## THIS WEEK (A) BPC

TODAY

9:00 AM Sunday School 9:55 AM Worship Service 5:00 PM Adult Choir Rehearsal 6:00 PM Evening Worship Service

WEDNESDAY

5:30 PM Wednesday Night Fellowship

#### **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**Ladies' Summer SS Class:** Lisa Hellier is leading a Ladies' SS Class through September on Malachi. Bring your Bible and your questions. We want to spend time on both. Hope you will join us!

Men's Summer SS Class: Alex Dupree, Nat Whitten and John Thompson are leading a study on how Christians should view work and how to connect our work with God's work. We are looking at the book *Every Good Endeavor* by Tim Keller.

Wednesday Night Fellowship (5:30 - 7:30 PM) We will have dinner from 5:30-6:30 PM followed by children and youth activities and adult studies from 6:30 -7:30 PM. Meals start at \$5 a person with a \$15 cap for families of three or more. Two nursery volunteers are needed at 6:20 PM each Wednesday. Brad is leading a study for adults on the book *Caring for One Another: 8 Ways to Cultivate Meaningful Relationships* by Edward T. Welch.

Our Daily Bread: The fall issue has arrived and may be picked up in the café area. Ignite! BPC Women's Retreat: The last half of your retreat payment is due no later than September 7<sup>th</sup>. You can put your payment in the offering plate or in the retreat envelope on the counter in the church office. Be sure and include your name and that it is for the retreat.

Will Brown-Charlie Moak Memorial Golf Tournament: is Saturday, October 4<sup>th</sup> 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 is \$55/person this year which includes the golf and a 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 - 6<sup>th</sup> grade meet each Sunday at 9:00 AM.

Wednesday Night(6:30-7:30 PM) Beginning Wednesday the children (3 year olds - 6th) will be studying the catechism from August 6th - September 24th. The 3, 4, & 5 year olds will study questions 14 - 28 of the Children's Catechism with Susan Inman and Carole Morrison. The 1st - 3rd will be learning about and memorizing questions 49 - 89 of the Children's Catechism with Patrick and Amelia Carpenter. The 4th - 6th will continue in the Shorter Catechism and will study questions 17 - 29 with Nate Inman and Gary Morrison.

### **SERVING SUNDAY**

Bell Ringer: Weston Williamson Next Week: Wilson Langley

Nursery: Brittany Williams (SS) Molly Eastland (WS)/Amy Kaiser Evening Service: Molly Eastland, Michelle Smith Wednesday: Rebecca Thompson, Trasity Shores Next Sunday: Rebecca Thompson, Trasity Shores (SS) (WS)

**Evening Service:** Trasity Shores, Savannah Brewer Next Wednesday: Gray Ouzts

August: Molly Eastland September: Ellie Word

Children's Church: Patrick and Amelia Carpenter Next Week: Kerri Matthews,

Lauren Hoge

## YOUTH MINISTRY

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

## ATTENDANCE & FINANCIAL UPDATES

Worship Services (10 AM/6 PM): August 17 114/55 Live Views: 12/10 Total Online views: 62/36 Sunday School: 108

Last Week's Offering: \$ 4,364.00
Online Giving: \$ 1,745.00
Weekly Budgeted Offering: \$ 9,968.00

Year-to-Date Giving: \$295,153.00 (-27,682.00)

Year-to-Date Budgeted Giving: \$328,944.00

#### STAFF

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#### OFFICER:

**Elders -** Scotty Dickey, Thomas Eastland, Brad Mills, Jim Neill, Brian Smith, John Thompson, Nat Whitten

**Deacons** - Richard Bohnen, Alex Dupree, Chris Groebe, Nate Inman, Ryan Lee, Eric Napier, Andrew Ouzts, Andrew Rush, Luther Stowers, Darrin Tolar, Matthew Warren

## OFFICERS EMERITUS

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

#### WOMEN'S MINISTRY

**Leadership Team** - Nancilynn Dickey, Julie Huddleston, Kerri Matthews, Carrie Mills, Jeanne Monsour, Carole Morrison, Elizabeth Pinkerton, Mary Thompson

Flower Coordinators - Gray Ouzts & Deanna Rush

Wedding and Shower Coordinators - Jeanne Monsour & Ellie Word

The flowers in the Sanctuary are given to the glory of God by Trey and Jill Gore.

## To Our Visitors

## We are pleased to have you worship with us.

Our church doors are open as wide as the Gospel:

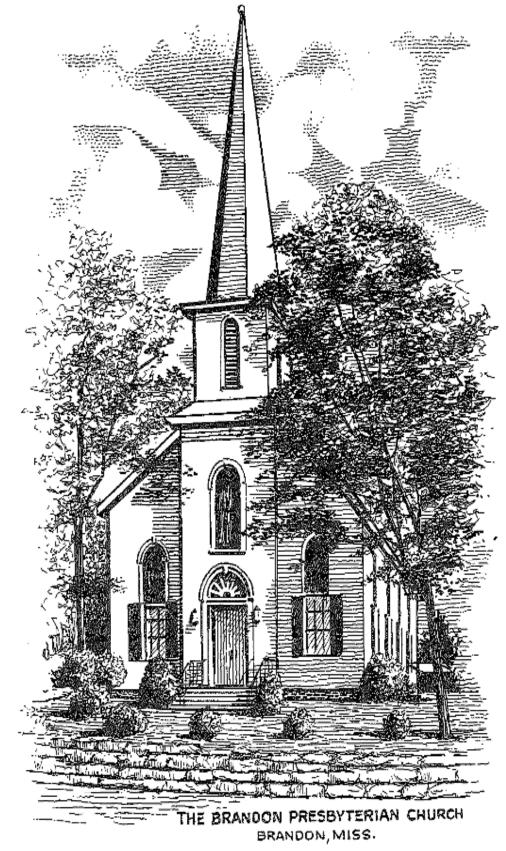
"For everyone who calls on the name of the Lord will be saved" Romans 10:13

**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.



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

# Morning Worship

The Lord's Day, August 24, 2025

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

Meditation PSALM 127:1, 3

"Unless the LORD builds the house, those who build it labor in vain. Unless the LORD watches over the city, the watchman stays awake in vain... Behold, children are a heritage from the LORD, the fruit of the womb a reward."

Welcome & Announcements

Prelude Josh Peoples, Organist

Call to Worship \* PSALM 66:1-4

Shout for joy to God, all the earth; sing the glory of his name; give to him glorious praise! Say to God, "How awesome are your deeds! So great is your power that your enemies come cringing to you." Let all the earth worship and sing praises to our God; sing praises to his name!

Invocation \* PSALM 66:1-4

Psalm of Praise \* N° 364

"Let Children Hear the Mighty Deeds" (PSALM 78)

(Hymn of the month)

Scripture Reading PSALM 78:1-39

Confession of Sin Adapted from The Valley of Vision

Holy Lord, You have placed all of our sins upon Jesus and called us to walk with You. But our righteous deeds are as filthy rags, stained with sin. Help us to see the greatness of our sinfulness and the beauty of Your holiness. Help us to see the defilement of our transgressions and the cleansing power of Jesus. Help us to see the filthiness of sin and the glory of Christ. Forgive us, O God. All of our hope is in Your grace. Amen.

Assurance of Pardon Ps. 103:11-14

"For as high as the heavens are above the earth, so great is his steadfast love toward those who fear him; as far as the east is from the west, so far does he remove our transgressions from us. As a father shows compassion to his children, so the LORD shows compassion to those who fear him. For he knows our frame; he remembers that we are dust."

Hymn of Praise \* N° 55

"To God Be the Glory"

Pastoral Prayer Scotty Dickey

God's Tithes & Our Offerings

DEUTERONOMY 16:17

Every man shall give as he is able, according to the blessing of the LORD your God that he has given you.

Offertory

Robbe Mahaffey, Solo

"Hold Me Savior" by Keith & Kristyn Getty, Skye Peterson, Sandra McCracken

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 \*

SCOTTY DICKEY

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

Reading of Holy Scripture

Pages 488-490

Psalm 78:5-6, 40-72

Sermon Ray Shores

"Teaching the Next Generation"

Hymn of Response \* N°. 701

"Redeemed, How I Love to Proclaim It!"

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 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. Amen.

\* Congregation Standing

## **Evening Worship**

Meditation Ephesians 2:1-3

"And you were dead in the trespasses and sins in which you once walked, following the course of this world, following the prince of the power of the air, the spirit that is now at work in the sons of disobedience--among whom we all once lived in the passions of our flesh, carrying out the desires of the body and the mind, and were by nature children of wrath, like the rest of mankind."

Prelude Josh Peoples, Pianist

Call to Worship \* Psalm 65:1-4

Praise is due to our God, in Zion, and to him shall vows be performed. All flesh will come before the one who hears our prayers. When iniquities prevailed against us, he atoned for our transgressions. Blessed is the one he has chosen to bring near, to dwell in his courts! We will be satisfied with the goodness of your house, the holiness of your temple!

Invocation \* PSALM 65:1-4

Hymn of Praise \* No. 165

"Ye Servants of God, Your master Proclaim"

Responsive Reading Pages 821-822

Psalm 103

Pastoral Prayer Ray Shores

Psalm of Praise \* No. 551

"How Blest Is He Whose Trespass" (PSALM 32)

Children's Devotional

Scripture Reading PAGE 5

Genesis 6:1-8

Sermon Ray Shores

"Man's Wickedness and God's Grace"

Hymn of Response \* No. 308

"Jesus Paid It All "

Benediction 2 Corinthians 13:14

The grace of the Lord Jesus Christ and the love of God and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

Gloria Patri \*

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