

THIS WEEK @ BPC

TODAY 9:00 AM Sunday School
 10:00 AM Worship Service
 4:45 PM Choir Rehearsal (New Time)
 5:30 PM Children Meal & Activities; Adult Book Study; Youth Group

Pastor Search Committee Members

Ashley Belknap	John Thompson	Alternates
Scotty Dickey	Dr. Jim Neill	Angela McInnis
Thomas Eastland		Gray Ouzts

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Fall Adult Sunday School: Alex Dupree is leading a study of the Book of Acts. Please join us on Sunday mornings at 9:00 AM in the Fellowship Hall.

Operation Christmas Child: Please return your filled box to the table in the Cafe by **November 6**. If you would like to donate to this project, please put "Shoeboxes" on the memo line of your check .

Adult Choir: will start rehearsing at their new time today; 4:45-5:45 PM.

Adult Bible Study: (5:30 - 7:00 PM.) All adults are welcome to come study the book of Philippians on Sunday evenings. Join us as we delve into this ancient letter that has brought encouragement, peace, and joy to the church for thousands of years. We meet in the Choir Classroom with Nate Inman leading. Latecomers are welcome!

Reformation Picnic: Everyone is invited to attend a picnic on the church grounds Sunday, October 30th from 5:00 -7:00 PM. Please bring a side to go along with hamburgers, hot dogs and bbq. Come for an evening of outdoor activities and fellowship. Bring a picnic blanket or lawn chair; some seating will be provided. (We will meet inside if the weather is disagreeable.)

Hallway Duty: One volunteer is needed each week during the 10:00 AM Worship Service and one from 5:30-7:00 PM during Sunday evening activities. If you can help, a sign-up sheet is on the bulletin board. See John Thompson if you have any ?s.

Pardon Our Progress: Hopefully everyone has noticed the recent effort to update our Sanctuary and there is more to come. The pews are being refinished, reupholstered, and new carpet put down. To keep our beautiful house of worship looking like new the Diaconate would like to remind everyone of our policy prohibiting bringing any food or drink into the Sanctuary. The Deacons will be strictly enforcing this policy and will be asking you to leave your food and drinks outside.

CHILDREN'S MINISTRY

Sunday School: Classes for 2 years - 6th grade meet each Sunday at 9:00 AM.

Sunday Night: We will meet September 11 - November 20th from 5:30-7:00 PM. After dinner, the children will study the book of Proverbs using Marty Machowski's curriculum *Wise Up*. Come join us as we discover what Proverbs teaches us about relating to God and our neighbor. Nursery age children are welcome.

SERVING THIS SUNDAY

Bell Ringer: Keaton Hoge	Next Week: Lara may Inman
Nursery: Cecile Whitten/Gray Ouzts	Next Week: Chauncey Blakeney/Amy Kaiser
October: Gray Ouzts	November: Cecile Whitten

CHILDREN'S CHURCH

YOUTH MINISTRY

Sunday School: Jr and Sr High classes meet upstairs at 9:00 AM every Sunday.

Youth Fellowship: Youth group meets Sunday nights at 5:30 PM.

Sermon Notes

"Two People, Two Prayers"
 Luke 18:9-14

1. The Selfish Prayer

2. The Selfless Prayer

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OFFICERS

Elders: 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

Dickey Shepherding Group: Angela McInnis, Ruth Lathem

Herrington Shepherding Group: Camille Herrington, Jo Stanford

Morrison Shepherding Group: Kerri Matthews, Carole Morrison,

Neill Shepherding Group: Melinda Neill, Becky Inman

Thompson Shepherding Group: Mary Thompson, Jeanne Monsour

Whitten Shepherding Group: Julie Huddleston, Elizabeth Pinkerton

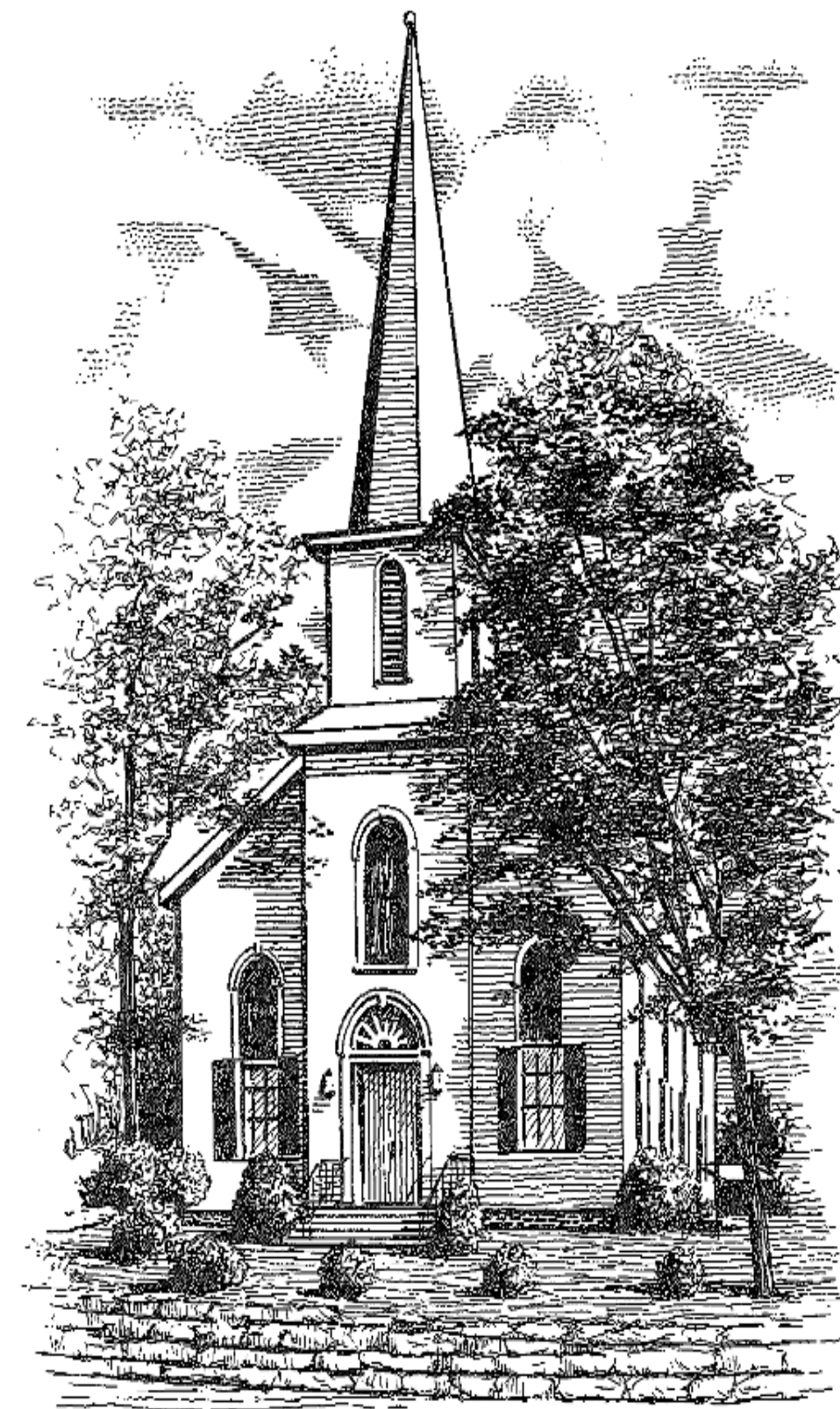
The flowers in the Sanctuary are given by Jeanne Monsour
 in memory of Neil Edward Monsour, Jeanne's son.

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 an usher at the end of the service. Let an usher know if you have any questions.



THE BRANDON PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
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*"The Church's One Foundation
 Is Jesus Christ, Her Lord..."*

Morning Worship

The Lord's Day, October 16, 2022

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

Meditation: C. J. WILLIAMS
"Hope is not merely a change of outlook, but a transformation of the heart as it learns to find rest in God's faithful character and sure promises."

Welcome & Announcements

Prelude/ Preparation for Worship JACQUELYN THORNELL, ORGANIST
"Voluntary in F" - Thiman

Call to Worship * PSALM 92:1-4
Leader: It is good to give thanks to the LORD, to sing praises to your name, O Most High;
People: to declare your steadfast love in the morning, and your faithfulness by night,
Leader: to the music of the lute and the harp, to the melody of the lyre.
People: For you, O LORD, have made me glad by your work; at the works of your hands I sing for joy.

Invocation *

Responsive Reading WESTMINSTER SHORTER CATECHISM, Q & A 24-26
Leader: How doth Christ execute the office of a prophet?
People: Christ executeth the office of a prophet, in revealing to us, by his Word and Spirit, the will of God for our salvation.
Leader: How doth Christ execute the office of a priest?
People: Christ executeth the office of a priest, in his once offering up of himself a sacrifice to satisfy divine justice, and reconcile us to God, and in making continual intercession for us.
Leader: How doth Christ execute the office of a king?
People: Christ executeth the office of a king, in subduing us to himself, in ruling and defending us, and in restraining and conquering all his and our enemies.

Hymn of Praise * N^o310
"Rejoice, the Lord is King"

Vows of Membership
Griffin Belknap, Joel Ouzts, Jack Inman, and Kate Inman

Pastoral Prayer

God's Tithes & Our Offerings

Offertory JACQUELYN THORNELL
"Andante Religioso" - Theodore Dubois

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.

Prayer of Thanksgiving

Anthem Adult Choir
"You Are Mine"
(Lisa Watson, flute)

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

Reading of Holy Scripture PAGE 742
Luke 18:9-14

Sermon DR. GUY WATERS
"Two People, Two Prayers"

Hymn of Response * N^o 565
"All for Jesus!"

Benediction

Postlude *
*Congregation Standing

ATTENDANCE & FINANCIAL UPDATES

Worship Services (10:00): October 9	101
Live Views:	6
Total Online views:	27
Sunday School:	70
Last Week's Offering:	\$ 8,586.00
Online Giving:	\$ 672.00
Weekly Budgeted Offering:	\$ 7,650.00
Year-to-Date Giving:	\$316,251.00 (+2,601.00)
Year -to-Date Budgeted Giving:	\$313,650.00

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Office Hours: Tuesday-Friday, 8:30 AM — 12:30 PM

IN PRAYER

- **MTW Missionary of the Week:** Caleb & MiYoung Cheon; China & Taiwan
- **Ministry of the Week:** Center for Violence Prevention
- **Shepherding Group of the Week:** Nat Whitten, Luther Stowers & Eric Napier
- **Child(ren) of the Week:** Avery Thompson
- **College Student of the Week:** Ainslie Curtis
- God would bless us with new **conversions, visitors, families, & members.**

Weddings and Babies:

- **Lacey Morrison Avioli:** expecting a boy December 15th.
- **Terry Word Pullen:** expecting another boy January 1st.
- **Anna Kate Stowers:** expecting a baby boy February 20th.
- **Dorothy C. Watson** (Jerry Watson's Mother): passed away October 5 in Memphis; visitation is 10:00 AM; funeral service is 11:00 AM this Wednesday, October 19th at Memphis Funeral Home, Memphis, TN. Burial Service is 1:00 PM in the Rotunda of West TN Veterans Cemetery. Please keep Jerry and his family in your prayers.
- **Brian Matthews' Mom:** had a heart catheterization September 21st; please pray for her as she recuperates from this procedure.
- **Hays Monsour** (Jeanne Mansour's nephew): is sick again; please keep him in your prayers.
- **Ames Lee** (Chad and Wendy Lee's son): leukemia; had BMT on June 1st. Had a drop in his platelets and is having bone pain in his legs; will have another bone marrow biopsy and aspirate this week. Please pray the biopsy remains clear of any leukemia, his t-cells increase and his bone pain is temporary.
- **Dick Cauthen** (friend of Brian and Kerri Matthews): diagnosed with stage 4 lymphoma. He suffers from a lot of pain.
- **Tina Greer** (Daniel Greer's mother): back pain continues but doing a bit better; had one injection. Pray she continues to improve and doesn't have to have surgery; she appreciates all your prayers.
- **Nina Hart** (Evelyn Carpenter's Mom): is 90 yrs. old. At home. Has dialysis 3 times a week. Doing well. Covets your prayers.
- **Brady Stewart** (Carol Booth's son-in-law): Back at work; able to drive. Continues to be weaned off steroids. Making progress everyday but still has a way to go.

Loved ones battling cancer:

- **Marilyn Blakeney** (Chris Blakeney's Mom): has completed chemo treatments; tolerated them well. She is now staying in Houston and receiving radiation at MD Anderson until the end of October. Please keep her in your prayers.
- **Jim Smith:** pancreatic cancer; has had another stable scan. We are so grateful for God's mercies and our praying church family.
- **Andrew McCall** (Son of Rev. & Mrs. Perry McCall): acute leukemia, sleep apnea and avascular necrosis in his ankles & knees; all is stable. Thank you for your prayers.

- **Service members:** Matthew Hellier, CA; Glenn Stewart, Fort Campbell (Sam Heath's nephew); Jesse Thomas Dickey; Joey Brown (Barbara Fowler's nephew); Laurel and Aaron Arnold, Fort Story (Jeff & Lisa Bynum's Daughter and son-in-law)

- **Nursing home residents & shut-ins:** Joe Berryhill, Evelyn Culpepper, Jody Nelson, Laverne Roberts