

## PROSPECT PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

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## CHURCH STAFF

Pastor – Rev. William Gipe

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## THE SESSION

### Class of 2023

Mike Anderson

Bob Edmiston

Shannon Knox

Rick Lyerly

Beth Stacy

Clerk of Session: Rick Lyerly

Treasurer: Bill Hart

### Class of 2024

Karen Cornett

Van Knox

Terri McKnight

Paul Moore

Walter Teeter

Asst. Treasurer: Bob Edmiston

### Class of 2025

Dale Burgess

Bill Hart

Joy Miller

Johnny Wilkinson

Lee Williams

## 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

Bob Edmiston (2023)

Walter Teeter (2024)

Bill Hart (2025)

## 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 –Mary Lowrance

Serendipity Circle – Joy Miller



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## Greetings from your Health Ministry!!

- **EXERCISE** –We meet every Monday and Thursday at 11:00 am in the FLC. Hope to see everyone.
- **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.
- **The Nurture & Care Team will be making 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.
- **SAVE THE DATE:** Wednesday, December 20<sup>th</sup> – MAMAGRAM Bus @ Prospect Church, 8:30 to 11:45 am. Contact Kelly for more information.

**During the advent season, we will display poinsettias** in the sanctuary on Sunday, December 17th. Poinsettias will be available for purchase for \$8 each. We will **ONLY** order what is paid for in advance. **Orders and payment must be received in the church office by Wednesday, December 13th.** You may reserve your poinsettia in memory or in honor of someone special in your life by signing the chart in the commons area. Please make your check to Prospect Presbyterian Church and indicate it is for the poinsettias. A list of those remembered will be in the bulletin on Sunday, December 17th.

*Today, we welcome Roger, Lisa & Reece Stapleton, by Letter of Transfer from Centenary UMC, as new members of Prospect Presbyterian Church. Please everyone join together and welcome our new members to our Prospect family.*

**Today**, 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.

**A Congregational meeting** will be held before worship service today, for the purpose of electing the Elder Class of 2026. Nominations for the Elder Class of 2026 are Mike Anderson, Kevin Donaldson, John Edmiston, Carla Kennedy, and Mike Stacy.

**Our community Thanksgiving** service will be held tonight at Concordia Lutheran Church at 6 pm. Rev. Gipe will be preaching at this service and several of our Prospect musicians will be participating. We hope to see you there!

**SAVE THE DATE:** Sunday, **December 3<sup>rd</sup> at 6 pm** on your calendar and plan to attend our second annual community Christmas program at Concordia Lutheran Church. Churches participating include Prospect Presbyterian, Centenary United Methodist, Trinity Lutheran in Landis, Vanderburg United Methodist, Fieldstone Presbyterian, Centre Presbyterian, and Concordia Lutheran. Welcome the Advent season with us as we anticipate and celebrate the birth of our Savior!

**Thanks for everyone's support of our mission projects!!** In the past month, we have sent over 140 Operation Christmas Child shoeboxes that will be shipped to children who probably have never received a Christmas present before, packed 20,000 meals for Rise Against Hunger that goes to feed hungry children, and helped stock the Wellness Center at Rowan-Cabarrus Community College for students in need. **Thank you so much!!** What a blessing it is to share our blessings with others!

**Thank you to everyone** who has offered to provide Christmas presents for the **Mt. Ulla Elementary children** who are in need. All children are spoken for as far as Christmas gifts, but we need **congregational support** to help provide food (**non-perishable food items and paper products**) for the children's families during the holidays. **All gifts and food need to be dropped off in the library at the church no later than noon on Sunday, December 3.** If you have any questions, please contact **Beth Stephens** ([beth13@windstream.net](mailto:beth13@windstream.net) or 704-664-7185).

**For Prayer:**

**Missionary:**

Justin & Kristen Raymer (African Island Mission in Washington DC)

Brian & Christy Ward (Spokane, Washington)

Rob & Sandy Shaffer (Czech Republic)

**Local Church:**

Central UMC

**Nursing Homes, Rehab & Retirement Facilities:**

Mac Atwell (Trinity Oaks-Salisbury)

Helen Barber (Trinity Oaks-Salisbury)

Helen Lyerly (Cadence Living – Mooresville)

Margaret Martin (Abernathy Laurels, Newton)

Judy Stacy (Northlake House, Charlotte)

Dawn Stutts (Cadence Living – Mooresville)

Margie Swiggett (Autumn Care – Statesville)

Tink Wilkinson (Cadence Living – Mooresville)

**Please Remember:**

Jo Powers	Dick Bennett
Thad Linker	Ella Mae Stewart
Anita & Wyatt Fesperman	Lynda Fries
Wade Carrigan	Eddie Teeter
Jackie McKnight	Roy Watkins
Carol & Larry Stutts	Teresa Compton
Allen Jackson	Hal Stutts
Mary Lowrance	May Dauer
Rick Yokeley	Beverly Bartlett
Wayne Chandler	Margaret Bradshaw

**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*)

Jan Milos (*Kidney Cancer, friend of Cristal Howie*)

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

Cash McCall (*Iraq, friend of Edie Steele*)

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

Amy & Mike Corriher (*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*)

Henry Bridges (*Cancer Friend and neighbor of Connie Brown*)

Myra Kelly (*Lung Cancer Mother of Kiki Reid & Sister of Jenny Dowdy*)

**Elder on Call:** Bob Edmiston (704) 663-4614 **Open/Close Church:** Rick Lyerly

**Newcomer/Visitor:** Reba Connolly

**Children's Church:** Melody Morrison

**Sound System:** Stephen Hart

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

**Sunday, November 19, 2023**

8:30 am – Missions Committee

9:30 am - Sunday School

10:30 am – Worship/Communion/Election of Class of 2026

6:00 pm – Ecumenical Service @ Concordia Lutheran Church

**Monday, November 20, 2023**

11:00 am – Exercise Class

6:30 pm – BSA

**Tuesday, November 21, 2023**

6:30 pm – Choir Practice

6:30 pm – REFIT Class in FLC

**Wednesday, November 22, 2023**

Church Office Closed for Holiday

**Thanksgiving, Thursday, November 23, 2023**

Church Office Closed for Holiday

**Christ the King, Sunday, November 26, 2023**

9:30 am - Sunday School

10:30 am – Worship/Pennies for Hunger Offering

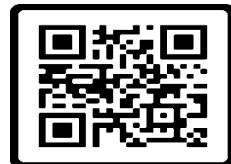
11:45 am – Worship Committee

**Sunday, November 12, 2023**

<b><u>Attendance:</u></b>	Sunday School:	50
	Worship:	140

<b><u>Offering:</u></b>	General Fund:	\$5,542
	Development Fund:	\$50
	Rise Against Hunger:	\$700

**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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