# THIS WEEK @ BPC

#### TODAY

9:00 AM Sunday School

10:00 AM Worship Service 4:30 PM No Choir Rehearsal

5:30 PM Children & Adult Study, Youth Group

7:00 PM Mission Committee

#### **WEDNESDAY**

7:15 AM Devo & Donuts

To livestream the service go to:

# https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCGmzy521B7L2DpUAATtzGHA

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#### **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

Our Daily Bread: Pick up your copy of the March-May issue in the breezeway. Missions Committee: The Missions Committee will meet tonight at 7:00 PM. **Devo & Donuts:** All students in 6<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> grade are invited to join us this Wednesday, February 23<sup>rd</sup> at 7:15 AM for Devo & Donuts.

Adult Choir: No Adult Choir practice today.

**Sunday Night: Flowers:** The flower calendar for 2022 has been posted on the downstairs bulletin board. If you have a date you prefer please sign up early to reserve that date. Feel free to call the church office to sign up.

**2022 Offering Envelopes:** 2022 Offering Envelopes may be picked up in the

Ames Lee: We are starting a fund to help the Lee family as little Ames battles leukemia. If you'd like to contribute, you can earmark your donation to the "Ames Lee Fund," e.g., by writing it in the memo line of a check payable to Brandon Presbyterian Church. All gifts will be tax deductible.

#### CHILDREN'S MINISTRY

**Sunday School:** Classes for 2 years - 6<sup>th</sup> grade meet each Sunday at 9:00 a.m. Sunday Night: The adults and children will meet Sunday evenings thru March 6 from 5:30 - 6:50 PM to learn about Studying the Bible. The adults will meet with the Belknaps and read Help Your Kids Learn & Love the Bible by Danika Cooley, the 4th -6th grade will study the book of Jonah and the 3 year olds - 3rd will be focusing on the continuity of the Old and New Testaments. Nursery and dinner provided. Please see Nate or Susan Inman if you have questions.

SERVING THIS SUNDAY

**Bell Ringer**: Lisa Watson Next Week: Lou Woods Nursery: Lisa & Jim Hellier/Cecile Whitten Next Week: Melinda Neill/Amy

Kaiser

February: Cecile Whitten March: Rebecca Thompson

CHILDREN'S CHURCH

February: Susan Inman April:

YOUTH MINISTRY

**Sunday School:** Jr and Sr High classes meet upstairs at 9:00 a.m. every Sunday.

Youth Fellowship: Youth group meets Sunday evenings at 5:30 p.m.

#### **Sermon Notes**

"Keeper and Provider" 2 Kings 4:38-44

# The Lord Is the Keeper of His People

- A. He can Keep Us in the Face of Carelessness
- B He Can Keep Us in the Face of That Which Can Kill Us

### II. The Lord Is the Provider of His People

- A. The Lord Provides for His People with Little
- B. The Lord Provides for His People in Abundance

#### **STAFF**

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#### **OFFICERS**

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

<u>Deacons</u>: 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

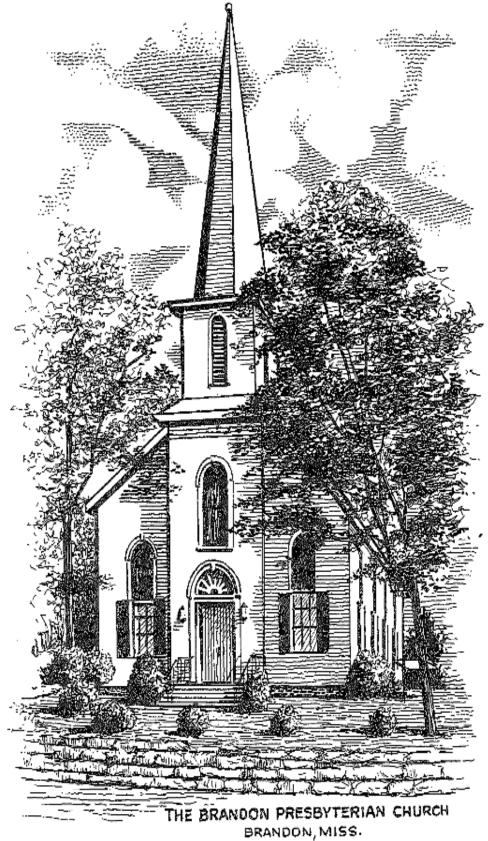
> WOMEN'S MINISTRY ROUND TABLE Women's Ministry

Dickey Shepherding Group: Angela McInnis Herrington Shepherding Group: Camille Herrington, Jo Stanford Morrison Shepherding Group: Kerri Matthews, Carole Morrison, Rebecca Thompson (on leave)

Neill Shepherding Group: Melinda Neill, Becky Inman Thompson Shepherding Group: Mary Thompson, Jeanne Monsour Whitten Shepherding Group:

# The flowers in the Sanctuary are given to the glory of God.

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

# Morning Worship

The Lord's Day, February 20, 2022 During the prelude, please prepare your heart to worship our gracious, Almighty God together.

Meditation PSALM 23:1

"Because the Lord is my shepherd, I shall not want. "

Prelude Jacquelyn Thornell, Organist

"They'll Know We are Christians" - Scholtes/Thomas

# Welcome & Announcements

Call to Worship \* ISAIAH 51:4-6

Leader: Oh come, let us sing to the LORD; let us make a joyful noise to the rock of our salvation!

People: Let us come into his presence with thanksgiving; let us make a joyful noise to him with songs of praise!

Leader: For the LORD is a great God, and a great King above all gods. People: In his hand are the depths of the earth; the heights of the

mountains are his also.

Leader: The sea is his, for he made it, and his hands formed the dry land.

People: Oh come, let us worship and bow down; let us kneel before the LORD, our Maker!

Leader: For he is our God,

People: And we are the people of his pasture, and the sheep of his hand.

Hymn of Praise \* N°. 119

"I Sing the Almighty Power of God"

Invocation \*

Hymn of Praise \* N°. 562

"All to Jesus I Surrender"

# Corporate Confession of Sin

Almighty God, we acknowledge and confess that we have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed; we have not loved you with all of our heart, soul, mind, and strength; we have not loved our neighbor as ourselves. Deepen within us our sorrow for the wrong we have done, and the good we have left undone. Lord, you are full of compassion and gracious, slow to anger, and plenteous in mercy; there is always forgiveness with you! Restore to us the joy of your salvation; bind up that which is broken, give light to our minds, strength to our wills, and rest to our souls. Speak to each of us, and let your word abide with us until it has wrought in us your holy will. Amen.

#### Assurance of Pardon

ROMANS 8:1

"There is therefore now no condemnation for those who are in Christ Jesus."

Pastoral Prayer

God's Tithes & Our Offerings

Offertory Jacquelyn Thornell

"O Jesus, I Have Promised" - Warriner/Mann

# 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.

Special Music

Dr. Dawson

"Come Ye Sinners"

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

Reading of Holy Scripture

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2KINGS 4:38-44

Sermon

Dr. John K. Dawson

"Keeper and Provider"

Hymn of Response \*

N<sup>o.</sup> 57

"Hallelujah, Praise Jehovah, O My Soul"

Benediction

Postlude \*

Congregation Standing

# ATTENDANCE & FINANCIAL UPDATES

Worship Services (10:00): Feb 13 95 Live Views: 10 **Total Online Views:** 23 65 Sunday School: Last Week's Offering: \$3,793.00 \$5,105.00 Online Giving: Weekly Budgeted Offering: \$7.650.00 Year-to-Date Giving: \$55,036.00 Year-to-Date Budgeted Giving: \$53,550.00 (+\$1,486.00)

- Service members: Glenn Stewart (Fort Campbell, KY; Sam Heath's nephew); Jesse Thomas Dickey; Matthew Hellier (Japan); S.T. Heath; Joey Brown (Barbara Fowler's nephew)
- Nursing home residents & shut-ins: Martha Baker, Joe Berryhill, Evelyn Culpepper, Jody Nelson

# 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

- MTW Missionary of the Week: David White (MTW Support)
- Ministry of the Week: French Camp
- Shepherding Group of the Week: Jim Neill and Nate Inman
- **Child(ren) of the Week**: Ryan Groebe
- College Student of the Week: Rebecca Groebe
- God would bless us with new conversions, visitors, families, & members.
- **Dotsy Peel:** home; recovering from surgery; keep her in your prayers.
- **Stephanie Daniels** (Noel Daniels's wife): had a stroke; still at Wisteria; slowly making progress; keep praying.
- **Jimmy Lathem** (Skip Lathem's brother): passed away last Monday; please remember Skip and his family in your prayers.
- David Anderson (Kerri Matthew's uncle): had surgery Feb. 10<sup>th</sup> at Houston Methodist Hospital to remove his brain tumor; surgery went well and they began gene therapy. He will be in ICU for several days.
- Brady Stewart (Carol Booth's son-in-law): has been diagnosed with cardiac sarcoidosis. He's being treated with steroids and other medications to help reduce inflammation.
- **John Mark Whitney** (Barth Whitney's brother): recently had a stroke. He was also diagnosed with diabetes and congestive heart failure. Please keep him in your prayers.
- Russ Akers (Karen's "father" at French Camp): recently passed away. He was a "father" to many, many girls at French Camp. Please remember Karen and the French Camp family in your prayers.
- Ames Lee (Chad and Wendy Lee's son): is receiving treatment for leukemia at Blair Batson hospital. Please keep Ames and his family in your prayers.
- Bill Glover: Doctors have been unable to pinpoint the origin of his ongoing pain.
- Cindy Vredeveld (Julie Rogers' sister-in law): is now back at home with my brother and doing well. Thank you all for the prayers for her healing.
- Jennifer McDonald (Julie Rogers' daughter): has regained only some of her ability to smell from having covid a year ago; she can smell strong odors only. Her blood clots are under control as long as she stays on her Eliquis.
- **Danny Fillinger** (Karen Whitney's father): fell & broke 5 ribs; home now on oxygen. Pray for full recovery and strength.

# Loved ones battling cancer:

- Andrew McCall (Son of Rev. & Mrs. Perry McCall): acute leukemia; celebrated his 16<sup>th</sup> birthday, in Jan. He had a good cancer clinic visit on Jan. 10; all blood counts were good. Nex checkup and Cat scan in May. He also has severe sleep apnea and Avascular Necrosis in his ankles & knees. Thank you for your continued prayers.
- Andrew Gerrard (Jo Stanford's nephew): his latest scan at MDA showed that his cancer remains stable. Praise to God! Since he is at the end of the line with standard DSRCT protocols, he is going to have to move to more experimental drugs. There is a trial available that he is eligible for... not specifically for DSRCT, but it does target the NTRK gene fusion. His cancer translocation signals the NTRK and the drug on trial blocks the NTRK. His doctor say that this drug has the potential to help him. Insurance approval should come in the next 2 weeks, so he should be able to start the trial soon after. The plan is for him to participate in the trial in Nashville. Please pray for all logistics to work out smoothly if it is God's will for Andrew to participate in this trial.
- **Jim Smith:** pancreatic cancer; doing well. Jim's December 14 scan was stable. We want to thank our BPC family for all the prayer support. We are so thankful for these blessings.
- **Terry McGinty** (Kerri Matthews' uncle): prostate cancer; has metastasized to the bone; weak, difficulty walking.