



NEW PROSPECT MISSIONARY BAPTIST CHURCH

6330 Pembroke – Detroit, MI 48221

Administrative Office – Mon. – Fri. 9:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.

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(Live Video Streaming)

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 26, 2017

First Sunday of Advent - Hope

7:30 a.m./11:00 a.m.

*The Church Where the Spirit of Unity Abides, The Church Where the
Vision Lives and Shines and The Church that Loves and Cares*

Order of Celebration*Devotion and Call to Worship**Opening Hymn of Praise**Prayer of Invocation/Confession**Scripture... ..Matthew 11: 2-11**Show Some Love**Announcements**Invitation to Share Your Offerings**Offertory Prayer**Prayer of Intercession**Musical Selection**The Preached Word**Invitation to Discipleship**Blessings and Benediction*CALL TO WORSHIP

Make a joyful noise to the Lord, all the earth. Worship the Lord with gladness; come into His presence with singing. Know that the Lord is God!

Prayer of Invocation/Confession

O God, our Father, we are grateful for another day of worship. We are grateful for another day in which we can feel Your Living Presence. Thank You for Your loving care and for watching over us all of our days. Help us to remember, with thanksgiving, all the love and mercy of the past week. Thank You for every kind word, and every prayer, in our times of joy and sorrow. Above all, thank You for Your Son, Jesus the Christ, who is King of Kings in our lives. He humbled Himself that we might be exalted. He was wounded for our transgressions. On this blessed morning, open our eyes that we might behold the wondrous things You are doing among us. You are worthy, O King of Glory! In the powerful name of Jesus the Christ, we pray. Amen.

*Pray
without
ceasing.*
1 Thessalonians 5:17



Offertory Prayer

Our Father, help us to recognize that giving is a vital part of worship. May this experience of giving our tithes, mission gifts and sacrificial offerings, to be used in Your Kingdom work, be as much a part of worship as anything else we do today. May what we bring, be symbols, that we are also giving ourselves to You. Bless each gift, each giver and each cause that we support through our gifts. This is our prayer. In Jesus' name. Amen.

"Therefore, my beloved, be steadfast, immovable, always excelling in the work of the Lord, because you know that in the Lord your labor is not in vain."
 1 Corinthians 15:58

Debit Card Giving

You can worship the Lord with your tithes and offerings by also using your debit card. Please visit Room 106 at the end of each worship service.



On Line Giving

eGiving is available for your convenience on New Prospect's Website:
www.newnpmbcunity.org



GIVELIFY

Giving. Simplified. Give tithes and offerings from your smartphone. Free download and usage.
 Givelify.com/app



Appreciations and Expressions of Thanks have been received from the following:

Shelia Primas and Family

Rogers & Barbara Marable

Debra and Willie Hearn

WEDDING ANNIVERSARIES

We will acknowledge wedding anniversaries on the First Sunday of each month. Both the husband and the wife must be members of New Prospect. Please call the church office with your information.

**IMPORTANT
NOTICE**

SPECIAL

CHURCH FAMILY BUSINESS MEETING

**Thursday, November 30, 2017
7:00pm**

**All New Prospect members are
encouraged to attend
this very important meeting as we
take the next steps
in the life of our church.**

FUNERAL NOTICES

“Blessed are they that mourn, for they shall be comforted.” - Matthew 5:4

NAME	FAMILY	SERVICE	DATE
Derek Jones	The Reid Family	Peace Chapel Funeral Home Detroit, MI	November 18, 2017

For additional detailed information, please see the notices posted in the Church Lobby, The Light Center Lobby, and The Electronic Sign or call the Church office.

THE HOSPITAL

“Many are the afflictions of the righteous, but the Lord delivers him out of them all.” Psalms 34:19

NAME	HOSPITAL

BROADCASTING LIVE

Share with our church family, especially our sick and shut-in, they can view our Sunday Services on our website. Click on sermons, and then LIVE VIDEO STREAM

SICK AND SHUT-IN

Mattie Bullock, Westwood Nursing Center, 16588 Schaefer, Detroit	48235
Ferris Byrd, Oak Pointe Villa Nursing Home, 18901 Meyers, Detroit	48235
Juanita Dubose, 22800 Civic Center Drive, #159B, Southfield	48033
Earl Green, Advantage Living Center, 25330 W. Six Mile Rd., Redford	48240
Velma Knox-Hayes, Signature Health Care, 1150 Dovercrest Rd., Memphis, TN	38134
Esther Holt, Hartford Rehabilitation Center, 6700 W. Outer Dr., Detroit	48235
Arvadia Howard, 17267 Common Rd., Roseville, MI	48081
Stella Kelsey, Maple Manor Rehabilitation, 31215 Novi Rd., Novi	48377
Sandra Kendrick, 22800 Civic Center Drive, #151B, Southfield	48033
Emma Maclin, West Oaks Nursing Care, 22355 W. 8 Mile Rd., Detroit	48219
Louise Maddox, Oak Pointe Villa Senior Care, 18901 Meyers Road, Detroit	48235
Gustie McCormick, American House, 17267 Common Rd., Roseville	48081
Lucile Miller, West Bloomfield Rehab Center, 6445 W. Maple, W. Bloomfield	48322
Wilbert Richardson, 23730 Kelly Rd. #4, Eastpointe, MI	48021
Elizabeth White, Park Nursing Home, 111 Fourth Street, Highland Park	48203

Linda Allen	James Gray	Harry Larsosa	Ruth Smith
Annie Bailey	Ruby Green	Willie B. Lee	Connie Stafford
Edith Bailey	Nancy Hall-Moore	Maurice Lynum	Leroy Stafford
Lina Baker	Fannie Elkins	Andre Mapp	Brenda Stephenson
Tina Baker	Grace Hammons	Barbara Marable	Mary Tatum
Ulysses Bellamy	Rennonnia Hastie	Rogers Marable	Aurelia Thomas
Herman Bennett	Randolph Henlon	Ozell McCarter	Annie Tillman
Fatimah Blakely	Julia Hill	Destinee McEwen	Grace Tindle
Rhonda Bowens	Ethel Hearn	Juanita McMurtry	Loretta Torrence
Mary Boyd	Hattie Henderson	Lavora Morrison	Grady Townsend
Fannie Burrell	Odis Hester	Myrtle Nelson	Castana Turner
Martha Price Burrows	Doretha Holden	Erma Phillips	Gail Turner
Tresa Carter	Josephine Hollingsworth	Priscilla Pugh	Jeanette Turner
Clerely Chaney	Willie Holmes	Kristen Rhone	Ollie Turner
Clayton Clarke	Clara Horton	Jeanette Riley	Sethrida Walker
Bertha Clinton	Beverly Jackson	Mamie Rimmer	Michelle White
Janice Coley	Brenda S. Jackson	Ella Roberson	Sandra White
George Cook	Timella James	Latreeva Rush	Patricia Williams
Tanisha Cooper	Dorothy Jameson	Charisse Sanders	Juanita Wilson
Jessie Mae Dinwiddie	Laura Johnson	Dolores Singleton	
Dermont Flournoy	Leroy Killion	Edward Sledge	
Katherine Gilbert	Frankie Lane	Dorothy Smith	

NEW PROSPECT BIBLE STUDY CLASSES

Tuesdays - Women's Bible Study - 6:00 p.m.

Tuesdays - Brother-to-Brother Bible Study - 6:00 p.m.

Tuesdays - Young Adult Bible Study (ages: 18 to 35) - 7:00 p.m.

Wednesdays - Church Bible Study - 11:00 a.m./6:30 p.m.

Wednesdays - Children's Bible Study (ages: 11 and under) - 6:30 p.m.

Wednesdays - Youth Bible Study (ages 12 to 17) - 6:30 p.m.

2nd & 4th Thursdays - Seasoned Seniors Bible Study - 10:00 a.m.

2017 WEEKLY BIBLE READING PLAN

November 5, 2017 - Week 45 - Psalm 146

November 12, 2017 - Week 46 - Psalm 147

November 19, 2017 - Week 47 - Psalm 148

November 24, 2017 - Week 48 - Psalm 149

December 3, 2017 - Week 49 - Psalm 150

December 10, 2017 - Week 50 - Proverbs 1

December 17, 2017 - Week 51 - Proverbs 2

December 24, 2017 - Week 52 - Proverbs 3

December 31, 2017 - Week 1 - Proverbs 4

If you would like to receive the Church Emails you can subscribe to our email list by visiting our website at:

www.newnpmbcunity.org

MONDAY – NOVEMBER 27, 2017

- 10:00 a.m. – Intercessory Prayer Time*
- 4:30 p.m. – We Sew Love Quilting Ministry*
- 6:00 p.m. – Special Monday Night Prayer Service*
- 6:00 p.m. – Children’s Drama Ministry Meeting*
- 6:30 p.m. – Liturgical Dance Rehearsal*

TUESDAY – NOVEMBER 28, 2017

- 6:00 p.m. – Women in the Word Bible Study*
- 6:00 p.m. – Brother-to-Brother Bible Study*
- 6:30 p.m. – Kitchen Ministry Meeting*
- 6:30 p.m. – Life and Health Ministry Meeting*
- 7:00 p.m. – Young Adult Bible Study*
- 7:00 p.m. – Combined Choir Rehearsal*

WEDNESDAY – NOVEMBER 29, 2017

- 11:00 a.m./6:30 p.m. – Church Bible Study*
- 5:30 p.m. – Sunday School Teacher’s Meeting*
- 5:45 p.m. – Celestial Children’s Choir Rehearsal*
- 6:30 p.m. – Children’s Bible Study*
- 6:30 p.m. – Youth Bible Study*

THURSDAY – NOVEMBER 30, 2017

- 10:00 a.m. – Seasoned Seniors Chair Aerobics*
- 7:00 p.m. – CHURCH FAMILY BUSINESS MEETING*

FRIDAY – DECEMBER 1, 2017

SATURDAY – DECEMBER 2, 2017

- 10:00 a.m. – Sunday School Christmas Program Rehearsal (see page 10)*
- 11:00 a.m. – ANGEL TREE LUNCHEON*
- 11:00 a.m. – Combined Choir Rehearsal*

SACRIFICIAL GIVING MONTHS

NOVEMBER and DECEMBER are our Sacrificial Giving Months.

We need you to actively be a part of the life and work of New Prospect with your time, talents, and treasures. This is the month we all joyfully make financial sacrifices to support our church.

We are grateful for your partnership in praying, and giving so we can make a direct impact on expanding God's Kingdom, right here at home! We are blessed to have our church staff. We are blessed to have our facilities. We are grateful for all of you. This is OUR church and OUR ministry. We love what we do, but it does not (just) "happen". It does not happen without us giving more generously than we ever have before.

Thank you for helping us share the Gospel of Hope in so many ways.

For example:

**Church Property Maintenance
Saturday Outreach Worship – 3501 Woodward
New Prospect's Learning Lab
Afterschool Care Program
Community Food Pantry
Housing the Homeless
Mission Trips
And so much more...**

The prayers, involvement and financial gifts, that we give to God through New Prospect, makes our community a brighter and better place.

Please see faces when you share your gifts. We are called to move outside the doors of the church, go down the street, and across town.

THIS IS THE CHURCH THAT LOVES AND CARES!

It's Time to Pray! (Luke 18:1)
Come join us for Special Monday Night Prayer
at 6:00pm on November 27, 2017

We are Praying for "Healing and Peace"
We are praying for "The Future of our Church"
We are praying for "Renewed Passion for Ministry"

- *The Kitchen Ministry will meet on Tuesday, November 28, 2017 at 6:30pm.*
- *The Health and Life Ministry will meet on Tuesday, November 28, 2017 at 6:30pm. Health Care Persons, Chaplains, Nurses, and anyone that is interested in caring for people are welcome to attend!*
- *The Angel Tree Fellowship Luncheon will be held on Saturday, December 2, 2017 from 11:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. in the S. L. Whitney Fellowship Hall.*

REHEARSAL SCHEDULE FOR SUNDAY SCHOOL CHRISTMAS PROGRAM

Saturdays, December 2, 2017, Saturday, December 9, 2017

10:00am – 2:00pm (WRJ Chapel)

Deacon Josephine Price; Deacon Gary Marable; Sis. Bessie Young

12:00pm -2:00pm (WRJ Chapel)

Deacon Sam and Sis. Wanda Scipio; Sis. Pat Watkins; Sis. Connie Jackson

2:00pm – 3:00pm (Sanctuary)

Sis. Cynthia Jacob

DRESS REHEARSAL – December 16, 2017 (TBA)

- *The Forever Young Adults Usher Ministry will meet on Tuesday, December 5, 2017 at 6:00pm.*
- *General Mission Ministry will meet on Saturday, December 9, 2017 at 10:00am.*

"Noel Night!"

New Prospect's Youth - Grades 6 -12
are invited to attend an evening of **FUN!**

**The 45th Annual Noel Night will take place on
Saturday, December 2, 2017 from 3:00pm -9:00pm
in Detroit's Midtown District.**

Over 70 institutions, including the [Detroit Institute of Arts](#), the [Michigan Science Center](#), the [Charles H. Wright Museum of African American History](#), the [Detroit Historical Museum](#), the [Detroit Symphony Orchestra](#), and the [Detroit Public Library](#), will open their doors to the public free of charge during this Cultural Center-wide holiday open house. Activities include horse-drawn carriage rides, holiday shopping, family craft activities and performances by over 200 area music, theatre, and dance groups, and other special performances.

You MUST register and fill out your permission slip
following both worship services TODAY.

Transportation will be provided (Space is limited)

Please see Rev. Carnel Richardson at the table in the Atrium

- *The Nurses Ministry will meet on Saturday, December 9, 2017 at 12:00pm.*
- *Saturday Outreach Worship will be on Saturday, December 9, 2017, 3501 Woodward at 3:00pm. The Quilting and Courtesy Ministry will serve.*
- *The Community Meal Is Served With Love, Sunday, December 10, 2017 at 4:00pm. Volunteers are needed to greet and serve our guests in S. L. Whitney Fellowship Hall. Wear your "Shine" t-shirts. The Quilting and Courtesy Ministry will serve.*
- *The Pastor's Care Ministry will meet on Tuesday, December 12, 2017 at 6:00pm.*



The
New Prospect Seasoned Seniors
& Widows and Widowers
Afternoon of Elegance Christmas Luncheon

Saturday, December 9, 2017

S. L. Whitney Fellowship Hall

12:00pm – 3:00pm

*You may register TODAY in the atrium
following both worship services or
call the Administrative Office
at 313-341-4204*

**PLEASE RSVP NO LATER THAN
WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 6, 2017.**



MEALS ON WHEELS "HUNGER TAKES NO HOLIDAY." We need volunteers to deliver meals to the homebound on Christmas Day, Monday, December 25, 2017 at 8:00am. Location Site: At The Lighthouse, 19940 Livernois. Please complete the registration form on the lobby table and place it in the General Mission Mailbox.



Are you a **G.I.R.L.**
(**G**o-getter? **I**nnovator? **R**isk-Taker? **L**eader?)

Then The New Prospect Girl Scouts are looking for you!
Girls in Kindergarten - 12th Grade are welcome to join.

Meetings are held on 2nd and 4th Saturdays from 11:30 a.m. - 1 p.m.
We are also in need of volunteers, no specific time commitment required.
Please contact the church office if you are interested.



DRIVERS WANTED!

The Transportation Ministry is in need of a few more good drivers. If you would like to volunteer to serve, please contact the church office at 313-341-4204 for details.

Weekly Christian Education Opportunities

Bible Study

Children (Ages 5-11)

Wednesdays at 6:45 p.m. - Nursery

Teens (Ages 12-17)

Wednesdays at 7:00 p.m. - Room 105

Choir Rehearsals

Celestial Children's Choir (Ages 5-11)

Wednesdays at 5:45 p.m. - Chapel

Sunday School

Every Sunday Morning at 9:30am

FOR ALL AGES!

Mentoring Sessions
EVERY 2nd Sunday &
4th Sundays at 11am

NP GIRLS UNITED

Ages 12-17 in WRJ Chapel

CROWN FORUM – Young Men

Ages 12-17 in Room 200

Youth In Action

"Little Lights"

Events and Activities Designed
Especially for Ages 11 and Under

Every 3rd and 4th Sunday at 11am

Location: The Light Center

Youth Message/Round Table

Lively/Relative/ Lessons for Teens

Ages 12-17

Every 3rd Sunday @ 11:00am

All Are Welcome!

Scouting Programs **at NP**

Every 2nd and 4th Saturday



Girl Scouts®

11:30 a.m.

Girl Scout Troops

75268/75269/75270/75274

Location: Fine Arts Room

Boy Scout Troop/Pack 689

11:00 a.m.



**BOY SCOUTS
OF AMERICA**

Location: ATL – 19940 Livernois

*****SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASSES – 9:30am – LIGHT CENTER*****

LOCATION	CLASS
Nursery	<i>Ages 2 to 3</i>
Nursery	<i>Pre-K – Kindergarten</i>
Room #208	<i>Grades 1-2</i>
Room #206	<i>Grades 3-4</i>
Room #207	<i>Grades 5-6</i>
Room #209	<i>Grades 7, 8, 9</i>
Room #201	<i>Grades 10, 11, 12</i>
WRJ Chapel	<i>Adult Sunday School</i>
WRJ Chapel	<i>Adult Sunday School</i>
Room #101	<i>Young Adult Sunday School</i>

*****CHRISTIAN EDUCATION CLASSES – 9:30am *****

Room #105 (CB Heath)	<i>Know The Words of Jesus</i>
Room #202	<i>The Gifts of Imperfection</i>
Room #203	<i>Side-by-Side (Married/Engaged Couples)</i>
Room #204	<i>Not a Fan</i>
Room #205	<i>Discipleship Class</i>
Room #210	<i>Total Forgiveness</i>
Library	<i>Special Class: Theology of Christian Doctrine</i>
Heritage Room	<i>New Member's Orientation (Adults)</i>
Instructors Suite	<i>Teachers Training Class</i>

HOLIDAY WORSHIP SCHEDULE

First Sunday of Advent - Hope *November 26, 2017*
Theme: "Wonderful Counselor"

Second Sunday of Advent - Peace *December 3, 2017*
Theme: "Mighty God"

Third Sunday of Advent - Joy *December 10, 2017*
Theme: "Everlasting Father"

Fourth Sunday of Advent - Love *December 17, 2017*
Theme: "Prince of Peace"

Church Family Christmas Gathering
December 17, 2017 - 4:00pm

Blue Monday Christmas Prayer Service - December 18, 2017 - 7:00pm

Christmas Eve Morning Worship Service - 10:00am *December 24, 2017*
Sermon: "When Grace Appeared" ***2 Timothy 1:8-10***

Christmas Eve Cantata - 3:00pm *December 24, 2017*
"Come As a Child"

Christmas Eve Worship Service - 4:00pm *December 24, 2017*
"God Has a Face!" ***Matthew 1:18-24***

Christmas Day Worship Service - 8:00am *December 25, 2017*
"Celebrating a Remarkable Gift" ***Isaiah 9:6***
Russell Street and New Prospect - Location: New Prospect Baptist Church

New Year's Eve Morning Worship Service - 10:00am *December 31, 2017*
"Eyes Have Not Seen" ***I Corinthians 2:6-9***

New Year's Eve Worship Service - 7:00pm *December 31, 2017*
"Order My Steps" ***Psalms 37:23***