

PROSPECT PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

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Pastor – Rev. William Gipe

Office Administrator – Cheryl Chandler

Music Director – Dixie Forbes-Gorby

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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

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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
World Communion Sunday

October 2, 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 **“In Christ There Is No East or West”** arr. Wood

PRAYER OF INVOCATION AND THE LORD'S PRAYER

*HYMN **Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah** No. 51

PRAYER OF THE PEOPLE

ANTHEM **“Fairest Lord Jesus”** arr. Kirkland

*Fairest Lord Jesus, Ruler of all nature,
 O Thou of God and man the Son.
 Thee will I cherish; Thee will I honor,
 Thou my soul's glory, joy and crown.*

*Fair are the meadows, fairer still the woodlands,
 Robed in the blooming garb of spring.
 Jesus is fairer, Jesus is purer,
 Who makes the woeful heart to sing.*

*Fair is the sunshine, fairer still the moonlight
 And all the twinkling starry host.
 Jesus shines brighter; Jesus shines purer
 Than all the angels Heav'n can boast.*

*Beautiful Savior! Lord of the nations!
 Son of God and Son of man!
 Glory and honor, praise, adoration,
 Now and forever more be Thine.*

CHILDREN'S CHOIR

THE SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

DOXOLOGY

SCRIPTURE READING

Acts 1: 1-8

SERMON

CELEBRATION OF THE SACRAMENT OF THE LORD'S SUPPER

*HYMN **The Old Rugged Cross (Verse 1 & 4)** No. 186

*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 **“Trumpet Voluntary”** Young

*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.

The sympathy of the congregation is expressed to the family of Pearl Bostian Bell of her passing on Thursday, September 22, 2022. Her funeral service was held on Monday, September 26, 2022 here at Prospect Presbyterian Church.

The beautiful flowers in the sanctuary today are given to the glory of God and in memory of Martha Brown & Sarah Jackson by the ACTS / Lettie Beaty Circle.

The Sacrament of Baptism is being celebrated today for Isabella Lynee Moore-Addison, Jasmine Christine Coley, Sarah Kaylee Bartlett. Ava Nichole Bartlett, daughters of David Bartlett and Chelsea Coley and the granddaughters of Beverly Bartlett.

Today is World Communion Sunday: We will celebrate the sacrament of the Lord's Supper on this day. If you or a family member need communion brought to you at home, please contact the church office. Feast with us on “the bread of life” at the Lord's house on World Communion Sunday.

Greetings from your Health Ministry!!

- **EXERCISE** – We meet every Monday and Thursday at 11:00 am in the FLC. Hope to see everyone.
- **Shepherds**, on behalf of the Nurture & Care Team: Thank you for what you are doing. You are bringing & imparting "Hope" to all you reach.
- **Do you plan to take the Flu Shot this season?** If so, now is the time. It takes several weeks for your body to build antibodies. October 10, Concordia Lutheran Church is having a Flu Shot/Covid Booster Clinic, or you can go to your pharmacy or doctor's office. Don't Delay! Now is the day!! (IF YOU PLAN TO ATTEND CONCORDIA'S CLINIC, PLEASE LET ME KNOW. HEAD COUNT IS NEEDED. THANK YOU!)
- **Attention! Attention!!** Flu Shot & Covid Booster Clinic: **Cost:** Will file your insurance. **When:** Monday, October 10th **Time:** 4pm to 7pm (Drop-In) **Where:** Concordia Lutheran Church, China Grove (Our neighbor up the road 3.5 miles) I have a form for you to fill out. Please call me for assistance with the form.
- **The Nurture & Care Team will be doing Christmas Bags** this year for our homebound. If you would like to help us fill the bags, your donations are greatly appreciated. Sugar free items are always appreciated. Search-A-Word/Crossword Books; pens or pencils; Coloring Books; Pudding; Snack Crackers; Note pads; gloves; socks; etc. We are planning for 30 bags. Thank you for helping us! You can place your items in the nurse's office.
- **In November**, we, as a church, will be collecting canned items for Community Baptist Church's Food Pantry. This is 1 of the pantries we refer to. Thank you in advance. Please place in the marked box.
- **Nurture & Care** will have a table at the Car Show and Trunk or Treat events. So exciting!!
- **Please. Please. Please**, take a moment to complete the survey about Isolation. This survey can be filled out by adults, teens & children. It is anonymous. Place in box or offering plate.
- **Emergency Supply List?** Are you prepared for an extended power outage or no water for days? **NOW**, is the time to prepare **BEFORE** an Emergency occurs. We are now in Hurricane Season. Don't get caught Un-Prepared. How many people in your family? Any neighbors without support systems? What do you need. You can pick up a pamphlet from FEMA with a suggested list of items in the Narthex & FLC. Any questions, please see the nurse.

Ok MEN of Prospect! We will be having our first meeting of the fall on Thursday, **October 6, 2022 at 6:30 pm** at Lancaster BBQ in Mooresville. Hope everyone can come. If you need a ride or have questions, please contact Dale Burgess or Bob Edmiston.

Young Disciples will start meeting on October 9th. We will have lunch on our own (I'll reserve a room at Village Inn for any that want to eat there) and meet at Patterson's Farm to explore the pumpkin patch. Hope everyone can be there. Our November meeting will be on the 13th with lunch provided. Looking forward to seeing everyone. Connie

Secret Sister is a great success! We would love to invite anyone curious about all the fun we are having to our next Social on **Saturday, October 15th** at 10:30 am in the family life center. Bring your favorite goodie to share!! We will enjoy Woman's Devotional, Food, and Fun!! If you know someone who didn't participate in our 2022 **Secret Sisters**, please invite them to join us at 2023 is right around the corner!!

Chicken and Pickin' at the China Grove Roller Mill: Please join us for delicious homemade chicken and dumplings and desserts at the Roller Mill on **October 15th** from 5pm until 7pm. In addition to the great food and fellowship, the evening will highlight bluegrass music of "5 'n a Tub". Tours of the Mill are also available. Meal prices are \$12 for adults and \$6 for children 10 and under. Take-out meals are also available. No advance ticket sales. Please support the Roller Mill while enjoying a nice fall evening of great food and music. For more information, please call Judy Haire, 704-425-5323.

Golden Prospectors: October gathering is scheduled for **Tuesday, October 18th at 11:00 am** in the Family Life Center. This will be a covered dish lunch. The meat & drinks will be provided. Please bring your favorite side dish and dessert to share! This meeting will be an informational, discussion and planning for future Golden Prospector events. Please plan to attend & SIGN UP on the wall outside the church office or CALL the church office.

CAR SHOW / Trunk or Treat: Car Show is scheduled for **Saturday, October 29th**, 12:00 pm to 4:00 pm. We will also be doing Trunk or Treat on Saturday, October 29th at 4:30 following the car show. It will be in the parking lot at the education building. **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 Beth Stacy.

For Prayer:

Missionary:

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

Local Church:

Mt. Tabor Presbyterian Church

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:

Jo Powers	Pam Tulbert
Thad Linker	Ella Mae Stewart
Anita & Wyatt Fesperman	Lynda Fries
Toni Wheeler	Rachel Powers
Jackie McKnight	Roy Watkins
Carol & Larry Stutts	

Friends & Family of the Congregation:

Jo Beatty & 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*)
Frank 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*)

Elder On Call: Terri McKnight (704) 458-4905

Front Before/West After Service: Terri McKnight

Open/Close Church: Dale Burgess

Newcomer/Visitor: Teresa Compton

Ushers/Offering: Nick Cornett, Head Usher; Karen Cornett, Sam Cornett, Bob Edmiston, Jack Edmiston, & Mary Beth Edmiston

Sound System: Paul Moore

Children's Church: Meredith Booth

This Week at Prospect:

World Communion Sunday, October 2, 2022

8:30 am – CE & Fellowship Committee
9:30 am – Sunday School
10:30 am – Worship Service w/Communion & Baptism

Monday, October 3, 2022

11:00 am – Exercise Class
6:30 pm – BSA
6:30 pm - Serendipity Circle
7:00 pm – Choir Practice

Tuesday, October 4, 2022

7:00 pm – Ruth Circle

Wednesday, October 5, 2022

10:00 am – ACTS/Lettie Beatty Circle
6:30 pm – Dinner & Bible Study - FLC

Thursday, October 6, 2022

10:00 am – Bible Study - FLC
11:00 am – Exercise Class

Saturday, October 8, 2022

Hart Family Reunion – FLC All Day

Sunday, October 9, 2022

8:30 am – Building & Grounds Committee
9:30 am – Sunday School
10:30 am – Worship Service
11:45 am – Young Disciples Lunch & Patterson Farms
11:45 am – Shepherds Meeting

<u>Sunday, August 21, 2022</u>		
<u>Attendance:</u>	Sunday School:	50
	Worship:	104
<u>Offering:</u>	General Fund:	\$4,415
	Development Fund:	\$65
	Pennies for Hunger Fund:	\$272



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