### THIS WEEK @ BPC

**TODAY** 

8:30 AM Worship Service 9:45 AM Sunday School

11:00 AM Worship Service 5:00 PM Choir Rehearsal 6:00 PM Evening Worship

**TUESDAY** 

6:00 PM Men's Bible Study

WEDNESDAY

7:15 AM Devo & Donuts 6:15 PM Women's Bible Study

**FRIDAY** 6:00 PM Game Night

### **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

Men's Fall Bible Study: This fall, the men will be studying Jesus Among Secular Gods. Starting this Tuesday. Refreshments at 6:00 p.m. Study at 6:15 p.m.

Fall Bible Study for Women: Join us this fall for an opportunity to be encouraged in our relationship with the Lord as we study His Word and pray together. Wednesdays, Sept 25-Nov 6; 6:15 p.m.-7:30 p.m. Over 6 weeks we will follow different story threads through the Bible—The Story of the Sabbath and The Story of the Offspring. This is a continuation of our Summer Sunday School Class however, if you were unable to attend the Sunday School class, no worries, we would love to have you join us on Wednesday evenings. We are using Even Better Than Eden: 9 Ways the Bible's Story Changes Everything About Your Story by Nancy Guthrie to guide us. If you need a book and/or a study guide, please let Rebekah Dawson know. Looking forward to seeing you all this Wednesday as we kick off our Fall Bible Study (pizza will be served!).

Game Night: Back by popular demand, the Children's Ministry is hosting a Game Night this Friday, Sept 27<sup>th</sup> at 6-8 p.m. at the church. EVERYONE is invited to share a time of fun and fellowship. Bring a favorite game or just bring yourself. Snacks will be provided.

Bridal Shower: Megan Henry, Josh Stowers' bride-elect, will be honored with a shower on Sunday, Sept 29<sup>th</sup> at 2:00 p.m. in the church fellowship hall. They are registered at Bed Bath & Beyond, Pampered Chef and Bella Vita in Memphis.

**Communion:** We will have the Lord's Supper on Oct 6th.

Ladies' Monday Fall Bible Study: We are studying Sinclair Ferguson's Who Is the Holy Spirit? Next meeting is Oct 7<sup>th</sup> at 1:00 p.m. in the church fellowship hall.

**Skeet Shoot:** The Men's Ministry Team is sponsoring a Skeet Shoot on Oct 12<sup>th</sup> at Turcotte Shooting Range. \$20/person. Bring your own gun and ammo. Shooting starts at 9:30 a.m. Please sign up on the bulletin board.

Reformation Picnic: Make plans to attend a church wide Reformation Picnic at the Belknap's home (102 Crestview Drive) on October 19<sup>th</sup> from 3:00–8:00 p.m. Lots of fall activities and family fun for all ages - EVERYONE from the church is invited! Plan to come for the whole time or just for part of the time. Please see the bulletin board for more information and to sign up.

# Bring Your Bible to School Day®





Be a part of Bring Your Bible to School Day — a nationwide, student-led movement happening on October 3! Go to bringyour bible.org to sign up.

When you sign up, you'll get a free guide with easy tips on how to get started, downloadable posters, sticker and T-shirt designs, information on your legal rights —as well as other fun, interactive activities. You'll also be entered for a chance to win a trip for four to the Museum of the Bible in Washington, D.C.!

### Sermon Notes

"Out of the Heart" Mark 7:1-23

- I. The Hypocrisy of the Heart
- II. The Casuistry of the Heart
- III. The Impurity of the Heart

### CHILDREN'S MINISTRY

**Sunday School:** Classes for 3 years - 6<sup>th</sup> grade meet each Sunday at 9:45 a.m. **Sunday Night:** Come join us August 4<sup>th</sup>-September 29<sup>th</sup> for Catechism Club. Please review your questions! Supper will be provided.

SERVING THIS SUNDAY

Bell Ringer: Kate Inman Next Week: Lara May Inman Nursery: Amy Kaiser/Joni Vance Next Week: Angela Wade September: Angela Wade October: Tiffany Glover

CHILDREN'S CHURCH

September: Rebecca Thompson October: John & Ashley Belknap

### YOUTH MINISTRY

Sunday School: Jr and Sr High classes meet upstairs at 9:45 a.m. every Sunday.

Youth Fellowship: Youth group meets Sunday nights at 6:00 p.m.

Dr. John K. Dawson - Pastor: jdawson@brandonpres.com **Brian Smith** - Director of Youth Ministry

Nate & Susan Inman - Directors of Children's Ministry: susaninman51@yahoo.com; n8inman@gmail.com

Marsha Glover - Music Director: mcglover1451@bellsouth.net Jacquelyn Thornell - Organist: jsthornell@bellsouth.net Luther Stowers - Treasurer: Luther.Stowers@itron.com Buford Nicholson - Custodian: nich939@att.net Cathy Costello - secretary@brandonpres.com

**Elders:** TE John Dawson, RE Scotty Dickey, RE Walt Herrington, RE Gary Morrison, RE Jim Neill, RE Jackie Thompson, RE Nat Whitten

Deacons: Chris Groebe, Nate Inman, Eric Napier, Andrew Rush, Brian Smith, Luther Stowers, John Thompson, Darrin Tolar

### Officers Emeritus:

Elders: Charlie Moak, Elton Jay, Jim McBrayer † Deacons: John McInnis †, Ken Bramlett, Edsel Parks, Richard Harrison.

WOMEN'S MINISTRY ROUND TABLE Women's Ministry Director: Rebekah Dawson Dickey Shepherding Group: Angela McInnis, Dotsy Peel Herrington Shepherding Group: Camille Herrington, Jo Stanford Morrison Shepherding Group: Carol Morrison, Rebecca Thompson Neill Shepherding Group: Melinda Neill Thompson Shepherding Group: Mary Thompson, Jeanne Monsour Whitten Shepherding Group: Molly Napier

### Flowers in the Sanctuary today are given to the Glory of God.

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## Morning Worship

The Lord's Day, September 22, 2019

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

Meditation Matthew 23:23-24

<sup>23</sup>"Woe to you, scribes and Pharisees, hypocrites! For you tithe mint and dill and cumin, and have neglected the weightier matters of the law: justice and mercy and faithfulness. These you ought to have done, without neglecting the others. <sup>24</sup>You blind guides, straining out a gnat and swallowing a came!!"

Prelude "We Pray Now to the Holy Spirit" BUXTEHUDE

ORGANIST JACQUELYN THORNELL

Welcome & Announcements

Call to Worship \* PSALM 148:1-6

Leader: Praise the LORD!

People: Praise the LORD from the heavens;

praise him in the heights!

Leader: Praise him, all his angels;

praise him, all his hosts!

People: Praise him, sun and moon,

praise him, all you shining stars!
Leader: Praise him, you highest heavens,

and you waters above the heavens!

People: Let them praise the name of the LORD!

Leader: For he commanded and they were created.

People: And he established them forever and ever;

he gave a decree, and it shall not pass away.

Hymn of Praise \* N°. 110

"Hallelujah, Praise Jehovah"

Invocation \*

Hymn of Praise \* N° 457

"Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing"

### Corporate Confession of Sin

Eternal Father, you are good beyond all thought, but I am wretched, miserable and blind. My lips are ready to confess, but my heart is slow to feel, and my ways reluctant to amend. I bring my soul to you; break it, wound it, bend it, mold it. Unmask to me sin's deformity, that I may hate it, abhor it, flee from it. My faculties have been a weapon of revolt against you, I have misused my strength and served the adversary of your kingdom. Give me grace to weep over my folly. Grant me to know that the way of transgressors is hard, the evil paths are wretched paths, that to depart from You is to lose all good.

All these sins I mourn, lament, and for them cry pardon. Work in me more profound and abiding repentance; Give me the fullness of a godly grief that trembles and stands in awe, yet ever trusts and loves, which is ever powerful and ever confident; Grant that through the tears of repentance I may see

more clearly the brightness and glories of the saving cross.

Pastoral Prayer

God's Tithes & Our Offerings

Offertory Zachau

"From Heaven to Earth I Come"

### 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.

Anthem \*\* Adult Choir

"If You Love Me"

Dismiss Children For Children's Church (3 & 4 year olds) \*\*

Reading of Holy Scripture Pages 712-713

MARK 7:1-23

Sermon Dr. John Dawson

"Out of the Heart"

Hymn of Response \* N° 699

"Like a River Glorious"

Benediction \*

Postlude \*

\* Congregation Standing \*\* 11:00 Service Only



### ATTENDANCE & FINANCIAL UPDATES

Worship Services (8:30 am/11 am/6 pm): Sept 15
Sunday School:
Last Week's Offering:
Weekly Budgeted Offering:
Year-to-Date Giving:

45/82/54
94
4,282.00
\$ 7,172.00
\$ 282,430.00

Year-to-Date Budgeted Giving: \$ 265,364.00 (+\$17,066)

# 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.

Thank you, my BPC Family, for all of the cards, texts, e-mails, visits, flowers, snacks, and your prayers for my surgery and rehab. Our Lord has been with me in regaining my walk, etc. over these last nine weeks at Wisteria.

On Monday, Caroline took me to Greenwood for at least two weeks. I will have outpatient therapy while there. Every day I am blessed by the tie that binds us Christians to one another. Prayerfully, Jeanne Monsour

### IN PRAYER

- Missionary of the Week: Caleb & Miyoung Cheon (Asia)
- Ministry of the Week: French Camp Academy
- Shepherding Group of the Week: Scotty Dickey and Andrew Rush
- Child(ren) of the Week: Joel Ouzts
- God would bless us with new **conversions**, **visitors**, **families**, & **members**.

### Weddings and Babies:

- Leslie Poole, Gary & Carol Morrison's Daughter: Baby Simon was born prematurely Sept 12<sup>th</sup>, Down Syndrome, still in the hospital, not eating well.
- Chris and Chauncey Blakeney: expecting a baby boy in Nov.
- Josh Stowers and Megan Henry: will be married on Nov 9<sup>th</sup>.
- **Heidi Rogers**, Julie Rogers' Daughter: expecting in February 2020.
- **Jim Smith:** Mother, Helen, passed away on Sept 18<sup>th</sup>, funeral Sept 23<sup>rd</sup>.
- **Jeanne Monsour:** left abductor tendon surgery, with her daughter in Greenwood, continuing rehabilitation.
- Tina Tolar: ongoing treatment with GI and Rheumatologist doctors.
- **Polly Roberts:** congestive heart failure and AFib, still at Baptist Hospital, doing a little better.
- Michael Rogers, Julie Rogers' Nephew: age 36, doing much better, new glasses are helping his headaches, blackout episodes have greatly diminished since he was taken off his meds, now looking for a job.
- Lois Carman: severe back pain from scoliosis, losing weight, pray for a healthy appetite and weight gain.
- Hannah Ming, coworker of Sharon Nicholson: and her husband, Buck, lost their 5 month old baby boy on August 13<sup>th</sup>.
- **Bill Glover:** Parkinson's, continuing physical therapy, doctors are adjusting his meds, has not fainted recently but battles exhaustion daily.
- Gloria Tolar, Darrin Tolar's Mother: recovering from stroke at rehab facility.
- Bob Booth: ALS and Muscular Dystrophy in left arm.

## Loved ones battling cancer:

- Leah Herbert, Ainslie Curtis' teacher: stage 4 cervical cancer, single Mom of a 6<sup>th</sup> grader, currently receiving chemo and radiation treatments.
- **Kelly Langford**, Jacquelyn Thornell's Daughter: good report from MD Anderson, goes back to Houston in Dec.
- Will Glover, Marsha & Bill Glover's Son: late August MRI was clear, next MRI is scheduled for Oct 24<sup>th</sup>, will continue treatments monthly at UAB.
- **Gib Vredeveld,** Julie Rogers' Father: esophageal cancer, will be getting low dose radiation 5-10 days sometime this month.
- Dr. Shenouda: prostate cancer, 99% free of cancer and it is dormant.
- **Billie Stigler,** friend of Jeanne Monsour: praising God for a good report and for every day being better.
- Andrew Gerrard, Jo Stanford's Nephew: Desmoplastic round cell tumor, receiving difficult chemo treatments at MD Anderson.
- **Ken Pinkerton:** prostate cancer, good report from July checkup.
- **Jim Smith**: pancreatic cancer, June 27<sup>th</sup> scan was stable. Praise God!
- Robin Marbury Morris, Jeanne Monsour's Niece: liver & colon cancer, doctors were pleased with her scan, so she will have chemo every 3 wks.
- Andrew McCall, Son of Rev. & Mrs. Perry McCall: acute leukemia.
- **Terry McGinty**, Kerri Matthews' Uncle: has prostate cancer that has metastasized to the bone.
- Service members: S.T. Heath, Joey Brown (nephew of Barbara Fowler)
- Nursing home residents & shut-ins: Dr. John Adams, Joe Berryhill, Evelyn Culpepper, Elsa Davis, Bob & Jody Nelson, Polly & Laverne Roberts