## PROSPECT PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

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# 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

Bereavement Team – Cheryl Chandler

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

## **USHERS**

Chairperson – Tommy McLelland CIRCLE CHAIRPERSONS ACTS/Lettie Beatty Circle - Virginia Edmiston & January, May, September – Brian Jackson February, June, October – Nick Cornett Mary Lowrance March, July, November – Matt Hagerty Ruth Circle – Lynn Britz & Judy Brumley April, August, December – Tommy McLelland Serendipity Circle – Joy Miller



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CHURCH



# THE SERVICE FOR THE LORD'S DAY 19th Sunday after Pentecost

October 16, 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** 

"God of Grace and God of Glory"

arr. Hamlin

PRAYER OF INVOCATION AND THE LORD'S PRAYER

\*HYMN Love Devine, All Loves Excelling

No. 92

PRAYER OF THE PEOPLE

**ANTHEM** 

"Before the Throne of God Above"

Cook-Colman

Amy Weatherman, Soloist

Before the throne of God above, I have a strong and perfect plea.

A great High Priest whose name is love, whoever lives and pleads for me.

My name is graven on His hands, my name is written on His heart.

I know that while in heaven He stands,

no tongue can bid me thence depart.

When Satan tempts me to despair, and tells me of the guilt within,
Upward I look and see Him there, Who made an end of all my sin.
Because the sinless Savior died, my sinful soul is counted free; For God, the Just, is satisfied to look on Him and pardon me.

Behold Him there, the risen Lamb! My perfect spotless Righteousness, The great unchangeable I AM, the King of Glory and of Grace.

One with Himself, I cannot die; my soul is purchased by His blood.

My life is hid with Christ on high, with Christ my Savior and my God.

A TIME FOR YOUNG CHILDREN

OFFEROTORY "I Trust in Thee" McDonald

SCRIPTURE READING Acts 3: 1-10

SERMON Rev. William Gipe

\*PROFESSION OF FAITH The Apostles' Creed

\*HYMN O Jesus, I Have Promised No. 369

\*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 "March in F Major"

\*Please rise in body or in spirit CCLI#2659202 +Latecomers may be seated. Please place all cell phones and pagers on silent. Thank you.

Guilmant

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.

Golden Prospectors: October gathering is scheduled for Tuesday, October 18<sup>th</sup> 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.

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

- **EXERCISE** We meet every Monday and Thursday at 11:00 am in the FLC. Hope to see you.
- 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; large print calendars; 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!!
- Have you completed the survey on "Social Isolation"? If not, would you be so kind to do so. I have extra forms if you need one. Thank you! I need to complete the collation by October 25<sup>th</sup>. 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.
- **MEDICARE ENROLLMENT** begins October 15<sup>th</sup> December 7<sup>th</sup>. If you want to make changes or look at other plans, **NOW** is the time to do so.
- October is "Breast Cancer Awareness Month". Have you had YOUR Mammogram? If not, now is the time. October 23rd 29th, 2022, is WEAR PINK WEEK. Is your monthly Self-Exam done?

Congregational meeting will be held on Sunday, October 30th during worship. The purpose of the meeting will be to elect the Elders for the Class of 2025. We will be electing 5 (five) Elders. The Nominating committee will nominate Dale Burgess, Bill Hart, Joy Miller, Johnny Wilkinson, and Lee Williams. Nominations can be made from the floor if the permission of the nominee has been secured prior to the nomination. The election will take place after the worship service.

The **SRPSBTA** is having their annual golf tournament this year on Monday, Oct. 31 at The Club at Irish Creek in Kannapolis. We are proud to announce that **The Dale Jr. Foundation** is our Title Sponsor this year. If anyone in your church would like to be a part of this, whether by having a team, being a sponsor and/or by praying for this event to be a huge success in order to keep Bible History in our public schools, please let me know. The SRPSBTA is currently supporting 2 full time teachers (salary plus benefits) at South Rowan High School, Jesse C. Carson High School, China Grove Middle School, and Corriher Lipe Middle School. My contact information is in the brochure and on the bulletin insert. Please feel free to contact me if you have any questions or concerns. **Thank you so much for your continued support of the South Rowan Public Schools Bible Teaching Association**.

**REMINDER:** Our organist, Pat McCall, would like to have your BJ's coupon books when you are finished with them. She will pass them on to a friend at St. Mark's Lutheran Church, who will use them to purchase items for their Food for Days program. Please give them to her or leave them on the organ bench or the piano bench in the choir room. Thank you very much for your support!

Mission Opportunity: Samaritans Purse Christmas Shoeboxes, in the blink of an eye it will be Samaritans Purse Shoebox time. The Mission Committee would like to encourage each member and or family unit to prepare their own Samaritans Purse Shoebox and to please follow the Samaritans Purse guidelines. The guidelines can be found online, or you may get a copy in the church office. We also have the Samaritans Purse Shoeboxes and Plastic boxes available in the Commons Area downstairs. We will NOT be collecting items and filling boxes at the church this year. Shoebox Dedication will be Sunday, November 13<sup>th</sup>. Mark your calendars.

#### 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:**

Southside Baptist 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 PowersPam TulbertThad LinkerElla Mae StewartAnita & Wyatt FespermanLynda FriesToni WheelerRachel PowersJackie McKnightRoy WatkinsCarol & Larry StuttsDick Bennett

#### Friends & Family of the Congregation:

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)

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: Walter Teeter (704) 236-7980 Front Before/West After Service: Walter Teeter

**Open/Close Church:** Dale Burgess

**Sound System:** Adam Lyerly

Newcomer/Visitor: Teresa Compton

**Children's Church**: Melody Morrison & Connie Brown

**Ushers/Offering:** Nick Cornett, Head Usher; Karen Cornett, Sam Cornett, Bob Edmiston,

Jack Edmiston, & Mary Beth Edmiston

# **This Week at Prospect:**

# Sunday, October 16, 2022

9:30 am – Sunday School 10:30 am – Worship Service

# Monday, October 17, 2022

11:00 am – Exercise Class

6:30 pm - BSA

7:00 pm – Choir Practice

# Tuesday, October 18, 2022

11:00 am – Golden Prospectors Covered Dish - FLC

# Wednesday, October 19, 2022

6:30 pm – Dinner & Bible Study – FLC

# Thursday, October 20, 2022

10:00 am – Bible Study - FLC

11:00 am – Exercise Class

7:00 pm – Session Meeting

# Sunday, October 23, 2022

9:30 am – Sunday School 10:30 am – Worship Service

Want an easier way to give or donate to the church? Just scan our QR Code! On the "To" line Select where or what you would like to give to and or you may select OTHER and put in the memo section what you would like to give to. Thank you.

# Sunday, October 9, 2022

**Attendance**: Sunday School: 40

Worship: 113

Offering: General Fund: \$2341

