

THIS WEEK @ BPC

TODAY

8:15 AM Prayer Closet
8:30 AM Worship Service
9:45 AM Joint Sunday School for 2nd Grade - Adult (*Nursery*)
11 AM Worship Service (*Nursery, Children's Church*)
5 PM Choir
6 PM Worship Service (*Nursery*)
Youth Bible Study
Children's Activities: Singing with Marsha & Michelle

MONDAY

1 PM Women's Bible Study - *From Garden To Glory*

WEDNESDAY

7:15 AM Devo & Donuts
6:15 PM Family Night Supper (Dawson/McInnis)

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Adult FALL Sunday School Classes. Walt Herrington is leading the **Choir Room Class** through a study of the major prophets. The **Kitchen Class** is following a video study of the Book of Psalms led by Dr. Robert Godfrey from Ligonier ministries.

Women's Bible Study TOMORROW: *From Garden to Glory* by Courtney Doctor continues TOMORROW, at 1 pm. It meets the 1st & 3rd Monday of each month. For more info: Vivian Moore - 601.825.0789 or Carol Booth - 601.594.1036.

Church Directory Update: We are updating the church directory! Please take a look at the sample directory in the breezeway to make sure your information is correct.

Send a Note: Notecards, envelopes, and stamps are available in the breezeway to write a note of encouragement/scripture to Ashley Belknap and her children while they are away. For more info, see Davida Curtis.

500th Anniversary Reformation Celebration, Sunday, October 29, 5 pm - 7 pm: Adult Worship service begins at 5:30 pm, followed by a church-wide Fellowship Meal. If you can help with the meal, please sign up on the bulletin board.

Dear Friends, we want to express our deepest appreciation for the kindness and generosity that you have shown our family. It has been a joy and blessing to worship with you at BPC over the years. We have made wonderful memories, friendships, and grown in our faith. Thank you for investing your time and heart in our lives. We will miss you very much, Please stop by and visit us at the beach! In Christ, The Carltons

CHILDREN'S MINISTRY

TONIGHT @ 6 pm! *We're Singing with Marsha & Michelle!* Dinner Provided.

500th Anniversary Reformation Celebration: Sunday, October 29 at 5 pm. Reformation lesson, games, fellowship meal, and Martin Luther will be making an appearance! well! Don't miss this opportunity to celebrate the *500th Anniversary* of the Reformation with us! We need some help with the meal; please see the bulletin board to sign up!

NO Children's Church on the 5th Sunday of the month: *October 29*. Children will join their parents in the worship service.

SERVING THIS SUNDAY

Bell Ringer: Merrian Glover

Nursery: Tiffany G., Rebecca T., Rebekah D.

October: Bethany & Mark Lee

Next Week: Kate Inman

Next Week: ?

November: TBD

YOUTH MINISTRY

TONIGHT @ 6 pm: Jr. High & Sr. High students will meet in the Sr. High Sunday School Room for Bible Study, Food, & Fun led by Nate Inman.

SERMON NOTES

October 15, 2017

1 Corinthians 15:35-58

I. By the Father

II. Through the Son

III. In the Holy Spirit

STAFF

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OFFICERS

Elders: TE John Dawson, RE Walt Herrington, RE Gary Morrison,
RE Jackie Thompson, RE Nat Whitten

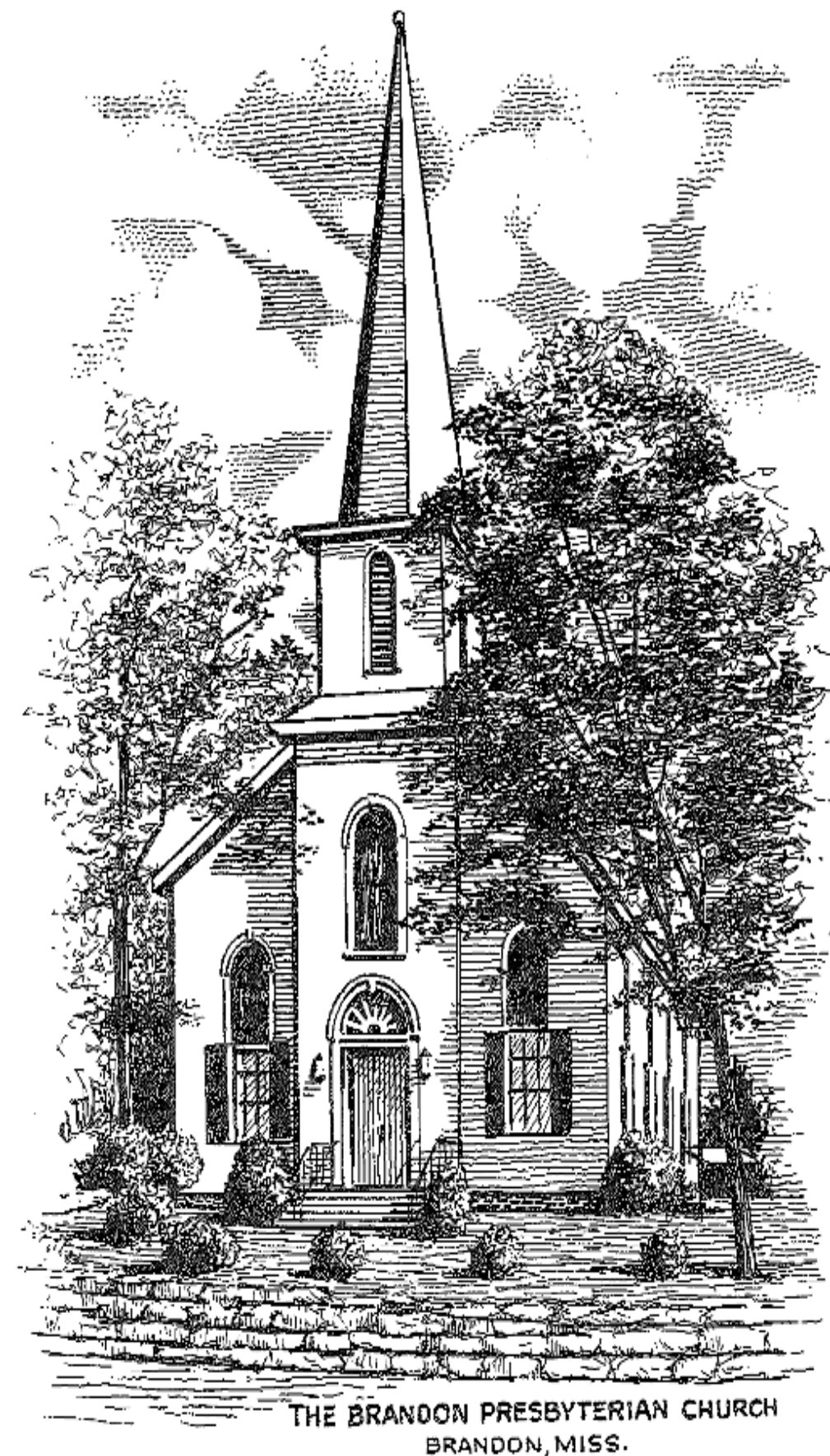
Deacons: Scotty Dickey, John McInnis, Brian Smith,
Luther Stowers, John Thompson, Joe Williams

WOMEN'S MINISTRY ROUND TABLE

Women's Ministry Director: Rebekah Dawson
Dawson Shepherding Group: Angela McInnis, Dotsy Peel
Thompson Shepherding Group: Mary Thompson, Melinda Neill
Whitten Shepherding Group: Jeanne Monsour, Molly Napier
Morrison Shepherding Group: Kerri Matthews
Herrington Shepherding Group: Camille Herrington, Jo Stanford, Michelle Smith

Sanctuary Flowers are given to the glory of God by Angela & John McInnis.

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

Morning Worship

The Lord’s Day, October 15, 2017

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

Meditation

“...but those who hope in the Lord will renew their strength. They will soar on the wings like eagles; they will run and not grow weary, they will walk and not faint.”

- Isaiah 40:31

Prelude

“Fugue in G Major”
Jacquelyn Thornell, organist

BACH

Welcome & Announcements

Call to Worship *

PHILIPPIANS 2:5-11

Leader: Have this mind among yourselves, which is your in Christ Jesus, who, though he was in the form of God, did not count equality with God a thing to be grasped, but emptied himself, by taking the form of a servant, being born in the likeness of men.

People: **And being found in human form, he humbled himself by becoming obedient to the point of death, even death on the cross.**

Leader: Therefore God has highly exalted him and bestowed on him the name that is above every name,

People: **So that at the name of Jesus every knee should bow, in heaven and on earth and under the earth, and every tongue confess that Jesus Christ is Lord, to the glory of God the Father.**

Hymn of Praise *

“All Hail the Power of Jesus’ Name”

N^o. 296

Invocation

Hymn of Praise *

“I Love Thy Kingdom Lord”

N^o. 353

Missions Moment

Engaging Disability With the Gospel

Ashley Belknap

Pastoral Prayer

God’s Tithes & Our Offerings

“Morning Has Broken”

Arr. by WAGNER

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 **

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Adult Choir

Children Dismissed to Children's Church

Reading of Holy Scripture

1 Corinthians 15:35-58

N^o. 815

Sermon

“Inconceivable?”

DR. JOHN DAWSON

Hymn of Response *

“Thou Art Coming, O My Savior”

N^o. 326

Benediction *

Postlude *

*Congregation Standing
** 11 am Service Only

IN PRAYER

- **Missionary of the Week:** Rev. & Mrs. Goodman
- **Ministry of the Week:** Covenant Seminary
- **Shepherding Group of the Week:** John Dawson, John McInnis
- **Child(ren) of the Week:** Oliver & Elliot Dawson
- God would bless us with new **conversions, visitors, families, & members.**
- **Director of Student Ministries Search Committee:** Scotty Dickey, Michelle Smith, Chris Groebe, Kerri Matthews.

- **Kayla Tolar & Andrew Downs:** engaged; wedding May 18, 2018.

- **Will Glover,** son of Marsha & bill Glover: Brain tumor, surgery on 10/13.
- **Jacquelyn Thornell,** on antibiotics, MRI and appointment with surgeon in Nov.
- **The Blackwells:** moving to Louisiana at the end of this month.
- **Linda Harrison:** At home from St. Dominic with medication and diet restrictions.
- **Fairly Cooper:** Two heart attacks, improving daily, feels better, begins PT soon.
- **John McInnis:** pancreatic & liver cancer, begins chemo October 17.
- **Jim Smith:** diagnosed with pancreatic cancer, surgery Wed. Oct. 18.
- **Vic Borromeo,** Scott Word’s uncle: recovering from double lung transplant; immune system, stamina & spirits are low. Hasn’t returned to work yet.
- **Vic Shivers,** friend of Angela & John McInnis: infection after back surgery.
- **Joni & Michael Vance:** expecting baby October 23, baby has hole in heart, will need valve replacement surgery.
- **Lois Carmen:** slow in recovering from recent stay in the hospital.
- **Evelyn Culpepper:** broken femur, recovering from surgery at her daughter’s.
- **Gage Parker,** 18 yr old son of Barbara Fowler’s friend, Gina: Non Hodgkin's Lymphoma, chemo in hospital, last scans show some decrease in cancer cells.

- **Loved ones battling cancer: Joyce Ellzey,** David Wade’s aunt: Chemo for next 4 months, followed by surgery. **Jane Dowell,** mother of Alex Word’s friend, LeAndrea Hampton: aggressive brain cancer, she may have 6 months - 3 years to live. **Steven Bell,** Tiffany Glover’s brother: liver cancer returned, stage 4. **Melanie Morano,** daughter of Peggy Jordan’s neighbor: small recurrence of brain cancer, moving to MD Anderson. **Jack Thompson,** uncle of Scott Word: prostate cancer, all looks well so far, test in November. **Robin Marbury Morris,** Jeanne Mon-sour’s niece: colon & liver cancer, will continue chemo here in Jackson. **Judy Bramlett,** Ken Bramlett’s sister-in-law: found two more tumors, hoping to get into clinical study. **Bobby Taylor,** John Dawson’s cousin: stage 4 lymphoma. **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, Jane Ehman, Jim McBrayer, Merrit McNamee, Peggy Piner, Polly & Laverne Roberts, Mary Jane Thompson

ATTENDANCE & FINANCIAL UPDATES

Worship Services (8 am/11 am/6 pm): October 8	49/71/48
Sunday School:	81
Last Week’s Offering:	\$ 7,709.00
Weekly Budgeted Offering:	\$ 6,381.00
Year to Date Giving:	\$ 297,363.00
Year to Date Budgeted Giving:	\$ 261,621.00 (+\$35,742)

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.