THIS WEEK @ BPC

9:00 AM Sunday School 10:00 AM Worship Service 4:30 PM Deacons' Meeting 4:45 PM Adult Choir Rehearsal

5:30 PM Adult Bible Study, Children's Meal & Activities, Youth Group

7:15 PM Missions Committee Meeting

TUESDAY

TODAY

9:30 AM Women's Ministry Project Group

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Men's Prayer Breakfast: won't meet during the summer. It will resume in September. Men's Sunday School Class: During Sunday school this summer, the men will be studying wisdom literature from the Old and New Testaments. Jim Hellier will lead a 6 -week study of the Ecclesiastes. After this, a team of teachers will lead a study of the book of James. Please join us.

Ladies' Summer Sunday School Class: During Sunday school this summer, the ladies will be studying Galatians - At His Feet Studies by Hope A. Blanton and Christine B. Gordon. The class will be led by Lisa Hellier. Please join us.

Adult Bible Study: (5:30 - 7:00 PM). All adults are invited to study Sermon on the Mount: Kingdom Life in a Fallen World by Sinclair Ferguson. We hope you will join us as we discuss this book on the greatest sermon ever preached. Books will be provided by the church. We meet in the Choir Classroom with Nate Inman leading.

Ladies of BPC! Please volunteer to sing in the ladies' choir who will take over the congregational singing and sing an anthem on Father's Day, June 18th. We will have only one rehearsal which will be on Sunday, June 11th at 5:00 P.M. Please plan to join in to make a melodious and joyful choral gift to our men.

Woman's Ministry Project Group: will meet this Tuesday at 9:30 AM. We will not meet in July.

Pardon our progress: the settee and chairs that normally occupy the pulpit are being reupholstered and the chairs now in their place are temporary. We appreciate everyone's understanding as we continue to work on updating our facilities.

Children's Play Dates: every Monday in June and July at the Flowood Nature Park from 9:30-11:30 AM.

Flowers: The 2023 flower calendar is on the bulletin board, please sign up to reserve a date or call the church office and Barbara will sign you up.

CHILDREN'S MINISTRY

Sunday School: Classes for 2 years - 6th grade meet each Sunday at 9:00 AM. **Sunday Night: Catechism Club** will continue Sunday evenings through June 25th. Please study and come prepared to answer a few questions each night. The two younger classes will be studying the meaning of catechism questions and the 4th- 6th will continue learning how to study the Bible. (If you need a catechism book, please see Susan Inman.)

SERVING THIS SUNDAY

Bell Ringer: Daisy Inman Next Week: Graham Belknap

Nursery: Thomas Eastland/Amy Kaiser Next Week: Jude Smith (WS)/Amy Kaiser

June: Molly Eastland July: Gray Ouzts

CHILDREN'S CHURCH

June: Daniel & Cortney Greer

July:

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

"Jesus Spreads a Table in the Wilderness" John 6:1-15

STAFF

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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

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 Flower Coordinator - Sonia Jay: esjay@att.net

The flowers in the Sanctuary are given to the glory of God by Chad and Wendy Lee

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.



BRANDON, MISS.

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

Morning Worship

The Lord's Day, June 4, 2023

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

Meditation TIM KELLER

"The gospel is this: We are more sinful and flawed in ourselves than we ever dared believe, yet at the very same time we are more loved and accepted in Jesus Christ than we ever dared hope."

Welcome & Announcements

Prelude/Preparation for Worship Jacquelyn Thornell, Organist "Te De Laudamus" ("God, We Praise You") - Buxtehude

Call to Worship * PSALM 138:1-5

Leader: I give you thanks, O LORD, with my whole heart; before the gods I sing Your praise.

People: I bow down toward Your holy temple and give thanks to Your name for Your steadfast love and Your faithfulness,

Leader: for You are exalted above all things. On the day I called, You answered me; the strength of soul You increased.

People: All the kings of the earth shall give You thanks, O LORD, for they have heard the words of Your mouth,

Leader: and they shall sing of the ways of the LORD, for great is the glory of the LORD.

Invocation *

Hymn of Praise *

N^{o.} 119

"I Sing the Almighty Power of God"

Confession of Faith Westminster Shorter Catechism, Q&A 94-95

Leader: What is baptism?

People: Baptism is a sacrament in which washing with water, in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Ghost, signifies and seals our grafting into Christ and our partaking of the benefits of the covenant of grace and our engagement to be the Lord's.

Leader: To whom is baptism to be administered?

People: Baptism is not to be administered to anyone outside of the visible church until they profess their faith in Christ and their obedience to him; but the infants of members of the visible church are also to be baptized.

Vows of Membership

Ryan and Emily Lee

Hymn of Praise

N^{o.} 146

"Break Thou the Bread of Life"

Pastoral Prayer

God's Tithes & Our Offerings

Offertory JACQUELYN THORNELL

"In This Holy Hour" - H. Livingston

Gloria Patri *

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost; as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen, amen.

Prayer of Thanksgiving

Anthem Adult Choir

"Wings of the Dawn"

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

Reading of Holy Scripture Pages 754-755

John 6:1-15

Sermon Rev. Earl Adams

"Jesus Spreads a Table in the Wilderness"

Hymn of Response *

N^{o.} 644

"May the Mind of Christ My Savior"

Benediction

Postlude *

*congregation Standing

ATTENDANCE & FINANCIAL UPDATES

Worship Services (10:00): May 28 141 Live Views: 7 Total Online views: 24 Sunday School: 78

Last Week's Offering: \$ 9,728.00
Online Giving: \$ 199.00
Weekly Budgeted Offering: \$ 8,345.00

Year-to-Date Giving: \$194,748.00 (+11,158.00)

Year-to-Date Budgeted Giving: \$183,590.00

Will Brown Memorial Golf Tournament

This year's golf tournament is scheduled for Saturday, September 23rd at Bay Point Golf Club. Please sign up on the sheet on the bulletin board or call the office and Barbara will sign you up. The cost this year is \$45/person which includes the golf and lunch.

To livestream the service go to:

https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCGmzy521B7L2DpUAATtzGHA

Hit the "Subscribe" button and then turn on "Notifications" by clicking on the bell. If you have trouble subscribing to the livestream contact Darrin Tolar via text message at (601) 720-1157 and he will respond ASAP.

In Prayer

- MTW Missionary of the Week: Joe and Laurel Barnes
- Ministry of the Week: Harris Bond; Ouachita Presbyterian Church
- Shepherding Group of the Week: Jim Neill, Nate Inman
- Child(ren) of the Week: Sam and John Palmer Word
- College Student of the Week: Jesse Dickey
- God would bless us with new **conversions**, **visitors**, **families**, **& members**.

Weddings and Babies:

• Chauncey Blakeney: expecting another boy, November 6th.

- **Stephanie Daniels** (Noel Daniels' Wife) Please continue to pray for her; she's not doing well and pray for Noel and the family.
- **Tina Tolar**: dealing with rheumatoid issues, fibromyalgia, diabetes, and cirrhosis.
- Hays Monsour (Jeanne Monsour's 19 yr. old nephew): continued checkups at UAB show that dialysis is helping and the search for a transplant looks very promising at this time.
- **Brady Stewart** (Carol Booth's son-in-law): continues to do well. Will continue to wear a heart monitor and take medication for his heart indefinitely.

Loved ones battling cancer:

- **Dick Cauthen** (friend of Brian and Kerri Matthews): had another PET scan. His cancer has grown exponentially; he has begun a very aggressive chemotherapy and will be inpatient at least 5 days for treatment.
- Jim Smith: The date of Jim's next scan has been changed from June 13 to June 20; please pray for another stable scan.
- Marilyn Blakeney (Chris Blakeney's Mom): Her recent checkup at MD Anderson revealed a knot, but doctors don't think it's anything to worry about. She will have another scan in a month.
- Will Saulter (Jan Heath's 21 year old neighbor): diagnosed with brain cancer; has finished radiation treatments. He will take five chemo pills each month for the rest of the year unless something changes. An MRI is scheduled for June. His family appreciates the prayers.
- Ames Lee (Chad and Wendy Lee's son): leukemia; had BMT on June 1st. Had his first monthly doctor visit; things continue to remain stable. His t-cells haven't moved up much. Pray they move up and for continued healing. Thank you!
- **Bill Monsour** (Hays Monsour's grandfather): Continues with chemo for cancer in his back. His outlook is positive.
- 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.
- Nursing home residents & shut-ins: Joe Berryhill, Evelyn Culpepper, Jody Nelson, Laverne Roberts
- 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, (Jeff & Lisa Bynum's daughter and son- in-law); Baylor Griggs, Marine boot camp (Scott Word's nephew)