

THIS WEEK @ BPC

TODAY

9:00 AM Sunday School
 9:55 AM Worship Service
 6:00 PM Evening Worship Service

WEDNESDAY

5:30 PM Wednesday Night Fellowship

SATURDAY

8:30-10:30 PM Mug & Muffin

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Men's Summer Sunday School Class: Various teachers are currently providing an overview of the Pentateuch (the first five books of the Bible).

Ladies' Summer SS Class: Lisa Hellier is leading a Ladies' Summer SS Class. We are studying in Genesis: The Life of Joseph. Hope you will join us!

Adult Choir Rehearsal: We won't have adult choir rehearsal this Sunday, 9/15 but will resume next week due to Bill's surgery.

Wednesday Night Fellowship: Each Wednesday with dinner at 5:30 PM and adult, youth, and children's activities from 6:30 PM-7:30 PM. The adults will study and discuss a biblical model for parenting using Tedd Tripp's excellent book, *Shepherding A Child's Heart*.

Mug & Muffin: This Saturday, September 21st from 8:30-10:30 AM. Hope you can drop by and enjoy food & fellowship with other ladies. Don't forget your mug and bring a treat if you like.

The Will Brown Memorial Golf Tournament: is Saturday, October 5th at Bay Pointe Golf Club; \$45 for golf & lunch. The sign-up sheet is on the bulletin board. If you wish to donate prizes for the tournament, you can leave them at the church office.

Crates for Ukraine: CFU is a ministry of MTW whose mission is "to provide personal and humanitarian aid from the hands of churches in the US to the hands of churches and displaced communities in Ukraine." Each crate costs \$2,500 to fill. Learn more at www.cratesforukraine.com. In partnership with the Pearl and Florence PCA churches, we will take special offerings during the evening service on 10/6 and 10/13.

Men's Morning Book Study: Beginning Tuesday, October 8th from 6:00 - 7:00 AM, Nate Inman will be leading a discussion of the book *Respectable Sins: Confronting the Sins We Tolerate* by Jerry Bridges. We will meet every other week in the Fellowship Hall, and breakfast will be provided. Contact Nate if you'd like a book or have any questions.

Samaritan's Purse Shoeboxes: Samaritan Purse's Operation Christmas Child is beginning. If you would like to participate, boxes are available for pickup in the café area.

CHILDREN'S MINISTRY

Sunday School: Classes for 2 years - 6th grade meet each Sunday at 9:00 AM.

Wednesday Night: The children (3 year olds - 6th) are studying Worship from 6:30 - 7:30 PM. We will be learning Who we are to worship, How we are to worship from both the Old and New Testament and Why we are to worship. Join us as we seek to become more engaged worshippers of our Creator!

SERVING SUNDAY

Bell Ringer: Antley Grace Eastland **Next Week:** Ann Hatten Lyons
Nursery: Savannah Brewer (SS), Carrie & Thatcher Mills (WS)/Amy Kaiser **Evening Service:** Ashley Belknap & Tracity Shores **Wednesday:** Davida Curtis & Melinda Neill **Next Sunday:** Emily Lee (SS) (WS)/Amy Kaiser **Evening Service:** Savannah Brewer & Tracity Shores **Wednesday:** Davida Curtis & Melinda Neill
September: Gray Ouzts **October:** Rebecca Thompson
Children's Church: Susan Inman & Cortney Greer **Next week:** Susan Inman & Savannah Brewer

YOUTH MINISTRY

Sunday School: Jr and Sr. High classes meet upstairs at 9:00 AM every Sunday.
Youth Fellowship: Youth Group meet at 6:30 PM. on Wednesdays.

Sermon Notes "Three Transformational Truths" Ephesians 1:18-19

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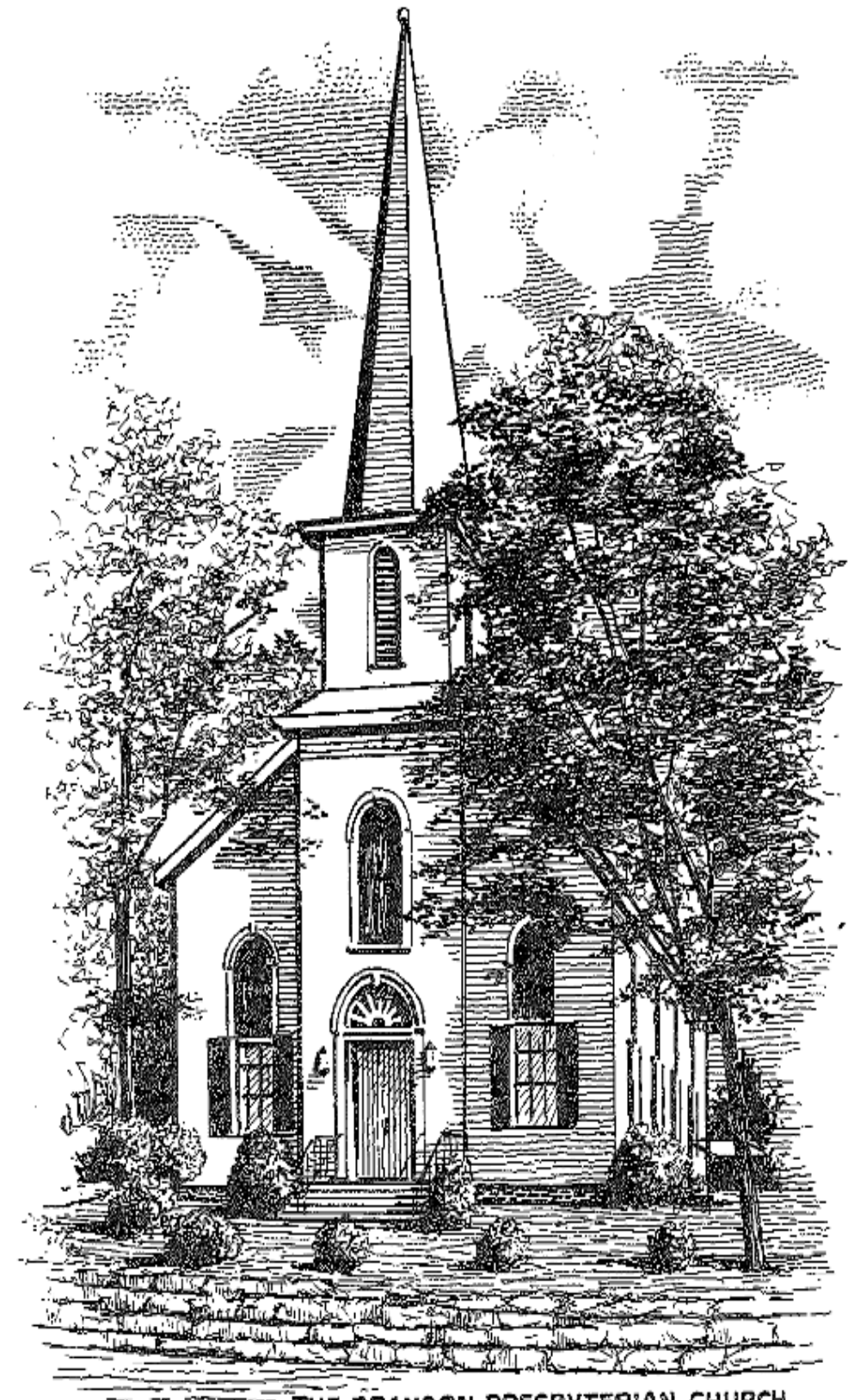
WOMEN'S MINISTRY

Leadership Team - Nancilynn Dickey, Julie Huddleston, Becky Inman, Kerri Matthews, Carole Morrison, Jeanne Monsour, Melinda Neill, Elizabeth Pinkerton, Jo Stanford, Mary Thompson
Flower Coordinators - Deanna Rush & Gray Ouzts

The flowers in the Sanctuary are give to the glory of God .

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 Mills at the end of the service. Let an usher or Pastor Mills know if you have any questions.



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 Is Jesus Christ, Her Lord..."*

Morning Worship

The Lord's Day, September 15, 2024

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

Meditation EDMUND CLOWNEY

Canaan as the inheritance of Israel is contrasted with our inheritance. Israel received the earthly foreshadowing; we receive the heavenly fulfillment. Because our inheritance is in heaven, nothing on earth can alter or destroy it.

Welcome & Announcements

Prelude/Preparation for Worship JOSH PEOPLES, ORGANIST

“Be Still and Know That I Am God” - arr. M. McDonald

Call to Worship * HEBREWS 1:1-2

Long ago, at many times and in many ways, God spoke to our fathers by the prophets, but in these last days he has spoken to us by his Son, whom he appointed the heir of all things, through whom also he created the world. *All you who hear, draw near to his temple and adore the Son of God.*

Invocation EPHESIANS 1:13-14

Psalm of Praise * N^o. 66

“God Is Known among His People” (Psalm 76)

New Membership & Baptism REV. BRAD MILLS

Gunnar & Mollye Brown (Banx);
Grant & Melanie McIntyre with Ross;
Ginger Sasser with Miles; and Michael Vance.

Psalm of Praise * N^o. 40

“God Is Our Refuge and Our Strength” (Psalm 46)

Pastoral Prayer JOHN THOMPSON

God's Tithes & Our Offerings MALACHI 3:10

Bring the whole tithe into the storehouse, so that there may be food in My house, and test Me now in this,” says the Lord of hosts, “if I will not open for you the windows of heaven, and pour out for you a blessing until it overflows.”

Offertory JOSHUA PEOPLES

“Jesu, Joy of Man's Desiring” - arr. R.R. Peery

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.

Prayer of Thanksgiving JOHN THOMPSON

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

Reading of Holy Scripture PAGE 976

Ephesians 1:18-19

Sermon REV. BRAD MILLS

“Three Transformational Truths”

Hymn of Response * N^o. 546

“The Sands of Time Are Sinking”

Benediction 1 SAMUEL 2:8; PSALM 37:40, 34, 28

The Lord raises up the poor from the dust; he lifts the needy from the ash heap to make them sit with princes and inherit a seat of honor. May he deliver you, exalt you, and preserve you forever.

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.

*Congregation Standing

ATTENDANCE & FINANCIAL UPDATES

Worship Services (10 AM/6 PM): Sept. 8	142/69
Live Views:	10/6
Total Online views:	38/30
Sunday School:	99
Last Week's Offering:	\$ 5,973.00
Online Giving :	\$ 862.00
Weekly Budgeted Offering:	\$ 9,390.00
Year-to-Date Giving:	\$320,136.00 (-17,874.00)
Year-to-Date Budgeted Giving:	\$338,010.00

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Office Hours: Tuesday-Friday, 8:30 AM — 12:30 PM

IN PRAYER

- **Ministries of the Week:** Palmer Home & Florence Church Plant
- **Shepherding Group of the Week:** Nat Whitten, Luther Stowers, Eric Napier
- **Child(ren) of the Week:** Steele Stanford
- **College Student of the Week:** Samuel Hellier
- God would bless us with new **conversions, visitors, families, & members.**

- **BPC Children's Ministry:** Please pray for our children to realize they are sinners that need Christ's redemptive work. Pray that they seek after Christ, honor their parents and stay healthy and safe. Pray for our parents that they will lead our children to Christ by their words and example. Pray that God will provide Sunday School teachers.

- **Katharine Case** (Cortney Greer's grandmother): was admitted to the hospital last Friday with a UTI which is now under control but she is unable to swallow and having trouble eating. We aren't sure what the next steps will be.
- **Darrin Tolar:** pray for Darrin, Tina and their family who are mourning the loss of Darrin's father, Doyle Tolar.
- **Kathleen Rush** (Andrew Rush's Mother): Please remember Andrew's family as his Mom is under hospice care.
- **Lois Carman:** recovering from fall at Briar Hill Nursing Home; continue praying her pain will diminish. We are thanking the Lord for protecting her from serious injury.
- **Beeg Ford:** recovering from a fractured vertebra; now living at Villa South Assisted Living in Florence.
- **Brady Stewart** (Carol Booth's son-in-law): continues treatment for a very rare heart condition. Thank you for all your prayers.
- **Hays Monsour** (Jeanne Monsour's 21 yr. old nephew): at home in Meridian. Please pray for his recovery to continue.
- **Tina Tolar:** dealing with several chronic illnesses.

Loved ones battling cancer:

- **Ames Lee** (Chad and Wendy Lee's son): leukemia; +704 and at home; doing well overall; his labs look great. Hopefully in one week we can start weaning his meds. His energy level has been good. We go back mid-September for labs and Ames will have a pulmonary function test to make sure he isn't having any GVHD of the lungs. Please pray his labs are stable, we can start to wean meds, and his pulmonary function test will be normal. Thank you for your prayers and support for our family.
- **Bill Inman:** started his cancer treatments August 28th; the treatments may last six to eight months.
- **Will Saulter** (Jan Heath's 21 year old neighbor): diagnosed with brain cancer. His MRI results showed that he is stable; chemo will continue and next MRI will be this fall. Thank you for all of your prayers!
- **Jim Smith:** had another stable scan; we are praising God for His mercies.
- **Andrew McCall** (Son of Rev. & Mrs. Perry McCall): has gone five years without a relapse and is now classified as cured.
- **Bill Monsour** (Hays Monsour's grandfather): Continues chemo to control his cancer.
- **Nursing home residents & shut-ins:** Joe Berryhill, Evelyn Culpepper, Jody Nelson, Lois Carman, Beeg Ford, Mary Ruth Ruffin, Dotsy Peel
- **Service members:** Baylor Griggs, being deployed to Japan this month (Scott Word's nephew); Matthew Hellier, CA; Glenn Stewart, Fort Campbell (Sam Heath's nephew); Jesse Thomas Dickey; Joey Brown (Barbara Fowler's nephew); Laurel and Aaron Arnold, (Jeff & Lisa Bynum's daughter and son-in-law)

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