

## CHILDREN'S MINISTRY

Our Catechism Kick-Off Party is *next Sunday*, August 3, 6:00 p.m. We will eat, play, and pass out the books for catechism. Please be sure to sign up your kids! There is a signup sheet on the bulletin board.

**Kids' Catechism, 6:00-6:45 p.m. in August/September.** We need volunteers (of all age groups) to ask the children catechism questions. No teaching involved! If you are able to serve, contact Davida Curtis (601-906-0034).

**Brandon's Second Annual Back-to-School Rally**, Tuesday, August 5, 4:00-6:00 p.m., at the Brandon Civic Center, 4:00-6:00 p.m. How you can help: Pray for this outreach opportunity, volunteer to help work this event, and/or donate toward this event. Contact Davida Curtis (601-906-0034), if you have questions or would like to volunteer to help.

**Bell Ringer:** Next Week: Layton Matthews

## YOUTH MINISTRY

**Summer Series Roundtable**, Sundays, 6:00 p.m. for youth. Title is "What Will Possess Your Heart?" Come for discussion, games, and snacks!

**NOTE:** Much of our updates and correspondence for events is through email - if we don't have your current email address, please email the office (secretary@brandonpres.com) so we can update your contact information.

## IN PRAYER

- Missionary of the Week: Mr & Mrs Steve Hill (Peru)
- Ministry of the Week: Palmer Home
- Shepherding Group of the Week: G. Morrison, J. Williams, John Thompson
- Joe Williams' sister-in-law, Karen Williams, passed away last Thursday. Please remember her husband, Bobby, and daughter, Morgan, in your prayers. They live in Starkville.
- Rev Perry McCall's 8-yr-old son, Andrew, has responded positively to his second round of chemo. His parents and doctors are encouraged. Please continue to pray with them for Andrew's treatment for acute leukemia.
- Lisa Bynum's mother, Linda Roberts, recovering from a broken hip
- Julie Rogers' mom is slowly recuperating from her fall and continues to heal from broken/bruised ribs, and from memory, personality & balance issues resulting from the fall.
- Craig Brasfield's mother will return home next week (discharged from rehab)
- Dr Shenouda remains under his doctor's care following cataract surgery.
- Clyde Benson (Camille Herrington's father) recently fell, broke his hip, and had surgery to place pins in it. He and his wife are in their mid- to upper-80s.
- Townes Craft, 4-mo-old baby diagnosed with Pompe disease, Carlton's neighbor
- Scott Word's uncle Vick Borromeo's pulmonary fibrosis
- Loved ones battling cancer: Andrew McCall (8-yr-old son of Rev Perry McCall & wife, Robin), responded well to second round of chemo. (Acute leukemia) Bobby Jay, Elton's brother (lungs, spine, ribs), Grace Mills, friend of Florine Dove, Judy Bramlett, sister-in-law of Ken and Nancy Bramlett (liver), Sandra Bridges, friend of Kathy Smith (breast), Ann Duval, sister of Arlyse Brown (bone), Karen Quinally, Dotsy Peel's niece (tongue), Jenny Glenn, wife of Rickey Glenn at Macon Presbyterian Church (MS)
- Service members, nursing home residents, shut-ins

## SERMON NOTES

July 27, 2014

*Are We Wise with Our Wealth? -- Proverbs 11:4*

**I. Are We Honoring the Lord with Our Wealth?**

**II. Are We Wisely Managing Our Wealth?**

**III. Are We Being Generous with Our Wealth?**

**IV. Are We Feigning Wealth?**

**V. Are We Getting Wealth Wisely?**

**VI. Are We Content with Our Wealth?**

**VII. Are We Trusting Our Wealth?**

**VIII. Is Jesus Our True Wealth?**

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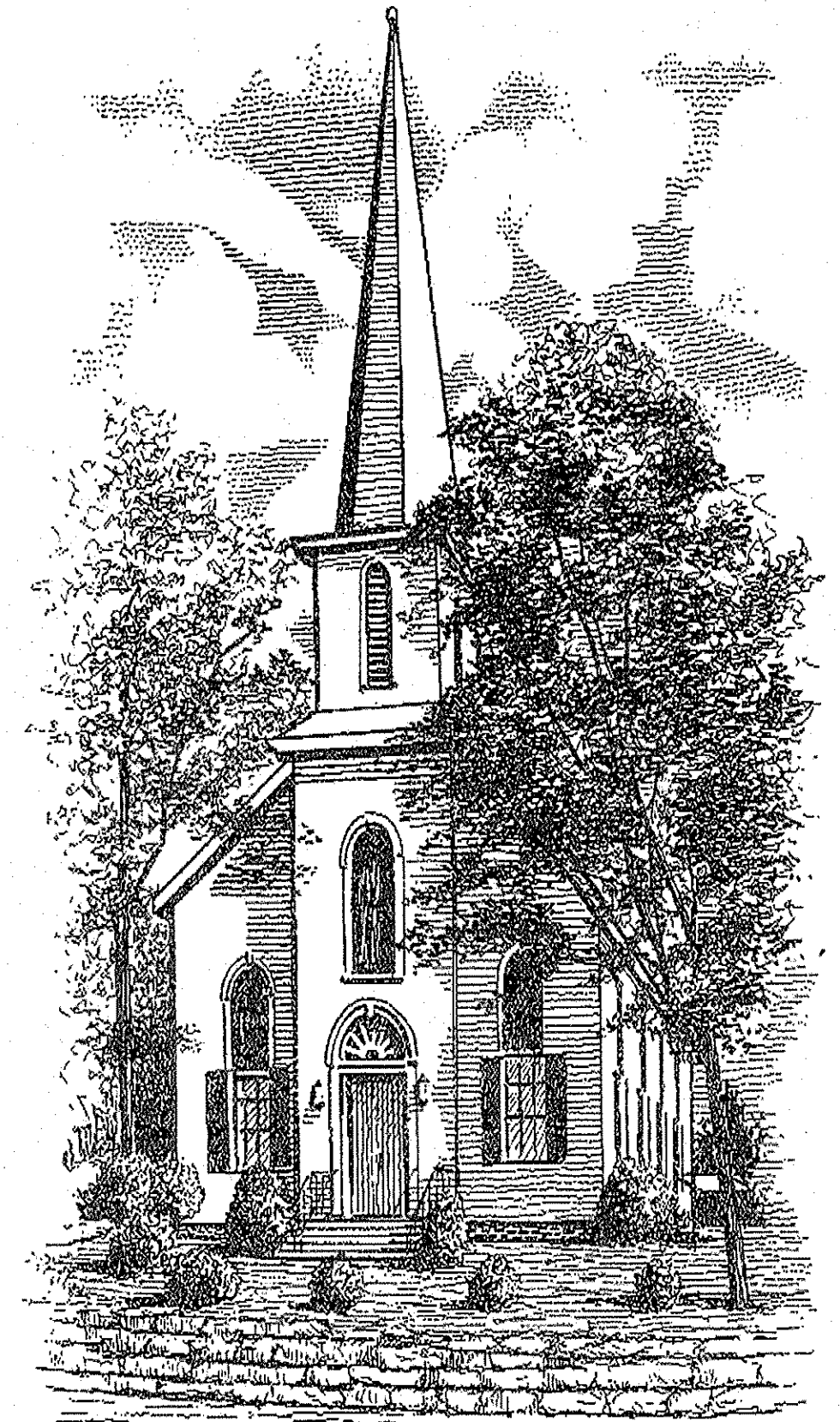
**Elders:** TE John Dawson, RE Walt Herrington, RE Gary Morrison, RE Jackie Thompson, RE Nat Whitten; **Deacons:** Kyle Carlton, Scotty Dickey, John McInnis, Brian Smith, Luther Stowers, John Thompson, Joe Williams

### WOMEN IN THE CHURCH (WIC)

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*Sanctuary flowers are presented to the Glory of God  
by Chris and Tina Groebe in honor of their 21<sup>st</sup> wedding anniversary.*

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*Rev. John Dawson, Senior Pastor*

# Morning Worship

The Lord's Day, July 27, 2014

*During the prelude, be prayerful and reverent in preparation for the worship of our holy God in His sanctuary.*

**THE PRELUDE** PAXTON/BRADLEY  
*"Savior Like a Shepherd Lead Us"*

## THE GREETINGS & ANNOUNCEMENTS

**THE CALL TO WORSHIP\*** PSALM 113  
Leader: Praise the Lord!  
People: Praise, O servants of the Lord, praise the name of the Lord!

Leader: Let the name of the Lord be praised, both now and forevermore.  
People: From the rising of the sun to the place where it sets, the name of the Lord is to be praised.

**THE HYMN OF PRAISE\*** No. 310  
*"Rejoice, the Lord is King"*

## THE INVOCATION\*

**THE VOWS OF MEMBERSHIP** BILL & MARSHA GLOVER

**THE CONFESSION OF SIN\*** PSALM 51: 1-9  
*<sup>1</sup>Have mercy on me, O God, according to Your unfailing love; according to Your great compassion blot out my transgressions. <sup>2</sup>Wash away all my iniquity and cleanse me from my sin.*

*<sup>3</sup>For I know my transgressions, and my sin is always before me. <sup>4</sup>Against You, You only, have I sinned and done what is evil in Your sight, so that You are proved right when You speak.*

*<sup>5</sup>Surely I was sinful at birth, sinful from the time my mother conceived me. <sup>6</sup>Surely You desire truth in the inner parts; You teach me wisdom in the inmost place.*

*<sup>7</sup>Cleanse me with hyssop, and I will be clean; wash me, and I will be whiter than snow. <sup>8</sup>Let me hear joy and gladness; let the bones You have crushed rejoice. <sup>9</sup>Hide Your face from my sins and blot out all my iniquity.*

## THE ASSURANCE OF PARDON

Leader: I love the Lord, because He has heard my voice and my pleas for mercy.

People: Because He inclined His ear to me; therefore, I will call on Him as long as I live.

## THE PASTORAL PRAYER

**GOD'S TITHES AND OUR OFFERINGS** BACH  
*"Bist Du Bei Mir"*

**DOXOLOGY\***  
*Praise God from whom all blessings flow; praise Him, all creatures here below, praise Him above, ye heav'nly host: praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. Amen.*

**THE READING OF HOLY SCRIPTURE** PROVERBS 11:4  
*Wealth is worthless in the day of wrath, but righteousness delivers from death.*

**SPECIAL MUSIC** NEWTON/COURTNEY  
*"Amazing Grace"*

**THE SERMON** REV. JOHN DAWSON  
*"Are We Wise with Our Wealth?"*

**THE HYMN OF RESPONSE\*** No. 585  
*"Take My Life and Let It Be"*

## THE BENEDICTION \*

## THE POSTLUDE\*

\* Congregation Standing

*This morning's special music:  
Duet: Laurel Bynum, Marsha Glover  
and Special Music: Maureen Grondin*

## To All Our Visitors

We are so pleased you have chosen to worship with us. Our church doors are as wide open as the Gospel, "For everyone who calls on the name of the Lord will be saved" (Romans 10:13). Please fill out a visitor's card and either place it in the offering plate or hand it to Pastor Dawson at the end of the service. Please let an usher or Pastor Dawson know if you have any questions.

## THIS WEEK @ BPC

### TODAY

9:45 A.M. Sunday School - All Ages (Nursery available)  
11:00 A.M. Morning Worship Service (Nursery available)  
5:00 P.M. No Choir Rehearsal  
6:00 P.M. Evening Worship  
Youth: Summer Series Roundtable

### SATURDAY & SUNDAY

Youth: Barnes' Barn Retreat

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

New Website: [www.brandonpres.com](http://www.brandonpres.com)! Check it out!!

**Adult Choir:** Next Sunday evening, August 3, at 5:00 p.m., the Adult Choir will begin our new choir year and would love to have you participate. Nursery is available for members of the choir.

**Congratulations** to our VBS children! During VBS, they raised \$ 581.50 to donate to Palmer Home! Great job, kids!

**Sunday School Electives:** In the "Next to the Kitchen" class, Charlie Moak and Don Wainwright will lead a study from a DVD series by Dr. R. C. Sproul and Ligonier Ministries entitled, "What Did Jesus Do?" The series will look at the life and work of the Incarnate Son of God while here on earth and will be a great encouragement for our personal witnessing and testimonies. The "Choir Rehearsal Room" class will study the topic of "Joy and Suffering" in the believer's life using the Book of Philippians, the last of the Apostle Paul's "prison" epistles. Paul wanted to encourage unity in the church and to do that he exhorted them to rejoice even in the face of trials and suffering. This study will be led by Jackie Thompson.

## ATTENDANCE & FINANCIAL UPDATES

Worship Services (11am/6pm): July 20, 2014	119/32
Sunday School	79
Last Week's Offering:	\$ 4,905.
Weekly Budgeted Offering:	\$ 6,471.
Annual Giving:	\$ 188,132.
Annual Budgeted Giving:	\$ 187,659. (+\$ 473.)