

THIS WEEK @ BPC

TODAY

9:00 AM Sunday School
 9:55 AM Worship Service
 2:00 PM Bridal Shower for Eli Whitten
 5:00 PM Adult Choir
 6:00 PM Evening Worship Service

MONDAY

6:00 PM Officer Training

TUESDAY

9:30 AM & 6:30 PM Ladies' Monthly Bible Study
 5:30 PM Session Meeting

FRIDAY

6:00 PM Game Night

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Adult Sunday School - Spring Quarter: We will be 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.

No Wednesday Night Fellowship: There will be no Wednesday Night Fellowship this week. We will resume our regular schedule next Wednesday.

Bridal Shower: Eli Whitten's bridal shower is this afternoon at 2:00 PM.

Game Night: Everyone of all ages is invited to come for an evening of board games in the Fellowship Hall this Friday, March 15th from 6:00 - 9:00 PM. Snacks will be provided. See Nate Inman for questions.

Ladies Charcuterie board night: Friday March 22 @ 6:30pm at the church. Please bring a board of deliciousness to share. If you have questions please see Carrie Mills or Mary Thompson.

Our Daily Bread: The spring issue (March-May) may be picked up in the breezeway.

Online Giving

For the past several years, Brandon Presbyterian Church has partnered with the PCA Foundation to offer a convenient way to give your tithes and offerings via an online website. Many of you have taken advantage of this service and the feedback has been very positive. If you have not tried it, I encourage you to consider this easy way to give a one-time or a recurring donation to our church. To enroll, simply go to <https://pcaf.blackbaudportal.com/> and choose 10131-Brandon Presbyterian Church from the list of funds available.

If you have any issues enrolling or setting up your donations, please call (678-825-1040) or email pcaf@pcanet.org for support.

CHILDREN'S MINISTRY

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

Wednesday Night: Children's activities resume next Wednesday from 5:30-7:30 PM. The Children are studying the catechism. Easter Egg hunt - March 27th at 7:10 PM.

SERVING SUNDAY & WEDNESDAY

Bell Ringer: Wilson Langley **Next Week:** Adelaide Carpenter

Nursery: Melinda Neill (SS), Thatcher Mills (WS)/Amy Kaiser **PM:** Molly Eastland

Wednesday: Melinda Neill, Cortney Greer

Next Sunday: Amelia Carpenter, Cecile Whitten (SS), Carrie & Caitlin Mills (WS)

PM: Michelle & Jude Smith **Wednesday:** Melinda Neil

March: Davida Curtis **April:** Ellie Word

Children's Church: Susan Inman & Thatcher Mills **Next week:** Chris & Chauncey Blakeney

YOUTH MINISTRY

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

Youth Fellowship: Youth Group will not meet this Wednesday night.

Sermon Notes

"The Seventy Weeks"

Daniel 9:24-27

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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:

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
 by Sam and Jan Heath.**

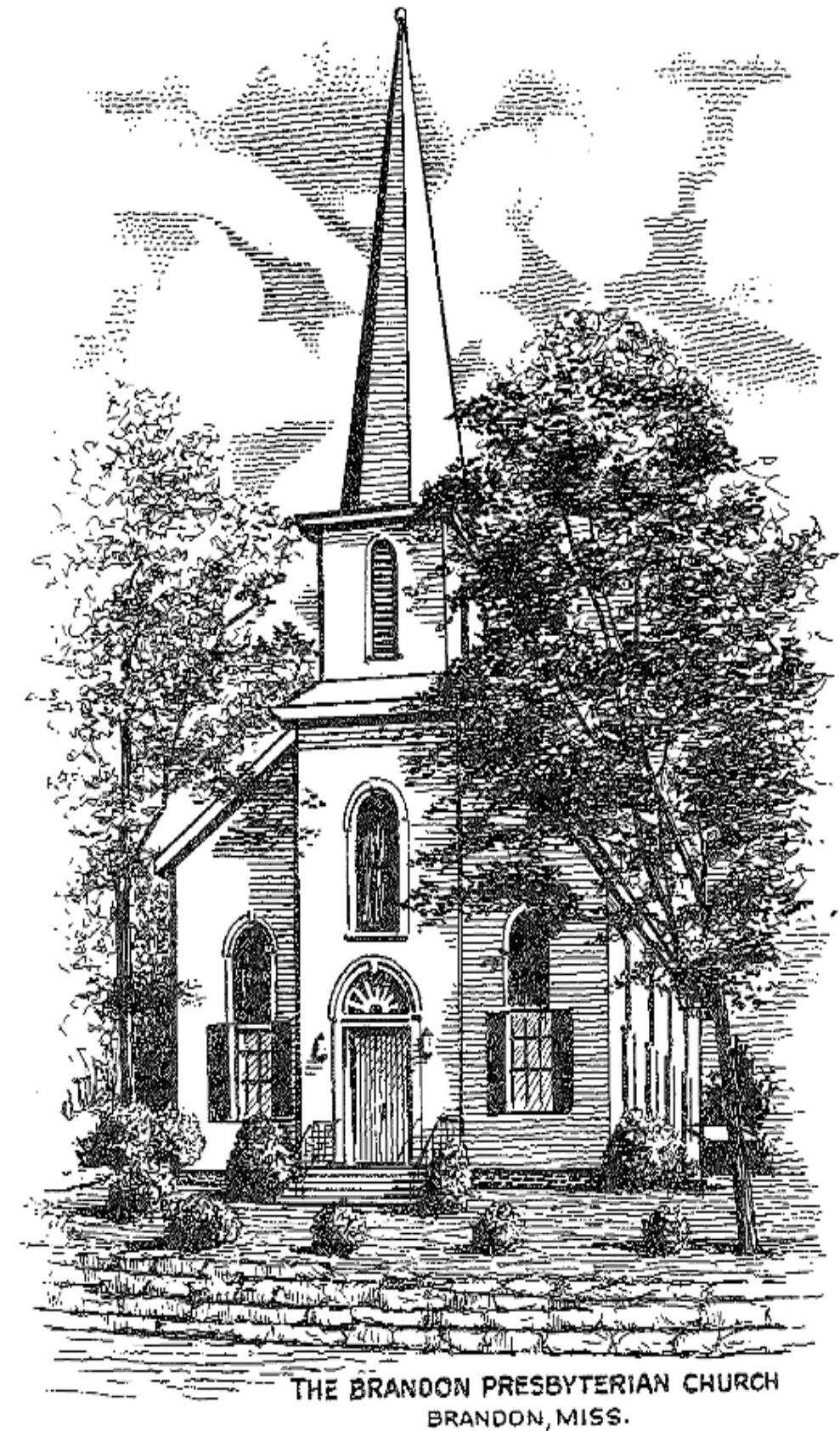
**To Our
 Visitors**

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.



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

Morning Worship

The Lord's Day, March 10, 2024

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

Meditation DALE RALPH DAVIS

I well recall the first time I had to lecture on this passage in a liberal arts college. I worked through the Hebrew text and spent hours reading secondary sources...the title for my lecture: 'Seventy weeks and twenty problems.'

Welcome & Announcements

Prelude/Preparation for Worship JOSH PEOPLES, ORGANIST
"Shine, Jesus, Shine" arr. Tom Fetke

Call to Worship * JEREMIAH 31:10-11

Hear the word of the LORD, O nations, and declare it in the coastlands far away; say, "He who scattered Israel will gather him, and will keep him as a shepherd keeps his flock." For the LORD has ransomed Jacob and has redeemed him from hands too strong for him.

Invocation ISAIAH 40:1-5

Hymn of Praise * N^o. 2
"O Worship the King"

Confession of Faith
Second Helvetic Confession XVII. Of the Catholic and Holy Church of God, and of the One Only Head of the Church (Part 18)

Again, not all that are reckoned in the number of the Church are saints, and living and true members of the Church. For there are many hypocrites, who outwardly hear the Word of God, and publicly receive the sacraments, and seem to pray to God through Christ alone, to confess Christ to be their only righteousness, and to worship God, and to exercise the duties of charity, and for a time to endure with patience in misfortune. And yet they are inwardly destitute of true illumination of the Spirit, of faith and sincerity of heart, and of perseverance to the end. But eventually the character of these men, for the most part, will be disclosed.

Confession of Sin: BOOK OF COMMON PRAYER (1552)

Almighty God, unto whom all hearts are open, all desires known, and from whom no secrets are hidden—cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit, so that we may perfectly love you, and worthily magnify your holy name; through Christ our Lord. Amen.

Assurance of Pardon MATTHEW 11:28-30

Come to me, all who labor and are heavy laden, and I will give you rest. Take my yoke upon you, and learn from me, for I am gentle and lowly in heart, and you will find rest for your souls. For my yoke is easy, and my burden is light.

Hymn of Praise * N^o. 246
"Man of Sorrows! What a Name"

Pastoral Prayer WALT HERRINGTON

God's Tithes & Our Offerings 1 CORINTHIANS 16:29
Ascribe to the Lord the glory due his name; bring an offering and come before him! Worship the Lord in the splendor of holiness.

Offertory LISA HELLIER, SOPRANO; JACKIE THOMPSON, TENOR
"Let Mt. Zion Rejoice" Dr. J. B. Herbert

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 JOHN THOMPSON

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

Reading of Holy Scripture PAGE 633
Daniel 9:24-27

Sermon REV. BRAD MILLS
"The Seventy Weeks"

Hymn of Response * N^o. 128
"God Moves in a Mysterious Way"

Benediction NUMBERS 6:24-26
The LORD bless you and keep you; the LORD make his face to shine upon you and be gracious to you; the LORD lift up his countenance upon you and give you his peace.

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.

*Congregation Standing

ATTENDANCE & FINANCIAL UPDATES

Worship Services (10 AM/6 PM):	Mar 3	138/70
Live Views: (10 AM/6PM)		10/4
Total Online views:		61/15
Last Week's Offering:	\$	7,823.00
Online Giving:	\$	249.00
Weekly Budgeted Offering:	\$	9,390.00
Year-to-Date Giving:	\$	80,039.00 (-4,471)
Year-to-Date Budgeted Giving:	\$	84,510.00

To livestream the service go to:

<https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCGmzy521B7L2DpUAATzGHA>

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:** Caleb Cheon (Taiwan)
- **Ministry of the Week:** RUF Mid-South
- **Shepherding Group of the Week:** Walt Herrington, Brian Smith, Darrin Tolar
- **Child(ren) of the Week:** Avery Thompson
- **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
- **Savannah Brewer:** expecting a baby girl March 17th
- **Aaron & Laurel Arnold** (Jeff & Lisa Bynum's daughter & son-in-law): expecting a baby girl mid-June
- **Anna Kate Stowers** is expecting a baby boy in September

- **Theo Hayes Copelan** (Gracie & Jacob Copelan's son and Angela McInnis's great grandson): is home and Mom and he are doing well. He is alert, active, eating and gaining weight. Thank you for your prayers.
- **Lois & Jimmy Carman** : Lois is still at home receiving therapy; doing better. Jimmy is still in the ICU at Baptist, infection cleared up but still dealing with confusion. Please pray for continued healing for Jimmy and Lois and for strength and endurance for Cathy and Joe.
- **Nancy Bramlett:** passed away February 27th; please continue to prayer for her 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:

- **Trent Atkinson** (Sue Bohnen's son): now home; gradually healing; has finished his treatments. Thank you for your continued prayers.
- **Ames Lee** (Chad and Wendy Lee's son): leukemia; participating in a clinical trial for released AML kids at St. Jude. Ames was admitted for transplant March 4th; he will have 14 days of chemotherapy in preparation for the new cells. They will retrieve cells from Wendy via apheresis on March 18th; these will be given to Ames on March 19th and 20th. Engraftment will take around 8-10 days post transplant. Please pray Ames will stay infection free and fever free. Pray that I stay healthy and that I will make an over abundance of cells to give Ames and that Ames has minimal side effects to chemo and that he engrafts without complications. Thank you to everyone for the prayers, donations, and support.
- **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): had his annual check up. He 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, Laverne Roberts

- **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)