**Church Directory**

##### Staff

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Prayer Chain Coordinator Brenda Anderson

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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.**

**Communion**

Since we will be partaking of Communion today, it is good for us to listen to God's Word in 1 Corinthians 11:26-29, telling us to do a self-preparation examination before taking Communion:

"For whenever you eat this bread and drink this cup, you proclaim the Lord’s death until he comes. So then, whoever eats the bread or drinks the cup of the Lord in an unworthy manner will be guilty of sinning against the body and blood of the Lord. Everyone ought to examine themselves before they eat of the bread and drink from the cup. For those who eat and drink without discerning the body of Christ eat and drink judgment on themselves.

**Church Calendar**

**July 11, Sunday Worship Service at 10:00 AM**

**July 11, Sunday Communion - Worship Service**

**July 13, Tuesday Trail Life 7:00 PM**

**July 14, Wednesday 7:00 PM Bible Study – Daniel**

**Congregational Meeting – August 8**

**Brian Dove (Elder) and Ron Richmond (Deacon)** will stand for elections at our August 8, 2021 Congregational Meeting. They both successfully completed training, and were approved by the church officers.

**Fellowship and picnic style Lunch after Sunday Service**

Each Sunday after the Worship Service you are invited to bring your lunch and enjoy a meal together in the dining hall.  And if you just wish to sit and enjoy fellowship without a meal - please do! **We will not have a picnic lunch July 18.**

**Sunday School**

Sunday School will resume September 12th, 2021

**Carpet Fund.**

**We now have $14,830.00.** If you would like to give, make your check to the **Carpet Fund** and place it in the plate at the back of the church.

**Trail Life**

**Troop 412 meets each Tuesday at 7:00 PM in the GYM.** This is a Christ-centered outdoor program open to boys and young men aged 5-17. If you have questions please see Pastor Bruce.

**Wednesday Night Bible Study**

**July 14, at 7:00 PM. Our Wed. Bible Study is DanieL**

**We meet in the sanctuary.**

**This is a link to our Bible Study on Zoom.**

Call in Wednesday 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**.** 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)**.** The ID is 220 654 4063.

**Prosperity’s online Worship Service** is available, and is on our **Facebook Page - Prosperity Presbyterian Church** at 10 AM. To view the service through our website check out <https://www.prosperitypca.com/worship-services>  or listen to the sermon audio at ***“*The Rod and Restoration*”*** [**- Prosperity PCA**](https://www.prosperitypca.com/from-the-pulpit)

**Church Families for Prayer**

**Sunday, July 11 Bill and Patsy Barnett**

**Monday, July 12 Victor and Helen Bedu**

**Tuesday, July 13 Steve and Myra Billings**

**Wednesday, July 14 Bob and Margaret Blackwelder**

**Thursday, July 15 Roger Blackwelder**

**Friday, July 16 Sarah Bosse**

**Saturday, July 17 Leah Brant Family**

**Please pray for Rev. Richard Altork he has several health problems.**

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**Pray for our Missionaries**

**Michael and Lindie Wadhams**

**Lummi Indians, WA**

“We continue to face the bi-cultural challenges each day. Both the Pacific Northwest and Salish cultures are interwoven. In addition, historical trauma adds a resistance toward Christianity that is hard to overcome. Cultural realities and spiritual resistance were evident recently when I walked out our front door and was met with the pungent aroma of marijuana wafting through the neighborhood. On Sundays church parking lots remain half full while neighborhood parks overflow with cars, campers, and people playing games and grilling. Recent research has revealed that America’s membership in houses of worship, since 1999, has decreased seismically from 70 percent to 47 percent. Half of Millennials either don’t believe in God, are unsure if He exists, or simply don’t care.

Although the numbers of COVID cases are reducing statewide, our efforts are stymied by new cases at Nooksack – particularly with families involved in the ministry. In short, COVID and spiritual incoherence is the backdrop to ministry on the reservations and added to these difficulties are tragic and untimely deaths. Within a week our Nooksack church’s caretaker lost two nephews in Lummi and a niece was found on the streets of Seattle. The reality of our ministry means a determination to press on.”

Please pray for these different cultures of people as we bring the good news of God to them.

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