

THIS WEEK @ BPC

TODAY

10:00 AM Worship Service  
11:00 AM Fellowship Meal  
4:30 PM Deacon's Meeting  
6:00 PM Evening Worship

ANNOUNCEMENTS

**Communion:** Please prepare your hearts to receive the Lord's Supper this morning.

**One Worship Service/Fellowship Meal:** Please join us today after the worship service for our fellowship meal in the fellowship hall.

**Coffee and Connection:** Women in the MS Valley Churches are invited to Providence Presbyterian Church in Clinton on July 20<sup>th</sup> at 9:30 a.m. for coffee, snacks and fellowship. No charge, no registration... just come if you can.

**Fun for the Family:** Bring the family for a night of fun at the Braves Baseball Game on Saturday, August 17<sup>th</sup> at 6:00 p.m. Tickets are provided by the Men's Ministry Team. Please sign-up on the bulletin board.

**Sunday School:** Women's Class: *Even Better Than Eden: 9 Ways the Bible Story changes Everything About Your Story* by Nancy Guthrie; Men's Class: *The Life and Theology of Paul* by Guy Prentiss Waters

**byFaith Magazine:** Read in byFaith Magazine how one church uses outdoor outings to grow closer to God and each other. Available in the breezeway.

**New Sunday Evening Sermon Series:** Psalms 13-24, "Slogging Along in the Paths of Righteousness"

**Hallway Duty:** We need people to assist our deacons in security during the 11:00 a.m. and 6:00 p.m. services. Sign-up on the bulletin board.

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 worship with the adults in the sanctuary for the evening service June and July! Catechism club will begin in August so start reviewing!

SERVING THIS SUNDAY

**Bell Ringer:** Colton Whitney

**Next Week:** Cora Whitney

**Nursery:** Amy Kaiser/Joni Vance

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**July:** Ellie Word

**August:** Rebecca Thompson

CHILDREN'S CHURCH

**July:** Susan Inman

**August:** Kerri Matthews

YOUTH MINISTRY

**Sunday School:** Jr and Sr High classes meet upstairs at 9:45 a.m. every Sunday.

**Youth Fellowship:** Youth group will not meet in June and July.

**RYM:** This week July 8<sup>th</sup>-13<sup>th</sup>.

ATTENDANCE & FINANCIAL UPDATES

Worship Services (8:30 am/11 am/6 pm): June 30 34/69/27

Sunday School: 92

Last Week's Offering: \$ 11,357.00

Weekly Budgeted Offering: \$ 7,172.00

Year-to-Date Giving: \$ 215,114.00

Year-to-Date Budgeted Giving: \$ 186,472.00 (+\$28,642)

Sermon Notes

"The Prologue"

MARK 1:1-13

I. Scripture

II. Trinity

III. Redemption

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OFFICERS

**Elders:** TE John Dawson, 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 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

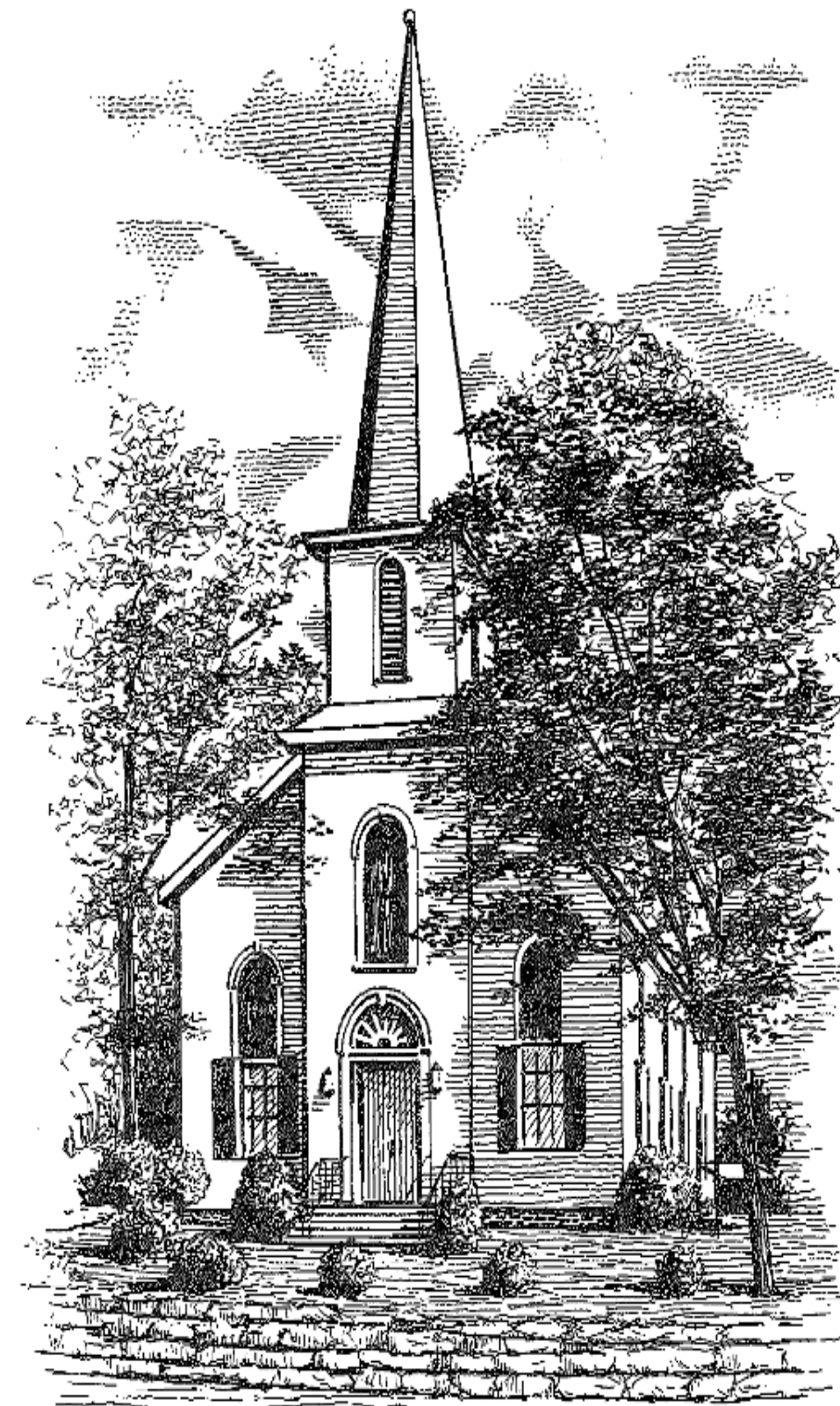
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# Morning Worship

The Lord's Day, July 7, 2019

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

## Meditation

Heidelberg Catechism 75

Q. How does the Lord's supper signify and seal to you that you share in Christ's one sacrifice on the cross and in all his gifts?

A. In this way: Christ has commanded me and all believers to eat of this broken bread and drink of this cup in remembrance of him. With this command he gave these promises: First, as surely as I see with my eyes the bread of the Lord broken for me and the cup given to me, so surely was his body offered for me and his blood poured out for me on the cross. Second, as surely as I receive from the hand of the minister and taste with my mouth the bread and the cup of the Lord as sure signs of Christ's body and blood, so surely does he himself nourish and refresh my soul to everlasting life with his crucified body and shed blood.

## Prelude

"From Thy Throne on High"

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ORGANIST JACQUELYN THORNELL

## Welcome & Announcements

### Call to Worship \*

ISAIAH 43:1-3

Leader: But now thus says the LORD,  
he who created you, O Jacob,  
he who formed you, O Israel:

**People: "Fear not, for I have redeemed you;  
I have called you by name, you are mine.**

Leader: When you pass through the waters, I will be with you;  
and through the rivers, they shall not overwhelm you;

**People: When you walk through fire you shall not be burned,  
and the flame shall not consume you.**

Leader: For I am the LORD your God,

**People: The Holy One of Israel, your Savior.**

### Hymn of Praise \*

N<sup>o</sup> 97

"We Praise You, O God, Our Redeemer, Creator"

### Invocation \*

### Hymn of Praise \*

N<sup>o</sup> 457

"Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing"

### Confession of Sin

BOOK OF COMMON WORSHIP

You, O Lord, have promised, that if we will confess our sins You are faithful and just to forgive us our sins. Therefore, we come in repentance seeking your forgiveness that we may know the joy of your presence and the light of your face. You alone know how often we have offended You, and hurt the lives of others. Forgive us, O Lord, for every unkind thought, every untrue word, every

wrong act. Forgive us, for we have been selfish and have not thought of the needs of others. Forgive us, for our ingratitude, our neglect of prayer, our carelessness in the use of money, our forgetfulness of sacred vows. O God have mercy upon us. Create in us clean hearts and renew a right spirit within us for the sake of Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

### Assurance of Pardon

BOOK OF COMMON WORSHIP

O Lord Jesus Christ, who did give your life for us that we might receive pardon and peace: mercifully cleanse us from all sin, and evermore keep us in your favor and love, who lives and reigns with the Father and the Holy Spirit, ever one God, world without end. Amen.

### Pastoral Prayer

### God's Tithes & Our Offerings

### Offertory

JAMES/DOANE

"Jesus, Keep Me Near the Cross"

### 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.

### Special Music

SHELLIE BROWN

"The Power of the Cross"

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

### Reading of Holy Scripture

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MARK 1:1-13

### Sermon

DR. JOHN DAWSON

"The Prologue"

### Hymn of Preparation \*

N<sup>o</sup> 264 (STANZAS 1-2)

"Jesus, Keep Me near the Cross"

### The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper

### Hymn of Response \*

N<sup>o</sup> 264 (STANZAS 3-4)

"Jesus, Keep Me near the Cross"

### Benediction \*

### Postlude \*

\*Congregation Standing \*\* 11:00 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:** Michael and Mary Lott (SE Asia)
- **Ministry of the Week:** Covenant Seminary
- **Shepherding Group of the Week:** Jackie Thompson and Chris Groebe
- **Child(ren) of the Week:** Griffin, William and Graham Belknap
- God would bless us with new **conversions, visitors, families, & members.**

### Expecting parents:

- **Leslie Poole** (Daughter of Gary & Carol Morrison): expecting in Sept.
- **Chris and Chauncey Blakeney:** expecting a baby boy in Nov.
- **Heidi Rogers** (Julie Rogers' Daughter): expecting in February 2020.

- **Courtney Hancock:** will be married on July 21<sup>st</sup>.
- **Bill Glover:** diagnosed with Parkinson's.
- **Jeanne Monsour:** will have left abductor tendon surgery on Friday, July 12<sup>th</sup> at Baptist.
- **Pat Marbury**, Jeanne Monsour's brother: recovery from knee surgery is being complicated by his heart and lung issues.
- **Jean Beasley**, Jeanne Monsour's neighbor: thankfully regaining her strength, after long hospital stay.
- **Michael Rogers**, Julie Rogers' Nephew: age 36; received several concussions in the past, now experiencing blackouts in memory and has wandered off several times like a sleep walker would, cannot work and is very scared.
- **Jim and Melinda Neill:** in the loss of their son, Jamie.
- **Gloria Tolar**, Darrin Tolar's Mother: recovering from stroke.
- **Tina Tolar:** Rheumatologist is running more tests.
- **Courtney Hancock's Grandmother:** kidney failure, she is 90 years old, in hospice.
- **Lois Carman:** severe back pain from scoliosis.
- **Bob Booth:** ALS and Muscular Dystrophy in left arm.

### Loved ones battling cancer:

- **Will Glover**, Marsha & Bill Glover's son: recent MRI was clear.
- **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 weeks.
- **Billie Stigler**, friend of Jeanne Monsour: finished her chemo and radiation treatments, still very weak and mouth still burns making eating difficult.
- **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.
- **Ken Pinkerton:** prostate cancer, good test results after chemo
- **Sandra Mahaffey:** stage 1 breast cancer, finished treatment, still very tired.
- **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