

***Prospect Presbyterian Church***  
**Maplewood, New Jersey**  
**September 22, 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.*

*Today's chancel flowers are In Loving Memory of her sister Arabella Van Duyne from Pat Corker.*

**Liturgist:** Paul Townsend

**Ushers:** Bela Gajary and Nancy Shields with help from the Property Management Ministry

**Multi Media Ministry:** Isabel Morgan, and Ryan Donaty

**Fellowship Time Host:** Jennifer Davis, Issac Toure and Alton Haywood

**Readings:**

Jeremiah 8:18-9:1	page 657
Psalms 79:1-9	page 509
<b>1 Timothy 2:1-7</b>	<b>page 1034</b>
Luke 16:1-13	page 909

**Hymns**

#13 *The Mighty God with Power Speaks*  
#351 *All Who Love and Serve Your City*  
#343 *Where Cross the Crowded Ways of Life*

The Deacon of the Month for September is Effie Latz 973-222-5771. If you know of any church member in need, please call the DOM.

Rev. Dr. Rick Boyer will give today's sermon entitled:  
*Praying for Everyone.*

**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 the exit doors. Thank you!

Prospect will be hosting a **bottled water drive** for the water crisis in Newark. Bring your cases of water September 23 – 29 and leave in designated area on the stage in Fellowship Hall. Help will be needed after worship on the 29<sup>th</sup> to carry the cases out to Meeting Essential Needs with Dignity's (MEND) "Big Green Bean" Bus.

September 29 after worship will be a short gathering of high school youth and their parents to explore the **confirmation process**. Information will be presented about the time, format and expectations of the process for this year. Coming to the information session does not commit the student to participating and participating does not commit the student to joining the church. Pizza will be served so that those going to Ultimate Youth Day will not miss lunch. Let the office know if you will be attending by September 27 (headcount needed to order lunch.) Office@prospectchurch.org.

**Interfaith Hospitality Network Hosting Week:** Prospect Presbyterian will be hosting IHN families today – September 29<sup>th</sup>. Signups to help or bring meals/groceries will be in fellowship time today.

**RSVPs are needed! Sunday, September 29<sup>th</sup> is Ultimate Youth Day** for 6-12 graders at Johnsonburg. Prospect's group will leave the church at 1:00 PM and will return by 9:00 PM. The cost is \$20 and that covers all activities and dinner. Contact the office(office@prospectchurch.org) **TODAY** if you want to go.

Security Preparedness training will take place Monday, September 23 at 7:30 p.m. in the multipurpose room. The training is especially important for staff, teachers, ushers, and greeters. We will learn the best practices to ensure safety. The trainers will show us what to do if violence erupts. Knowing how to identify potential problems may be the key to preserving a safe environment. Email the church office for more information or to register. ([office@prospectchurch.org](mailto:office@prospectchurch.org)).

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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	Contact Office
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, and Friday 9:30 – 2:00
Lorenzo Brooks	Sexton contact office	Contact Office
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 September 22, 2019

<b>Sunday</b>	9:15 a.m.	ConnectEd 
	9:30 p.m.	Chancel Choir Rehearsal
	10:30 a.m.	Worship
	11:45 a.m.	Blood Pressure Monitoring
	1:30 p.m.	Girl Scout Troop 22856
	2:00 p.m.	Girl Scout Troop 20544
		Interfaith Hospitality Network Guests Arrive Bottled Water Drive Begins
<b>Monday</b>	7:30 p.m.	Security Preparedness Training
<b>Tuesday</b>	7:00 a.m.	Commuter Breakfast (offsite)
	8:00 p.m.	Recovery
<b>Wednesday</b>	8:30 a.m.	Good Neighbor Coffee Deadline for October Prospectus
<b>Thursday</b>	7:00 p.m.	Community Coalition on Race Board
	7:00 p.m.	Girl Scout Troop 22908
	7:30 p.m.	Chancel Choir Rehearsal
<b>Saturday</b>		Wedding
<b>Sunday</b>	9:15 a.m.	ConnectEd 
	9:30 p.m.	Chancel Choir Rehearsal
	10:30 a.m.	Worship
	11:45 a.m.	Confirmation Information Session
	12:00 p.m.	Water Bottle Donation pickup
	1:00 p.m.	Ultimate Youth Day (Johnsonburg)
		Interfaith Hospitality Network Guests Depart