

THIS WEEK @ BPC

TODAY

9:00 AM Sunday School
10:00 AM Worship Service
4:30 PM Choir Rehearsal
5:30 PM Children & Adult Study, Youth Group

TUESDAY

9:30 AM Women's Project Ministry Group

To livestream the service go to:

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

Spring Adult Sunday School Class: Dr. Jim Neill will lead the Spring Adult Sunday School Class starting next Sunday in the Fellowship Hall. Isaiah: What is prophecy and who is a prophet? The history in the book of Isaiah and the history of Isaiah. Major themes in Isaiah: Isaiah's call, judgement and restoration, holiness of God, the suffering servant, the call to witness of his people, the sovereign Lord of history and the glorious new Zion. And that's not all!

Women's Project Ministry Group: Tuesday, March 1st, at 9:30 AM.

Look/after: We will be taking an offering throughout March for retired pastors, widows, and other PCA church servants in need.

Our Daily Bread: Pick up your copy of the March-May issue in the breezeway.

Adult Choir: The Adult Choir meets at 4:30-5:20 in the sanctuary on Sunday Evenings.

Flowers: The 2022 calendar is on the downstairs bulletin board. Please sign up to reserve a date or call the church office and Barbara will sign you up.

Ames Lee Fund: Still accepting donations.

CHILDREN'S MINISTRY

Sunday School: Classes for 2 years - 6th 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: Lou Woods

Next Week: Rhett Eastland

Nursery: Melinda Neill/ Amy Kaiser

Next Week: Kerri Matthews/Amy Kaiser

February: Cecile Whitten

March: Rebecca Thompson

February: Susan Inman

CHILDREN'S CHURCH

March:

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

"Faith: Pitfalls and Advantages"

2 Kings 5

I. Beware the Pitfalls of Faith

A. A Pathetic Faith

B. A Presumptive Faith

C. Profiting From Faith

II. Observe the Advantages of Faith

A. Deep Faith

B. Simple Faith

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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.

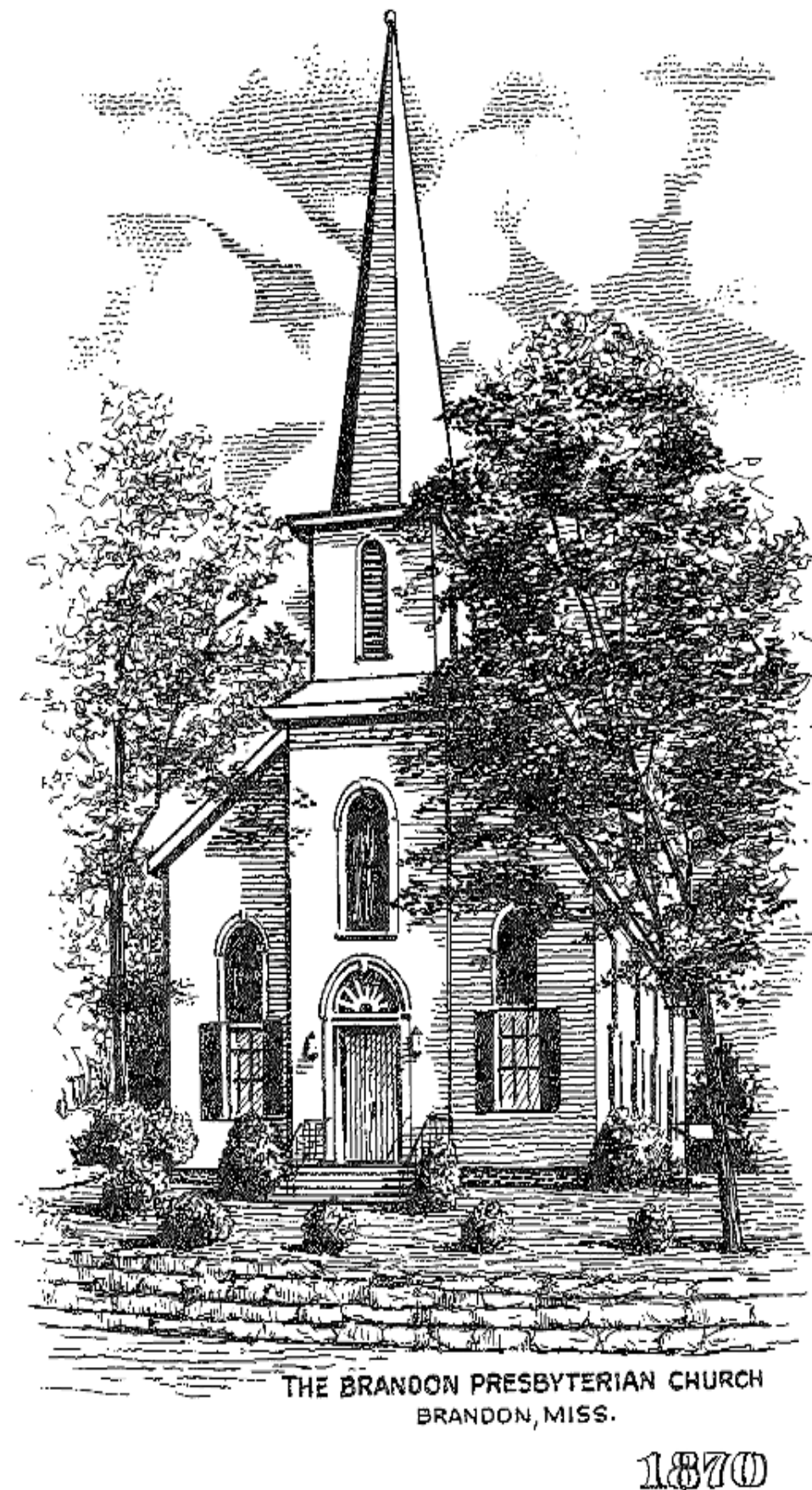
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*"The Church's One Foundation
Is Jesus Christ, Her Lord..."*

Morning Worship

The Lord's Day, February 27, 2022
During the prelude, please prepare your heart
to worship our gracious, Almighty God together.

Meditation

“How firm a foundation ye saints of the Lord is laid for your faith in his excellent Word! What more can he say than to you He has said, to you who for refuge to Jesus have fled?”

Prelude

JACQUELYN THORNELL, ORGANIST

“Te Deum Laudamus”- Buxtehude

Welcome & Announcements

Call to Worship *

PSALM 19:7-11

Leader: The law of the LORD is perfect, reviving the soul; the testimony of the LORD is sure, making wise the simple;

People: The precepts of the LORD are right, rejoicing the heart; the commandment of the LORD is pure, enlightening the eyes;

Leader: the fear of the LORD is clean, enduring forever; the rules of the LORD are true, and righteous altogether.

People: More to be desired are they than gold, even much fine gold; sweeter also than honey and drippings of the honeycomb.

Leader: Moreover, by them is your servant warned;

People: In keeping them there is great reward.

Hymn of Praise *

N^o. 94

“How Firm a Foundation”

Invocation *

Hymn of Praise *

INSERT

“In Christ Alone”

(Marsha, piano)

Responsive Reading

HEBREWS 12:1-11

Leader: Therefore, since we are surrounded by so great a cloud of witnesses, let us also lay aside every weight, and sin which clings so closely, and let us run with endurance the race that is set before us,

People: Looking to Jesus, the founder and perfecter of our faith, who for the joy that was set before him endured the cross, despising the shame, and is seated at the right hand of the throne of God.

Leader: Consider him who endured from sinners such hostility against himself, so that you may not grow weary or fainthearted. In your struggle against sin you have not yet resisted to the point of shedding your blood. And have you forgotten the exhortation that addresses you as sons?

People: “My son, do not regard lightly the discipline of the Lord, nor be weary when reproved by him. For the Lord disciplines the one he loves, and chastises every son whom he receives.”

Leader: It is for discipline that you have to endure. God is treating you as

sons. For what son is there whom his father does not discipline?

People: If you are left without discipline, in which all have participated, then you are illegitimate children and not sons. Besides this, we have had earthly fathers who disciplined us and we respected them. Shall we not much more be subject to the Father of spirits and live?

Leader: For they disciplined us for a short time as it seemed best to them, but he disciplines us for our good, that we may share his holiness.

People: For the moment all discipline seems painful rather than pleasant, but later it yields the peaceful fruit of righteousness to those who have been trained by it.

Pastoral Prayer

God's Tithes & Our Offerings

Offertory

Jacquelyn Thornell

“Blessed Jesus, at Thy Word” - Walther

Gloria Patri *

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost; as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen, amen.

Special Music

SHELLIE KEMP/VIOLIN

“Be Thou My Vision” - Katrina Burnette
(Jacquelyn Thornell/piano)

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

Reading of Holy Scripture

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Sermon

DR. JOHN K. DAWSON

“Faith: Pitfalls and Advantages”

Hymn of Response *

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“Take My Life and Let It Be”

Benediction

*Congregation Standing

ATTENDANCE & FINANCIAL UPDATES

Worship Services (10:00): Feb 20	99
Live Views:	8
Total Online Views:	22
Sunday School:	76
Last Week's Offering:	\$8,646.00
Online Giving:	\$150.00
Weekly Budgeted Offering:	\$7,650.00
Year-to-Date Giving:	\$63,832.00
Year-to-Date Budgeted Giving:	\$61,200.00 (+\$2,632.00)

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:** Walt Herrington, Brian Smith, Darrin Tolar
- **Child(ren) of the Week:** Lawson, Keaton, and Hayes Hoge
- **College Student of the Week:** Samuel Hellier
- 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): still at Wisteria; slowly making progress; keep praying.
- **Jimmy Lathem** (Skip Lathem's brother): passed away Feb. 14; please remember Skip and his family in your prayers.
- **David Anderson** (Kerri Matthew's uncle): had surgery Feb. 10th 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.
- **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 16th birthday, in Jan.; 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.
- **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, Laverne Roberts