

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!

PRESBYTERIAN YOUTH from around the world will gather at Purdue University July 16-20 for the **YOUTH TRIENNIUM**. Students currently in grades 8-12 are eligible. This event, which happens once every three years, will not only gather about 5,000 Presbyterian youth, but the very best speakers, worship leaders, youth workers, and musicians to explore the theme "Here's My Heart." An informational meeting for parents and students is being offered by Newark Presbytery right here at Prospect in Fellowship Hall on Sunday, **January 27 at 2:00 PM**. Recognizing that discipleship consists of both an inner and an outer journey, Prospect's youth are currently considering attending the Triennium rather than participating in a YouthWorks mission trip this summer. Please speak to Rita if you have questions or would like to sign up for the January 27th informational meeting.

The Sensible Gun Safety Ministry will gather tomorrow, Monday, January 21, from noon to 1:30 p.m. to write letters to elected officials about the legislation to require background checks on gun sales that was just introduced in the U.S. House of Representatives. Paper, envelopes, and stamps will be provided, and addresses will be available. Everyone is welcome, and each person chooses what to write to whom. Beverages and snacks will be provided as well. Following the letter writing we will attend the Martin Luther King Observance at Columbia High School (2:00 p.m.)

The next meeting of the **Prospect Book Club** will be on **March 3 at noon**, in the Burnett Room. The book being discussed is *The Gifts of Imperfection: Let Go of Who You Think You're Supposed to Be and Embrace Who You Are* by Brené Brown. The genre chosen for this meeting was self-help. The book is just 138 pages so you have plenty of time to read the book and come join in the discussion.

On Sunday, **Feb. 3, from noon - 1:15 p.m.**, join the Sensible Gun Safety Ministry for a twist on the idea of a book reading and discussion - it's a **podcast listening and discussion!** Listen at home (or during your commute, etc. - it's like listening to a radio show) to two episodes of the podcast "Science Vs.", both presenting research about guns and gun violence in the U.S., and then come to a discussion about them.

Here are the podcast URLs: <https://www.gimletmedia.com/science-vs/guns#episode-player> and <https://www.gimletmedia.com/science-vs/gun-control#episode-player>

The church directory is in the process of being updated. Please email any changes in address, email or phone (including if you are no longer using a landline *and* what your preferred method of contact is) to office@prospectchurch.org or note it on the yellow form.

New sign up sheets **for liturgist, fellowship time hosts and ushers** are in Fellowship Hall. Please stop by and volunteer.

Confirmation Information Session: The Presbyterian Church (USA) released new confirmation curriculum in 2018. On Sunday **February 3**, after fellowship time, there will be a meeting for parents and youth in 9th grade or above regarding the confirmation process for this year. Since the curriculum includes activities for parents and youth together, it is important that both youth and parents attend. Please email the church office, office@prospectchurch.org or fill out a yellow insert to sign up for this meeting.

Due to the positive reaction from the mini newsletter, there will be a monthly mini newsletter going forward, but the larger, seasonal newsletters will remain. If your group has any events or updates or news for the February edition, please submit them by January 28th to office@prospectchurch.org, or as you have them, and they will be included in the next issue.

Early spring cleaning at Prospect! If you have any serving dishes/baskets/bowls left in the kitchen, please pick them up today.

Attendance in worship last Sunday: 81

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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	Saturday –Monday, Wednesday and Thursday 8:00-4:00
Co-Op Nursery School	Dana Cavanaugh X210	Monday-Friday 9:00 – 3:00

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

Calendar for Week of January 20, 2019

Today	9:15 am	ConnectEd 
	9:30 am	Chancel Choir Rehearsal
	10:30 am	Worship
	11:45 am	Prospect Hunger Program
Monday	Martin Luther King Jr. Day (Church Office Closed.)	
	12:00 pm	Sensible Gun Safety Ministry Event
Tuesday	7:30 pm	Cub Scout Pack 3- Pinewood Derby Prep
	8:00 pm	Recovery
Wednesday	8:30 am	Good Neighbor Coffee
	6:30 pm	Cub Scout Pack 3 Den Meetings
Thursday	6:30 pm	Cub Scout Pack 3 Pinewood Derby Prep
	7:00 pm	Community Coalition on Race Board
	7:30 pm	Chancel Choir Rehearsal
Friday	5:00 pm	Cub Scout Pack 3 Pinewood Derby Set Up
	7:00 pm	GS Troop 22908
Saturday	8:00 am	Cub Scout Pack 3 Pinewood Derby
Sunday	9:15 am	ConnectEd 
	9:30 am	Chancel Choir Rehearsal
	10:30 am	Worship
	11:45 am	Blood Pressure Screening
	12:00 pm	PW Knitting Group check-in
	1:30 pm	GS Troop 22856

2:00 pm Triennium Information Session
2:00 pm GS Troop 20544

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