## 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)

6 PM Evening Worship

#### **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

Adult Summer Sunday School: Women are working through the book, "Envy of Eve". Men are discussing practical ethics.

M-Braves Game, Saturday, August 6 at 6 pm. Everyone is invited. Bring your family & friends. Sign up on the bulletin board today!

Back to School Bash! Tuesday, August 2, 4 - 6 pm at Brandon City Hall. We need volunteers to help set up, run, and tear down our booth. If you would like to help, please sign up on the bulletin board in the café area. Thank you!

Dear Church Family, Thank you John for the visit & prayers from you and the church during Audi's illness, and the beautiful funeral you preached. Thanks for the food that was provided for the family. In Christ, Florene Dove & The Loper Family

## CHILDREN'S MINISTRY

We need Children's Church volunteers. Sign up for a time on the bulletin board. Thank you!

Children's Bulletins: Available Sunday mornings for ages 3-6 and 7-12. Pick one up!

Back to School Kick-off Party! NEXT Sunday, August 7 @ 6 pm. We'll have food & fun! The following Sunday, August 14, children will begin catechism. We encourage your child to begin studying now. If you need a book, pick one up in the church office.

## SERVING THIS SUNDAY

Bell Ringer: Sybil Grace Glover Next Week: Laney Stackhouse Children's Church: Peter Glover Next Week: Martha Wainwright Nursery: Susan Inman Next Week: Melinda Neill

# YOUTH MINISTRY

Youth Barnes Retreat - October 15 & 16

# **SERMON NOTES** Dr. John Dawson

July 31, 2016

Galatians 5:23b

I. Buffoons

II. Butterflies

#### **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

Women's Ministry Director: Rebekah Dawson Dawson Shepherding Group: Angela McInnis; Thompson Shepherding Group: Mary Thompson, Melinda Neill; Whitten Shepherding Group: Jeanne Monsour, Erin Clayton; Morrison Shepherding Group: Kerri Matthews; Carol Booth; Herrington Shepherding Group: Camille Herrington, Jo Stanford, Michelle Smith

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

# Morning Worship

The Lord's Day, July 31, 2016

During the prelude, be prayerful and reverent, preparing your heart to worship our gracious, Almighty God together.

Prelude Vetter

"Come, Thou Savior of Our Race" Jacquelyn Thornell, organist

# Welcome & Announcements

Call to Worship \*

ISAIAH 6:1-7

Leader: I saw the Lord sitting upon a throne, high and lifted up;

and the train of his robe filled the temple.

People: Above him stood the seraphim. Each had six wings:

with two he covered his face, and with two he covered his feet, and with two he flew. And one called to another and said:

"Holy, holy, holy is the LORD of hosts; the whole earth is full of his glory!"

Leader: And the foundations of the thresholds shook at the voice of

him who called, and the house was filled with smoke.

People: And I said: "Woe is me! For I am lost;

for I am a man of unclean lips,

and I dwell in the midst of a people of unclean lips for my

eyes have seen the King, the LORD of hosts!"

Leader: Then one of the seraphim flew to me, having in his hand a

burning coal that he had taken with tongs from the altar.

People: And he touched my mouth and said:

"Behold, this has touched your lips; your guilt is taken away,

and your sin atoned for."

Hymn of Adoration \*

N°. 100

"Holy, Holy, Holy"

Invocation

Hymn of Thanksgiving\*

N<sup>o.</sup> 460

"Amazing Grace!"

Responsive Reading

Psalm 86

Leader: Incline your ear, O LORD, and answer me,

for I am poor and needy.

People: Preserve my life, for I am godly;

save your servant, who trusts in you - you are my God.

Leader: Be gracious to me, O Lord, for to you do I cry all the day. People: Gladden the soul of your servant, for to you, O Lord,

do I lift up my soul.

Leader: For you, O Lord, are good and forgiving,

abounding in steadfast love to all who call upon you.

People: Give ear, O LORD, to my prayer; listen to my plea for grace. Leader: In the day of my trouble I call upon you, for you answer me.

There is none like you among the gods, O Lord,

nor are there any works like yours.

People: All the nations you have made shall come and worship before

you, O Lord, and shall glorify your name.

Leader: For you are great and do wondrous things; you alone are God. People: Teach me your way, O LORD, that I may walk in you truth;

unite my heart to fear your name.

Leader: I give thanks to you, O Lord my God, with my whole heart,

and I will glorify your name forever.

People: For great is your steadfast love toward me;

you have delivered my soul from the depths of Sheol.

# Pastoral Prayer

God's Tithes & Our Offerings

Walther

"Deal Thou with Me in Mercy, Lord"

Doxology \*

Praise God from whom all blessings flow; praise him all creatures here below; praise him above ye heavenly host; praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost, Amen.

(Children are dismissed to Children's Church) \*\*

Reading of Holy Scripture

No. 826

Galatians 5:23b

Sermon Dr. John Dawson

"Buffoons & Butterflies"

Hymn of Response \*

N<sup>o.</sup> 340

"Come, Dearest Lord, Descend and Dwell"

Benediction \*

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: Mr. & Mrs. Lott (SE Asia)
- Ministry of the Week: Center for Pregnancy Choices (Bethany)
- Shepherding Group of the Week: Nat Whitten, Luther Stowers
- God would continue to bless us with new visitors, families, & members.
- Presidential Elections
- Brittany Beddow & David Mahaffey: engaged.
- Kristen & Sam Murray: expecting baby in December.
- Erin & Kyle Carlton: expecting baby boy soon!
- Lacey (Morrison) & Dominic Avioli: expecting a baby in January.
- Amanda Stokes: Raising support to work for RUF, Western Carolina U.
- Laura Whitten: Raising support to work for RUF, Stanford.
- **Jim McBrayer:** Two procedures scheduled for Tuesday, August 16, to deal with one cancerous spot and one precancerous one.
- Greg Wilkins, Bethany Lee's dad: suffering from severe back problems.
- Nina Hart, mother of Evelyn Carpenter: Tachycardia, ablation, beginning new meds, weak, but better.
- **Ken Pinkerton:** energy & appetite returning, pray for continued strength.
- Ken Bramlett: Milligram to try and diagnose back pain.
- **John Pullen**, step grandfather of Serina Blackwell, wife passed away a few months ago, daughter begin taken off of life support today, struggling with his faith.
- Linda Harrison: recovering from serious surgery, at home.
- Peggy Piner: knee surgery to be scheduled soon.
- Torey Neill, Jim Neill's brother: severely ill, spiritual needs.
- Loved ones battling cancer: Judy Bramlett, Ken Bramlett's sister: cancer returned in several places. Bobby Taylor, John Dawson's cousin: stage 4 lymphoma. Austin Brayfield, Cecile Whitten's Aunt: inoperable brain tumor, physical & spiritual needs. Jeff Harrison, Charlie Moak's close friend: prostate cancer, bladder tumors, radiation. Jack Thompson, Scott Word's Uncle: prostate cancer. Roscoe Douglas, Rebekah Dawson's SIL's father: (colon, liver, lymph nodes) stage 4, doing well, upcoming PET scan. Andrew McCall, 8-yr-old son of Rev. & Mrs. Perry McCall: (acute leukemia). 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, Mary Jane Thompson

# ATTENDANCE & FINANCIAL UPDATES

Worship Services (8:30/11am/6pm): July 24 NA/125/NA

Sunday School NA
Last Week's Offering: \$ 2,9

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Weekly Budgeted Offering: \$ 6,249.00
Year to Date Giving: \$ 199,229.00

Year to Date Budgeted Giving: \$ 187,470.00 (+\$11,759.00)