

THIS WEEK @ BPC

TODAY

9:00 AM Sunday School
 9:55 AM Worship Service
 2:00 PM Fellowship Hall/Savannah Brewer
 5:00 PM Adult Choir
 6:00 PM Evening Worship Service

WEDNESDAY

5:30 PM Wednesday Night Fellowship

SATURDAY

7:30 AM Men's Prayer Breakfast

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Adult Sunday School - Spring Quarter: We are studying worship using the book, *What Happens When We Worship* by Jonathan Landry Cruse. The class will be led by Scotty Dickey. Please join us on Sunday mornings at 9:00 AM in the Fellowship Hall.

Wednesday Night Fellowship: This Wednesday we will have a catered dinner from 5:30-6:30 PM followed by children and youth activities and an adult study from 6:30 -7:30 PM. Meals start at \$5 a person with a \$15 cap for families of three or more. Two nursery volunteers are needed at 6:20 PM each Wednesday.

New Adult Bible Study: Adults are studying *Colossians* on Wednesday nights through June 12th. Each week a discussion will be led by an elder or deacon in training.

Mother's Day Choir: Calling all men! Please plan on singing in the annual "Men's Choir" on Mother's Day. Our only rehearsal will be on Sunday evening, May 5th at 5:30 PM and will be a familiar tune to many of you. If you cannot make that rehearsal, there will be one other rehearsal after Sunday school on May 12th.

New Toys for Nursery: Everything has been purchased! Thank you so much to everyone who generously donated!

Ladies Brunch: Saturday, May 18th @10:30-12:30, all ages welcome. Please put your RSVP card in the offering plate. Deadline to register by is May 1st. For any further questions please see Carrie Mills or Kerri Matthews.

Made for More Conference: An intergenerational conference for ladies and girls 3rd grade-high school and college at Covenant Presbyterian church in Birmingham, AL on September 13-14, 2024. For more information or to register go to <https://women.pcacdm.org/made-for-more-birmingham/>.



BPC Graduating Seniors

Anna-Kate and Zoey Reap



CHILDREN'S MINISTRY

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

Wednesday Night: Children's activities are on Wednesdays from 5:30-7:30 PM. The Children are studying the catechism.

SERVING SUNDAY

Bell Ringer: Graham Belknap

Next Week: Hayes Hoge

Nursery: Ellie Word (SS), Carrie Mills (WS)/Amy Kaiser **Evening Service:** Susan & Jack Inman **Next Sunday:** Molly & Gracey Napier (SS), (WS) /Amy Kaiser **Evening Service:** Michelle & Jackson Smith

April: Ellie Word **May:** Davida Curtis

Children's Church: Molly & Gracey Napier **Next week:** Lauren Hoge & Thatcher Mills

YOUTH MINISTRY

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

Youth Fellowship: Youth Group meets Wednesday nights at 6:30 PM.

Sermon Notes

"The Final Antichrist"

Daniel 11:36-45

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OFFICERS

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 Luther Stowers, John Thompson, Darrin Tolar

Officers Emeritus:

Elders: Charlie Moak, Elton Jay †, Jim McBryer †

Deacons: John McInnis †, Ken Bramlett †, Edsel Parks †, Richard Harrison

Women's Ministry

Dickey Shepherding Group: Nancilynn Dickey

Herrington Shepherding Group: 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.

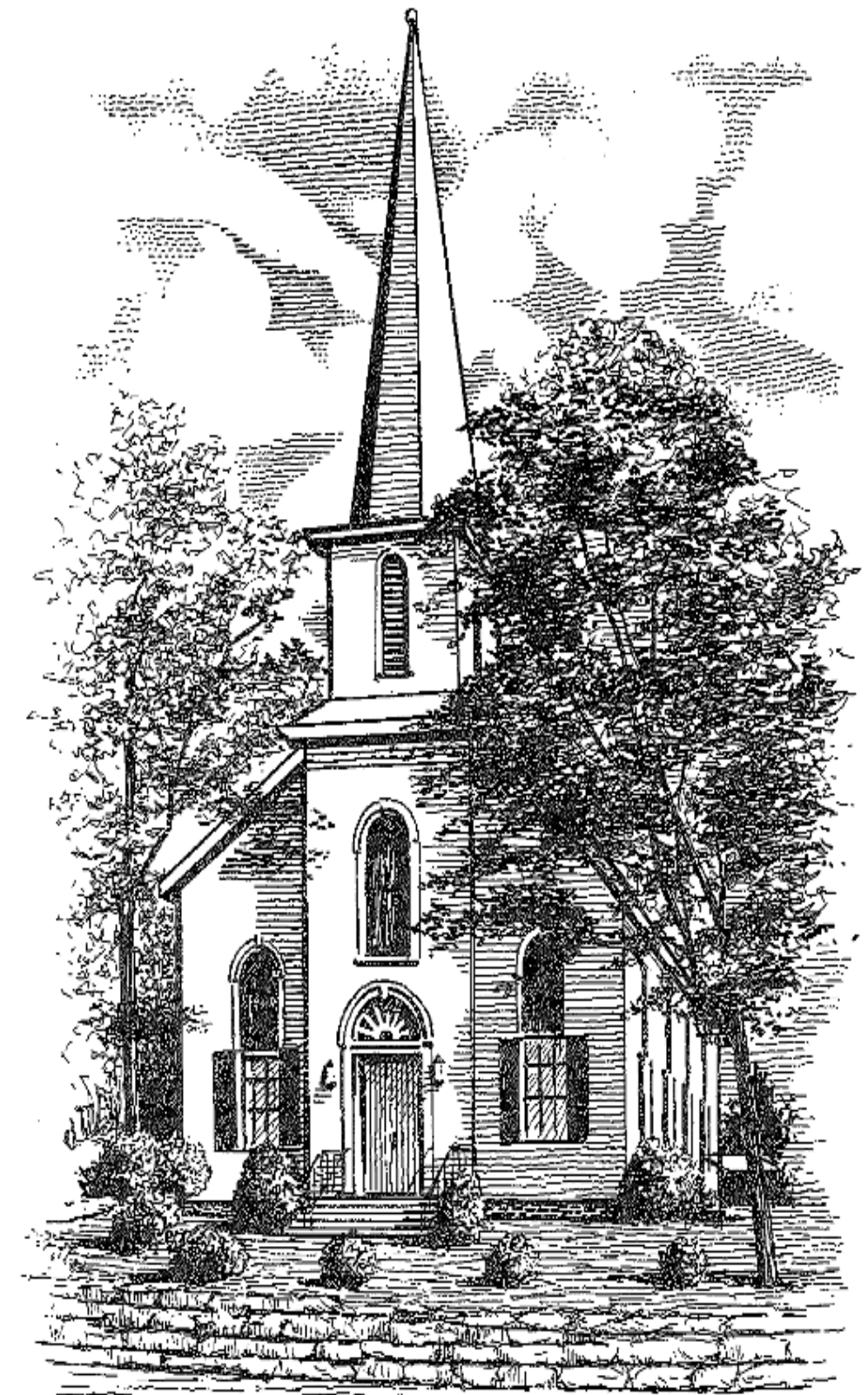
To Our Visitors

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 Mills at the end of the service. Let an usher or Pastor Mills 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, April 28, 2024

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

Meditation WILLIAM GURNALL

“Take [the helmet of salvation] so as never to lay it down until God takes off this helmet to put a crown of glory in its place.”

Welcome & Announcements

Prelude/Preparation for Worship JOSH PEOPLES, ORGANIST
“Come Thou Fount of Every Blessing”

Call to Worship * REVELATION 22:12-13, 20

Pastor: With great hope, hear and hold fast the promise of the Lord Jesus:
“I am the Alpha and the Omega, the first and the last, the beginning and the end. Surely I am coming soon.”

People: Come, Lord Jesus!

Invocation DEUTERONOMY 12:5-7, 11-12

Hymn of Praise * N^o. 170
"Fairest Lord Jesus"

Confession of Faith WESTMINSTER LARGER CATECHISM
Q.102: What do we pray for in the second petition?

A. In the second petition, which is, *Thy kingdom come*, we pray that Satan's kingdom may be destroyed; and that the kingdom of grace may be advanced, ourselves and others brought into it, and kept in it; and that the kingdom of glory may be hastened.

Confession of Sin MARTIN LUTHER

O Lord, I do not deserve a glimpse of heaven, and I am unable with my works to redeem myself from sin, death, the devil, and hell. Nevertheless, you have given me your Son, Jesus Christ, who is far more precious and dear than heaven, and much stronger than sin, death, the devil, and hell. For this I rejoice, praise and thank you, O God. Without cost and out of pure grace you have given me this boundless blessing in your dear Son. Through him you take sin, death, and hell from me, and do grant me all that belongs to him. Amen.

Assurance of Pardon ISAIAH 53:4-6

Surely he has borne our griefs and carried our sorrows; yet we esteemed him stricken, smitten by God, and afflicted. But he was pierced for our transgressions; he was crushed for our iniquities; upon him was the chastisement that brought us peace, and with his wounds we are healed. All we like sheep have gone astray; we have turned every one to his own way; and the Lord has laid on him the iniquity of us all.

Hymn of Praise * N^o. 327
“One Day He's Coming”

Pastoral Prayer SCOTTY DICKEY

God's Tithes & Our Offerings MALACHI 3:10

Bring the full tithe into the storehouse, that there may be food in my house. And thereby put me to the test, says the Lord of hosts, if I will not open the windows of heaven for you and pour down for you a blessing until there is no more need.

Offertory JOSH PEOPLES
“The King Is Coming”

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 SCOTTY DICKEY

Anthem ADULT CHOIR
“Our God Will Go Before Us” - Bosell, Getty, and Papa

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

Reading of Holy Scripture PAGE 749
Daniel 11:36-45

Sermon REV. BRAD MILLS
“The Final Antichrist ”

Hymn of Response * N^o. 316
“The Mighty God, the Lord ”

Benediction PSALM 125:1
Now may the God Who tends and spares us and well knows our feeble frame; our Father who gently bears us and rescues us from our foes, establish you like Mt. Zion, which cannot be moved but abides forever.

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.

*Congregation Standing

ATTENDANCE & FINANCIAL UPDATES

Worship Services (10 AM/6 PM):	April 21	132/71
Live Views:		6/3
Total Online views:		34/26
Sunday School:		99
Last Week's Offering:	\$	11,104.00
Online Giving:	\$	1,192.00
Weekly Budgeted Offering:	\$	9,390.00
Year-to-Date Giving:	\$	153,993.00 (+3,783)
Year-to-Date Budgeted Giving:	\$	150,210.00

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

IN PRAYER

- **MTW Missionary of the Week:** Elizabeth Murray (Japan)
- **Ministry of the Week:** Engaging Disability (Ashley Belknap)
- **Shepherding Group of the Week:** Scotty Dickey, Andrew Rush
- **Child(ren) of the Week:** Griffin, William, & Graham Belknap
- **College Student of the Week:** Samuel Hellier
- God would bless us with new **conversions, visitors, families, & members.**

Weddings and Babies:

- **Eli Whitten and Eliot Jones:** to be married June 15th
- **Aaron & Laurel Arnold** (Jeff & Lisa Bynum's daughter & son-in - law): expecting a baby girl mid-June
- **Matthew and Chelsea Rush** expecting a baby in July
- **Anna Kate Stowers** is expecting a baby boy in September

- **Jimmy Carman:** passed away Monday, April 15th. Please be in prayer for Lois, Cathy, Joe, Sarah, and Larry Carman, and his family.
- **Brady Stewart** (Carol Booth's son-in-law): will continue treatment for a very rare heart condition. Thank you for all your prayers.
- **Hays Monsour** (Jeanne Monsour's 20 yr. old nephew): is at home in Meridian. Please pray for his recovery to continue.
- **Charlie Moak:** dealing with medical issues; please keep him in your prayers.
- **Tina Tolar:** dealing with several chronic illnesses.

Loved ones battling cancer:

- **Ames Lee** (Chad and Wendy Lee's son): leukemia; participating in a clinical trial for relapsed AML kids at St. Jude. Ames is 37 days post transplant. Overall, he is doing well; still has no appetite and is battling nausea. He remains on TPN for nutrition. He had his first bone marrow aspirate and biopsy post transplant. Pray for his marrow to be clear of disease and be 100% donor, continue to pray for Ames complete healing. Thank you all for the prayers and support for our family.
- **Trent Atkinson** (Sue Bohnen's son): now home; gradually healing; has finished his treatments. Thank you for your continued prayers.
- **Jim Smith:** had another stable scan; we are praising God for His mercies.
- **Will Saulter** (Jan Heath's 21 year old neighbor): diagnosed with brain cancer. His MRI results showed that he is stable; his tumor has not grown. Thank you for your continued prayers.
- **Andrew McCall** (Son of Rev. & Mrs. Perry McCall): has gone five years without a relapse and is now classified as cured.
- **Marilyn Blakeney** (Chris Blakeney's Mom): continues to do well; will continue with periodic visits to her doctor.
- **Bill Monsour** (Hays Monsour's grandfather): Continues chemo to control his cancer.

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

- **Service members:** Baylor Griggs, Fort Lejeune, NC, Infantry training (Scott Word's nephew); 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)

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