

THIS WEEK @ BPC

TODAY

Palm Sunday

8:30 AM Worship Service

9:45 AM Sunday School (Nursery)

11 AM Worship Service (Nursery, Children's Church for 3 & 4 year olds)

5 PM Adult Choir Practice

6 PM Evening Worship Service (Nursery)

Youth Activities

Resurrection Rally

TUESDAY

6:15 PM Men's Bible Study

FRIDAY

Office Closed in observance of Good Friday.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

NEW Spring Quarter Sunday School Classes // "Kitchen" Class: Dr. Sinclair Ferguson's study on the role of the Holy Spirit from Creation to the present, led by Scotty Dickey // "Choir" Class: R C Sproul study on what God has given us to fight the world, flesh, and devil for our sanctification, led by Jackie Thompson.

Men's Bible Study: Sermon on the Mount // THIS Tuesday, March 27, 6:15 pm // Snacks & drinks provided.

Women's ONE Conference // Deadline to register is THIS Friday, March 30. Visit the First Pres Jackson website for more information.

Wedding Shower for Kayla Tolar // Sunday, April 8, 2 pm, in the Fellowship Hall.

Thank you // Thank you so much for the many prayers, visits, food, & Flowers. Thank you for being my church family. - Florene Dove.

CHILDREN'S MINISTRY

Sunday School // Classes for 3 yrs - 6th grade meet each Sunday at 9:45 am.

TONIGHT at 6pm // Resurrection Rally! // Food, Easter Story, Easter Egg Hunt, Games! // Each child should bring one dozen candy-filled eggs // We still need volunteers! Sign up on the bulletin board or contact Davida TODAY to help!

Help Still Needed // We need some volunteers to help with the kids on Sunday Nights through May. If you are available, please contact Davida.

SERVING THIS SUNDAY

Bell Ringer: Merrian Glover

Nursery: Cecile, Sonia, & Janet

March: Martha Wainwright

Next Week: Kate Inman

Next Week: TBD

April: Susan Inman

YOUTH MINISTRY

Sunday School // Jr & Sr High classes meet upstairs at 9:45 am every Sunday.

TONIGHT at 6pm // Bible Study & fellowship. Dinner Provided.

Middle School Devo & Donuts // NEXT Wednesday, April 4, at 7:15 am.

RYM // Jr. High: June 25 - 29 // Sr. High: July 9 - 13

SERMON NOTES

March 25, 2018

Matthew 21:1-11

I. Stop Molding Jesus

II. Start Being Molded By Him

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OFFICERS

Elders: TE John Dawson, RE Walt Herrington, RE Gary Morrison,
RE Jackie Thompson, RE Nat Whitten

Deacons: Scotty Dickey, Brian Smith, Luther Stowers, John Thompson, Joe Williams

Officers Emeritus: Elders: Charlie Moak, Elton Jay.

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

WOMEN'S MINISTRY ROUND TABLE

Women's Ministry Director: Rebekah Dawson

Dawson Shepherding Group: Angela McInnis, Dotsy Peel

Thompson Shepherding Group: Mary Thompson, Melinda Neill

Whitten Shepherding Group: Jeanne Monsour, Molly Napier

Morrison Shepherding Group:

Herrington Shepherding Group: Camille Herrington, Jo Stanford, Michelle Smith

Flowers in the sanctuary are given to the glory of God by Elizabeth & Ken Pinkerton.

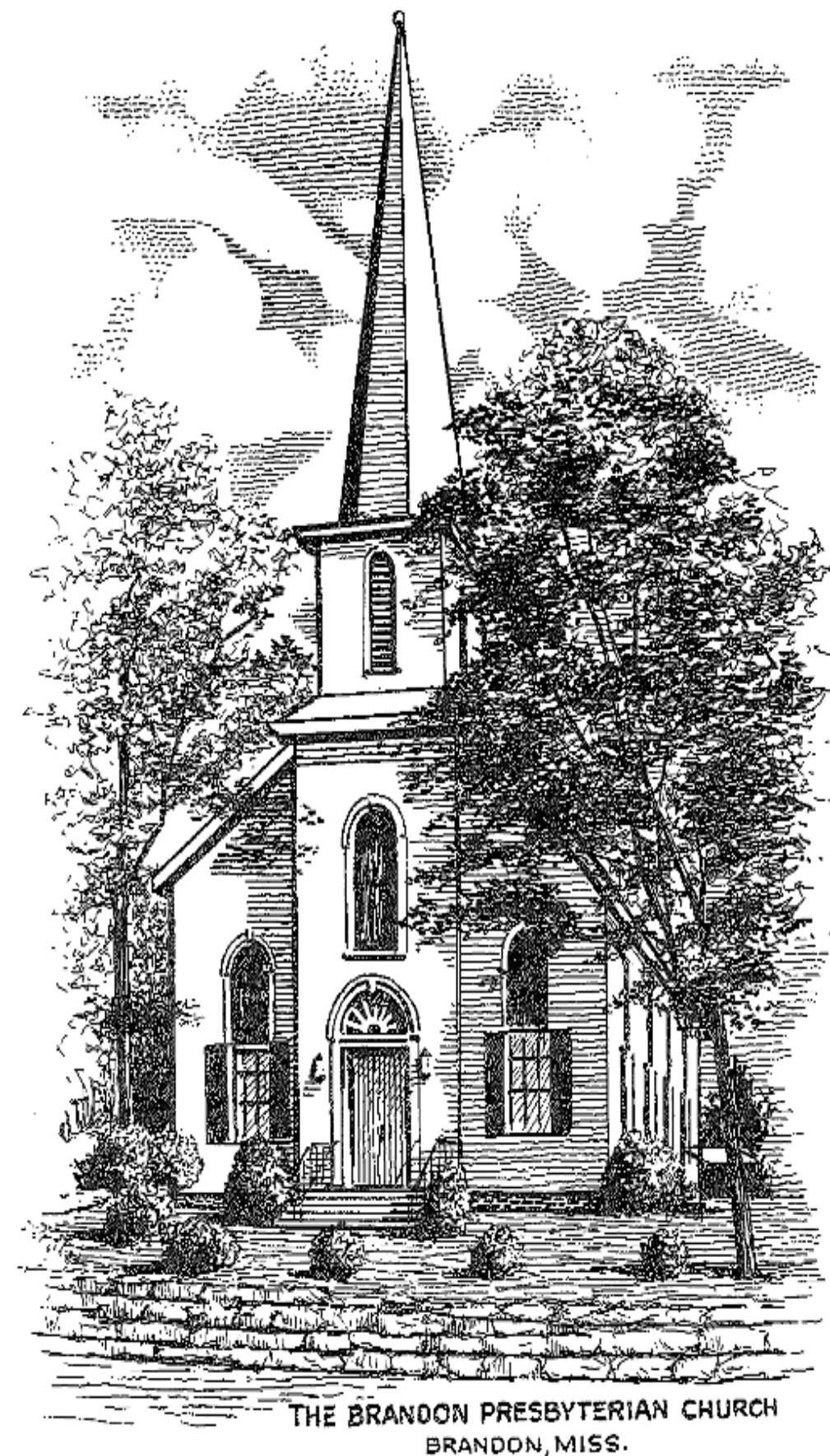
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*"The Church's One Foundation
Is Jesus Christ, Her Lord..."*

Morning Worship

The Lord’s Day, March 25, 2018

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

Meditation

People who have something to sell, something to hide, or something to prop up all want Jesus as the patron saint of their cause. And Christians who watch such perversion will echo the ageless cry of Mary: “They have taken away my Lord, and I do not know where they have laid him.”

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Prelude

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Organist, Jacquelyn Thornell

Welcome & Announcements

Choral Call to Worship

“God Hears My Prayer”

Pre K3 - K5 Choir

Call to Worship *

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Leader: I love you, O Lord, my strength.
People: The Lord is my rock and my fortress and my deliverer,
Leader: My God, my rock, in whom I take refuge
People: My shield, and the horn of my salvation, my stronghold.

Hymn of Praise *

N^o. 498

“Jesus! What a Friend for Sinners!”

Invocation

Hymn of Praise *

N^o. 252

“When I Survey the Wondrous Cross”

Apostle’s Creed

I believe in God the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth, and in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Ghost, born of the virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; he descended into hell. The third day he rose again from the dead. He ascended into heaven and sitteth on the right hand of God the Father Almighty. From thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Ghost, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

Footnotes:

“descended into hell” = descended into the place of the dead, not of eternal punishment.

“catholic church”= the church exists universally, not just in one culture or denomination.

The Lord’s Prayer

Our Father, which art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come. Thy will be done on earth, as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, the power, and the glory for ever and ever. Amen.

Pastoral Prayer

God’s Tithes & Our Offerings

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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 **

“Hosanna, Hosanna”

Elementary Choir

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

Reading of Holy Scripture

N^o. 472

Matthew 21:1-11

Sermon

DR. JOHN DAWSON

“Molding Jesus?”

Hymn of Response *

N^o. 251

“Beneath the Cross of Jesus”

Benediction *

Postlude *

*Congregation Standing

** 11 am 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:** Rev. David White & Mrs. Robin White/ATL Field Support
- **Ministry of the Week:** Center for Violence Prevention
- **Shepherding Group of the Week:** Nat Whitten, Luther Stowers
- **Child(ren) of the Week:** Ejay & Gracie Napier
- God would bless us with new **conversions, visitors, families, & members.**
- **Director of Student Ministries Search Committee:** Scotty Dickey, Michelle Smith, Chris Groebe, Kerri Matthews.
- **Officer Training:** Pray for the men going through officer training.

- **Cathy & Joe Costello:** Expecting a baby girl in July.

- **Kayla Tolar & Andrew Downs:** engaged; wedding May 18.
- **Chauncey Craft & Chris Blakeney:** engaged, wedding June 9.

- **Abigail Gentry** and her parents, Christy & Daniel: granddaughter of Cindy & Joe Williams: unspoken request.
- **Nate Inman:** successfully recovering from his two surgeries.
- **Florene Dove:** at home and doing much better.
- **Don Graham**, father of Paula McClain: health declining rapidly, prayers for wife, Lille, who will be making decisions and caring for him.
- **Kelly Langford**, daughter of Jacquelyn Thornell: melanoma, recovering from surgery to remove toe, microscopic melanoma found, Doctor suggesting M.D. Anderson.
- **Jim McBrayer:** transferred to VA, sitting up out of bed now.
- **Joni & Michael Vance:** baby girl, Taylor Hayes, hole in heart, will have surgery to repair hole and replace valve in 9 months, on RSV treatments and diuretic.
- **Evelyn Culpepper:** broken femur, recovering from surgery at her daughter’s.

- **Loved ones battling cancer: Awnie Shenouda**, brother of Dr. Shenouda: Prostate cancer. **Alycia Harris**, former co-worker of Tina Groebe: 33 yr old mother of 3, stage 4 lung cancer. **Will Glover**, son of Marsha & Bill Glover: Brain cancer, infusion in Birmingham every other week through 2018, back on chemo as well, stronger doses. **John McInnis:** at home on hospice. **Jim Smith:** pancreatic cancer, next scan in 4 months. **Joyce Ellzey**, David Wade’s aunt: Surgery went well, starting radiation. **Jane Dowell**, mother of Alex Word’s friend, **LeAndrea Hampton:** aggressive brain cancer, may have 6 mo - 3 yrs to live, tumor not responding to treatment, but isn’t growing. **Steven Bell**, Tiffany Glover’s brother: stage 4 liver cancer, waiting on next scan. **Robin Marbury Morris**, Jeanne Monsour’s niece: colon & liver cancer, too much liver damage, will not have surgery. **Judy Bramlett**, Ken Bramlett’s sister-in-law: Methodist rehab. **Bobby Taylor**, John Dawson’s cousin: stage 4 lymphoma. **Roscoe Douglas**, Rebekah Dawson’s SIL’s father: stage 4 colon cancer, lung tumors, treating with Proton therapy, vitamins, & diet changes, quality of life very good. **Andrew McCall**, 8-yr-old son of Rev. & Mrs. Perry McCall: acute leukemia.

- **Service members:** S.T. Heath, Joey Brown (nephew of Barbara Fowler)

- **Nursing home residents & shut-ins:** Joan Allen, Jane Ehman, Jim McBrayer, Merrit McNamee, Polly & Laverne Roberts, Mary Jane Thompson

ATTENDANCE & FINANCIAL UPDATES

Worship Services (8:30 am/11 am/6pm): March 18	?/?/?
Sunday School:	?
Last Week’s Offering:	\$ 6,964.00
Weekly Budgeted Offering:	\$ 6,648.00
Year to Date Giving:	\$ 76,356.00
Year to Date Budgeted Giving:	\$ 73,128.00 (+\$3,228)