**Church Directory**

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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 check out <https://www.prosperitypca.com/worship-services>  or listen to the sermon audio at **Glorying in the Gifts of our God and Savior** [**— Prosperity PCA**](https://www.prosperitypca.com/from-the-pulpit)

**Welcome Rev. Shaun Hurrie Family**

**Shaun, a South African, came to the U.S. in 2002 and married Becky, a North Carolinian, in that same year. A mission trip to Zambia in 2004 ignited God’s calling on them for long-term missions work. Fairly regular visits to South Africa since then confirmed the need they began to see for the African Church to have well-trained Christian leaders. Building on their desire to serve in southern Africa, Shaun and Becky sought out further education. Shaun received his M.Div. from Reformed Theological Seminary-Charlotte in 2016 and was ordained into Gospel ministry in 2017. They both served actively in a PCA church in North Carolina for 14 years. Shaun and Becky join the MTW South Africa team in Cape Town. Shaun’s role is to teach in the Christian Leadership Program for the Bible Institute of South Africa and serve directly in an area church plant. Becky will use her gifts with women and children in the life of the local church plant in addition to homeschooling and discipling their four children. They hope to carry this model of gospel ministry training to the Gauteng region. Join Shaun and Becky in praying that the rich grace of God will transform South Africa from the grip of false teaching as strong disciples are made.**

**Please sign up in the narthex to receive prayer letters from Rev. Hurrie.**

**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**Operation Christmas Child – Shoeboxes are in the narthex. Please take as many as you can fill, also, a brochure *“How to Pack a Shoebox”* and boy/girl labels for your boxes are in the narthex. If you have questions please contact Patty Jenkins.**

**Sunday, October 18, immediately following the Worship Service, we will have a Called Congregational Meeting to re-elect Earl Dove as Deacon-Finance, and to update the Church Constitution. Please see the changes marked in red on the two page insert.**

**The Red Cross will be at Prosperity Church from 10:00 AM to 2:00 PM October 16, 27 and November 18. The trucks will be parked beside the GYM. Come and donate blood.**

**The August Treasurer’s Report is in the narthex.**

**Helen Rifas will be at Prosperity Church next Sunday, October 18 to play for the service. Please plan to attend and enjoy the beautiful harp music.**

**Trail Life, Troop 412 meets Tuesday at 7:00 PM in the GYM.**

Open to boys ages 5-17. For information see Pastor Bruce.

**The next Wednesday Night Bible Study is scheduled for October 14 at 7:00 PM. Our lesson will be in chapters 14-15. The topic is “The Holy Spirit and the Holy Church.” We will meet in the sanctuary or you may continue to participate on Zoom.**

Our study book is on the **Apostle's Creed,** the **Lord’s Prayer** and the **10 Commandments.** The book is entitled **"Growing in Christ"** by J. I. Packer.  **Below is a link to our Bible study on Zoom.**

Call in Wednesday, Oct. 14 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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**Church Calendar**

**Worship Service Oct. 11 Sunday at 10:00 AM**

**Trail Life Tuesday, Oct. 13, 7:00 PM Meeting in the GYM**

**Missions Month October**

**Wed. Night Bible Study Wednesday Oct. 14, at 7 PM**

**American Red Cross Oct. 16, 27 Nov. 18 – 10 AM to 2 PM**

**Called Congregational Meeting Sunday, October 18**

**Helen Rifas Sunday, October 18**

**Communion Sunday, October 25**

**Church Families for Prayer**

**Sunday, Oct. 11 Earl and Polly Dove**

**Monday, Oct. 12 Caleb and Brook Eldridge**

**Tuesday, Oct. 13 Tom and Kelli Ellsworth Family**

**Wednesday, Oct. 14 Fred Entrekin**

**Thursday, Oct. 15 Scott Flowers**

**Friday, Oct. 16 Liliane Forlemu Family**

**Saturday, Oct. 17 Mark and Megan Gregory Family**

**Deacon’s Fund**

**Deacon’s Fund** - The first Sunday of each month has been designated as **Deacon’s Fund Sunday.** Please make this contribution above your regular offering. **Put your check in a separate envelope marked “Deacon’s Fund.” A Deacon’s Fund offering plate is in the narthex. If you were not prepared to give last Sunday you may still give today.**

**Welcome Visitors**

**You are welcome to our service today and we would like to get to know you. All visitors please fill out this form, tear it from the bulletin and place in the offering plate or give to an usher.**

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**Please let us know if you have a prayer request or would like a visit from the pastor.**

**Other needs:**