

THIS WEEK @ BPC		
TODAY	8:30 AM	Worship Service
	9:45 AM	Sunday School
	11:00 AM	Worship Service
	6:00 PM	Evening Service / Children & Youth Programs
MONDAY	1:00 PM	Ladies Bible Study

ANNOUNCEMENTS

**Ladies Bible Study:** Begins tomorrow, September 17. We meet at 1:00 pm on the 1st and 3rd Mondays of each month and will be using Sinclair Ferguson’s *Sermon on the Mount*, study guide and DVD. Please join us as we encourage each other and explore God’s Word. If you plan to participate, text or call Carol Booth (601.594.1036) or Vivien Moore (601.825.0789) so that we can order your study guide.

**Family Night Supper:** We hope to see everyone at the Family Night Supper this Wednesday at 6:15 p.m. Please bring a dish to share. These meals are always wonderful opportunities for fellowship, and for getting to know brothers and sisters in the Lord.

**Women’s Evening Bible Study:** Come join together around God’s Word as we look at FAITH through Hebrews 11. Each Wednesday, September 26 through November 7, from 6:15-7:30 pm at the church. We will be using Paul David Tripp’s “*Faith - What Are Your Hoping For?*” study book. Need a book? See Rebekah Dawson.

**Fall Adult Sunday School:** Beginning today, classes for the fall quarter will be, in the Kitchen Class, “Luther and the Reformation” led by Scotty Dickey and in the Piano Class, “The Great Commission & The Significance of the Reformation”, led by Jackie Thompson.

**Pictorial Directory Photos:** Reminder..... photo sessions begin on Tuesday September 18 for the church directory!

**Adult Choir:** We will be having our Christmas Kick-off tonight at 5:00 p.m. If you would like to join us for the Christmas Cantata, please come and enjoy a time of food and fellowship and a preview of the Cantata for this Christmas!

CHILDREN’S MINISTRY

**Sunday School:** Classes for 3 yrs - 5th grade meet each Sunday at 9:45 am. Copies of the Sunday School rotation/volunteers are in the church office.

SERVING THIS SUNDAY

<b>Bell Ringer:</b> James Wade	<b>Next Week:</b> John Palmer Word
<b>Nursery:</b> Ellie Word	<b>Next Week:</b>
<b>September:</b> Ellie Word	<b>October:</b> Rebecca Thompson

CHILDREN’S CHURCH

<b>September:</b> Gray Ouzts	<b>October:</b> Susan Inman
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YOUTH MINISTRY

**Sunday School:** Jr & Sr High classes meet upstairs at 9:45 am every Sunday.

**Youth Fellowship:** Movie Night! This Saturday, September 22 at 7:00 pm. Bring your friends and come hang out and watch a movie with us! Contact Amanda with questions .....601.826.0144

SERMON NOTES

John 14:27

- I. Don’t Fall for Poisoned Peace
- II. Come To the Living Water of Peace Jesus Offers

THANK YOU

Dear Church Family,

*Jerry and I so appreciate the thoughtfulness you showed us during my recent illness. Your prayers, meals, cards, phone calls, texts, and visits meant a lot to us. Truly, the love of God blessed us through you. With love and many thanks, Vivien*

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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  
**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 Shepherd Group: Angela McInnis, Dotsy Peel  
Herrington Shepherd Group: Camille Herrington, Jo Stanford  
Morrison Shepherd Group: Carol Morrison  
Neill Shepherd Group: Melinda Neill  
Thompson Shepherd Group: Mary Thompson, Jeanne Monsour  
Whitten Shepherd Group: Molly Napier

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, September 16, 2018

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

## Meditation

But the fruit of the Spirit is.....peace..... Against such a thing there is no law. Galatians 5:23

## Prelude

“Consecration”  
CLARKE  
ORGANIST, JACQUELYN THORNELL

## Welcome & Announcements

## Call to Worship \*

PSALM 125:1-2

LEADER: Those who trust in the LORD are like Mount Zion,  
**PEOPLE: Which cannot be moved, but abides forever.**  
LEADER: As the mountains surround Jerusalem, so the LORD surrounds his people,  
**PEOPLE: From this time forth and forevermore.**

## Hymn of Praise \*

“Come, We That Love the Lord”  
N<sup>o</sup>. 700

## Invocation \*

## Hymn of Praise \*

“Wonderful Words of Life”  
N<sup>o</sup>. 697

## Apostles Creed \* †

## Lord’s Prayer

Our Father, who art in heaven: Hallowed be Thy name. Thy kingdom come. Thy will be done; On earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our debts; As we forgive our debtors. And lead us not into temptation; But deliver us from evil; For Thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory for ever. Amen.

## Pastoral Prayer

## God’s Tithes & Our Offerings

## Offertory

“When I Survey the Wondrous Cross”  
Mason/Pethel

## 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 \*\*

“Redeemed”  
Crosby/Butler

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

## Reading of Holy Scripture

John 14:27  
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## Sermon

“The Gift of Peace”  
DR. JOHN DAWSON

## Hymn of Response \*

“Like a River Glorious”  
N<sup>o</sup>. 699

## Benediction \*

## Postlude \*

† Inside Cover of Hymnal  
\*Congregation Standing  
\*\* 11:00 Service Only

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

- **Missionary of the Week:** Rev. Rodney and Jana Davila (Costa Rica)
- **Ministry of the Week:** Bethany Christian Services
- **Shepherding Group of the Week:** Nat Whitten, Luther Stowers and Eric Napier
- **Child(ren) of the Week:** Eliza, Clara and Layton Matthews
- God would bless us with new **conversions, visitors, families, & members.**

- **Gary & Jenny Wood**, friends of Andrew/Gray Ouzts from GA, baby born, Georgia Anne, with congenital heart defect--recovering from heart surgery.
- **Cathy & Joe Costello:** Baby girl, Sarah Cathryn. Pray for nutrition and for Cathy.
- **Ken Bramlett:** trying to stabilize blood pressure with medication.
- **Evelyn Culpepper:** doing good and been in good spirits, Brandon Court - Room 211

## Loved ones battling cancer:

- **Dr. Shenouda:** prostate cancer, will have hormone and radiation treatment.
- **Will Glover**, son of Marsha & Bill Glover: beginning another round of chemo.
- **Jim Smith:** pancreatic cancer, scan done this past week was good.
- **Kelly Langford**, daughter of Jacquelyn Thornell, awaiting chemotherapy.
- **Robin Marbury Morris**, Jeanne Monsour’s niece: (Liver cancer) Continues to have chemo and will go to Emory Hospital later this month for a possible procedure. Robin’s mom, **Mary Edna Marbury**, is recovering from hip replacement surgery. Robin’s husband’s aunt, **Katherine Stuckey** passed away Wednesday.
- **Judy Bramlett**, Ken Bramlett’s sister-in-law: taking treatments, been nauseated.
- **Roscoe Douglas**, Rebekah Dawson’s SIL’s father: stage 4 colon cancer. He can no longer receive Proton Therapy treatments. There are no other treatments available. Pray for peace and hope as he lives out his days.
- **Andrew McCall**, son of Rev. & Mrs. Perry McCall: acute leukemia; at home recovering from bone marrow transplant.
- **Terry McGinty**, also Kerri’s 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, Joan Allen, Joe Berryhill, Evelyn Culpepper, Jane Ehman, Polly & Laverne Roberts, Mary Jane Thompson

## ATTENDANCE & FINANCIAL UPDATES

Worship Services (8:30 am/11 am/6pm): September 9	48/43/45
Sunday School:	54
Last Week’s Offering:	\$ 7,399.00
Weekly Budgeted Offering:	\$ 6,648.00
Year to Date Giving:	\$ 249,846.00 (+10,518)
Year to Date Budgeted Giving:	\$ 239,328.00