

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 Tulbert

Bereavement Team – Cheryl Chandler

CIRCLE CHAIRPERSONS

ACTS/Lettie Beatty Circle –Virginia Edmiston &

Mary Lowrance

Ruth Circle Judy Brumley

Serendipity Circle – Joy Miller



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Organized 1824



THE SERVICE FOR THE LORD'S DAY
23rd Sunday after Pentecost

November 13, 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.

A MOMENT FOR MISSIONS

Shoebox Dedication

A MOMENT FOR STEWARDSHIP

PRELUDE

"The King of Glory"

McDonald

PRAYER OF INVOCATION AND THE LORD'S PRAYER

*HYMN

"For the Beauty of the Earth"

No. 560

PRAYER OF THE PEOPLE

ANTHEM

"In Christ Alone"

arr. Hayes

Terry Witt, Soloist

In Christ alone my hope is found, He is my light, my strength, my song.

This Cornerstone, this solid ground, firm through the fiercest drought and storm.

What heights of love, what depths of peace, when fears are stilled, when strivings cease!

My comforter, my all in all, here in the love of Christ I stand.

In Christ alone, Who took on flesh, fullness of God in helpless Babe!

This gift of love and righteousness, scorned by the ones He came to save.

'Tis on that cross as Jesus died, the wrath of God was satisfied.

For every sin on Him was laid, here in the death of Christ I live.

There in the ground His body lay, Light of the World by darkness slain.

Then bursting forth in glorious day, up from the grave He rose again!

And as He stands in victory, sin's curse has lost its grip on me.

For I am His and He is mine, bought with the precious blood of Christ.

No guilt in life, no fear in death, this is the power of Christ in me.

From life's first cry to final breath, Jesus commands my destiny.

No power of hell, no scheme of man, can ever pluck me from His hand.

'Til He returns or calls me home, here in the power of Christ I'll stand.

A TIME FOR YOUNG CHILDREN

OFFERTORY

"Dear Lord and Father of Mankind"

arr. Hamlin

SCRIPTURE READING

Acts 6: 1-7

SERMON

Rev. William Gipe

CELEBRATION OF THE SACRAMENT OF THE LORD'S SUPPER

*HYMN

Great Is Thy Faithfulness

No. 43

*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

"Postlude on 'Hanover'"

Callahan

*Please rise in body or in spirit

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+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.

Today, 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.

Entry fee into the Car Show on 10/29/2022 was canned goods. A total of **1131 lbs.** was collected and donated to the FeedNC/Soup Kitchen, Thank you Mike and Beth Stacy for your dedication to this effort each year

Greetings from your Health Ministry!!

- **EXERCISE** –We meet every Monday and Thursday at 11:00 am in the FLC. Hope to see you.
- **Christmas Bags** Thank you so much for your generosity for the Christmas Bags!! We have need of large print calendars (16 more), Coloring books, puddings, jello, fruit cups, Anything Sugar-Free, lotion (we have 20), socks, gloves, etc. Your help is GREATLY APPRECIATED.
- **Food Pantry Collection!** We continue to receive non-perishable items for the Food Pantry at Community Baptist Church. Please leave your donations in the box in the Narthex or Commons Area. Blessings!!,
- **Medicare** open enrollment continues through December 7. You can go to www.Medicare.gov for more information, call your insurance agent or pharmacy. Any questions, call your church nurse @ 704-664-1514.
- **We have already begun "Thankful November". Please pick up your calendar & join in practicing gratefulness each day.**
- **Prediabetes can be reversed.** You can go to www.amerciandiabetes.org for more information. Take the Screening & see what your numbers are.
- **Diabetes - "What can I do?"** A huge part of managing type 2 Diabetes is developing a healthy diet. There are many eating plans that can help with type 2 Diabetes; everything from a Mediterranean Diet to low-carbohydrate to vegetarian diet. Controlling portion size is important. If you are out & about and find yourself without a measuring cup, you can estimate by using familiar objects such as a deck of cards or the palm of your hand is equal to a serving of meat; a woman's closed fist is approximately 1 cup; ½ of a Baseball is about a half a cup and a shot glass measures 2 tablespoons-just the recommended salad dressing portion size. Food swaps is another way to manage type 2 diabetes. Try low-carb bread and food wraps. Use lettuce in place of bread. Substitute Olive or Canola Oil in place of Crisco or Butter. Use grilling, broiling, baking or stir-frying in place of frying or battering. Applesauce can be substituted in cake recipes in place of oil, with little to no change in taste. Cut back on added sugar. If a recipe calls for 1 cup, use 2/3 cup, etc. Try & use more spices while cooking, lemon or lime juice, garlic, etc.

Dedication Sunday is today. Each contribution enables us to make a difference. We need the support and financial commitment of each member to be a strong church with a strong witness for Jesus Christ. We ask that you prayerfully consider your pledge to Prospect for 2023. If we trust God and have confidence in Him, we can do amazing things.

Shoebox Dedication is today. Thank you to everyone for your gift of Christmas Love and Joy to needy children all around the world.

Young Disciples will meet **TODAY** after church. We will have a lesson and then work on Christmas ornaments. Lunch will be provided in the Family Life Center. Hope to see everyone. Any questions, please contact Connie Brown.

Join your friends in the **Golden Prospectors** for lunch in the Fellowship Hall on **Tuesday, November 15 at 11:00am.** This will be a covered dish lunch. Please bring your favorite side dish and dessert to share! The meat will be provided. You can always bring a friend and even if you haven't attended a Golden Prospector gathering, you are welcome. You don't have to be golden to attend!

SAVE THE DATE: Sunday, November 20th– Ecumenical Thanksgiving Service: Concordia Lutheran, Centenary Methodist, and Prospect Presbyterian and possible others, will gather together for our annual Thanksgiving Worship Service at 6 pm at Concordia Lutheran Church on Sunday, November 21st. Thanks to everyone who is taking a part in making this a truly memorable evening. More information concerning the singing and possibility of a meal to be determined.

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!

Once again, we will be helping the Mt. Ulla school students by providing Christmas gifts to the families who are in need. If you would like to adopt a student, you will be given a gift list that would include clothing items and sizes as well as a requested toy item. Once the student list has been provided to us, you will be notified along with information about the collection date. To support the whole family, we also collect non-perishable food/pantry items. There will be containers placed in the narthex and commons area in later November. Please notify Beth Stephens of your desire to help. Email: beth13@windstream.net Phone: 704-664-718

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:

Triplett UMC

Nursing Homes, Rehab & Retirement Facilities:

Mac Atwell (Trinity Oaks-Salisbury)
Helen Barber (Trinity Oaks-Salisbury)
Dick Bennett (Green @ Maple Leaf - Statesville)
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)
Tink Wilkinson (Cadence Living – Mooresville)

Please Remember:

Jo Powers	Pam Tulbert
Thad Linker	Ella Mae Stewart
Anita & Wyatt Fesperman	Lynda Fries
Toni Wheeler	Phyllis Carrigan
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*)

Elder On Call: Johnny Wilkerson (704) 883-4560

Open/Close Church: Seth Burgess

Sound System: Don Truedson

Children’s Church: Meredith Booth

Newcomer /Visitor: Reba Connolly & Mary Beth Edmiston

Ushers/Offering: Matt Hagerty, Head Usher, Dale Burgess, Seth Burgess, Mike Stacy,
Don Truedson

Sunday, November 13, 2022

8:30 am – Building & Grounds Committee

9:30 am – Sunday School

10:30 am – Worship Service /Communion / Shoebox Dedication / Stewardship

11:45 am – Young Disciples FLC

Monday, November 14, 2022

11:00 am – Exercise Class

6:30 pm – BSA

7:00 pm – Choir Practice

Tuesday, November 15, 2022

11:00 am – Golden Prospectors in FLC

Wednesday, November 16, 2022

6:30 pm – Dinner & Bible Study– FLC

Thursday, November 17, 2022

10:00 am – Bible Study

11:00 am – Exercise Class

7:00 pm – Session Meeting

Sunday, November 20, 2022

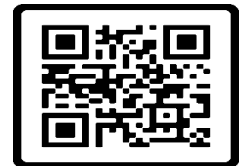
8:30 am – Mission Committee

9:30 am – Sunday School

10:30 am – Worship Service

6:00 pm – Ecumenical Service @ Concordia Lutheran Church

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.



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