

Prospect Presbyterian Church
Maplewood, New Jersey
October 28, 2018



OUR MISSION:

To be a family in Christ, reaching out to all with love, prayer and service... through worship, education, mission and fellowship, we experience God's love, forgiveness, grace and call.

Today's flowers are given by Jeff and Sara Smith and their family in loving memory of Jeff's mother, Constance Smith, and his sister Laura Nelson.

Liturgist: James Carli

Ushers: Jackie and Ashlea Hume with help from the Interfaith Hospitality Network Ministry.

Fellowship Time Host: Jennifer Davis and Nancy Shields

Multi Media Ministry: Rick Noll, Ryan Donaty and Frank Hendricks.

Readings:

Job 42:1-6, 10-17 page 464
Psalm 34:1-8, (19-22) page 481
Hebrews 7:23-28 page 1047
Mark 10:46-52 page 879

Hymns:

#692 *Spirit, Open My Heart*
#452 *Open the Eyes of My Heart, Lord*
#806 *I'll Praise My Maker While I've Breath*

October's Deacon of the month is David Hogenauer (973)287-6268. The Deacon of the month for November is Julia Ribicoff (973)801-4790
If you know of any church member in need, please call the DOM.

Rev. Dr. Rick Boyer
will give today's sermon entitled,
"Crying Out".

Please remember in your prayers...

*In an effort to keep the prayer list current, names are removed each month unless specifically requested to remain.

Announcements

PREPARE FOR WORSHIP: Please take this time to fill in the yellow form included in the announcement sheet. All information you will need for the service is projected on the screens at the front of the sanctuary. For this week, congregational responses on the screen are printed in **bold white**. If you do not wish to keep today's bulletin, kindly dispose of it in the recycling baskets located at each of the sanctuary doors. Thank you!

WOMEN'S MONTHLY BIBLE STUDY meets Monday, November 12 at 10:00 AM. The topic for this session is "God with Us in Our Discouragement" and focuses on Deuteronomy 31:1-8; Joshua 1:1-9; and Haggai 1:1-15; 2:1-9. Although they are interrelated, each month's session stands alone so that women can attend as able. Please join the informal discussion led by Rita Boyer.

Have you registered for a **JOHNSONBURG YOUTH RETREAT**? Those who have reserved a spot with Rita are reminded to complete the required online registration through the camp website. If you have not registered with Rita, please do so immediately! The Sr. High Retreat is November 16-18 and the Middle High Retreat is November 30-December 2. "More Than Enough" is the theme of both retreats. Johnsonburg Center has instituted a two-tier fee system for all retreats so that families can choose the tier that is affordable for them. Tier 1 pricing is \$110, minus a Prospect scholarship of \$20, which drops the fee to \$90 per student. Tier 2 pricing is \$125, minus a Prospect scholarship of \$20, which drops the fee to \$105.

Prospect's **Sensible Gun Safety Group**, an emerging ministry, will hold a short meeting after fellowship time on Sunday, November 11 to discuss plans and set dates for the coming months. All are welcome to join us as we support legislation and other efforts to keep guns safe and inaccessible to individuals who may harm others or themselves. We will meet from 12:15 to 1 p.m. in the Multipurpose Room. For more information, see Anne Love, Robin Morey, John Pearson, Dave Hogenauer and Nancy Shields.

There are some Sundays available if you would like to remember or honor someone by providing the funds for the **chancel flowers** that week. Right now, November 4th is open. Please contact Cindy Thompson ASAP- cindythompson0901@gmail.com.

Do you have a **college student** in your family? The Deacons are getting ready to send out their college student care packages and would like to include your student! Please send their names and contact information to office@prospectchurch.org.

Prospect's annual **Secret Shoppe will be held on Saturday December 8** from 9 am-1pm. Preparations are underway and include a gift-wrapping party on Monday evening November 12th in Fellowship Hall from 7:30-9:30 pm. Information and sign-ups in Fellowship Hall today.

Attendance last week was 83.

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Staff Directory

Name	Phone Extension	Office hours
Rev. Dr. Rick Boyer	Pastor X204	Monday- Thursday 10:30-12:30
Rita Boyer	Certified Educator X205	Monday, Wednesday, Thursday 9:00 – 3:00
Peter Ncanywa	Director of Music X 206	Sunday 8:00 -12:00, Monday 11-5:30, Thursday 2:00 – 9:00
Lisa Abdill	Secretary X202	Monday – Thursday 9:00 – 2:00
Jose Orjuela	Financial Secretary X201	Monday, Wednesday, Friday 9:30 – 2:00
Lorenzo Brooks	Sexton contact office	Sunday – Thursday 8:00-4:00
Co-Op Nursery School	Dana Cavanaugh Co-Op director X210	Monday-Friday 9:00 – 3:00

Church Office Hours Monday-Friday 9:00 – 2:00.

Email Responses at Prospect – In an effort to develop clear expectations and healthy lifestyles for Prospect Church staff, staff are expected to respond to email during normal work hours. In the case of urgent needs, please call Rick at 862-485-0512. On Sunday morning, staff will be focused on being present with the gathered community; therefore, they are not likely to see Sunday morning email. We encourage our staff to use evenings and days off as times of refreshment, rest and recreation.

Calendar for Week of October 28, 2018

Today	9:15 am	ConnectEd 
	9:15 am	Adult Ed. - Theology for Presbyterians
	9:30 am	Chancel Choir Rehearsal
	10:30 am	Worship
	11:30 am	Blood Pressure Screening
	6:00 pm	Young Adult Dinner
Monday	7:30 pm	Christian Education Ministry
Tuesday	8:00 pm	Recovery
Wednesday	8:30 am	Good Neighbor Coffee
Thursday	6:30 pm	Cub Scouts #3 Den Meetings
	7:30 pm	Chancel Choir Rehearsal
Friday	7:00 pm	Girl Scouts #22908
Saturday	3:00 pm	Children's Pageant Rehearsal
Sunday	DAYLIGHT SAVING TIME ENDS(Turn Clocks Back)	
	9:15 am	ConnectEd 
	9:15 am	Adult Ed. - Theology for Presbyterians
	9:30 am	Chancel Choir Rehearsal
	10:30 am	Worship
	2:00 pm	Girl Scout Troop #20251

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