### 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

Faith Community Nurse – Kelly Wilson

## THE SESSION

<b>Class of 2023</b>	<b>Class of 2024</b>	<b>Class of 2025</b>
Mike Anderson	Karen Cornett	Dale Burgess
Bob Edmiston	Van Knox	Bill Hart
Shannon Knox	Terri McKnight	Joy Miller
Rick Lyerly	Paul Moore	Johnny Wilkinso

Beth Stacy Walter Teeter Lee Williams

Clerk of Session: Rick Lyerly

Treasurer: Bill Hart Asst. Treasurer: Bob Edmiston

#### **SESSION COMMITTEES**

**Administration and Personnel** –Bob Edmiston, Bill Hart & Walter Teeter\* **Building and Grounds** – Mike Anderson\*, Paul Moore & Johnny Wilkinson **Christian Education and Fellowship** –Shannon Knox\* / Beth Stacy

Mission – Terri McKnight\* / Van Knox

**Nurture and Care** – Joy Miller\*& Lee Williams

Outreach – Beth Stacy\* / Shannon Knox

Stewardship & Finance – Bob Edmiston, Bill Hart\*& Van Knox

Worship and Music –Karen Cornett\* (\* Chair of Committee)

#### TRUSTEES

#### PRESBYTERIAN WOMEN

Bob Edmiston	(2023)	Co-Moderators – Connie Brown & Lee William
Walter Teeter	(2024)	Secretary – Melody Morrison
Bill Hart	(2025)	Treasurer – Becky Hart
		Co-Historians –Pam Tulbert

## **USHERS**

Chairperson – Tommy McLelland January, May, September – Brian Jackson February, June, October – Nick Cornett March, July, November – Matt Hagerty April, August, December – Tommy McLelland

## **CIRCLE CHAIRPERSONS**

ACTS/Lettie Beatty Circle –Mary Lowrance Serendipity Circle – Joy Miller

Bereavement Team - Cheryl Chandler



## Prospect Presbyterian Church

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Organized 1824



# THE SERVICE FOR THE LORD'S DAY 12<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Pentecost

August 20, 2023 10:30 am

## WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

Please sign the Friendship Pad located at the center aisle of each pew. If you are a visitor, please give your full name, address, email & telephone number. If you notice a new face, please take a moment greet them & welcome them to Prospect Presbyterian Church.

**PRELUDE** 

"Morning Has Broken"

arr. Adams

Richard Woods, Saxophone

PRAYER OF INVOCATION AND THE LORD'S PRAYER

\*HYMN

"Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee"

No 1

PRAYER OF THE PEOPLE

ANTHEM "In Remembrance"

**Burly Red** 

In remembrance on me, eat this bread.
In remembrance of me, drink this wine.
In remembrance of me,
pray for the time when God's on will is done.

In remembrance of me, heal the sick.
In remembrance of me, feed the poor.
In remembrance of me,
open the door and let your brother in.

Take, eat, and be comforted. Drink, and remember, too, That this is my body and precious blood, shed for you.

In remembrance of me, search for truth.
In remembrance of me, always love.
In remembrance of me, don't look above, but in your heart for God.
Do this in remembrance of me, in remembrance of me.

OFFERTORY

"Beneath the Cross of Jesus"

Richard Woods, Saxophone

SCRIPTURE READING

Exodus 12: 1-14, 21-28

SERMON Rev. Will Gipe

CELEBRATION OF THE SACRAMENT OF THE LORD'S SUPPER

\*HYMN

"Precious Lord, Take My Hand"

No. 463

arr. Walters

\* CHARGE AND BENEDICTION

\*CONGREGATIONALRESPONSE

## 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 'Webb'"

Payne

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

We have listening assist devices available for those who would like to utilize them. You may see an usher to locate one.

WE 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 soon.

The beautiful flowers in the sanctuary are for the glory of God and in memory of Ellen and Martha Brown and in honor of Madison Marlowe by Connie Brown, Rachel and Lane Marlowe.

**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.

**The Christian Education Committee** is looking for help with putting together an informal church directory. We will use digital photos sent in by the congregation and put together a new directory. This is for anyone who attends Prospect! If you are interested please contact Shannon Knox 704-662-4191

\*After A Time for Young Christians we ask that *only* our children who are in 3rd grade or younger depart for children's church in the education building. We encourage our older children to stay and listen to the scripture and sermon. If there are any questions please let Pastor Will know.

**Exercise** continues Mondays and Thursdays, at 11:00 am in the Family Life Center. Look forward to see you there!

**Exciting News:** The Session has approved a Sanctuary Renovation Plan which will include the following: \*Carpet replacement \*Painting the entire sanctuary \*Replacement of pew cushions \*Install steps at front of altar \*Electrical modifications \*Improvement of organ sound system. Estimated Cost approximately \$90,000. If you would like to donate to improving our sanctuary's appearance and functionality, it would be greatly appreciated. Thanks to the Building and Worship committees for their work in moving this project forward.

**REFIT** is a workout experience that combines powerful movements and positive music to engage body, mind, and soul. It is a community centered dance fitness class for ALL! Instructor: Junior Johnson, who is fantastic and nationally known in the **REFIT** community! When: **EVERY Tuesday at 6:30 pm**. Where: Our own family life center. There is no charge. However, we will collect donations for a local charity. Come ready to fellowship and dance! Any questions, please contact Renee McLelland.

**Choir Practice** will be starting back on Tuesday, **August 22**, 2023 at 6:30 pm. Please consider joining. If you have any questions, please contact Dixie Forbes-Gorby and or Pat McCall.

SAVE THE DATE! Secret Sister Social will be on Saturday, August 26<sup>th</sup> @ 10:30am in the family life center. Join us for food, fun and fellowship. We will enjoy each other's company while strengthening our faith. Please bring a treat to share. As always, anyone who is curious about Secret Sisters is welcome to attend. See you soon!! "Seeking Sisters in Faith" to join a Special Group of Women who encourage one another throughout the year. This group will secretly ensure their Sister in Faith knows she is loved, prayed for encouraged, and Enough! If this is something, you would like to participate in or have questions about please contact Becky Catanese @ 704-239-0108 or Judie Sellers @ 704-791-9764, for more information. We have several social events scheduled this year.

**RALLY DAY!** Our new education year begins on **Sunday, August 27** with all Sunday School classes meeting together in the Family Life Center. Bibles will be presented to 1<sup>st,</sup> and 6<sup>th</sup> graders. If you have a rising 1st, 5th or 6th grader, please give their name and the name of their school to the church office or Shannon Knox. 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!

Presbyterian Women will have their annual meeting on Sunday, August 27, 2023 at 5:00 pm in the Family Life Center. There will be light refreshments. Please keep a look out for more information in the August newsletter and bulletins.

Young Disciples Camp Grier trip is September 9th & 10th. We will leave on Saturday morning and return on Sunday afternoon. The trip includes overnight stay, Saturday lunch, Zip Line, rock wall climbing, and Cookout for dinner. Any questions, please contact Connie Brown at 704-437-1860.

#### 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:**

First Presbyterian Church Salisbury

## Nursing Homes, Rehab & Retirement Facilities:

Mac Atwell (Trinity Oaks-Salisbury)

Helen Barber (Trinity Oaks-Salisbury)

Helen Lyerly (Cadence Living – Mooresville)

Meghan McSwain (Brookdale Peachtree, Statesville)

Margaret Martin (Abernathy Laurels, Newton)

Judy Stacy (Northlake House, Charlotte)

Dawn Stutts (Cadence Living – Mooresville)

Tink Wilkinson (Cadence Living – Mooresville)

#### **Please Remember:**

Jo Powers Dick Bennett Thad Linker Ella Mae Stewart Anita & Wyatt Fesperman Lynda Fries Phyllis & Wade Carrigan Eddie Teeter Jackie McKnight Roy Watkins Carol & Larry Stutts Teresa Compton Allen Jackson Hal Stutts Krystal Kipka May Dauer Rick Yokeley **Beverly Bartlett** 

## **Friends & Family of the Congregation:**

Helen Broadway (Heart Issues, Mother of Cheryl B. Chandler)

Delane Davis (Cancer, cousin of Chuck Miller)

Phyllis Mayberry (Brian Bleed, Family of Mark Reid)

Wayne Vellines (Sickness, friend of Frances Ann Neel)

Frankie Carrigan (Brain Cancer, friend of the congregation)

Jan Milos (Kidney Cancer, friend of Cristal Howie)

Meredith Powers (Breast Cancer, daughter in law of Rachel Powers)

Chris McCall (Iraq, friend of Edie Steele)

Beth Segui' (Parkinson's, daughter of Betty Alexander)

Danny Bost (*Liver issues, friend of the congregation*)

Linda Bost (Vascular Dementia, friend of the congregation)

Amy & Mike Corriber (Amy Breast Cancer, friends of the Lyerly's)

Evelyn Griffith (Cancer, friend of Mike & Robin Anderson)

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)

Teresa Ervin (Breast Cancer, Vi LaShomb daughter)

Elder on Call: Rick Lyerly (704) 663-9083

**Open/Close Church:** Walter Teeter (Opening) / Mike Anderson (Closing)

Newcomer/Visitor: Lee Williams Children's Church: Jaime Hovis Sound System: Stephen Hart

Ushers/Offering: Tommy McLelland, Head Usher: Tommy Blackwelder, Vicki Freeze,

Carol Linker, Tom McLelland

## Sunday, August 20, 2023

8:30 am – Missions Committee

9:30 am - Sunday School

10:30 am – Worship / Communion

## Monday, August 21, 2023

11:00 am - Exercise Class

6:30 pm BSA

## Tuesday, August 22, 2023

6:30 pm – Choir Practice

6:30 pm – REFIT Class in FLC

## Wednesday, August 23, 2023

6:30 pm – Dinner and Bible Study, FLC

## Thursday, August 24, 2023

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

## Saturday, August 26, 2023

10:30 am – Secret Sisters Social, FLC

## **Sunday, August 27, 2023**

9:30 am - Sunday School Rally Day, FLC

10:30 am – Worship

11:45 am – Worship Committee

5:00 pm – Presbyterian Women Annual Meeting, FLC

## Sunday, August 13, 2023

**<u>Attendance</u>**: Sunday School: 50

Worship: 165

Offering: General Fund: \$7,396 Development Fund: \$100 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.

