# THIS WEEK @ BPC

**TODAY** 

8:30 AM Worship Service - Harris Bond, PCA Church Planter

9:45 AM Sunday School

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2:00 PM Wedding Shower 5:00 PM Choir Rehearsal 6:00 PM Evening Worship

# **Fall Sunday School Classes**

<u>Choir Class:</u> The Poetic Wonder of Isaac Watts, taught by Jackie Thompson We will be studying some of the great hymns of the Faith and their authors such as Isaac Watts. These hymns have encouraged and enriched God's people by revitalizing congregational singing. They are poems written for and in praise and adoration and worship of Almighty God.

<u>Kitchen Class:</u> Developing Christian Character, taught by Alex Dupree In Galatians 5, the apostle Paul tells us that the fruit of the Spirit is love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, goodness, faithfulness, gentleness, and self-control. In this class, we'll explore the Spirit-wrought traits that should characterize the Christian life.

# **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**Wedding Shower:** Today at 2:00 p.m. we will honor Courtney Hancock Stevens with a wedding shower.

**Missionaries:** Steve and Diane Hill will give us a report on their work in Peru during Sunday School, next Sunday, September 1<sup>st</sup>.

Labor Day Cookout: Join us for a cookout next Sunday, September 1<sup>st</sup> at 6:00 p.m. The church will provide hamburgers, hot dogs and drinks. If your last name starts with A-L please bring a side dish, M-Z please bring a dessert. Invite your friends and neighbors. This is a great opportunity to introduce others to the body of Christ.

Ladies' Bible Study: Ladies, join us as we study Sinclair Ferguson's Who Is the Holy Spirit? This twelve-lesson study is a biblical biography of the Holy Spirit who has been at work throughout history—from creation to the work of Christ to His dwelling in our hearts today. We will use DVD's and a study guide. Our first meeting will be September 16<sup>th</sup> at 1:00 p.m. in the church fellowship hall. We meet the first and third Monday of each month. Contact Carol Booth (601-594-1036) if you want her to order a study guide for you. See you there!

## CHILDREN'S MINISTRY

**Sunday School:** Classes for 3 years - 6<sup>th</sup> grade meet each Sunday at 9:45 a.m. **Sunday Night:** Come join us August 4<sup>th</sup>-September 29<sup>th</sup> for Catechism Club. Please review your questions! Supper will be provided.

SERVING THIS SUNDAY

Bell Ringer: Jake Whitney
Nursery: Amy Kaiser/Joni Vance
August: Rebecca Thompson

Next Week: James David Wade
Next Week: Amy Kaiser/Joni Vance
September: Angela Wade

CHILDREN'S CHURCH

August: Kerri Matthews September: Rebecca Thompson

# YOUTH MINISTRY

**Sunday School:** Jr and Sr High classes meet upstairs at 9:45 a.m. every Sunday. **Youth Fellowship:** Youth group meets Sunday nights at 6:00 p.m.

## Sermon Notes

"Having Jesus' Heart for Mission" Matthew 9:35-38

- I. A Passion For the Gospel (vs. 35)
- II. A Compassion for Others (vs. 36)
- III. A Commitment to His Harvest (vs. 37-38)

Harris Bond, a native of Yazoo City, MS, has been in pastoral ministry for 15 years. He graduated from RTS in Charlotte, NC (M.Div.). While serving as the Assistant Pastor at First Pres in Belzoni, MS he met Laura Beth Shields of Brandon Pres. They married in 2008 and moved to Sylacauga, AL where Harris served as the Pastor of Knollwood Pres. After 10+ years, the Lord is calling them back to the Delta to the work of Church Planting. They have a passion for the Gospel, the local church and the university setting through their home churches and their love for RUF. They have three children.

#### STAFF

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#### **OFFICERS**

<u>Elders:</u> TE John Dawson, RE Scotty Dickey, RE Walt Herrington, RE Gary Morrison, RE Jim Neill, RE Jackie Thompson, RE Nat Whitten

<u>Deacons</u>: Chris Groebe, Nate Inman, Eric Napier, Andrew Rush, Brian Smith, Luther Stowers, John Thompson, Darrin Tolar

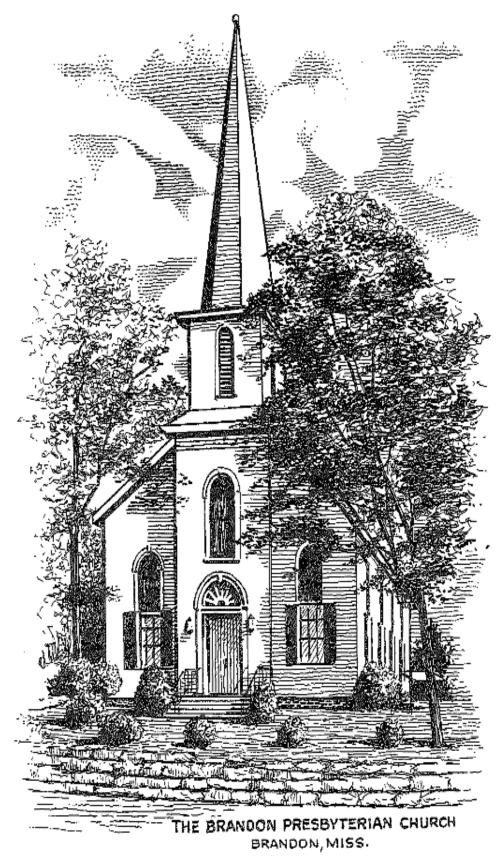
#### Officers Emeritus:

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 today are given to the Glory of God by Dotsy Peel.



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

# Morning Worship

The Lord's Day, August 25, 2019

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

Meditation Luke 14:23

And the master said to the servant, 'Go out to the highways and hedges and compel people to come in, that my house may be filled.'

Prelude "Prelude in F Major" BACH

**ORGANIST JACQUELYN THORNELL** 

Welcome & Announcements

Call to Worship \* PSALM 22:27-29

Leader: All the ends of the earth shall remember

and turn to the LORD,

People: And all the families of the nations

shall worship before you.

Leader: For kingship belongs to the LORD,

and he rules over the nations.

People: All the prosperous of the earth eat and worship;

before him shall bow all who go down to the dust,

even the one who could not keep himself alive.

Leader: Posterity shall serve him;

it shall be told of the Lord to the coming generation;

People: they shall come and proclaim his righteousness to a

People yet unborn, that he has done it.

Hymn of Praise \* N°. 167

"When Morning Gilds the Skies"

Hymn of Praise \* N°. 402

"Abide with Me: Fast Falls the Eventide"

Missions Minute Rev. Harris Bond

Pastoral Prayer

Invocation \*

God's Tithes & Our Offerings

Offertory Clarke

"Lord, We Thank Thee"

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 \*\* ADULT CHOIR

"Rock of Ages"

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

Reading of Holy Scripture Pages 687-688

MATTHEW 9:35-38

Sermon Rev. Harris Bond

"Having Jesus' Heart for Mission"

Hymn of Response \*

"We Rest on Thee"

N<sup>o.</sup> 449

Benediction \*

Postlude \*

\*Congregation Standing
\*\* 11:00 Service Only



### **ATTENDANCE & FINANCIAL UPDATES**

Worship Services (8:30 am/11 am/6 pm): Aug 18 41/100/66
Sunday School: 108
Last Week's Offering: \$ 2,826.00
Weekly Budgeted Offering: \$ 7,172.00
Year-to-Date Giving: \$ 258,329.00

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We are pleased to have you worship with us.

Our church doors are open as wide as the Gospel:

To Our Visitors

"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: David and Robin White (Atlanta: Field Support)
- Ministry of the Week: Christian Missionary Society (Steve & Dianne Hill)
- Shepherding Group of the Week: Nat Whitten, Luther Stowers & Eric Napier
- Child(ren) of the Week: Jack, Kate, Lara May and Daisy Inman
- God would bless us with new conversions, visitors, families, & members.

# Expecting parents:

- Leslie Poole, Gary & Carol Morrison's Daughter: expecting in Sept.
- Chris and Chauncey Blakeney: expecting a baby boy in Nov.
- **Heidi Rogers**, Julie Rogers' Daughter: expecting in February 2020.
- **Lois Carman:** severe back pain from scoliosis, losing weight, pray for a healthy appetite and weight gain.
- **Terry Hughes' Mother,** friend of Buford Nicholson: admitted to hospital, lost the will to live, pray she starts eating and gains strength.
- Hannah Ming, coworker of Sharon Nicholson: and her husband, Buck, lost their 5 month old baby boy on August 13<sup>th</sup>.
- **Jeanne Monsour:** had left abductor tendon surgery, continues to recover at Wisteria, will be at Wisteria another 3 weeks.
- **Bill Glover:** Parkinson's, continuing physical therapy, doctors are adjusting his meds, has not fainted recently but battles exhaustion daily.
- Michael Rogers, Julie Rogers' Nephew: age 36, fewer blackouts, headaches caused by left eye not focusing, scheduled to see an eye doctor August 8<sup>th</sup>, still has problems remembering things. Please pray for healing so he can go back to work.
- **Tina Tolar:** seeing an endocrinologist for further testing.
- Gloria Tolar, Darrin Tolar's Mother: recovering from stroke at rehab facility.
- Bob Booth: ALS and Muscular Dystrophy in left arm.

# Loved ones battling cancer:

- **Billie Stigler,** friend of Jeanne Monsour: praising God for a good report and for every day being better.
- Andrew Gerrard, Jo Stanford's Nephew: Desmoplastic round cell tumor, receiving difficult chemo treatments at MD Anderson.
- **Gib Vredeveld,** Julie Rogers' Father: esophageal cancer, will not do chemo or radiation, surgery is not an option, if tumor gets too large he may do low dose radiation to shrink it. Please pray that Julie's parents can get all of their affairs in order while he still feels well and is not in any pain.
- **Ken Pinkerton:** prostate cancer, good report from July checkup.
- Will Glover, Marsha & Bill Glover's Son: next MRI is on August 29<sup>th</sup> along with monthly appointments and treatments.
- **Jim Smith**: pancreatic cancer, June 27<sup>th</sup> scan was stable, Praise God!
- Robin Marbury Morris, Jeanne Monsour's Niece: liver & colon cancer, doctors were pleased with her scan, so she will have chemo every 3 wks.
- **Kelly Langford**, Jacquelyn Thornell's Daughter: recent scan showed growth in her cancer and a new spot, having infusions.
- Andrew McCall, Son of Rev. & Mrs. Perry McCall: acute leukemia.
- Helen Smith, Jim Smith's Mother: pancreatic cancer, age 94, in in-home hospice care.
- **Dr. Shenouda:** prostate cancer, favorable test results.
- **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, Elsa Davis, Bob & Jody Nelson, Polly & Laverne Roberts