

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

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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Organized 1824



THE SERVICE FOR THE LORD'S DAY
20th Sunday after Pentecost

October 23, 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 "Toccata on 'Jesus Shall Reign'" Raney

PRAYER OF INVOCATION AND THE LORD'S PRAYER

*HYMN *Sing Praise to God Who Reigns Above* No. 6

PRAYER OF THE PEOPLE

ANTHEM "By Faith" arr. Larson
Melody Morrison, Soloist

*By faith we see the hand of God in the light of creation's grand design, In the lives of those who prove His faithfulness, who walk by faith and not by sight.
By faith the prophets saw a day when the longed-for Messiah would appear with the power to break the chains of sin and death and rise triumphant from the grave.*

*We will stand as children of the promise, we will fix our eyes on Christ, our souls' reward;
'Til the race is finished and the work is done, we'll walk by faith and not by sight.*

By faith the church was called to go in the power of the Spirit to the lost, To deliver captives and to preach good news in every corner of the earth.

By faith this mountain shall be moved, and the power of the gospel shall prevail; For we know in Christ all things are possible for all who call upon His name.

*Great is Thy faithfulness! Great is Thy faithfulness!
Morning by morning new mercies I see.*

All I have needed Thy hand hath provided, Great is Thy faithfulness, Lord, unto me.

*By faith we see the hand of God. By faith this mountain shall be moved.
We'll walk by faith and not by sight. We'll walk by faith!*

A TIME FOR YOUNG CHILDREN

OFFERTORY *It is Well with My Soul* arr. Larson
Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee
Hand Bell Choir

SCRIPTURE READING Acts 4: 1-4, 7-21

SERMON Rev. William Gipe

*PROFESSION OF FAITH **The Apostles' Creed**

*HYMN *Rock of Ages* No. 204

*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 "Sortie in D Major" Dubois

*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 lovely flowers in the sanctuary today are given to the glory of God and in memory of Sam & Frances Edmiston and in honor of their birthdays from Bob, Mary Beth, Dan, and Jack Edmiston, Nick, Karen, Sam, and Charleston Cornett.

The sympathy of the congregation is expressed to Anne Clarke and her family at the passing of her brother JC Clarke in Charlottesville, Virginia.

OCTOBER 26TH: NEWSLETTER DEADLINE!

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!

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.
- **COMING SOON! 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!! **WE NEED CANDY!** Please.
- **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 25th. **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.
- **MEDICARE ENROLLMENT** has begun and will end on December 7th. 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?
- **Mobile Mammogram** will be at Concordia Lutheran Church on **Monday, October 31st**. You can call 704-403-1129 for more information and an appointment. 1:15 to 4:15 pm. Appointment is required.

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

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.**

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 13th. 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:

St. Mark's Lutheran Church

Nursing Homes, Rehab & Retirement Facilities:

Mac Atwell (Trinity Oaks-Salisbury)
Helen Barber (Trinity Oaks-Salisbury)
Dick Bennett (Citadel – Mooresville)
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:

Mary Yeager (*Hip Surgery, friend 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: Connie Brown (704) 237-1860

Front Before/West After Service: Connie Brown

Open/Close Church: Dale Burgess

Sound System: Seth Burgess

Newcomer/Visitor: Teresa Compton

Children's Church: Rachel Marlowe

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

This Week at Prospect:

Sunday, October 23, 2022

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

Monday, October 24, 2022

8:00 am - FEEDNC
11:00 am – Exercise Class
6:30 pm – BSA
7:00 pm – Choir Practice

Wednesday, October 26, 2022

6:30 pm – Dinner & Bible Study – FLC

Thursday, October 27, 2022

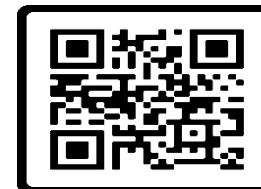
11:00 am – Exercise Class
7:00 pm – Session Meeting

Sunday, October 30, 2022

8:30 am – Worship Committee
9:30 am – Sunday School
10:30 am – Worship Service & Pennies for Hunger Offering

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.

<u>Sunday, October 16, 2022</u>		
<u>Attendance:</u>	Sunday School:	40
	Worship:	104
<u>Offering:</u>	General Fund:	\$7,446
	Development Fund:	\$100
	Elevator Fund:	\$200
	Pennies for Hunger:	\$610



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