

Prospect Presbyterian Church
Maplewood, New Jersey
May 20, 2018

The Deacon of the month for May is
Marian Ezell (973)461-3698. If you know of any
church member in need, please call the DOM.



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 in loving memory
of Bernice and Roy Teasley, his parents
and Mildred and Harold Jordan, her aunt
and uncle, from Rob and Tracey.*

Liturgist: Carolyn Berry

Ushers: Eric Bazilio and Ray Veghte with
help from the Property Management
Ministry team.

Fellowship Time Host: Rick Noll & Julia
Ribicoff

Multi Media Ministry: Olivia Morgan,
Winston Watson III, & Frank Hendricks

Readings:

Acts 2: 1-21 page 947

Psalm 104:24-34 page 523

Romans 8:22-27 page 983

John 15: 6-19 page 940

Hymns:

#285 Like the Murmur of the Dove's Song

#69 I, the Lord of Sea and Sky

#291 Spirit of Gentleness

Rev. Dr. Rick Boyer will give today's
sermon entitled:
"The Spirit's Help"

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 each of the sanctuary doors. Thank you!

Today we celebrate the completion of our 2017-18 **ConnectEd classes** and give thanks for our teachers and students. Classes **DO NOT MEET** over the summer but will resume with a Kick-off Breakfast on September 9. Thanks to our amazing volunteer teachers: Gennie Murphy and Yocasta Watson in Preschool-Grade 1, Kaitlyn Yourkoski and Matthew Coyle in Grades 2-3, Carolyn Berry and Elizabeth Matli in Grades 4-5, and Heidi Hovland and Winston Watson in Middle/Sr. High.

Prospect Church recognizes **graduates** each year. Please email the office if someone in your family will be graduating this year from high school, college or other level of education.

Pentecost Offering will be received today. The focus of this offering is to help children, youth and young adults. Sixty percent goes to PC (USA) to ministries focused on youth and children and forty percent stays at Prospect. That portion will go to Interfaith Hospitality Network to go towards purchasing the gear necessary for the children who receive camp scholarships to Johnsonburg. Use the envelope provided or notate "Pentecost" on your check.

We welcome new member Jennifer Davis, who transferred from Lafayette Avenue Presbyterian Church in Brooklyn, and also the new members who are joining by way of the confirmation class: Jasmine Biggs, Holden Colter, William Griffith, Ashlea Hume, Jessica Jones, Andrew Miller, and Olivia Morgan.

New sign-up sheets are available in Fellowship Hall to volunteer to Usher, serve as Liturgist, Host Fellowship time or be a Greeter. While the usher sheets has a ministry team assigned each week, if you would like to help usher, those ministry teams would love the assistance especially during summer vacation times.

Rita Boyer, Certified Educator and Rev. Dr. Rick Boyer will begin their respective sabbaticals today through August 21st. Prospect will be in good hands during that time. Rev. Harry Tysen will be serving as “Sabbatical Pastor”. He will preach 2-3 times per month, be in the church office one day a week and provide pastoral care as needed. If you should need Rev. Tysen, he can be reached at harrytysen@gmail.com or (785) 342-6603. Rev. Ed Clydesdale will be moderating the session meeting and providing pastoral care if Rev. Tysen is not available. The church office and Frank Hendricks will have VERY LIMITED contact with the Boyers, but can reach them in case of emergency.

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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	Monday, Wednesday, Thursday 12:00 – 5:00
Lisa Abdill	Secretary X202	Monday – Thursday 9:00 – 2:00
Jose Orjuela	Financial Secretary X201	Monday, Wednesday, Friday 9:00 – 2:00
Lorenzo Brooks	Sexton contact office	Sunday – Wednesday, Friday 7:00-3:00
Co-Op Nursery School	Dana Cavanaugh Co-Op director X210	Monday – Friday 9:00 – 3:00

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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 May 20, 2018

Today	9:15 am	ConnectEd  Closing Celebration
	9:30 am	Chancel Choir
	10:30 am	Worship
	11:45 am	Prospect Hunger Program make lunches
	12:00 pm	Prospect Book Club
	12:00 pm	Girl Scout Troop #21133
	1:45 pm	Brownie Troop #22856
	4:00 pm	Deacon's Meeting
Tuesday	7:00 am	Commuter Breakfast
	8:00 pm	Recovery
Wednesday	8:30 am	Good Neighbor Coffee
	7:00 pm	Cub Scout Pack#3 Den Meeting
Thursday	7:00 pm	Cub Scout Pack #3 Den Meeting
	7:00 pm	Community Coalition on Race Board Mtg
Friday	6:00 pm	Girl Scouts #22908
Sunday	10:30 am	Worship
	11:45 am	Blood Pressure Screening
	12:00 pm	Girl Scout Troop #21133