

THIS WEEK @ BPC

TODAY

8:15 AM Prayer Closet
8:30 AM Worship Service (Lord's Supper)
9:45 AM Sunday School (Nursery)
11 AM Worship Service (Lord's Supper, Nursery, Children's Church)
4:30 PM Deacon's Meeting
6 PM Worship Service (Nursery)

JULY & AUGUST CALENDAR

MONDAY - FRIDAY, JULY 10-14 - RYM

TUESDAY, JULY 11, 6:30 PM - JOINT OFFICERS & WIVES FELLOWSHIP AT THE DAWSON'S

SUNDAY, JULY 23, 2 PM - ALEX WORD WEDDING SHOWER

SUNDAY, JULY 30 - NO CHILDREN'S CHURCH

SUNDAY, AUGUST 6 - DEACON'S MEETING AT 4:30 PM, CHOIR KICK-OFF AT 5 PM,
BACK TO SCHOOL BASH & CATECHISM KICK-OFF AT 6 PM.

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 9 AT 5:30 PM - SESSION MEETING

FRIDAY, AUGUST 25 - FOURTH FRIDAY FELLOWSHIP

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Prayer Closet: Sundays at 8:15 - 8:25 am - a time of prayer for God's blessing upon the preaching of the Word & his presence with us on the Lord's Day. Led by Frank Clayton in the choir room class in the fellowship hall. Anyone is welcome to attend.

Adult Summer Sunday School Classes: The men are studying "A Time for Confidence," a reminder that in times of moral and cultural shifts, our God reigns over human history and will give His people courage to stand. They meet in the choir room classroom. Jackie Thompson is the facilitator. The women are following a study entitled "Hoping for Something Better." led by Rebekah Dawson & Angela McInnis. They meet in the Kitchen classroom.

BPC @ the Ballpark! The Men's Ministry is organizing a family night at the ballpark Saturday, July 29. First pitch will be at 6 pm. Reserve tickets by contacting the church office or signing up on the bulletin board. \$5 for adults and \$3 for kids and college students.

CHILDREN'S MINISTRY

Updated Sunday School Helper Lists are available in the church office on the counter.

Sunday School Teachers Needed: We need some volunteers to teach the 2nd - 3rd grade class a few Sundays in August: 13, 20, & 27. If you could teach one or all of those Sundays, please contact Davida Curtis at djacurtis@yahoo.com or 601.906.0034. Thank you!

VBS T-shirts: We have a few sizes of VBS t-Shirts left. Please call Davida if you would like to purchase one. \$10 each. We have 2 AL, 2AM, 1YXL, 1 YL, 1 YS, 2YXS.

Sunday Nights: There will be NO more children's activities till August 6. Children will join their parents in worship. Be brushing up on your catechism!!!

NO Children's Church on the 5th Sunday of each month: July 30, October 29, & December 31.

SERVING THIS SUNDAY

Bell Ringer: Jack Inman
Nursery: Sonia Jay, Peter Glover
Children's Church: Angela Wade

Next Week: Hutton Curtis
Next Week: TBD
August: Erin Carlton

YOUTH/COLLEGE MINISTRY

Summer College Sunday School Classes: For graduated High School Seniors and College students. Amanda Stokes is leading the girls and Alex Dupree is leading the guys through a study of the book "A Little Book for New Theologians" by Kelly M. Kopic. Girls meet in the office next door to the Nursery and the guys meet upstairs, first room on the left.

RYM MEETING NEXT Sunday: July 9, at 7 pm, in the Fellowship Hall. If you are planning to go to RYM, please be sure to attend this meeting!

SERMON NOTES

July 2, 2017

1 Corinthians 10: 14-22

I. Flee The Idolatrous Tables Hosted By Fiends

II. Fellowship At The Family Table Hosted By Our Lord Jesus Christ

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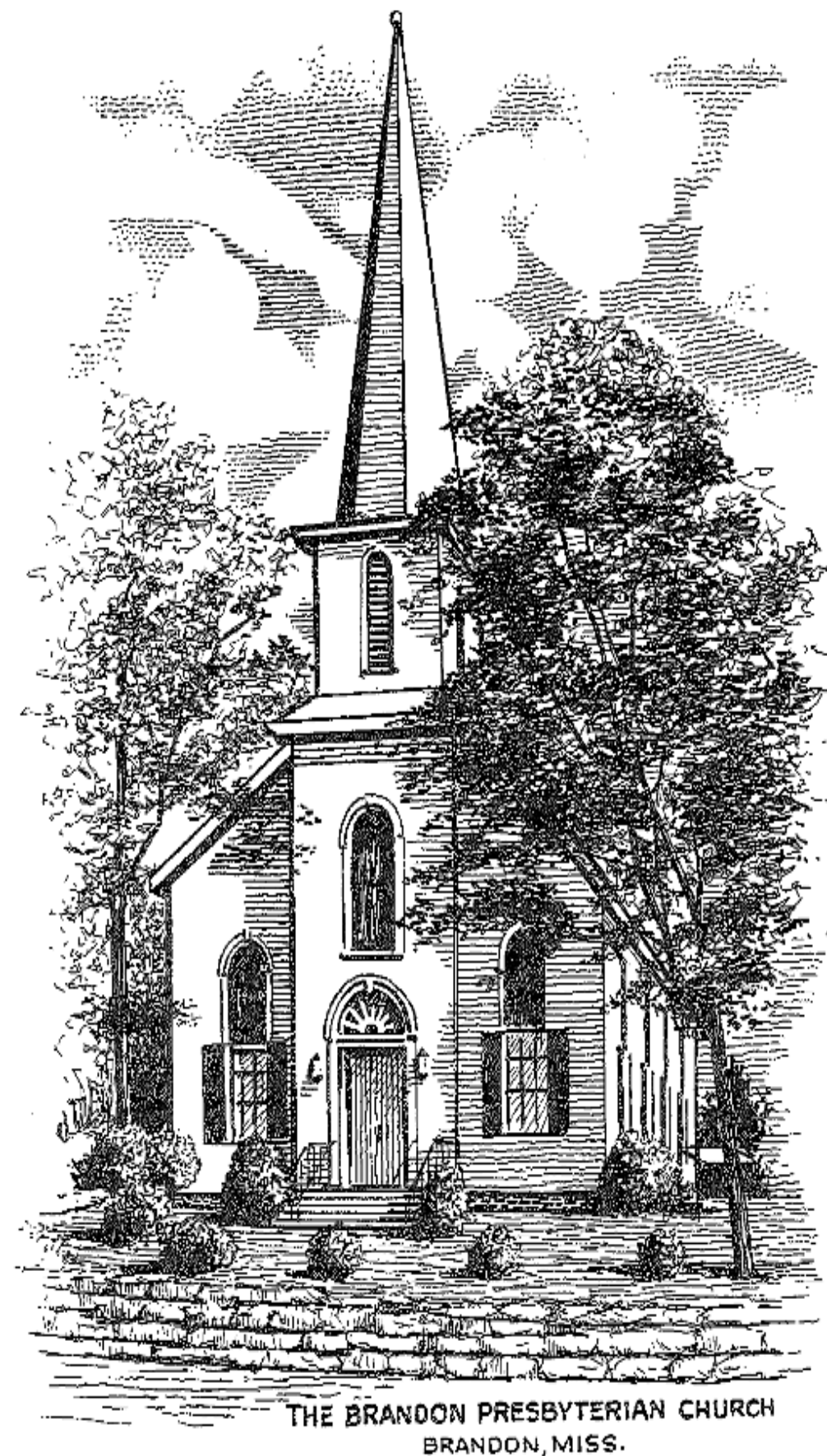
Elders: TE John Dawson, RE Walt Herrington, RE Gary Morrison,
RE Jackie Thompson, RE Nat Whitten
Deacons: Kyle Carlton, Scotty Dickey, John McInnis, Brian Smith,
Luther Stowers, John Thompson, Joe Williams

WOMEN'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, Molly Napier
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 2, 2017

During the prelude, please prepare your heart to worship our gracious, Almighty God together.

Meditation

Question 168: What is the Lord’s Supper?

Answer: The Lord’s Supper is a sacrament of the New Testament, wherein, by receiving the bread and wine according to the appointment of Jesus Christ, his death is [shown] forth; and they that worthily [participate] feed [Spiritually] upon his body and blood, to their spiritual nourishment and growth in grace; have their union and communion with him confirmed; testify and renew their thankfulness and engagement with God, and their mutual love and fellowship with one another as members of the same [Spiritual] body.

- Westminster Larger Catechism

Prelude

ARR. CHRIS RICE

“Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing”
Marsha Glover, pianist

Welcome & Announcements

Call to Worship *

Psalm 145:13-21

Leader: Your kingdom is an everlasting kingdom, and your dominion endures throughout all generations.

People: The Lord is righteous in all his ways and kind in all his works.

Leader: The Lord is near to all who call on him, to all who call on him in truth.

People: He fulfills the desire of those who fear him; he also hears their cry and saves them.

Leader: The Lord preserves all who love him, but all the wicked he will destroy.

People: My mouth will speak the praise of the Lord, and let all flesh bless his holy name forever and ever.

Leader: Praise the Lord!

People: Praise the Lord, O my soul!

Hymn of Praise *

N^o. 53

“Praise to the Lord, the Almighty”

Invocation

Corporate Confession of Sin

Almighty and most merciful Father, we are thankful that your mercy is higher than the heavens, wider than our wanderings, deeper than all our sin. Forgive our careless attitudes toward your purposes, our refusal to relieve the suffering of others, our envy of those who have more than we have, our obsession with creating a life of constant

pleasure, our indifference to the treasures of heaven, our neglect of your wise and gracious law. Help us to change our way of life so that we may desire what is good, love what you love, and do what you command, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Hymn of Praise *

N^o. 252

“When I Survey the Wondrous Cross”

Pastoral Prayer

God’s Tithes & Our Offerings

ARR. BY CAROL TORNQUIST

“How Deep the Father’s Love for Us” with “Love Divine, All Loves Excelling”

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.

Offertory Prayer

Children Dismissed to Children’s Church **

Reading of Holy Scripture

N^o. 811

1 Corinthians 10:14-22

Sermon

DR. JOHN DAWSON

“At Table With Family And Fiends?”

Hymn of Preparation *

N^o. 534

“O for a Closer Walk with God”
(stanzas 1-3)

Sacrament of the Lord’s Supper

Hymn of Hymn of Response *

N^o. 534

“O for a Closer Walk with God”
(stanza 4)

Benediction *

Postlude *

*Congregation Standing

** 11 am Service Only

To Our Visitors

We are pleased to have you 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:** Rev. & Mrs. Lott
- **Ministry of the Week:** Center for Violence Prevention
- **Shepherding Group of the Week:** John Dawson, John McInnis, Kyle Carlton
- **Child(ren) of the Week:** Brittany & James Wade
- God would bless us with new **conversions, visitors, families, & members.**
- Our deepest sympathy for **Penny Stokes & family** upon the death of her mother, **Alma Smith.**
- **Amanda Stokes:** Intern with RUF, Western Carolina University.
- **Laura Whitten:** Intern with RUF, Stanford.

- **Alex Word & Michael Adams:** engaged; wedding, October 7.
- **Kayla Tolar & Andrew Downs:** engaged; wedding May 18, 2018.

- **Susan & Nate Inman:** expecting baby late July.

- **Ken Dawson,** brother of John Dawson: In ICU in Memphis, double pneumo-nia, acute respiratory distress, renal malfunction.
- **Florene Dove:** recovering from knee replacement surgery.
- **Helen Mannery:** recovering from knee replacement surgery.
- **Nina Hart,** Evelyn Carpenter’s mother: back in hospital with low kidney function.
- **Nicole Jones,** Tiffany Glover’s friend’s sister: stroke, at home.
- **Taylor Hughes,** Serina Blackwell’s nephew, and his parents, Alisha & Dennis: diagnosed with IBD.

- **Loved ones battling cancer: Melanie Morano,** daughter of Peggy Jordan’s neighbor: brain tumor removed, in Seattle for further treatments. **Jack Thompson,** uncle of Scott Word: prostate cancer. **Robin Marbury Morris,** Jeanne Monsour’s niece: colon & liver cancer, recovering from surgery & beginning next round of chemo. **Caffie Chambers,** Barbara Fowler’s friend’s sister: breast cancer, chemo finished, will get a scan in a few months. **Judy Bramlett,** Ken Bramlett’s sister: will wait a month before beginning treatments again. **Bobby Taylor,** John Dawson’s cousin: stage 4 lymphoma, undergoing treatment. **Roscoe Douglas,** Rebekah Dawson’s SIL’s father: (colon, liver, lymph nodes) stage 4. **Andrew McCall,** 8-yr-old son of Rev. & Mrs. Perry McCall: acute leukemia.

- **Service members:** S.T. Heath, 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 (10am/6 pm): June 25	121/29
Sunday School:	NA
Last Week’s Offering:	\$ 4,124.00
Weekly Budgeted Offering:	\$ 6,381.00
Year to Date Giving:	\$ 195,066.00
Year to Date Budgeted Giving:	\$ 165,906.00 (+\$29,160)