

THIS WEEK @ BPC

TODAY

10:00 AM Worship Service
11:00 AM Fellowship Meal
4:30 PM Deacon's Meeting
5:00 PM Adult Choir Practice
6:00 PM Evening Worship, Children's Meal and Activities, Youth Group

MONDAY

1:00 PM Ladies Bible Study

WEDNESDAY

7:15 AM Devo & Donuts
6:15 PM Women's Bible Study

God's Own Heart

A Study of 1 & 2 Samuel

During the Spring quarter, Dr. Jim Neill will lead a Sunday School series for all adults and youth. He will explore lessons from the lives of many characters from 1 & 2 Samuel that teach us about God's own heart, including:

Hannah: The Brokenhearted

Eli: The Heart that Lightly Esteems God

The People of Israel: A Heart Divided

Samuel: The Heart of Innocence

Saul: The Heart of Distrust

David: A Man After God's Own Heart

Please join us in the fellowship hall at 9:30 AM beginning March 10th.

Feel free to bring a friend.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Nursery Volunteers: We need nursery volunteers for March. If you are able to volunteer, please sign-up on the bulletin board or contact the church office.

Ladies Bible Study: Our Bible study for ladies will meet on March 4th at 1:00. We will continue studying Sinclair Ferguson's series on the Sermon on the Mount.

Women's Winter Study: Come join us as we work our way through "Unhitching From The Crazy Train: Finding Rest in a World You Can't Control" by Julie Sparkman & Jennifer Phillips. We will meet weekly on Wednesdays from January 23 - March 6, 6:15 p.m. -7:30 p.m. ~ at BPC.

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.

CHILDREN'S MINISTRY

Sunday School: No Sunday School today.

Sunday night: Come take part in joyful singing, fun activities, and delicious supper!

SERVING THIS SUNDAY

Bell Ringer: Jake Whitney

Next Week: James David Wade

Nursery: Oliver Dawson

Next Week: Gray Ouzts/Oliver Dawson

March: Cecile Whitten

April: Ellie Word

CHILDREN'S CHURCH

March: Gray Ouzts

April: John & Ashley Belknap

YOUTH MINISTRY

Sunday School: No Sunday School today.

Youth Fellowship: Meets at 6:00 p.m. See you there!

Sermon Notes

"The Secret of Unity"

PHILIPPIANS 2:1-4

I. "Sincing" God's Grace

II. Singling Ourselves Out

III. Putting Ourselves Aside

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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

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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 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 by Andrew and Deanna Rush.

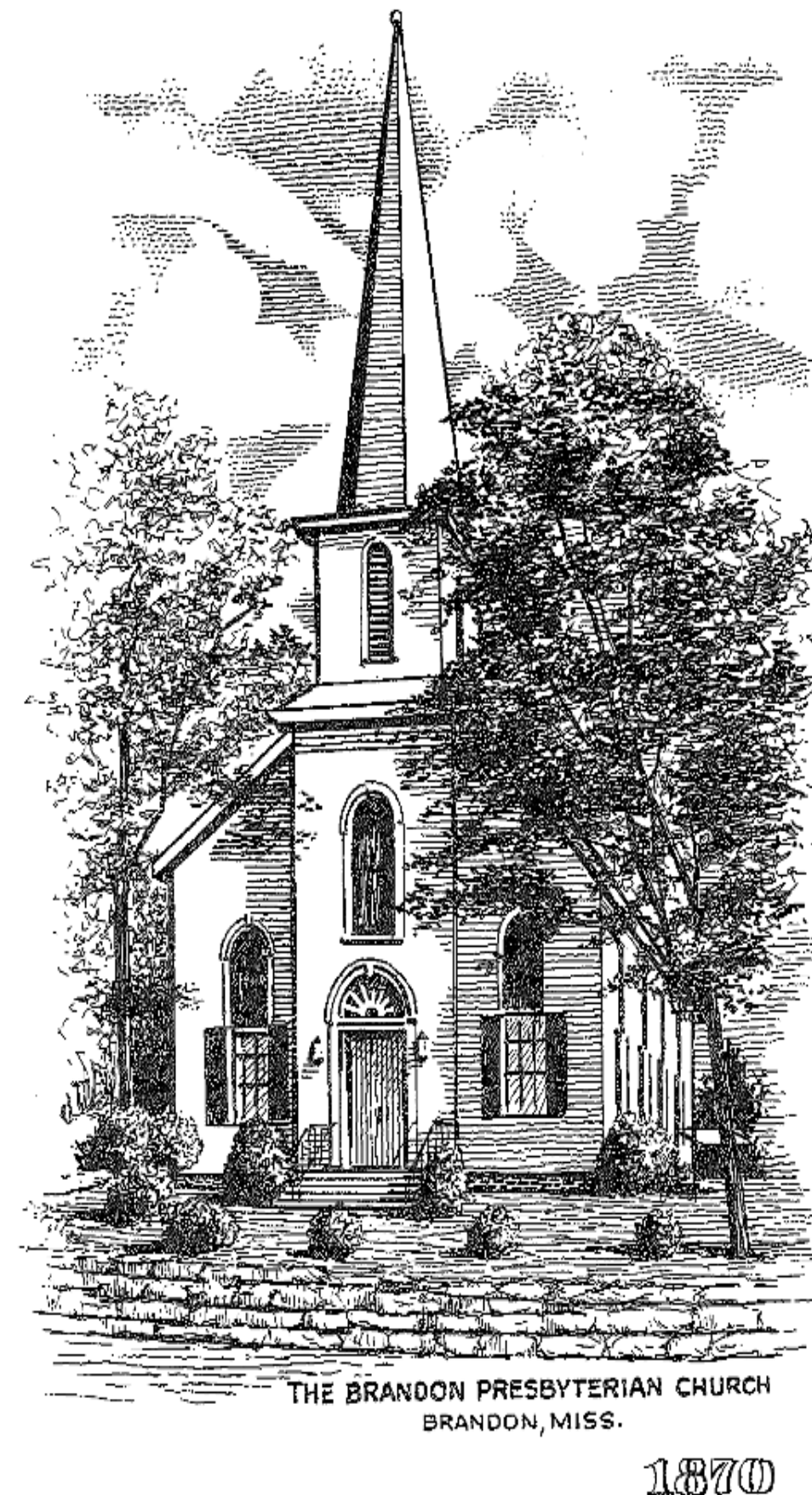
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*"The Church's One Foundation
Is Jesus Christ, Her Lord..."*

Morning Worship

The Lord's Day, March 3, 2019

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

Mediation

“Humility is the secret to unity.” - John Stott

Prelude

“Jesus, Priceless Treasure”
ORGANIST, JACQUELYN THORNELL

BACH

Welcome & Announcements

Call to Worship *

PSALM 34:1-3

Leader: I will bless the LORD at all times;
People: His praise shall continually be in my mouth.
 Leader: My soul makes its boast in the LORD;
People: Let the humble hear and be glad.
 Leader: Oh, magnify the LORD with me,
People: And let us exalt his name together!

Hymn of Praise *

N^o: 167

“When Morning Gilds the Skies”

Invocation *

Hymn of Praise *

N^o: 688

“Have Thine Own Way, Lord!”

Confession of Sin

Almighty God, we acknowledge and confess that we have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed; we have not loved you with all of our heart, soul, mind, and strength; we have not loved our neighbor as ourselves. Deepen within us our sorrow for the wrong we have done, and the good we have left undone. Lord, you are full of compassion and gracious, slow to anger, and plenteous in mercy; there is always forgiveness with you! Restore to us the joy of your salvation; bind up that which is broken, give light to our minds, strength to our wills, and rest to our souls. Speak to each of us, and let your word abide with us until it has wrought in us your holy will. Amen.

Assurance of Pardon:

If you, O LORD, should mark iniquities,
 O Lord, who could stand?
 But with you there is forgiveness,
 that you may be feared.

Psalms 130:3

Pastoral Prayer

God's Tithes & Our Offerings

Offertory

“Holy Spirit, Truth Divine”

GOTTSCHALK

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 **

“He Will Hold Me Fast”

ADULT CHOIR

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

Reading of Holy Scripture

PHILIPPIANS 2:1-4

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Sermon

“The Secret of Unity”

DR. JOHN DAWSON

Hymn of Response *

“The Church's One Foundation”

N^o: 347

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:

“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:** Carl and Becky Chaplin (Chattanooga, TN)
- **Ministry of the Week:** Reformed Theological Seminary
- **Shepherding Group of the Week:** Jackie Thompson and Chris Groebe
- **Child(ren) of the Week:** Lauren, Rebecca and Ryan Groebe
- God would bless us with new **conversions, visitors, families, & members.**

- **Gray and Andrew Ouzts:** expecting a baby girl in June.
- **Jeanne Watkins:** Sharon Nicholson's Sister is having back surgery this week, in a lot of pain and anxious about the surgery. Pray for healing and peace, and for Sharon as she cares for Jeanne after the surgery.
- **Billie Stigler:** friend of Jeanne Monsour, is facing surgery and aggressive treatments for a mass below the ear near the back of her throat and jaw bone.
- **Family of Jonathan John Hunt:** BHS class of 2004, was killed in an auto accident this week leaving his wife née Laura Herring with three small children.
- **Lois Carman:** severe back pain from scoliosis.
- **Mary Grace Morris:** Jeanne Monsour's great niece, ACL knee surgery Feb 12.
- **Addie Morris:** Jeanne Monsour's great niece, concussion from basketball injury, no more sports this year.
- **Bob Booth:** ALS and Muscular Dystrophy in left arm.
- **Tina Tolar:** doctors still trying to regulate her blood pressure.
- **Florene Dove:** doing much better, moved to Wisteria for rehab, Room 110.
- **Linda Harrison:** still recovering from stroke but doing better.

Loved ones battling cancer:

- **Andrew McCall,** son of Rev. & Mrs. Perry McCall: acute leukemia; bone marrow transplant is fully engrafted. Back in the hospital.
- **Sandra Mahaffey:** stage 1 breast cancer, carcinoma in breast tissue but praising God there is none in the lymph nodes.
- **Ken Pinkerton:** prostate cancer, continuing treatment.
- **Dr. Shenouda:** prostate cancer, will have a test in February to determine the effectiveness of radiation treatment.
- **Will Glover,** son of Marsha & Bill Glover: finished his last round of chemo. He will continue to go to Birmingham monthly for treatment.
- **Jim Smith:** pancreatic cancer, scan on Jan. 3rd was good, will now scan every 6 months instead of every 4 months. Praise God from Whom all blessings flow!!
- **Kelly Langford,** daughter of Jacquelyn Thornell: last scan was clear....continuing oral chemo, tires easily.
- **Robin Marbury Morris,** Jeanne Monsour's niece: liver & colon cancer, will have a scan in March, hopefully giving a good report.
- **Terry McGinty,** Kerri Matthews' 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, Joe Berryhill, Evelyn Culpepper, Bob and Jody Nelson, Polly & Laverne Roberts

“Thank you so much for the many expressions of care, sympathy, and concern that you, our church family, showed to us in the loss of my mother.” Jackie Thompson

ATTENDANCE & FINANCIAL UPDATES

Worship Services (8:30 am/11 am/6 pm): February 24	39/77/60
Sunday School:	88
Last Week's Offering:	\$ 4,069.00
Weekly Budgeted Offering:	\$ 7,172.00
Year to Date Giving:	\$ 68,242.00
Year to Date Budgeted Giving:	\$ 57,376.00 (+\$10,866)