

THIS WEEK @ BPC

TODAY		Mother’s Day
	9:00 AM	Sunday School
	9:55 AM	Worship Service
	6:00 PM	Evening Worship Service
TUESDAY		
	6:00 AM	Men’s Morning Book Study
	9:30 AM	Ladies’ Monthly Bible Study
	5:30 PM	Session
WEDNESDAY		
	5:30 PM	Wednesday Night Fellowship
SATURDAY		
	9:30-11:00 AM	Chauncey Blakeney’s Baby Shower

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Adult Sunday School-Spring Quarter: Jim Neill, Brad Mills, Scotty Dickey and Thomas Eastland are leading a study on the *Gospel of John*.
Adult Choir Rehearsal: There will be no Adult choir rehearsal tonight.
Wednesday Night Fellowship: We will have weekly dinners from 5:30-6:30 PM followed by activities for all ages from 6:30 -7:30 PM.
Wednesday Evening Adult Study: Nate Inman is leading the adults in a study of *Grow in Grace* by Sinclair Ferguson through June 11th.
Baby Shower: Ladies, please join us for a baby shower for Chauncey Blakeney this Saturday, May 17th, from 9:30 - 11:00 AM.
College & Singles Bowling Night: All college & young singles are invited to join us on Friday, May 23rd, at 7:00 PM for a night of bowling. Text Ray Shores for more information at 334-435-4530.
Save the Date: Bill & Becky Inman’s 50th wedding anniversary party: Saturday, May 31st from 2:00 - 4:00 PM
Vacation Bible School: will be June 16-20 from 5:30-8:15 PM for children entering K3-6th. If your child(ren), neighbor, friend or grandchild will be attending, please sign them up! (K3 & K4’s must be the children of members or regular visitors.) Questions?? Nate & Susan Inman
Ignite! BPC Women’s Retreat: THERE’S STILL TIME TO SIGN UP for the Women’s Retreat at Camp Tanglewood September 26-28. You’ve got a few more weeks to leave your registration form and deposit of \$100 in the offering plate or in the envelope on the counter in the office.
Will Brown-Charlie Moak Memorial Golf Tournament: Plans are in place for this event scheduled for Saturday, October 4th at Bay Pointe Golf Club. Please sign up on the sheet that is posted on the bulletin board or call the office and let Barbara know you would like to be added. The cost this year is \$55/person which includes the golf and hamburger lunch. Also, if anyone wishes to donate prizes for the tournament, you can leave them at the church office.

CHILDREN’S MINISTRY

Sunday School: Classes for 2 years - 6th grade meet each Sunday at 9:00 AM.
Wednesday Night: From April 2-June 11 the children (3 years olds-6th) will be studying the book of Proverbs. The children will learn that the only way to live a life of wisdom is to follow Jesus. Following any other voice is folly and will lead to death.

SERVING SUNDAY

Bell Ringer: Ivy Lynne Underwood **Next Week:** Jackson Lee
Nursery: Trasity Shores (SS), Rebecca Thompson (WS)/Amy Kaiser **Evening Service:** Rebecca Thompson, Michelle Smith **Wednesday:** Rebecca Thompson, Trasity Shores
Next Sunday: Rebecca Thompson, Cortney Greer (SS), Mollye Brown, (WS)
Evening Service: Trasity Shores, Mary Claire Lyons **Wednesday:** Trasity Shores, Rebecca Thompson
May: Rebecca Thompson **June:** Davida Curtis
Children’s Church: Matt & Cassie Warren **Next week:** Susan Inman, Carole Morrison

YOUTH MINISTRY

Sunday School: Jr and Sr. High classes meet upstairs at 9:00 AM every Sunday.
Youth Fellowship: Youth Group meets after dinner on Wednesdays at 6:30 PM.

ATTENDANCE & FINANCIAL UPDATES

Worship Services (10 AM/6 PM):	May 4,	168/69
Live Views:		8/6
Total Online views:		44/37
Sunday School:		100
Last Week’s Offering:	\$	7,317.00
Online Giving :	\$	912.00
Weekly Budgeted Offering:	\$	9,968.00
Year-to-Date Giving:		\$172,350.00 (-7,074.00)
Year-to-Date Budgeted Giving:		\$179,424.00

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OFFICERS EMERITUS

Elders - Walt Herrington, Gary Morrison, Jackie Thompson
Deacons - John McInnis †, Richard Harrison

WOMEN’S MINISTRY

Leadership Team - Nancilynn Dickey, Julie Huddleston, Carrie Mills, Kerri Matthews, Carole Morrison, Jeanne Monsour, Elizabeth Pinkerton, Mary Thompson
Flower Coordinators - Deanna Rush & Gray Ouzts
Wedding and Shower Coordinators - Ellie Word & Jeanne Monsour

The flowers in the Sanctuary are given in loving memory of
Stephanie Luby Dupree by her twins, Alex and Amber.
Happy Mother’s Day, we love you. *A & A

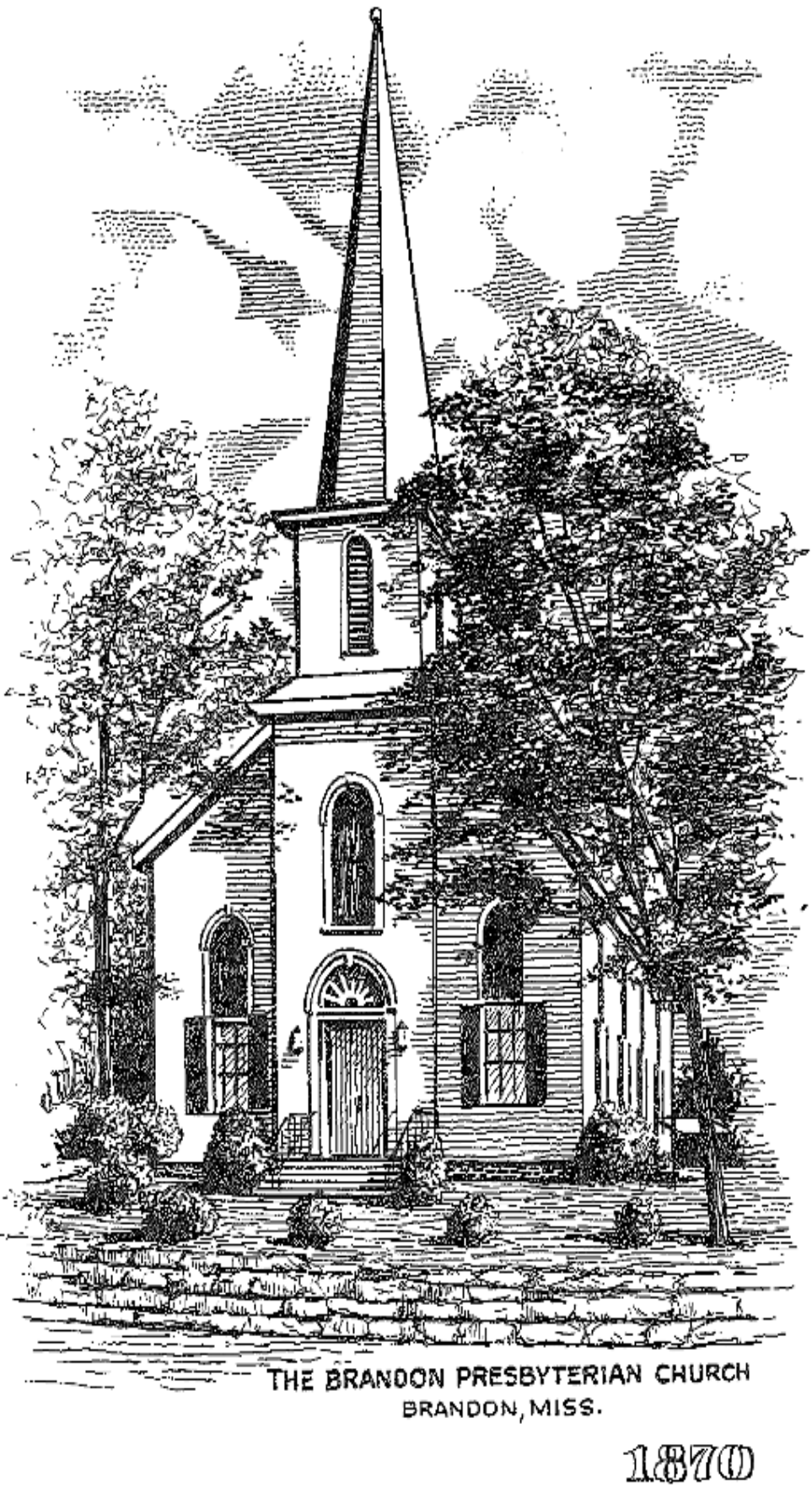
To Our Visitors

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.

To livestream the service go to:

<https://www.youtube.com/@brandonpres39042>

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.



“The Church’s One Foundation
Is Jesus Christ, Her Lord...”

Morning Worship	
The Lord’s Day, May 11, 2025	
<i>During the prelude, please prepare your heart to worship our gracious, Almighty God together.</i>	
Meditation	CHRYSOSTOM
Whenever there was need to punish or to honor, to forgive sins or to make laws, Christ was fully authorized to do it. Whenever Christ had to do any of these much greater things, you will not characteristically find him praying or calling on his Father for assistance. All these things, as you discover in the text, he did on his own authority.	
Welcome & Announcements	
Prelude	JOSH PEOPLES, ORGANIST
“Come, Christians, Join to Sing”	
Call to Worship *	ZECHARIAH 1:3; PSALM 25:1-2
Pastor: “Return to me and I will return to you,” says the Lord of hosts.	
People: To you, O Lord, I lift up my soul. O my God, in you I trust; let me not be put to shame.	
Invocation *	EARL ADAMS
Hymn of Praise *	N ^o . 38
“Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise”	
Confession of Faith	<i>WESTMINSTER SHORTER CATECHISM</i>
QUESTIONS 85 & 86	
Q. What doth God require of us, that we may escape his wrath and curse, due to us for sin?	
A. To escape the wrath and curse of God, due to us for sin, God requireth of us faith in Jesus Christ, repentance unto life, with diligent use of all the outward means whereby Christ communicateth to us the benefits of redemption.	
Q. What is faith in Jesus Christ?	
A. Faith in Jesus Christ is a saving grace, whereby we receive and rest upon him alone for salvation, as he is offered to us in the gospel.	
Confession of Sin	HEINRICH BULLINGER
I, a poor, sinful person, confess myself before you, my Lord God and Maker, that sadly I have sinned much, with my senses, thoughts, words, and deeds, as you, eternal God, know very well. I regret them and beg your grace. Amen.	

Assurance of Pardon	ROMANS 8:31-34
What then shall we say to these things? If God is for us, who can be against us? He who did not spare his own Son but gave him up for us all, how will he not also with him graciously give us all things? Who shall bring any charge against God’s elect? It is God who justifies. Who is to condemn? Christ Jesus is the one who died—more than that, who was raised—who is at the right hand of God, who indeed is interceding for us.	
Hymn of Praise *	N ^o . 571
“Stand Up, Stand Up for Jesus”	
Pastoral Prayer	BRIAN SMITH
God’s Tithes & Our Offerings	2 CORINTHIANS 8:9
For you know the grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, that though he was rich, yet for your sake he became poor, so that you by his poverty might become rich.	
Offertory	MEN’S CHOIR
“Under the Care of My God the Almighty”	
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 *	BRIAN SMITH
Dismiss Children For Children’s Church (3 & 4 year olds)	
Reading of Holy Scripture	PAGE 837
Mark 2:1-12	
Sermon	EARL ADAMS
“Jesus Is the Word of All Authority”	
Hymn of Response	N ^o . 101
“Come, Thou Almighty King”	
Benediction	EARL ADAMS
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	

Evening Worship	
Meditation	GREGORY NAZIANZEN
[Jesus] is recognized by demons, drives out demons, drowns deep a legion of spirits and sees the prince of demons falling like lightning. He is stoned, yet not hit; he prays yet he hears prayer. He weeps, yet he puts an end to weeping. He asks where Lazarus is—he was man; yet he raises Lazarus—he was God.	
Welcome & Announcements	
Prelude	JOSH PEOPLES, PIANIST
“Blessed Assurance”	
Call to Worship *	ISAIAH 43:14, 20-21; 1 CHRONICLES 16:24
The Lord, your Redeemer, the Holy One of Israel, gives water in the wilderness, rivers in the desert, to give drink to his chosen people, the people he formed for himself that they might declare his praise. <i>Redeemed of the Lord</i> , declare his glory among the nations, his marvelous works among all the peoples!	
Invocation *	EARL ADAMS
Hymn of Praise *	No. 164
"O for a Thousand Tongues to Sing”	
Responsive Reading	Psalm 51
Pastoral Prayer	EARL ADAMS
Hymn of Praise *	No. 401
“All Praise to Thee, My God, This Night”	
Scripture Reading	PAGES 840-841
Mark 5:1-43	
Sermon	EARL ADAMS
“Come to Jesus”	
Hymn of Response *	No. 644
“May the Mind of Christ, My Savior”	
Benediction	EARL ADAMS
Gloria Patri *	
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