldson	August 18
Shannon Knox	August 18
Sue Carriker	August 20
Reid Goodman	August 20
Pam Seamon	August 21
Tommy McLelland	August 22
Chip Atwell Jr.	August 23
Lorraine Ervin	August 23
Blakely Cook	August 24
Vicki Freeze	August 24
Madison Marlowe	August 24
Kristi Fallowes	August 26
Toni Wheeler	August 26
Debi Wilkinson	August 26
Hal Stutts	August 27
Kyndal Howie	August 28
Pat McCall	August 29

Josephine Powers

August 29

## From the Heritage Committee

Mark your calendars, Homecoming is September 19th. The Heritage Committee needs names and addresses of people whom you would like to receive a letter inviting them to our Homecoming. Please call or email the church office with their name and address so we can get them on the list.





Stephen & Karen Hart	August 3
Walter & Ruth Lee Teeter	August 3
Jay & Tammy Vandall	August 6
Heather & Drew Cook	August 13
Tim & Kathy Bradshaw	August 14
Nicholas & Karen Cornett	August 14
Wayne & Lorraine Ervin	August 16
Wade & Phyllis Carrigan	August 20
Jamie & Amzie Hovis	August 22
Carl & Mary Agnes Wiggins	August 29
Robert & Kristi Fallowes	August 30
Michael & Robin Hilton	August 31

Getting Ready For Homecoming! September 19th the Heritage Committee is in need of ferns for Homecoming. If you would let them use your ferns, please contact Karen

Cornett, or Rick & Adam Lyerly. Rick and Adam Lyerly have offered to come to houses to pick the ferns up on the Friday or Saturday before Homecoming.



# For Prayer

#### **Missionary:**

Justin & Kristen Raymer (African Island Mission in Washington Brian & Christy Ward (Spokane, Washington)

Rob & Sandy Shaffer (Czech Republic) David & Caree Lookabill (Bangladesh)

#### 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) Judy Stacy (Northlake House, Charlotte) Mary Agnes Wiggins (Citadel, Mooresville) Tink Wilkinson (Cadence Living – Mooresville)

#### **Please Remember:**

Thad Linker Jo Powers Anita & Wyatt Fesperman Pam Beaver Nancy Price & Family Toni Wheeler Jackie McKnight Lynda Fries Carol & Larry Stutts Martha Brown Sarah Jackson Pam Tulbert Pearl Bell **Roy Watkins** Kipka Family Ella Mae Stewart

#### Friends & Family of the Congregation:

Dale Davis (Serious complications due to diabetes – Chuck Miller's Uncle) Jo Beaty & Mack Robinette (friends of the congregation) Bruce Ann Steadman (granddaughter of Betty Alexander) Eric Johnson (Cancer, friend of Sarah Russell) Nancy Dwyer (Sickness, friend of Pam Tulbert) 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) Chris McCall & Jackie McCall (Friend of Edie Steele) Scott Wilkinson (Health Issues – son of Tink Wilkinson) 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) Ellen Goldstein (Cousin of Becky Hart)



**GIVEN IN LOVING HONOR OF** ...

> 100th Birthday OF LIB KNOX

*By:* Martha Deaton

#### **GIVEN IN LOVING MEMORY OF** ...

#### CARL "FOOT" WIGGINS

Virginia Edmiston Pam Tulbert

BOB ATWELL

*Bv*:

Mark & Patty Bell

#### MARY LIB KIPKA

*By:* 

Virginia Edmiston Eileen Tully

Sharon Guyer Scott & Debbie Arena

June Goodman

Leslie Long

Jeff & Denise Morrow Cvndi Morrow LaFov

Morris Grove Elementary

Chapel Hill Carrboro City Schools

Wayne & Linda Dobey

Kyle & Joyce Beaver

Cynthia & Terry Pardew Sandra & David Fove

Kevin & Jodi Sodemann & Family

Bruce & Kim Steinert

Janet Steinert Daniel & Scarlett Steinert

Lynn Britz

Bill & Becky Hart

Larry & Kathi Breweur

Frances Ann Neel

#### AUBREY LEE PRICE, JR.

*Bv*:

June Goodman

Virginia Edmiston

William & Ellar Hicks

William & Carolyn Morrow

Judy McConnell

Tommy & Renee McLelland

Nancy A Price

Sally Ropp

Lvnn Britz

Bill & Becky Hart

Julie Sturgill

Loraine & Richard Howard Martha Deaton

Bill & Sandra Harris

Connie & Erskine Smith

Gerald & Rita Hallman

Scott & Lynn Sherrill

James Morrow

Betty Brawley

Jane Jordon

Frances Ann Neel

Just a reminder that the regular committee meetings begin again starting August 1st. If you are on a specific committee please remember to look at the August calendar in your newsletter for your next scheduled meeting.





#### SUMMERTIME STEWARDSHIP

As we travel and get involved in the activities over the summer, please take time to remember your stewardship pledge. Our gifts are needed throughout the year and that includes the summer months.

# June Financial Report

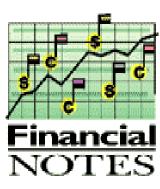
# **General Fund:**

Monthly Income through 06-30-22: \$44,419
Monthly Expenses through 06-30-22: \$30,757
Expenses Less than Income

for month: \$13.662

# **Development Fund:**

Ending Balance through 06-30-22: \$60,657



### **SESSION NEWS:**

No Session Meeting held in July,
Session News will return in September.

As your Session we always welcome comments.

Grace and Peace,

Rick Lyerly- Clerk of Session



#### **RALLY DAY!**

Our new education year begins on **Sunday, August 28** with all Sunday School classes meeting together in the Family Life Center. Bibles will be presented to 1<sup>st</sup>, 5th and 6<sup>th</sup> graders. If you have a rising 1st, 5th or 6th grader, please give there name and the name of there school to the church office or Shannon Knox by August 11th so that we can get the bibles ordered on time. We don't want to leave anyone out!

Teachers and leaders from this past year will be thanked and teachers and leaders for the coming year will be commissioned. You will not want to miss it!



Dear Hart Scholarship Committee & Hart Family,

I am writing to thank you for the generous Hart Scholarship award. I am very appreciative and have received this scholarship again as I pursue my Doctor of Nursing Practice degree at UNC-Wilmington. This is a 3 year graduate program and I will graduate as a Family Nurse Practitioner.

The Hart Scholarship award will allow me to focus more on the most important aspect of school—learning.

I hope that one day I will be able to help students achieve their goals with less of a financial burden, just as you have helped me. Thank you again!

Sincerely, Elizabeth Carrigan



Dear Prospect Congregation,

Can't tell you Thank You enough for my graduation gifts. The bible is beautiful! Can't wait to see where my journey takes me.

Blessed to have an amazing church family!

Much Love, Kameron Hilton

Dear Prospect Congregation,

The family of Aubrey Price, Nancy, Chris & Stan would like to thank the Prospect Church family for all of the kindness and love shown to us during his illness and death. The memorial service was wonderful. Thank you for the food, cards, prayers and visits., The reception was greatly appreciated. Thanks to everyone who sang in the chorus and choir. It was beautiful. Thank you to everyone.



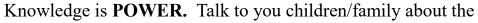
Nancy, Chris & Stan Price



Well, August is here. Where has the year gone?

I hope all had a wonderful Summer.

Since school is starting **VERY SOON**, this month we are going to focus on Safety and how to stay safe. Safety-personal, home, internet, and awareness of your surroundings.



"what ifs". Role playing is a fun way to make a plan of what to do. Promote openness when talking with you family. Allow questions. If you don't know, just say so. That will give you both time to research together-he topic.

#### **Save the DATE!!**

We will have a Lunch and Learn on **Sunday, August 14**<sup>th</sup> in the FLC. Our speaker will be Jon Musser. He works for World Relief, an organization that helps settle refugees in the United States. Jon works in the Triad office of World Relief. He is looking forward to joining us to discuss their efforts at settling refugees from Ukraine, Afghanistan, and other areas here in North Carolina. If you have any questions, please contact Joy Miller or Terri McKnight or Will. Thank you.

#### NURTURE & CARE COMMITTEE MEETING-

Tuesday, August 9th at 6:30pm in the Session Room. See you there!

## School is starting;

Mooresville Graded School District	August 3nd
Iredell County School System	August 29th
Rowan-Salisbury Schools	August 10th

Let us remember to pray & support our local schools, teachers, administrators, parents and students.

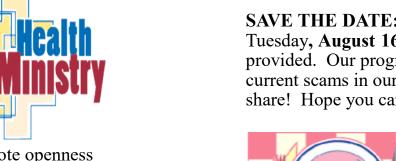
**Thank you** for your support in our recent **Red** Cross Blood Drive! We made a **BIG** Difference.

# We will be collecting school supplies for Mt. Ulla Elementary School for the month of August. Here is a list:

- ⇒ Clear Tape & Refills-like Scotch Tape
- ⇒ Felt Tip Markers- various colors & sizes
- ⇒ Sharpies- Black & other colors
- $\Rightarrow$  Ear Buds
- ⇒ Colored Copy Paper & Cardstock Paper
- ⇒ Regular Pencils
- ⇒ Colored Pencils
- ⇒ Crayons- prefers Crayola but any will do
- ⇒ Markers of all colors & sizes
- ⇒ Ziploc Bags any size
- ⇒ Sticky Notes
- ⇒ Index Cards- any size/color but use 3x5 most
- ⇒ Wide Ruled, Marbled Composition Books.
- ⇒ Lysol Wipes & Hand Sanitizer
- ⇒ NO SPIRAL/WIRE BOUND COMPOSTITION BOOKS
- ⇒ NO LOOSE-LEAF NOTEBOOK PAPER

You may drop your donations off in the Commons Area.







**SAVE THE DATE:** Golden Prospectors will be having a covered dish lunch on Tuesday, **August 16**<sup>th</sup> at 11:00 am in the Family Life Center. The meat will be provided. Our program will be a Rowan County Sheriff's officer to speak on the current scams in our area. Please bring your favorite covered dish and dessert to share! Hope you can plan to join in on the fellowship.

Secret Sister's Group! We will be hosting our 1st Secret Sister Social on Saturday, August 13th @ 10:30am in the FLC. Please bring your favorite brunch treat to share with your Sisters! I hope everyone is enjoying the fun and is looking forward to getting to know each other better! Any questions, please contact Becky Catanese or Judie Sellers.

**Young Disciples and Friends!** • **August 7 - Pool party** at The Cornett's House at 12;30 (after church). Bring your swimsuits and towels and be ready for fun. Also bring your favorite finger food to share for lunch and something to drink. Their address is: 155 Four Winds Drive, Statesville, NC 28625



#### **Presbyterian Women News**



If you haven't yet joined a circle, please consider visiting one. We have three circles that meet at various times during the month. One meets in the morning and two in the evening. Come join us and engage in Bible study, have some fun, and make some wonderful friends as we serve our Lord together. Acts/Lettie Beatty circle meets on the first Wednesday of the month at 10:00 am, Ruth circle meets on the first Tuesday of the month at 7:00 pm, and Serendipity circle meets on the first Monday of the month at 6:30 pm. All circles are currently meeting in the Family Life Center. We'd love to have you!

There are other opportunities available for serving. We have three bereavement teams that rotate serving meals to families at their time of loss. If you feel that this is a ministry that you would like to volunteer for, please contact Cheryl Chandler at the church office. The teams could use your help.

Lee Williams leads the Prospect team that serves at Feed NC (formerly the Soup Kitchen) on the fourth Monday of each month. Please contact Lee if you're able to be a part of this team. Even if you're unable to help each month, perhaps you could fill in when someone else cannot be there.

#### Walk-a-thon

The annual walk for the Lake Norman Pregnancy Center this year will be on **Saturday**, **September 24** at Langtree off I-77. Mark your calendar and plan to walk. Your support helps to support mothers and their children through education and training. More information will be coming as I receive it. If you have any questions, please feel free to call me at 708-437-1860. Connie Brown

