

THIS WEEK @ BPC

TODAY

8:30 AM Worship Service
9:45 AM Sunday School
11:00 AM Worship Service
5:00 PM Choir Rehearsal
6:00 PM Evening Worship

TUESDAY

6:00 PM Joint Officers' Meeting

WEDNESDAY

6:15 PM Family Night Supper

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Volunteers needed: We need 2 volunteers for childcare during the Valentine's Breakfast on Feb 1st. If you would be willing to help, please contact Buford Nicholson at (601) 906-0613.

Family Night Supper: The Thompson Shepherding Group will be hosting our first Family Night Supper of 2020 this *WEDNESDAY*. Please invite your friends and bring enough food for your family and a little extra for a guest and come enjoy a time of good food and fellowship with the church family.

New Sermon Series: January 12th - March 29th, morning sermons will be on Hosea and evening sermons will be on The Westminster Confession of Faith.

2020 Offering Envelopes: Available in the breezeway.

Flower Calendar: The flower calendar for 2020 has been posted on the bulletin board. Sign-up soon to get your special day.

Women's Winter Bible Study: Wednesdays, Jan 29nd to March 4th, 6:15-7:30 p.m. We will continue our study of Even Better Than Eden by Nancy Guthrie. Please pick-up your study guide in the church office.

Mid-South Men's Rally: Mark your calendars gentlemen! The Rally will be on Jan 31st at First Pres, Jackson. The speaker will be Dr. Jonathan Gibson (PhD, Cambridge). Men meet at Sal & Mookies at 5:30 p.m. Pizza is \$7. Meet at the church by 5:00 to ride in the church van. Please sign-up on the bulletin board.

Annual Men's Valentine's Breakfast: Ladies mark your calendars! This year's Valentine's Breakfast will be on February 1st at 8:00 a.m. (The early date is to accommodate those attending a conference on Feb 8th.) Please sign-up on the bulletin board or contact the church office. Childcare will be provided for babies and young children.

CHILDREN'S MINISTRY

Sunday School: Classes for 3 years - 6th grade meet each Sunday at 9:45 a.m.

Sunday Night: Children, join us this evening as we study God's Word and eat great food. The 3 - 5 year olds will study the 10 Commandments and the Catechism. The 1st - 6th graders will be learning more about Wisdom. I hope you all can come.

SERVING THIS SUNDAY

Bell Ringer: Jake Whitney

Next Week: James David Wade

Nursery: Amy Kaiser/Joni Vance

Next Week: Gray Outzs/Melinda Neill

January: Tiffany Glover

February: Michelle Smith

CHILDREN'S CHURCH

January: Susan Inman

February: Rebekah and Oliver Dawson

YOUTH MINISTRY

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

Youth Fellowship: Youth group meets Sunday nights at 6:00 p.m.

Sermon Notes

"Shock and Awe"

Hosea 1

I. A Parable That Shocks Us

II. A Prophecy That Awes Us

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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: Carole Morrison, Rebecca Thompson

Neill Shepherding Group: Melinda Neill

Thompson Shepherding Group: Mary Thompson, Jeanne Monsour

Whitten Shepherding Group: Molly Napier

The Flowers in the Sanctuary are in memory of Stephanie Dupree from her loving twins, Alex and Amber Dupree, and Frank and Ene Clayton.

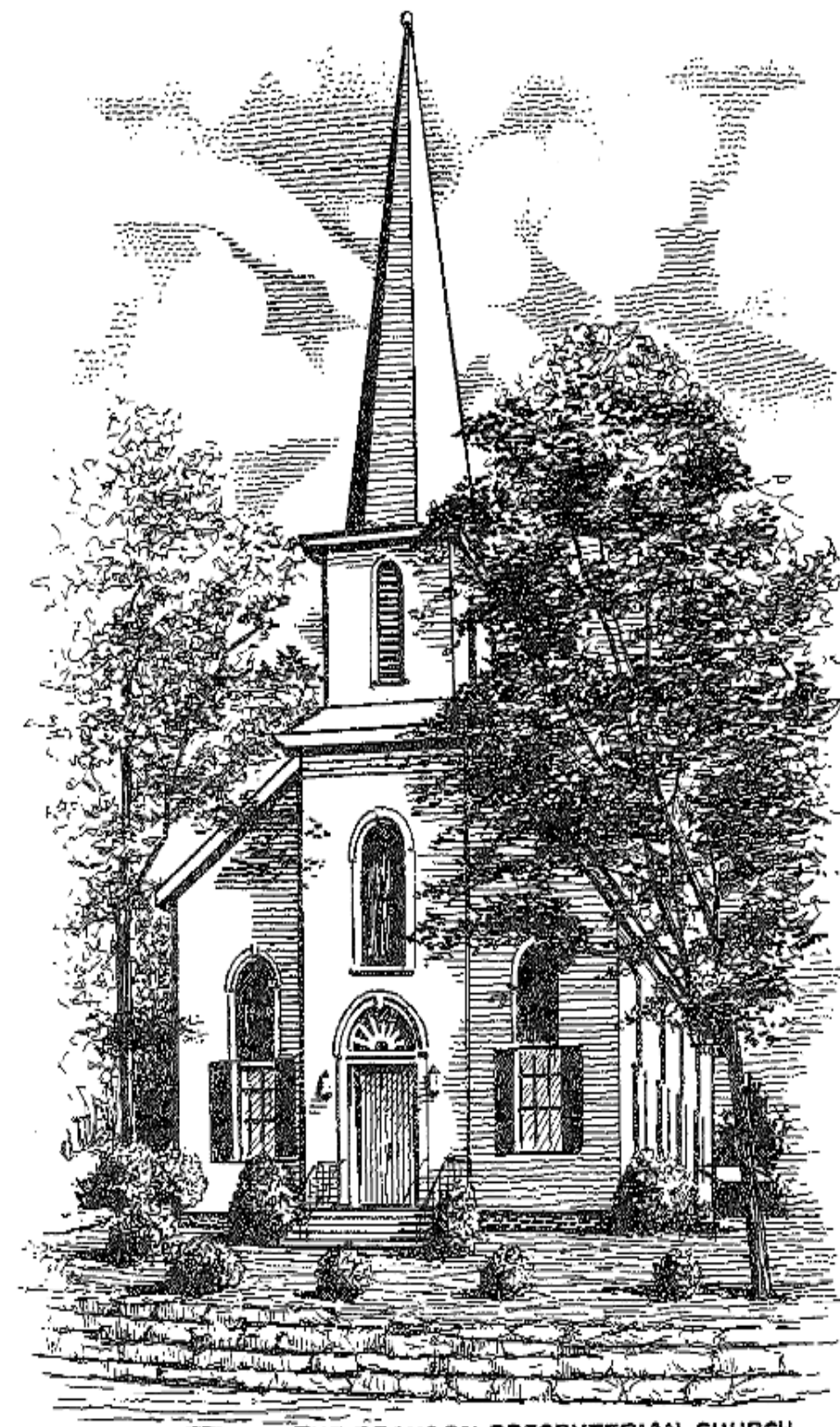
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Morning Worship

The Lord’s Day, January 12, 2020

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

Meditation HELEN LEMMEL

Turn your eyes upon Jesus, look full in his wonderful face: and the things of earth will grow strangely dim in the light of his glory and grace.

Prelude FEDAK
Impression on “We Three Kings”
ORGANIST, JACQUELYN THORNELL

Welcome & Announcements

Call to Worship * PSALM 103: 1,5,6,8

Leader: Praise the LORD, O my soul;
all my inmost being, praise his holy name.

People: Who satisfies your desires with good things so that your youth is renewed like the eagle's.

Leader: The LORD works righteousness and justice for all the oppressed.

People: The LORD is compassionate and gracious, slow to anger, abounding in love.

Hymn of Praise * N^o 598
“Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah”

Invocation *

Hymn of Praise * N^o 465
“Marvelous Grace of Our Loving Lord”

Confession of Sin Book of Common Worship

Lord, though you should guide us, we inform ourselves;
though you should rule us, we control ourselves;
though you should fulfill us, we console ourselves.
We think your truth too high, your will too hard,
your power too remote, your love too free. But they are not!
And without them, we are of all people most miserable.
Now heal our confused minds with your word,
heal our divided wills with your law,
heal our troubled consciences with your love,
heal our anxious hearts with your presence,
all for the sake of your Son,
who loved us and gave himself for us. Amen.

Assurance of Pardon I JOHN 1:9
If we confess our sins, he is faithful and just to forgive us our sins and to cleanse us from all unrighteousness.

Pastoral Prayer

God’s Tithes & Our Offerings

Offertory J. C. BACH
“My Inmost Heart Now Raises”

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 ADULT CHOIR
“10,000 Reasons”

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

Reading of Holy Scripture PAGES 636-637
HOSEA 1

Sermon DR. JOHN K. DAWSON
“Shock and Awe”

Hymn of Response * N^o 481
“Turn Your Eyes upon Jesus”

Benediction

Postlude *
* Congregation Standing
** 11:00 Service Only

ATTENDANCE & FINANCIAL UPDATES

Worship Services (8:30 am/11 am/6 pm):	Jan 5	58/81/50
Sunday School:		93
Last Week’s Offering:		\$ 10,782.00
Weekly Budgeted Offering:		\$ 7,194.00
Year-to-Date Giving:		\$ 10,782.00
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To Our Visitors	We are pleased to have you worship with us. Our church doors are open as wide as the Gospel:
	<i>“For everyone who calls on the name of the Lord will be saved”</i> 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:** Caleb & Miyoung Cheon (Asia)
- **Ministry of the Week:** Covenant Seminary
- **Shepherding Group of the Week:** Jackie Thompson and Chris Groebe
- **Child(ren) of the Week:** Jesse and Jonathan Dickey
- God would bless us with new **conversions, visitors, families, & members.**

Babies:

- **Courtney Hancock-Stevens:** baby Carter was born on Jan 4th, 7lbs, 3ozs, 20in.
- **Heidi Rogers,** Julie Rogers’ Daughter: expecting a baby boy Feb 2nd.

- **Phillip Sealy** (church planter): in hospice care.
- **Gloria Tolar** (Darrin Tolar’s Mother): recovering from stroke, not doing well.
- **Bob Booth:** neurological disease in left arm and hand, undergoing PT.
- **Sam Watkins** (Sharon Nicholson’s brother): in hospice in Tampa, FL.
- **Linda Harrison:** recovering from mini-stroke.
- **Ken Bramlett:** constant pain, please pray for relief.
- **Lois Carman:** severe back pain from scoliosis, losing weight, pray for a healthy appetite and weight gain.
- **Bill Glover:** Parkinson’s, continuing physical therapy, doctors are adjusting his meds, has not fainted recently but battles exhaustion daily.

Loved ones battling cancer:

- **Robin Marbury Morris** (Jeanne Monsour’s Niece): liver & colon cancer, continuing chemo.
- **Carmen Wolfe Ingleheart** (Angela McInnis’ former student): breast cancer.
- **Jim Smith:** pancreatic cancer, awaiting results of biopsy of stomach.
- **Nancy Nunn** (Gray Ouzts’ aunt): breast cancer.
- **Brandi Height** (Andrew Ouzts’ sister): breast cancer.
- **Kelly Langford** (Jacquelyn Thornell’s Daughter): accepted by MD Anderson for a clinical trial for melanoma, beginning Jan 3rd, treatments on Jan 10th and 17th.
- **Will Glover** (Marsha & Bill Glover’s Son): latest MRI is clear.
- **Steven Bell** (Tiffany Glover’s brother): recovering from recent surgery to remove cancerous part of his liver and colon, facing a heavy round of chemo.
- **Gib Vredeveld** (Julie Rogers’ Father): esophageal cancer, the tumor has shrunk a little, feeling well most days, won’t need anymore radiation unless the tumor starts growing again and causes problems, next oncology appointment is in Feb.
- **Presbyterian pastors in MS fighting cancer:** Alan Stanton, Pinehaven in Clinton (brain tumor); Phillip Sealy, Ocean Springs (stage 4 melanoma); Richard Owens, Westminster Presbyterian, Greenwood (brain tumor); Jerry Long, Batesville Presbyterian (kidney cancer).
- **Anna Taylor** (wife of Jim Taylor, Pastor of The Pointe): cancer in her back, undergoing chemo.
- **Andrew Gerrard** (Jo Stanford’s Nephew): Desmoplastic round cell tumor; some shrinkage of tumor, able to do some exercise, increased appetite and strength, and resolution of insurance issues. Pray for chemo to continue shrinking tumor.
- **Leah Herbert** (Ainslie Curtis’ teacher): stage 4 cervical cancer, single Mom of a 6th grader, currently receiving chemo and radiation treatments.
- **Dr. Shenouda:** prostate cancer, 99% free of cancer and it is dormant.
- **Ken Pinkerton:** prostate cancer, good report from July checkup.
- **Andrew McCall** (Son of Rev. & Mrs. Perry McCall): acute leukemia.
- **Terry McGinty** (Kerri Matthews’ Uncle): has prostate cancer that has metastasized to the bone.

- **Service members:** Matthew Hellier (Japan), 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, Laverne Roberts