

Prospect Presbyterian Church
Maplewood, New Jersey
May 5, 2019



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.

The flowers today are given in loving memory of Joanna Pearson, Beulah Pritchett, Barbara O'Malley, Barbara Schoner and Doris Coyle from their covenant group: Connie, Joady, Pat, Ellen, Allene and Claire.

Liturgist: Jennifer Davis

Ushers: Rick Noll, Nancy Mitchell and Deacons.

Fellowship Time Hosts:

Multi Media Ministry: Izzy Morgan, Ashlea Hume and Winston Watson.

Communion Servers: Suellen Galish, Rick Noll, Connie Guida and Nancy Mitchell

Readings:

Acts 9:1-20 page 955

Psalm 30 page 479

Revelation 5:11-14 page 1075

John 21:1-19 page 945

Hymns

#413 *Come Into God's Presence*

#505 *The Trumpets Sound: The Angels Sing*

#369 *Blessing and Honor*

The Deacon of the month for May is Karen Karvazy(813-546-7535). If you know of any church member in need, please call the DOM.

Rev. Dr. Rick Boyer will give today's sermon entitled "Welcome and Transformation".

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 black**. If you do not wish to keep today's bulletin, kindly dispose of it in the recycling baskets located at the exit doors. Thank you!

There will be a **Congregational Meeting** during worship on May 19 to elect new officers.

CAMP JOHNSONBURG is a favorite summer destination for many of Prospect's children and youth. Check out the online brochure at <https://www.campjburg.org/camp/wp-content/uploads/Johnsonburg-2019-Summer-Brochure.pdf>. Students who regularly attend (at least 50%) ConnectEd classes and have financial need are eligible for Prospect Camperships. Forms are available in the wall file near Rita's office on the second floor and are due May 12.

KREITLER SCHOLARSHIP applications are **due May 15**. This small scholarship (\$300 in past years) is granted to a confirmed member of Prospect Church, about to enter the freshman year in college, and is renewable for three more years of undergraduate school. There are four selection criteria: (1) participation in the life and work of Prospect Church, (2) financial need, (3) character and all-around ability, and (4) academic record at school and academic potential. Applications are in the second floor wall file near Rita's office.

WOMEN'S MONTHLY BIBLE STUDY meets Monday, May 13 from 10:00-11:30 AM in the Burnett Room. The year-long study of "God's Promise: I Am with You" concludes with a session titled "God with Us," based upon Matthew 18:15-20; 28:16-20.

ConnectEd CLOSING CELEBRATION is May 19, 9:15-10:15 AM. Classes will not meet during the summer but will resume in September.

Prospect Book Club- The next Prospect Book Club meeting will be June 2nd at noon in the Burnett Room. The book being discussed is an autobiography, *Becoming* by Michelle Obama. Please RSVP to queline88@aol.com so there will be enough refreshments.

The next **Presbyterian Women meeting** is today, May 5 at noon in the Burnett Room.

Attendance last Sunday was 59.

On May 19, after worship, the Deacons have arranged for **the Blue Cross/Blue Shield Wellness Bus** to be parked outside of Prospect Church. Anyone can go in to have their Total Cholesterol(the first 25 people to enter), Blood Glucose and Blood Pressure checked at no cost.

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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 Christian 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	
Co-Op Nursery School	Dana Cavanaugh X210 Co-Op director	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.

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Calendar for Week of May 5, 2019

Sunday	9:15 am	ConnectEd 
	9:30 am	Chancel Choir Rehearsal
	10:30 am	Worship
	12:00 pm	Presbyterian Women Meeting
	1:30 pm	Girl Scout Troop 20251
	2:00 pm	Interfaith Hospitality Network Guests Depart
Monday	7:30 pm	Prospect Hunger Program
	7:30 pm	Sensible Gun Safety Ministry
Tuesday	8:00 pm	Recovery
Wednesday	8:30 am	Good Neighbor Coffee
	6:30 pm	Cub Scout Pack 3 Den Meetings
	7:30 pm	Finance Ministry
Thursday	6:30 pm	Cub Scout Pack 3 Den Meetings
	7:00 pm	Prayer Group
	7:30 pm	Chancel Choir Rehearsal
Friday	7:00 pm	Girl Scout Troop 22908
Saturday	8:00 am	Cub Scout Pack 3 Blue and Gold Breakfast
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	9:30 am	Chancel Choir Rehearsal
	10:30 am	Worship