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**Welcome to Prosperity Church Service!**

We warmly welcome you to the Prosperity Church Worship Service. We are honored to share this morning service with you as we worship God's risen Son. May you know the love of God and feel His presence, for you are special to the Lord, and to us. We pray that God will touch your life during the service, and that you will know His peace.

**Sunday Morning Worship Service**

Prosperity’s online Worship Service is available, and is posted on our [**Facebook Page - Prosperity Presbyterian Church**](https://www.facebook.com/Prosperity-Presbyterian-Church-275363616175410/) at 10 AM.  If you would like to view the service through our website or reference the service later check out <https://www.prosperitypca.com/worship-services>  or you can listen to the sermon audio at **No Greater Name** [**— Prosperity PCA**](https://www.prosperitypca.com/from-the-pulpit)

**Flowers**

The beautiful flowers are given to the glory of God and to honor **Myra and Steve Billing’s 50th Wedding Anniversary…and to celebrate the 75th birthday of Myra’s brother, Johnny Wallace (August 25)…and to wish Brenda Anderson a happy birthday (August 16).**

**Congratulations**

Congratulations to Brian and Nicole Monroe in the birth of their daughter, **Hope Cynthia Monroe**. The grandparents are Tom and Vickie Monroe.

**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**The next Wednesday Night Bible Study**

**is scheduled for August 19 at 7:00 PM.**

Pastor Bruce is teaching the Wednesday study from Romans. Please check the latest emails and Facebook posts and Cloud HD Video to join our Bible study virtually until we can resume in person at the church. The Bible studies are also posted at [www.prosperitypca.com](http://www.prosperitypca.com)

**Below is a link to our Bible study, and is in Romans 16:1-16.**

Call in Wed. August 19 around 6:55. The number is (**408) 638-0968**.

Once you place your call you will be asked to enter the meeting ID#.  The ID# is 220 654 4063**.** After entering the ID# You will be asked to enter a participant ID, just skip this step by pressing the # button.

You can also join this meeting using your computer to join **Zoom** Meeting – via an Electronic Device (computer)

The link is [**https://us02web.zoom.us/j/2206544063**](https://us02web.zoom.us/j/2206544063)

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**Hope Street Food Pantry**

Prosperity Church is collecting food for the Hope Street Food Pantry. **If you would like to help, please bring your nonperishable items** and leave them in the narthex. We no longer have the Hope Street Barrel, but we are still collecting donations.

**The items most needed are:** Mac and Cheese, Ramen Noodles, Rice, Instant Mashed Potatoes, Canned Ravioli, Canned Soup, Dry Pasta, Pasta Sauce, Baby Wipes and size 5 and 6 diapers.See Lucy Richmond for additional information.

* **Trail Life, Troop 412 meets Tuesday at 7:00 PM outside the GYM.** Open to boys ages 5-17. For information see Pastor Bruce.
* **The Ladies Wednesday Community Bible Study and the Ladies’ Thursday Night Bible Study are on summer break. The next Wednesday meeting is September 2.**
* **The Ladies’ Thursday Bible Study will meet September 3 and 17.**
* **The Adult / Youth Sunday School classes plan to continue safely in the months to come.**

**Church Calendar**

**Worship Service Aug. 16 Sunday at 10:00 AM Church Sanctuary**

**Trail Life Tuesday, Aug. 18, 7 PM Meeting outside at picnic area**

**Wed. Night Bible Study Wednesday Aug. 19 at 7 PM Zoom**

**Church Families for Prayer**

**Sunday, Aug. 16 Sarah Bosse and Gina Potter**

**Monday, Aug. 17 Leah Brant and Family**

**Tuesday, Aug. 18 Pastor Bruce and Lily Brown and Family**

**Wednesday, Aug. 19 Jackie, Olivia and Sam Clark**

**Thursday, Aug. 20 Carol Comer**

**Friday, Aug. 21 Carolyn Davis**

**Saturday, Aug. 22 Isabelle Dontsop and Family**



**Pray for our Missionaries**

**Joe and Ann Lyle**

**Taiwan**

We are currently in our summer break with classes starting in September. We have been catching up with long overdue projects: getting apartments ready for new teachers and helping other teachers move. We have also been preparing for fall classes.

**Taiwan and Coronavirus** - Last week the Taiwan Ministry of Education (MOE) announced that it would permit international students to return in the fall. Later, it was revised it to exclude China. News seems to change every week**. Pray that the door will be open for some or all of our overseas student to return. Pray for favor from the government.**

**Tears with Students** - At the end of the semester, we have had more students crying than we can ever remember. During one of our night devotions, Joe asked students to name things God had done for them. One girl (a junior international student) explained that in the past her father had hit her and others in the family. Now, her family is Christian and there is love in the home. This same student knew she would be returning home when classes were over and may not be able to return to class. Later, she told me she kept crying because she had no assurance that she would be able to return to campus for her senior year.