

THIS WEEK @ BPC

TODAY

8:15 AM Prayer Closet
8:30 AM Worship Service
9:45 AM Sunday School (Nursery)
11 AM Worship Service (Nursery, Children's Church)
6 PM Worship Service (Nursery)
7 PM RYM Meeting in Fellowship Hall

TUESDAY

6 PM Joint Officer's Meeting at the Dawson's

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.

TONIGHT @ 6: Pastor Dawson will begin a new study during evening worship beginning *tonight* entitled, "Love the Old Testament By Learning It's About Jesus!"

BPC @ the Ballpark: Saturday, July 29! The Men's Ministry is organizing a family night at the ballpark. 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.

From Florene Dove: I would like to thank the church family for all the prayers, visits, flowers, cards, and gifts during my recovery from knee surgery. I'm so happy to be a member of such a loving and caring church community.

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!!!

Save the Date! Sunday Night, August 6: Catechism Kick-off Party! Volunteers Needed!

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

SERVING THIS SUNDAY

Bell Ringer: Hutton Curtis

Nursery: Scotty Dickey, Jo Stanford

Children's Church: Angela Wade

Next Week: Jackson Smith

Next Week: Erin Carlton

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 TONIGHT 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 9, 2017

1 Corinthians 10:23-11:1

I. Self

II. Others

III. God

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, Molly Napier

Morrison Shepherding Group: Kerri Matthews; Carol Booth

Herrington Shepherding Group: Camille Herrington, Jo Stanford, Michelle Smith

Sanctuary flowers are given to the glory of God by Marsha & Bill Glover.

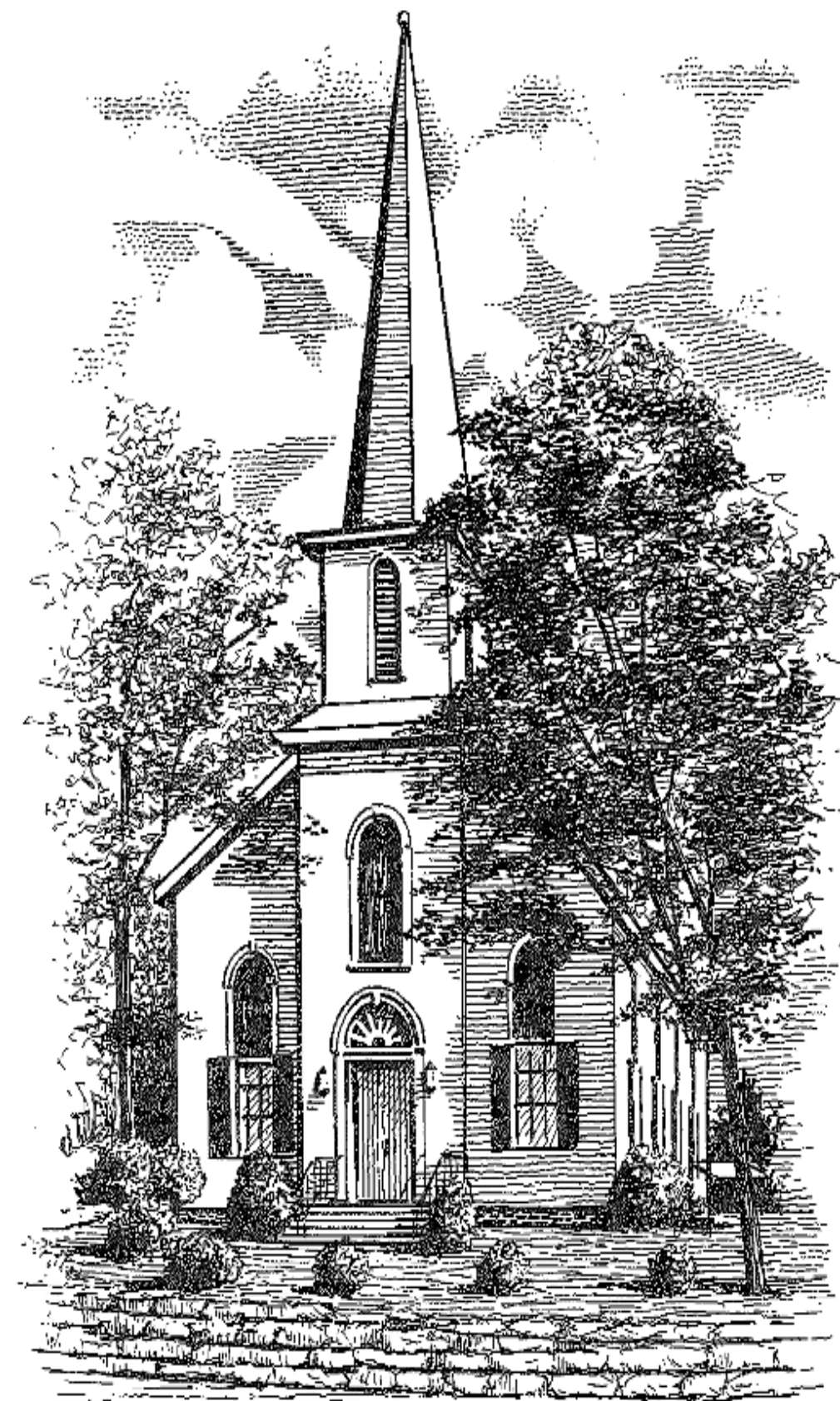
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Is Jesus Christ, Her Lord..."*

Morning Worship

The Lord’s Day, July 9, 2017

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

Meditation

“Every love will rise again and live forever in heaven: but none will rise again until it has been buried.”

- C.S. Lewis, *The Great Divorce*

Prelude

Jacquelyn Thornell, organist

Welcome & Announcements

Call to Worship *

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Leader: Praise the Lord! Praise the Lord from the heavens; praise him in the heights!

People: Praise him, all his angels; praise him, all his hosts!

Leader: Praise him, sun and moon, praise him, all you shining stars!

People: Praise him, you highest heavens, and you waters above the heavens!

Leader: Let them praise the name of the Lord! For he commanded and they were created.

People: Kings of the earth and all peoples, princes and all rulers of the earth!

Leader: Young men and maidens together, old men and children!

People: Let them praise the name of the Lord, for his name alone is exalted; his majesty is above earth and heaven.

Hymn of Praise *

N^o 65

“Before Jehovah’s Awesome Throne”

Invocation

*Congregation Standing

** 11 am Service Only

Hymn of Praise *

N^o 528

“My Faith Looks Up to Thee”

Responsive Reading

N^o 794

Psalm 29

The Lord’s Prayer

Our Father, which art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come. Thy will be done on earth, as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, the power, and the glory for ever and ever. Amen.

Pastoral Prayer

God’s Tithes & Our Offerings

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.

Offertory Prayer

Special Music

“Speak, O Lord”

Marsha Glover, soloist

Children Dismissed to Children’s Church **

Reading of Holy Scripture

N^o 812

1 Corinthians 10:23-11:1

Sermon

DR. JOHN DAWSON

“License to Look Like Christ”

Hymn of Hymn of Response *

N^o 256

“There Is a Green Hill Far Away”

Benediction *

Postlude *

IN PRAYER

- **Missionary of the Week:** Rev. & Mrs. Rodney Davila (Costa Rica)
- **Ministry of the Week:** Mississippi Benevolences Network
- **Shepherding Group of the Week:** Jackie Thompson, Scotty Dickey
- **Child(ren) of the Week:** Jesse & Jonathan Dickey
- God would bless us with new **conversions, visitors, families, & members.**
- **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.
- **Jerry Adkins,** Courtney Hancock’s uncle: congestive heart failure & breathing problems, in ICU, may not make it through the weekend.
- **Gage Parker,** 18 yr old son of Barbara Fowler’s friend & co-worker, Gina: diagnosed with Non Hodgkin's Lymphoma B Cell, PET scan scheduled.
- **Jane Dowell,** mother of Alex Word’s friend, LeAndrea Hampton: recently discovered brain tumor, waiting for test results to determine if cancerous.
- **Lois Carmen:** at Baptist, possibly over-prescribed pain meds, running tests.
- **Peter Glover:** injured leg, had MRI.
- **Ken Dawson,** brother of John Dawson: double pneumonia, acute respiratory distress, renal malfunction, some improvement, still on ventilator.
- **Florene Dove:** recovering from knee replacement surgery.
- **Helen Mannery:** recovering from knee replacement surgery.
- **Nina Hart,** Evelyn Carpenter’s mother: showing improvement, therapy at Brandon Nursing & Rehab, hopes to be able to walk with walker soon.
- **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: Steven Bell,** Tiffany Glover’s brother: colon cancer returned. **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

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.

ATTENDANCE & FINANCIAL UPDATES

Worship Services (10am/6 pm): July 2	43/80/28
Sunday School:	91
Last Week’s Offering:	\$ 11,255.00
Weekly Budgeted Offering:	\$ 6,381.00
Year to Date Giving:	\$ 206,231.00
Year to Date Budgeted Giving:	\$ 172,287.00 (+\$33,944)