THIS WEEK @ BPC **TODAY** 8:30 AM Morning Worship Service 9:45 AM Sunday School (Nursery available) 11 AM Morning Worship Service (Nursery available) Children's Church (3-4 year olds) 5 PM Adult Choir

Children's Activities (Singing with Marsha & Michelle) Youth Bible Study WEDNESDAY 7:15 AM Devo & Donuts

6:15 PM Family Night

ANNOUNCEMENTS

6 PM Evening Worship Service (Nursery available)

FAMILY NIGHT! Come THIS Wednesday at 6:15 pm to enjoy good food and fellowship. The Jackie Thompson shepherding group will be hosting. Bring a dish and a friend!

BHS Football Team: We're hosting a pre-game meal for the Brandon High School Football Team this Friday. Please pray that our service and hospitality as a church would be salt and light in the community. (Matthew 5:13-16)

Reformation Day Celebration: Sunday, November 1

Morning: Rev. Mark Casson of Metanoia Ministries (the PCA's Prison Ministry) will be preaching and leading a joint Sunday School.

Evening: Reformation Roundup at 6 pm! Come for fun, food and fellowship as we celebrate Reformation Sunday together. Sign up to bring a side on the bulletin board in the Fellowship Hall area. We'll be providing the meat.

Thank you! We collected \$440 for turkeys and 158 canned food items for Thanksgiving meals for families in need.

Winter Quarter Adult Sunday School: during the Winter Quarter Dr. Dawson will be leading a joint Sunday school class on the book of Revelation. Don't get left behind!

CHILDREN'S MINISTRY

TONIGHT at 6: Singing with Marsha & Michelle! Supper Provided.

Communicants Class: We are offering a communicants class next quarter. Sign your child up on the bulletin board.

Catechism: We encourage your child to continue catechism. Contact Davida regarding this.

Devo & Donuts: THIS Wednesday at 7:15 am.

SERVING THIS SUNDAY

Bell Ringer: Colton Whitney Next Week: Laken Curtis Children's Church: Angela Wade Next Week: Susan Inman

YOUTH MINISTRY

October Birthday Bash! THIS Wednesday, October 21, at 6 pm.

Barnes Retreat: October 31 - November 1! Bring your pillow, sleeping bag, towel, change of clothes, and Bible. Enjoy a time of fun, fellowship, and worship. We will leave Saturday at 9 am and return Sunday afternoon. In need of a female chaperone; please see John Thompson if you would like to help.

SERMON NOTES Dr. John Dawson

October 18, 2015

Acts 20:22-24; 21:1-15

I. The Radical Christian

II. The Radical Christian & God's People

III. The Radical Christian & God's Son

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OFFICERS

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'S MINISTRY ROUND TABLE

Shepherding Group \$\#1: Angela McInnis, Erin Carlton; Shepherding Group \$\#2: Mary Thompson, Melinda Neill; Shepherding Group #3: Jeanne Monsour; Shepherding Group #4: Kerri Matthews; Shepherding Group #5: Camille Herrington, JoStanford, Michelle Smith

> Sanctuary flowers are presented to the glory of God by Jeanne Monsour in memory of her son, Neil Monsour.

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THE BRANDON PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

BRANDON, MISS.

"The Church's One Foundation Is Jesus Christ, Her Lord..."

Morning Worship

The Lord's Day, October 18, 2015

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

THE PRELUDE

ВАСН

"I Call to Thee, Lord Jesus Christ" Jacquelyn Thornell, organist

THE WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

THE CALL TO WORSHIP *

ORSHIP * PSALM 33:18-22

Leader: Behold, the eye of the LORD is on those who fear him,

On those who hope in his steadfast love, That he may deliver their soul from death

and keep them alive in famine.

People: Our soul waits for the LORD;

He is our help and our shield. For our heart is glad in him,

Because we trust in his holy name.

All: Let your steadfast love, O LORD, be upon us,

even as we hope in you.

THE HYMN OF PRAISE *

N^{o.} 111

"This Is My Father's World"

THE INVOCATION *

THE HYMN OF PRAISE*

 $N^{0.457}$

"Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing"

MISSIONS REPORT

Ellie Honea (MTW Japan)

PASTORAL PRAYER

GOD'S TITHES AND OUR OFFERINGS

"Flowers Also" Japanese Worship Song "How Great Thou Art" arr. by Chris Rice Pianist, Ellie Honea

GLORIA PATRI*

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost; as it was in the beginning, it is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen, amen.

ANTHEM **

"Brother James' Air" Adult Worship Choir

(Children are dismissed to Children's Church after the Anthem)

THE READING OF HOLY SCRIPTURE

PG. 788

Acts 20:22-24; 21:1-15

THE SERMON

Dr. John Dawson

"Dying to Testify?"

HYMN OF RESPONSE*

N^{o.} 610

"Take Up Your Cross,' The Savior Said"

THE BENEDICTION *

THE POSTLUDE *

*Congregation Standing
** 11 am Service Only

To Our Visitors We are pleased you have chosen to worship with us. Our church doors are open as wide 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 place it in the offering plate or hand it to Pastor Dawson at the end of the service. Let an usher or Pastor Dawson know if you have any questions.

IN PRAYER

- *Missionary of the Week*. Dr. & Mrs. Quarterman (Ukraine)
- *Ministry of the Week*: Covenant College
- Shepherding Group of the Week: Jackie Thompson, Scotty Dickey
- That God would bless us with new members/families.
- Our deepest Sympathy to Sharon & Buford Nicholson & family in the loss of their brother-in-law, Steve Russell.
- Wilson Whitten & Laura Simoneau: engaged.
- Bethany & Mark Lee: expecting in February.
- Rebecca & John Thompson: expecting in March.
- Linda Harrison: upcoming test.
- Eric Burch, son in law of Helen Mannery, hit by car, shattered pelvis, converting to Islam. Helen's daughter, Maria Burch, also drifting from Christian faith.
- Dolores Dove, niece of Florene Dove: recovering from foot surgery, large blood clot in lungs and several smaller ones, in ICU Baton Rouge.
- Carolyn Johnson, mother of Serina Blackwell: recovering from surgery to remove sections of intestine damaged by Crohn's disease.
- Trenia Reynolds, wife of David Wade's former boss: serious auto accident, in critical care at UMC, possibly paralyzed.

 Greg Wilkins, father of Bethany Lee: at home and doing better, is awaiting back
- surgery to repair broken vertebrae.

 Tommy Vaughan, cousin of Marsha Glover: may have rare, fatal brain disorder,
- receiving hospice care at home.

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- Paula Mason, friend of Julie Rogers: progressive form of MS and recently diagnosed with POTS, barely able to walk. Carla Mason, her mother, also has MS and has to use a wheel chair most of the time.
- Martha Baker's siblings: multiple health problems, spiritual wellbeing.
- Cooper Bell, Tiffany Glover's nephew: heart valve problems, surgery scheduled to repair heart, had tubes placed in ears, recovering from cleft palate surgery.
- Evelyn Bates: Systemic Scleroderma.
- Joe Etherege, father of Serina Blackwell: stroke, at home.
- Townes Craft, the Carlton's neighbor: 1-yr-old with Pompe disease.
- Loved ones battling cancer: Ked Williamson, Kerri Matthews' cousin: (lymphoma); Sara Hutson, neighbor of Nancy Bramlett: (breast) beginning chemo; Wayne Cherry, Barbara Fowler's co-worker: (pancreas, liver, lymph nodes) stage 4, given 1-3 months to live, hospice, pain getting harder to manage; Roscoe Douglas, Rebekah Dawson's SIL's father: (colon, liver, and lymph nodes) stage 4; Martha Morrison, Gary Morrison's sister-in-law: (chemo); Will Glover, Bill Glover's father: (prostate) complications; Andrew McCall, 8-yr-old son of Robin & Rev. Perry McCall: (acute leukemia); Judy Bramlett, SIL of Nancy & Ken Bramlett: chemo, tired; Sara Willis, thirteen yr old friend of Davida Curtis, (brain) in remission but dealing with sickness; Grace Mills, Florene Dove's friend; Lamar Felter, Serina Blackwell's grandfather; Barth Whitney's mother (cervical).
- Service members: S.T. Heath, Mark Muse, Jason Gilmore, Joey Brown
- Nursing home residents & shut-ins: Joan Allen, Ann Benton, Ruth Compton, Mary Alice Duhs, Jane Ehman, Merrit McNamee, Peggy Piner

ATTENDANCE & FINANCIAL UPDATES

 Worship Services (8:30/11am/6pm): October 11
 32/49/42

 Sunday School
 60

 Last Week's Offering:
 \$ 10,484.00

 Weekly Budgeted Offering:
 \$ 6,142.00

 Year to Date Giving:
 \$ 263,486.00

 Year to Date Budgeted Giving:
 \$ 251,822 (+11,664.00)