THIS WEEK @ BPC

TODAY	
9:00 AM	Sunday School
9:55 AM	Worship Service
4:30 PM	Deacons Meeting
5:00 PM	Adult Choir Rehearsal
6:00 PM	Evening Worship Service
7:15 PM	Missions Committee
TUESDAY	
9:30 AM	Women's Ministry Project Group
WEDNESDAY	
5:30 PM	Wednesday Night Fellowship
SATURDAY	
8:30 AM-10:30 AM	Mug & Muffin

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Adult Fall Sunday School Class: Alex Dupree, Walt Herrington, Brad Mills, and Ray Shores are leading a study from "History of Presbyterianism in America". We hope you will join us.

Communion: We will be celebrating the Lord's Supper this morning; please prepare your heart to receive it

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. Grant Lyons is leading a study on the Old Testament book of *Jonah* October 1st - November19th.

Mug & Muffin: will be this Saturday, October 11th from 8:30-10:30 AM. We hope you can drop by and enjoy food & fellowship with other ladies. Don't forget your mug and bring a treat if you like.

Ladies' Monthly Bible Study: will start on Tuesday, October 14th at 9:30 AM. We will be studying *Colossians and Philemon: That in Everything Christ Might be Preeminent* by Sarah Ivill. We are requesting a \$5.00 donation toward the cost of each book. You can pick up your book in the church office. Please sign your name when you pick up your book & put your donation in the envelope provided.

Picnic on the Playground: The Children's Ministry is hosting a picnic Sunday, October 19th after the morning Worship Service on the church playground. Families are invited to bring their own picnic lunch and a blanket or chairs. Come join the families of the church for a time of fellowship.

CHILDREN'S MINISTRY

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

Wednesday Night (6:30-7:30 PM) K3 - K5 Will be studying the word pictures used in the New Testament to describe Jesus. We will also memorize God's Word, review our catechism, sing and learn the books of the Old Testament. 1st - 3rd will learn that the church is not just a building but a very special people-God's chosen, blessed, redeemed, and holy people, who are called to a very special purpose to worship God, love and build up one another into Christlikeness and proclaim the gospel to the lost. 4th-6th will learn that all of us are in a battle- everyone is either an unbeliever fighting against God, or a believer fighting the fight of faith with God's help. Joining the fight of faith is a work of grace. Completing the fight of faith is also a work of grace, for it is God Himself who works in us to persevere in faith.

SERVING SUNDAY

Bell Ringer: Banx Brown **Next Week**: Bennett Lyons

Nursery: John Thompson (SS) Cortney Greer (WS)/Amy Kaiser Evening Service: Rebecca Thompson, Molly Eastland Wednesday: Rebecca Thompson Next Sunday: Shannon Landrum (SS) Caitlin Mills (WS)/Amy Kaiser Evening Service: Carrie Mills, Kerri Matthews Next Wednesday: Rebecca Thompson, Trasity Shores

October: Rebecca Thompson November: Cecile Whitten

Children's Church: Savannah Brewer, Kerri Matthews Next Week: Molly Napier, Cortney

Greer

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): Sept. 28 135/54
Live Views: 6/7
Total Online views: 30/22
Sunday School: 79

Last Week's Offering: \$ 4,701.00
Online Giving: \$ 547.00
Weekly Budgeted Offering: \$ 9,968.00

Year-to-Date Giving: \$350,182.00 (-38,570.00)

Year-to-Date Budgeted Giving: \$388,752.00

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

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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, 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

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

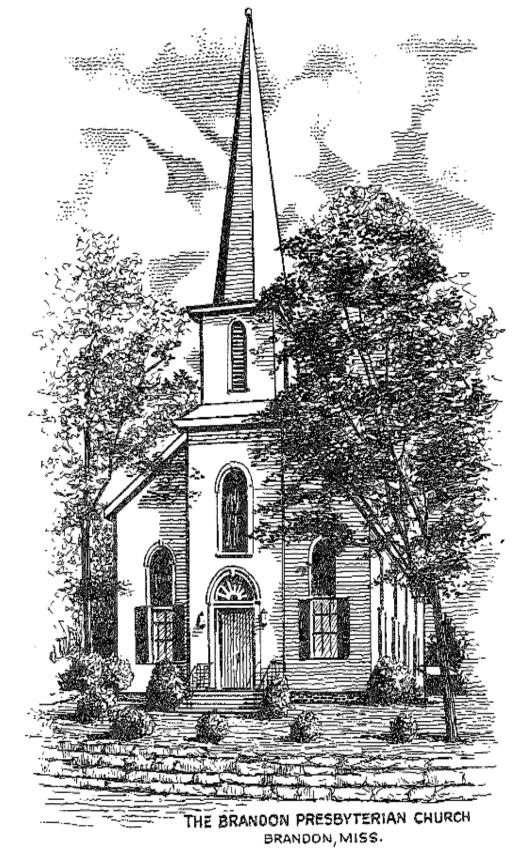
Visitors

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, October 5, 2025

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

Meditation BENJAMIN FRANKLIN

Anger is never without a reason but seldom a good one.

Welcome & Announcements

Prelude JOSH PEOPLES, ORGANIST

Call to Worship * 1 CORINTHIANS 5:7-8

Christ, our Passover lamb, has been sacrificed for us. Let us celebrate the festival, not with the old leaven, the leaven of malice and evil, but with the unleavened bread of sincerity and truth.

Invocation * PSALM 145:18 Hvmn of Praise * N^{o.} 154

"Thou Art the Way"

The Apostles' Creed

I believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth; And in Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord; who was conceived by the Holy Ghost, born of the virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead and buried; He descended into hell*; the third day He rose again from the dead; He ascended into heaven, and sitteth on the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence He shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Ghost; the holy catholic Church[†]; the communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting. Amen.

"descended into hell" = descended into the place of the dead, not of eternal punishment

† "catholic church" = the church exists universally, not just in one culture or denomination

Confession of Sin **BOOK OF COMMON PRAYER (1552)**

Almighty God, Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, Maker of all things, Judge of all; we acknowledge and bewail our manifold sins and wickedness, which we, from time to time most grievously have committed by thought, word and deed against your divine majesty, provoking most justly your wrath and indignation against us. We earnestly repent and are heartily sorry for these our misdoings; the remembrance of them is grievous to us; the burden of them is intolerable. Have mercy upon us, have mercy upon us most merciful Father; for your Son our Lord Jesus Christ's sake. Forgive us all that is past; and grant that we may ever serve and please you in newness of life, to the honor and glory of your name; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Assurance of Pardon PSALM 51:7-10

Purge me with hyssop, and I shall be clean; wash me, and I shall be whiter than snow. Let me hear joy and gladness; let the bones that you have broken rejoice. Hide your face from my sins, and blot out all my iniquities. Create in me a clean heart, O God, and renew a right spirit within me.

Psalm of Praise * N°. 54

> "Hallelujah! Raise, O Raise" (PSALM 113) (HYMN OF THE MONTH)

Pastoral Prayer SCOTTY DICKEY

Our Father, who art in heaven; Hallowed be Thy name. Thy kingdom come. Thy will be done; On earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our debts; As we forgive our debtors. And lead us not into temptation; But deliver us from evil; For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

God's Tithes & Our Offerings

2 CORINTHIANS 9:6-8

Whoever sows sparingly will also reap sparingly, and whoever sows bountifully will also reap bountifully. Each one must give as he has decided in his heart, not reluctantly or under compulsion, for God loves a cheerful giver. And God is able to make all grace abound to you, so that having all sufficiency in all things at all times, you may abound in every good work.

Offertory JOSH PEOPLES

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 PAGE 978

Ephesians 4:25-27

Sermon BRAD MILLS

"The Covenant Code of Conduct - Part 1"

Hymn of Preparation * N^{o.} 264 (STANZAS 1-2)

"Jesus, Keep Me Near the Cross"

Sacrament of the Lord's Supper **BRAD MILLS**

Hymn of Response * N°. 264 (STANZA 3-4)

"Jesus, Keep Me Near the Cross"

Benediction 2 PETER 1:12 HOW GREAT THOU ART

May the God who did not spare His own Son, but sent Him to gladly bear our burden on the cross. Remind you always of these things, though you know them and are firmly established in the truth, until you arrive to a full measure of glory.

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 JOHN BUNYAN

The fear of God is the beginning of wisdom, and they that lack the beginning have neither middle nor end.

Prelude Daisy Inman, Piano

"Jesus Loves Me"

Call to Worship *

HEBREWS 12:18-19, 22, 24, 28-29

You have not come to what may be touched, a blazing fire and darkness and gloom and a tempest and the sound of a trumpet and a voice whose words made the hearers beg that no further messages be spoken to them. But you have come to Jesus, the mediator of a new covenant, and to the sprinkled blood that speaks a better word than the blood of Abel. Therefore let us be grateful for receiving a kingdom that cannot be shaken, and thus let us offer to God acceptable worship, with reverence and awe, for our God is a consuming fire.

Invocation *

1 KINGS 8:10; 2 CHRONICLES 5:13-14

Psalm of Praise *

N^{o.} 9

"All You That Fear Jehovah's Name" (PSALM 22)

Responsive Reading

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Psalm 115

Pastoral Prayer

BRAD MILLS

Psalm of Praise *

N^{o.}54

"Hallelujah! Raise, O Raise" (PSALM 113)

(HYMN OF THE MONTH)

Children's Devotional

Scripture Reading

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Ecclesiastes 8:1-17

Sermon

BRAD MILLS

"Who Is Like the Wise?"

Hymn of Response *

N^{o.} 523

Benediction PSALM 115:12-13

"My Hope Is in the Lord"

Now may the Lord remember us and bless us; for He blesses all those who fear the Lord—both small and great alike.

Gloria Patri *

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