

THIS WEEK @ BPC		
TODAY	9:00 AM	Sunday School
	9:00 AM	Worship Service
	11:15 AM	Mission Committee Meeting
	4:30 PM	Deacons Meeting
	4:45 PM	Adult Choir Rehearsal
	6:00 PM	Evening Worship Service
TUESDAY	9:00 AM	Ladies Bible Study
WEDNESDAY	5:30 PM	Wednesday Night Fellowship
THURSDAY	9:30 AM	Women’s Ministry Project Group

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 on Sunday mornings at 9:00 AM in the fellowship hall.

Communion: We will be celebrating the Lord’s Supper next Sunday; please prepare your hearts 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-November 19th.

MS Valley Presbyterian Women’s Ministry: Ladies, you are invited to the next meeting of the MVP “Lunch Bunch” on Tuesday, November 11th at 11:30 AM at Zack Garvin’s Steakhouse, 102 Northside Dr., Newton. RSVP to 601-745-2150. We hope you can join us as we fellowship with other women in the MS Vallyely Presbytery.

Friendsgiving Brunch: Please join us for a ladies’ Friendsgiving Brunch on Saturday, November 8th at 9:30 am. Please bring your favorite brunch treat to share.

Ladies’ Christmas Gathering: Our Ladies’ Christmas Gathering will be held on Tuesday, December 9th at 6 pm. Please make plans attend this wonderful event of fellowship and worship.

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: Emma Warren **Next Week:** Gideon Shores

Nursery: Shannon Landrum (SS) Cortney Greer (WS)/Amy Kaiser **Evening Service:** Cecile Whitten, Molly Eastland **Wednesday:** Melinda Neill, Molly Eastland

Next Sunday: Davida Curtis (SS) Caitlin Mills (WS)/Amy Kaiser **Evening Service:** Carrie Mills, Melinda Neill **Next Wednesday:** Trasity Shores

November: Cecile Whitten **December:** All Coordinators

Children’s Church: Ginger Sasser, Cassie Warren **Next Week:** Shannon Landrum, Carrie Mills

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):	Oct. 26 132/65
Live Views:	8/7
Total Online views:	38/31
Sunday School:	93
Last Week’s Offering:	\$ 3,214.00
Online Giving :	\$ 199.00
Weekly Budgeted Offering:	\$ 9,968.00
Year-to-Date Giving:	\$390,920.00 (-37,704.00)
Year-to-Date Budgeted Giving:	\$428,624.00

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OFFICERS

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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 - 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

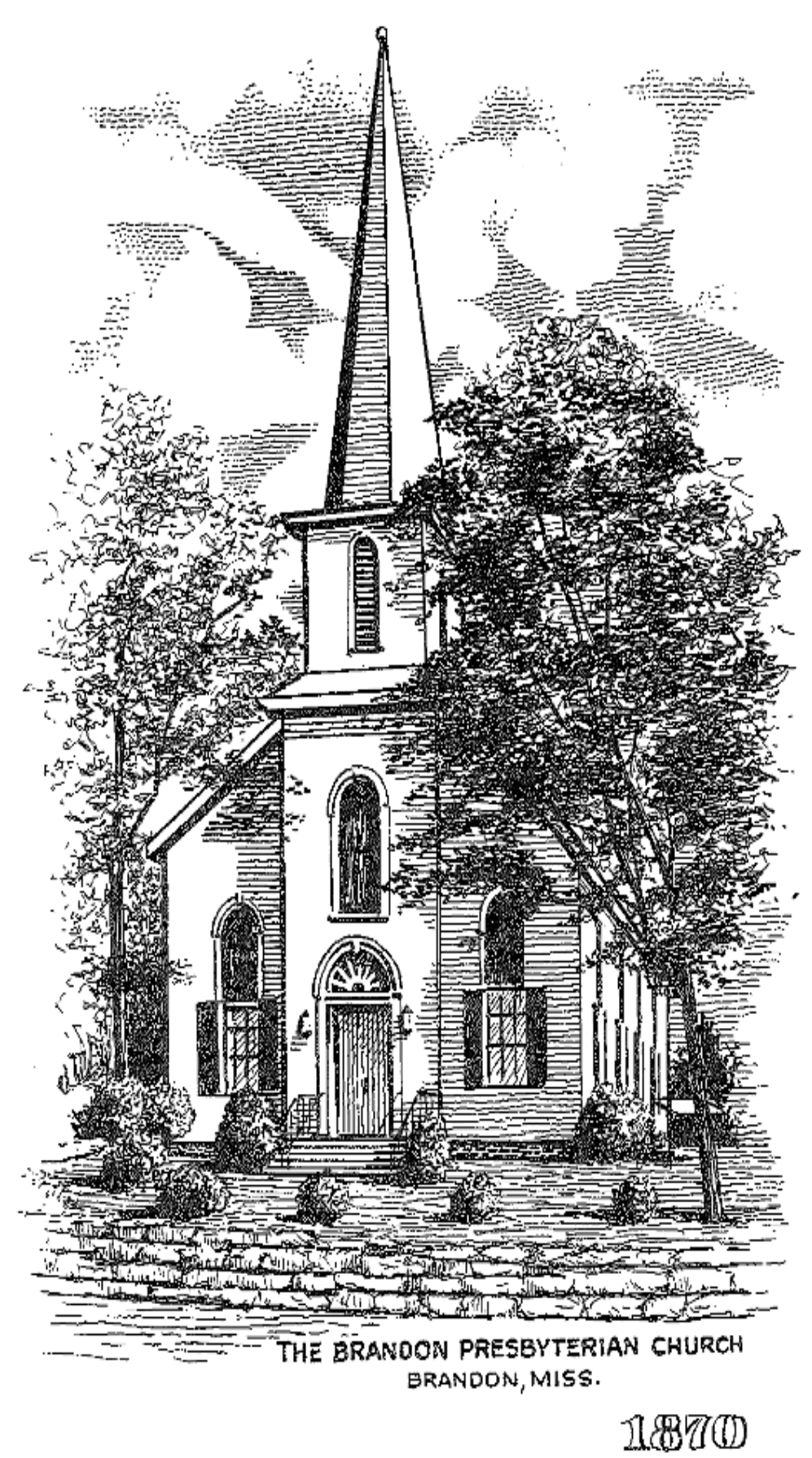
To Our Visitors	We are pleased to have you worship with us.
	Our church doors are open as wide as the Gospel:
	<i>“For everyone who calls on the name of the Lord will be saved”</i> Romans 10:13
	Please fill out a visitor’s card and place It in the offering plate or hand it to Pastor Mills at the end 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, November 2, 2025

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

Meditation WILLIAM BARCLAY

Only a passionate love of purity can save a man from impurity.

Welcome & Announcements

Prelude JOSH PEOPLES, ORGANIST

Call to Worship * 1 PETER 1:3-4

According to God’s great mercy, he has caused us to be born again to a living hope through the resurrection of Jesus Christ from the dead, to an inheritance that is imperishable, undefiled, and unfading, kept in heaven for you. In this rejoice and give thanks to Almighty God.

Invocation * EPHESIANS 1:13-14

Hymn of Praise * N^o. 358
“For All the Saints”

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 ANSELM

O you plenteous source of every good and perfect gift, shed abroad the cheering light of your sevenfold grace over our hearts. Yes, Spirit of love and gentleness, we most humbly implore your assistance. You know our faults, our failings, our necessities, the dullness of our understanding, the waywardness of our affections, the perverseness of our will. When, therefore, we neglect to practice what we know, visit us, we ask you, with your grace, enlighten our minds, rectify our desires, correct our wanderings, and pardon our omissions, so that by your guidance we may be preserved from making shipwreck of faith, and keep a good conscience, and may at length be landed safe in the haven of eternal rest; through Jesus Christ our Lord. AMEN.

Assurance of Pardon ISAIAH 55:6-9

“Seek the Lord while he may be found; call upon him while he is near; let the wicked forsake his way, and the unrighteous man his thoughts; let him return to the Lord, that he may have compassion on him, and to our God, for he will abundantly pardon. For my thoughts are not your thoughts, neither are your ways my ways, declares the Lord. For as the heavens are higher than the earth, so are my ways higher than your ways and my thoughts than your thoughts.”

Hymn of Praise * N^o. 100
“Holy, Holy, Holy!”

Pastoral Prayer JOHN THOMPSON

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 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 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 * JOHN THOMPSON

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

Reading of Holy Scripture PAGE 978
Ephesians 5:3-5

Sermon BRAD MILLS

“The Imposters of Inheritance”
Hymn of Preparation * N^o. 254 (STANZAS 1-3)
“Alas! and Did My Savior Bleed”

Sacrament of the Lord’s Supper BRAD MILLS; RAY SHORES

Hymn of Response * N^o. 254 (STANZA 4-5)
“Alas! and Did My Savior Bleed”

Benediction 1 SAMUEL 2:8; PSALM 37:28, 34, 40
The Lord raises up the poor from the dust; he lifts the needy from the ash heap to make them sit with princes and inherit a seat of honor. May he deliver you, exalt you, and preserve you forever.

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 WESTMINSTER SHORTER CATECHISM, A. 92

A Sacrament is a holy ordinance instituted by Christ; wherein, by sensible signs, Christ and the benefits of the new covenant are represented, sealed, and applied to believers.

Prelude JOSH PEOPLES, PIANIST

Call to Worship * PSALM 69:34-36

Let heaven and earth praise him, the seas and everything that moves in them. For God will save Zion and build up the cities of Judah, and people shall dwell there and possess it; the offspring of his servants shall inherit it, and those who love his name shall dwell in it.

Invocation * PSALM 69:34-36

Psalms of Praise * N^o. 2
“O Worship the King” (PSALM 104)

Responsive Reading PAGES 830-831
Psalm 119:89-112

Pastoral Prayer RAY SHORES

Hymn of Praise * N^o. 111
“This Is My Father’s World”

Children’s Devotional
Scripture Reading PAGE 7

Genesis 9: 8-17
Sermon RAY SHORES

“The Sign of the Covenant”
Hymn of Response * N^o. 689

“Be Still, My Soul”
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 *
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.

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