

THIS WEEK @ BPC	
TODAY	8:30 AM Worship Service 9:45 AM Sunday School 11:00 PM Worship Service 5:00 PM Adult Choir Practice 6:00 PM Worship Service / Children / Youth
TUESDAY	6:00 PM Thanksgiving Service
THURSDAY	Thanksgiving (Office Closed)

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Thanksgiving Service: This Tuesday, November 20, at 6:00 p.m. We will meet at Newk's in Brandon afterward for a time of fellowship.

Ladies Bible Study: Meets at 1:00 PM on Monday, November 19.

Hallway Duty: We need people to assist our deacons in security during the 11:00 a.m. and 6:00 p.m. services. Sign up sheet on the bulletin board.

Service Project: For the holidays to benefit Mustard Seed. Place items in the box in the café area this month. See bulletin board for a list of ideas, or if you would like to donate money for items to be purchased, see Davida Curtis.

Christmas Parade: Friday, December 7,..... help needed for the Christmas festivities at the church. Will begin at 5:30 pm. Bring soup or chili to share. We'll provide all the fixin's. Need help with everything..... from decorating to kitchen workers! Sign up on bulletin board.

Save the Date: Ladies, Wednesday, December 5: Ladies Christmas Gathering.... more details coming soon!

CHILDREN'S MINISTRY

Sunday School: Classes for 3 yrs - 5th grade meet each Sunday at 9:45 am. A schedule of the Sunday School rotation/volunteers is posted on the bulletin board.

Singing with Marsha & Michelle tonight at 6:00. We will be preparing for Christmas!

SERVING THIS SUNDAY

Bell Ringer: Merrian Glover	Next Week: Kate Inman
Nursery: Susan Inman	Next Week: Joni Vance
November: Angela Wade	December:

CHILDREN'S CHURCH

November: Belknaps	December:
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YOUTH MINISTRY

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

Youth Fellowship: Youth meet tonight at 6:00 pm.

Sermon Notes

John 16:1-15

I. Like a Good Parent

II. With a Glorious Provision

III. With a Great Promise

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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:

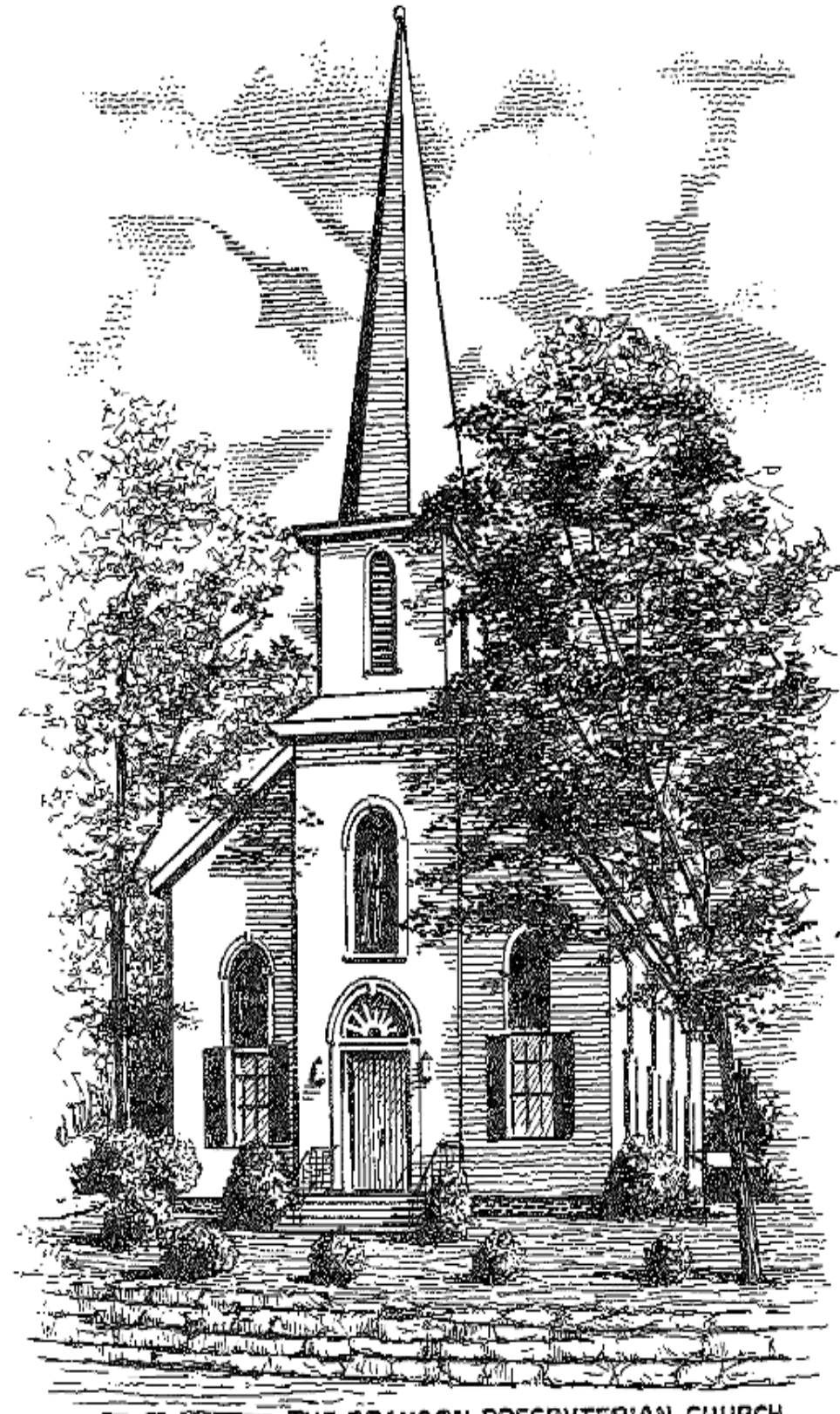
Elders: Charlie Moak, Elton Jay, Jim McBrayer †
Deacons: John McInnis †, Ken Bramlett, Edsel Parks, Richard Harrison.

WOMEN'S MINISTRY ROUND TABLE

Women's Ministry Director: Rebekah Dawson
Dickey Shepherding Group: Angela McInnis, Dotsy Peel
Herrington Shepherding Group: Camille Herrington, Jo Stanford
Morrison Shepherding Group: Carol Morrison, Rebecca Thompson
Neill Shepherding Group: Melinda Neill
Thompson Shepherding Group: Mary Thompson, Jeanne Monsour
Whitten Shepherding 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, November 18, 2018

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

Meditation

Acts 2:37-38

When the people heard this, they were cut to the heart and said to Peter and the other apostles, "Brothers, what shall we do?" Peter replied, "Repent and be baptized, every one of you, in the name of Jesus Christ for the forgiveness of your sins. And you will receive the gift of the Holy Spirit."

Prelude

"FROM THY THRONE ON HIGH"
ORGANIST, JACQUELYN THORNELL

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Welcome & Announcements

Call to Worship *

COLOSSIANS 3:16-17

MINISTER: LET THE WORD OF CHRIST DWELL IN YOU RICHLY

PEOPLE: **TEACHING AND ADMONISHING ONE ANOTHER IN ALL WISDOM, SINGING PSALMS AND HYMNS AND SPIRITUAL SONGS, WITH THANKFULNESS IN OUR HEARTS TO GOD.**

MINISTER: AND WHATEVER WE DO, IN WORD OR DEED, DO EVERYTHING IN THE NAME OF THE LORD JESUS,

PEOPLE: **GIVING THANKS TO GOD THE FATHER THROUGH HIM.**

Hymn of Praise *

"Come, Ye Thankful People, Come"

N^o. 715

Invocation *

HYMN OF PRAISE *

"My Tribute"

N^o. 640

Confession of Sin

Almighty God and most merciful Father, accept Jesus' worthiness for our unworthiness, his sinlessness for our transgression, his purity for our uncleanness, his sincerity for our guile, his truth for our deceits, his meekness for our pride, his constancy for our backslidings, his love for our enmity, his fullness for our emptiness, his faithfulness for our treachery, his obedience for our lawlessness, his glory for our shame, his devotedness for our waywardness, his holy life for our unchaste ways, his righteousness for our dead works, his death for our life. Amen.

Assurance of Pardon

2 Corinthians 5:21

For our sake he made him to be sin who knew no sin, so that in him we might become the righteousness of God.

Pastoral Prayer

God's Tithes & Our Offerings

Offertory

"Blessed"

Robertson

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 **

"The Good Samaritan"

Children's Choir

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

Reading of Holy Scripture

JOHN 16:1-15

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Sermon

"Getting Inside Their Heads"

Dr. John Dawson

Hymn of Response *

"My Hope Is Built on Nothing Less"

No. 521

Benediction *

Postlude *

*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:
	<i>"For everyone who calls on the name of the Lord will be saved"</i> 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:** French Camp Academy
- **Shepherding Group of the Week:** Jim Neill and Nate Inman
- **Child(ren) of the Week:** Jackson, Jude and Lilly Smith
- God would bless us with new **conversions, visitors, families, & members.**

- **Gary & Jenny Wood**, friends of Andrew/Gray Ouzts from GA, baby, Georgia Anne, born with congenital heart defect--Pray that baby will grow in strength for next surgery in December.
- **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
- **Bear & Emily Sills**, friends of Kerri/Brian Matthews, infant son Hank passed away at birth.
- **Linda Harrison**, suffered a stroke and lost vision in left eye, recovering.

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, last scan good.
 - **Kelly Langford**, daughter of Jacquelyn Thornell, last scan was clear....continuing oral chemo.
 - **Robin Marbury Morris**, Jeanne Monsour's niece: (Liver cancer) Chemo continues; hoping to go to Emory soon.
 - **Andrew McCall**, son of Rev. & Mrs. Perry McCall: acute leukemia; at Blair Batson recovering from bone marrow transplant.
 - **Terry McGinty**, Kerri Matthews' uncle, has prostate cancer that has metastasized to the bone.
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- **Service members:** S.T. Heath, Joey Brown (nephew of Barbara Fowler)
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- **Nursing home residents & shut-ins:** Dr. John Adams, Joan Allen, Joe Berryhill, Evelyn Culpepper, Polly & Laverne Roberts, Mary Jane Thompson

ATTENDANCE & FINANCIAL UPDATES

Worship Services (8:30 am/10 am/6pm): November 11	56/83/63
Sunday School:	94
Last Week's Offering:	\$ 7,606.00
Weekly Budgeted Offering:	\$ 6,648.00
Year to Date Giving:	\$ 313,853.00 (+14,693)
Year to Date Budgeted Giving:	\$ 299,160.00