

## THIS WEEK @ BPC

### TODAY

8:30 AM Morning Worship Service (Nursery available)  
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 Rehearsal  
6 PM Evening Worship Service (Nursery available)  
Children's Activities  
Youth Bible Study

### WEDNESDAY

7:15 AM Devo & Donuts (Middle School Bible Study)

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

**Winter Quarter Adult Sunday School:** Dr. Dawson is leading a joint Sunday school class on the book of Revelation.

**TONIGHT at 6 pm:** Dr. Dawson will continue his series on the Westminster Confession of Faith. Enjoy an informal service including hymn requests, prayer requests, and fellowship. A great way to end the Lord's Day!

**Facebook:** Brandon Pres is on Facebook. Be sure to "like" us.

**Upcoming Celebrations!** Baby shower for Rebecca Thompson: NEXT Sunday, February 7, at 2 pm. Rebecca is registered at Babies R Us & Target. **Baby shower for Bethany Lee:** Sunday, April 3. If you would like to help, contact Angela McInnis or Erin Carlton. **Wedding shower for Laura Simoneau/Wilson Whitten:** Sunday, April 10. Contacts: Jeanne Monsour & Erin Clayton.

## CHILDREN'S MINISTRY

**TONIGHT at 6:** Singing with Marsha & Michelle! We were encouraged to have 30 children last week! We are very blessed to have Marsha & Michelle working with the children on Easter music. It is not too late to get your child(ren) involved. *Supper Provided.* Please SIGN UP to help with the children/youth meals on Sunday nights on the bulletin board.

**Children's Bulletins:** Children's Bulletins are now available on Sunday mornings. There's one for 3-6 yr olds and one for 7-12 yr olds.

### SERVING THIS SUNDAY

**Bell Ringer:** Colton Whitney                      **Next Week:** Clara Matthews  
**Children's Church:** Camille Herrington                      **Next Week:** Ellie Word  
**Nursery:** Davida Curtis, Jo Stanford, Molly Napier, Ellie Word

## YOUTH MINISTRY

**SUNDAY SCHOOL:** Kyle Carlton is leading the Jr. High class on a study of Jesus' ministry in the Book of Matthew. John Thompson is leading the Sr. High through a study on Christian living in the books of 1st & 2nd Peter.

**TONIGHT @ 6:** Join us as we worship, play games, eat good food and learn to live life to the fullest as we study John Piper's book *Don't Waste Your Life*.

**Youth Super Bowl Party:** NEXT Sunday, February 7, 5:30 pm till. Adults are welcome to join us before or after worship for food and fellowship.

**Mississippi State Trip:** Sr. High students are going to MSU to attend RUF, NEXT Thursday, February 11. College students at MSU are welcome to join us for dinner and go with us.

**RYM SUMMER RETREAT:** Jr. High: June 27 - July 1. Sr. High: July 11 - 16. Sign up by February 1! Cost will be \$190 per student. We will need male & female chaperones. If you are willing, let John Thompson know.

**Mercy Ministry Need:** If anyone is passionate about a ministry that the youth can be involved in, please see John Thompson. We are looking for ways to serve!

## SERMON NOTES

DR. JOHN DAWSON

Galatians 5:22-23

January 31, 2016

### I. The Planter

### II. The Produce

#### STAFF

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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

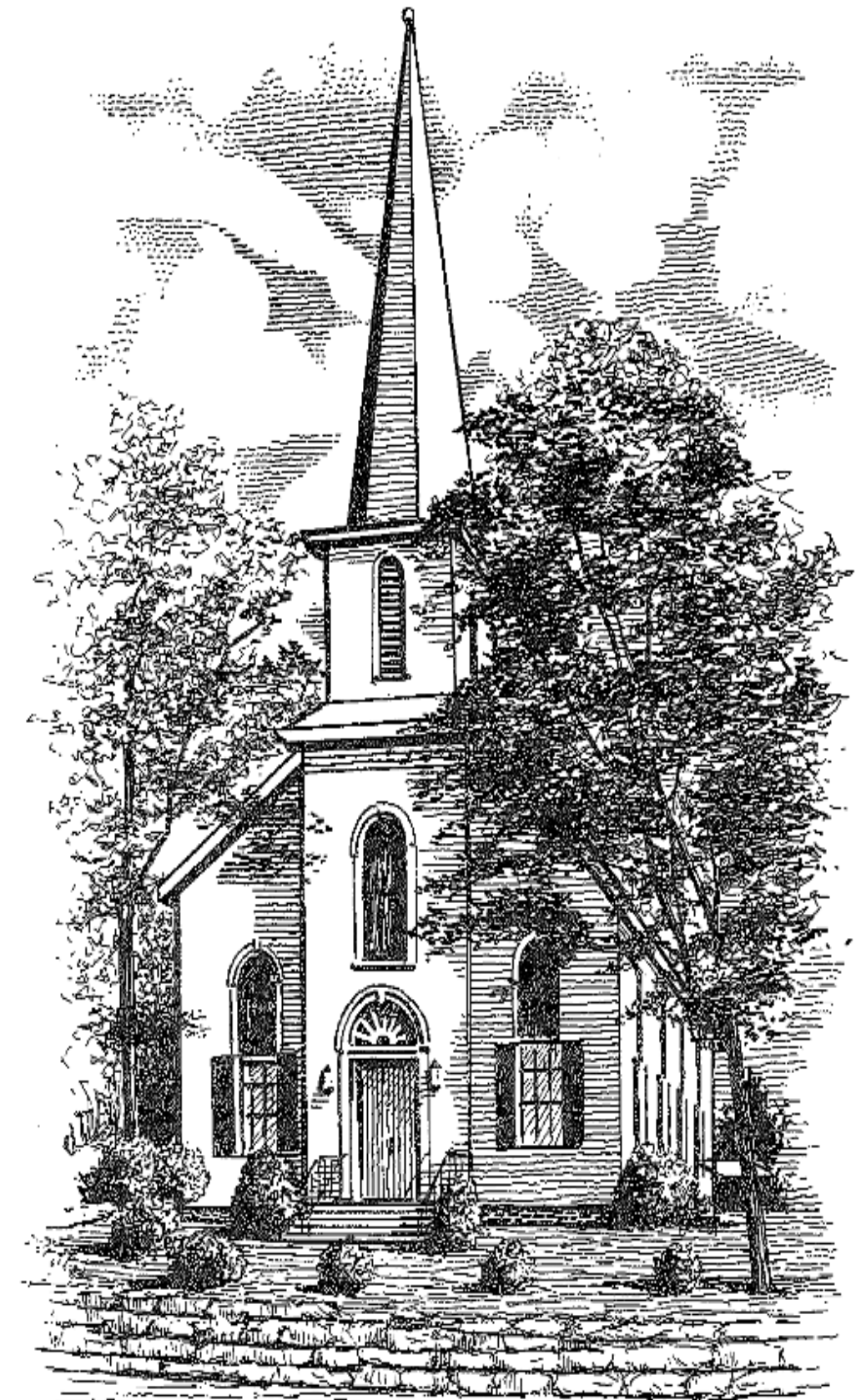
#### WOMEN'S MINISTRY ROUND TABLE

*Dawson Shepherding Group:* Angela McInnis, Erin Carlton; *Thompson Shepherding Group:* Mary Thompson, Melinda Neill; *Whitten Shepherding Group:* Jeanne Monsour, Erin Clayton; *Morrison Shepherding Group:* Kerri Matthews; *Herrington Shepherding Group:* Camille Herrington, Jo Stanford, Michelle Smith

*Flowers are given to the glory of God by Melinda & James Neill.*

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

# Morning Worship

The Lord's Day, January 31, 2016

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

PRELUDE BACH  
"Jesus, Priceless Treasure"  
Jacquelyn Thornell, organist

## WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

CALL TO WORSHIP \* EZEKIEL 36:23-29

Leader: And I will vindicate the holiness of my great name, which has been profaned among the nations, and which you have profaned among them. And the nations will know that I am the LORD, declares the Lord GOD, when through you I vindicate my holiness before their eyes.

People: I will take you from the nations and gather you from all the countries and bring you into your own land. I will sprinkle clean water on you, and you shall be clean from all your uncleannesses, and from all your idols I will cleanse you. And I will give you a new heart, and a new spirit I will put within you. And I will remove the heart of stone from your flesh and give you a heart of flesh.

Leader: And I will put my Spirit within you, and cause you to walk in my statutes and be careful to obey my rules.

People: You shall dwell in that land that I gave to your fathers, and you shall be my people, and I will be your God.

HYMN OF PRAISE \* N<sup>o</sup> 167  
"When Morning Gilds the Skies"

## INVOCATION \*

HYMN OF PRAISE\* (INSERT)  
"Speak, O Lord"

RESPONSIVE READING\*\*\* Psalm 119:89-112

Leader: Your word, O LORD, is eternal; it stands firm in the heavens.

People: Your faithfulness continues through all generations; you established the earth, and it endures.

Leader: Your laws endure to this day, for all things serve you.

People: If your law had not been my delight, I would have perished in my affliction.

Leader: I will never forget your precepts, For by them you have preserved my life.

People: Save me, for I am yours; I have sought out your precepts.

Leader: The wicked are waiting to destroy me, but I will ponder your statutes.

People: To all perfection I see a limit; but your commands are boundless.

Leader: Oh, how I love your law! I meditate on it all day long.

People: Your commands make me wiser than my enemies, For they are ever with me.

Leader: I have more insight than all my teachers, for I meditate on your statutes.

People: I have more understanding than the elders, for I obey your precepts.

Leader: I have kept my feet from every evil path so that I might obey your word.

People: I have not departed from your laws, for you yourself have taught me.

Leader: How sweet are your words to my taste, Sweeter than honey to my mouth!

People: I gain understanding from your precepts; Therefore I hate every wrong path.

Leader: Your word is a lamp to my feet and a light for my path.

People: I have taken an oath and confirmed it, That I will follow your righteous laws.

Leader: I have suffered much; preserve my life, O LORD, according to your word.

People: Accept, O LORD, the willing praise of my mouth, And teach me your law.

Leader: The wicked have set a snare for me, But I have not strayed from your precepts.

People: Your statutes are my heritage forever; they are the joy of my heart.

Leader: My heart is set on keeping your decrees to the very end.

VOWS OF MEMBERSHIP\*\* Mr. & Mrs. Nathaniel Inman

## PASTORAL PRAYER

GOD'S TITHES AND OUR OFFERINGS BUXTEHUDE  
"Jesus Christ, Our Savior"

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.

Note: World without end means "forever and ever."

ANTHEM \*\*  
"In Every Land Begin the Song"  
Adult Choir

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

READING OF HOLY SCRIPTURE N<sup>o</sup> 826  
Galatians 5:22-23

SERMON DR. JOHN DAWSON  
"The Fruit of the Spirit is..."

HYMN OF RESPONSE\* N<sup>o</sup> 644  
"May the Mind of Christ My Savior"

## BENEDICTION \*

## THE POSTLUDE \*

\*Congregation Standing \*\* 11 am Service Only \*\*\*8:30 am Service Only

<h3>To Our Visitors</h3>	<p>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</p> <p>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.</p>
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## IN PRAYER

- **Missionary of the Week:** Linda Wixon (Japan)
- **Ministry of the Week:** Aung Lai Matu (Atlanta Church Plant)
- **Shepherding Group of the Week:** Jackie Thompson, Scotty Dickey
- That God would continue to bless us with new visitors, families, members.
- Presbytery Meeting at Twin Lakes THIS Friday & Saturday, February 5-6.
- **Laura Simoneau & Wilson Whitten:** engaged, wedding in June.
- **Bethany & Mark Lee:** expecting baby girl, Bethany on bedrest at home. 1/26
- **Rebecca & John Thompson:** expecting baby in March.
- **Rachel (Hutton) & Aaron Halbert:** expecting triplet girls in spring, MTW missionaries to Honduras, recently adopted two toddlers.
- **Claire Vick, Barbara Fowler's boss' 4 day old niece:** In USA Mobile with lung & heart complications. 1/27
- **Bill Brown, Barbara Fowler's brother:** dealing with loss of 17 yr old grandchild, Joshua. Also lost 6 yr old grandchild, Carter, to cancer in 2014. 1/27
- **Ann Benton:** In St. D with UTI. 1/26
- **Greg Wilkins, Bethany Lee's dad:** St. D, better, breathing without ventilator.
- **Frank Clayton:** chest pains, referred to gastroenterologist.
- **Jane Kaiser, Amy Ortiz' mother:** fell, brain injury, rehab.
- **Mike Hollingsworth,** friend of Barbara Fowler: radiation.
- **Ben Avant,** brother of Barbara Fowler's co-worker: spinal stenosis, not able to work since August, under 24/7 care.
- **Linda Harrison:** upcoming test, recovering from high blood pressure.
- **Eric Burch,** son in law of Helen Mannery: shattered pelvis, P.T., able to drive on his own, but cannot walk without crutches. 1/28
- **Trenia Reynolds,** friend of David Wade: auto accident, permanently paralyzed, off ventilator, moved from Atlanta hospital to Oxford 1/11.
- **Paula Mason & family,** friend of Julie Rogers: MS, POTS, barely able to walk, concerned for how hard her family has to work to care for her. Carla Mason, her mother, also has MS, in wheel chair most of the time.
- **Loved ones battling cancer:** Jo Hertel, relative of Beej Ford: (carcinoma) stage 4. Ked Williamson, Kerri Matthews' cousin: (lymphoma) PRAISE! In remission. Sara Hutson, neighbor of Nancy Bramlett: (breast) chemo. Roscoe Douglas, Rebekah Dawson's SIL's father: (colon, liver, and lymph nodes) stage 4. Will Glover, Bill Glover's father: (prostate, bone) progressing and painful. Andrew McCall, 8-yr-old son of Robin & Rev. Perry McCall: (acute leukemia). Judy Bramlett, SIL of Nancy & Ken Bramlett: PRAISE! No new cancer, one tumor gone completely, the other is dying. Grace Mills, Florene Dove's friend. Lamar Felter, Serina Blackwell's grandfather.
- **Service members:** S.T. Heath, Mark Muse, Jason Gilmore, Joey Brown (nephew of Barbara Fowler)
- **Nursing home residents & shut-ins:** Joan Allen, Ann Benton, Jane Ehman, Jim McBrayer, Merrit McNamee, Peggy Piner, Polly & Laverne Roberts

## ATTENDANCE & FINANCIAL UPDATES

Worship Services (8:30/11am/6pm): January 24	47/82/54
Sunday School	107
Last Week's Offering:	\$ 3,760.00
Weekly Budgeted Offering:	\$ 6,249.00
Year to Date Giving:	\$ 31,615.00
Year to Date Budgeted Giving:	\$ 24,996.00 (+6,619.00)