

THIS WEEK @ BPC

TODAY
 9:00 AM Sunday School/Pastor's Welcome Class
 9:55 AM Worship Service
 5:00 PM Adult Choir Rehearsal
 6:00 PM Evening Worship Service

TUESDAY
 9:00 AM Ladies' Bible Study

WEDNESDAY
 5:30 PM Wednesday Night Fellowship

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Pastor's Welcome Class: We invite any perspective members and anyone who is interested in learning more about the doctrine and practice of our church to join us upstairs at 9:00 AM for this 7-8 week class.

Adult Sunday School Class: Ryann Lee and Nate Landrum are leading a study of "What's So Great About Grace."

WNF: is each Wednesday with supper from 5:30-6:30 PM followed by children and youth activities and an adult study from 6:30 -7:30 PM. Meals start at \$5 a person with a \$15 cap for families of three or more. At 6:30 the Ladies are studying "Aging with Grace" by Susan Betters. The Men are studying "How to Lead Your Family" by Joel Beeke.

Ladies Spring Gathering: Please join us for our Ladies' Spring Gathering Tea Party on Friday, March 20th at 6:00 PM. Please sign the sign-up sheet on the bulletin board if you plan to attend.

Baby Shower: Join us for a baby shower honoring Brittany Williams on March 28th at 10:00 AM. Brittany is registered at babylist.com.

Save the Date: Mark your calendar and plan to join us as we celebrate BPC's 175th Anniversary on April 18th and 19th. More details coming soon.

Search Committee: We have formed a search committee to find our next Children's Ministry Director. Please keep the committee in your prayers as we seek the Lord's guidance and wisdom. You may contact John Thompson if you have any questions or recommendations.

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) The children (3 year olds - 6th) are studying the catechism and participating in children's choir.

SERVING SUNDAY

Bell Ringer: Antley Grace Eastland **Next Week:** Avery Thompson
Nursery: Davida Curtis (SS) Dee Dee Stowers (WS)/Amy Kaiser **Evening Service:** Andrew Ouzts, Caitlin Mills **Wednesday:** No WNF (Spring Break)
Next Sunday: Tracity Shores, Ellie Word (SS) Ellie Word, (WS)
Evening Service: Brad Mills, **Next Wednesday:** Tracity Shores, Davida Curtis
March: Ellie Word **April:** Rebecca Thompson
Children's Church: Carrie Mills, Vivien Moore **Next Week:** Davida Curtis, Caitlin 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.

ATTENDANCE & FINANCIAL UPDATES

Worship Services (10 AM/6 PM): Mar 8, 166/71
 Live Views: 8/7
 Total Online views: 59/35
 Sunday School: 108
 Last Week's Offering: \$ 7,219.00
 Online Giving : \$ 399.00
 Weekly Budgeted Offering: \$ 10,041.00
 Year-to-Date Giving: \$ 91,517.00 (+1,148.00)
 Year-to-Date Budgeted Giving: \$ 90,369.00

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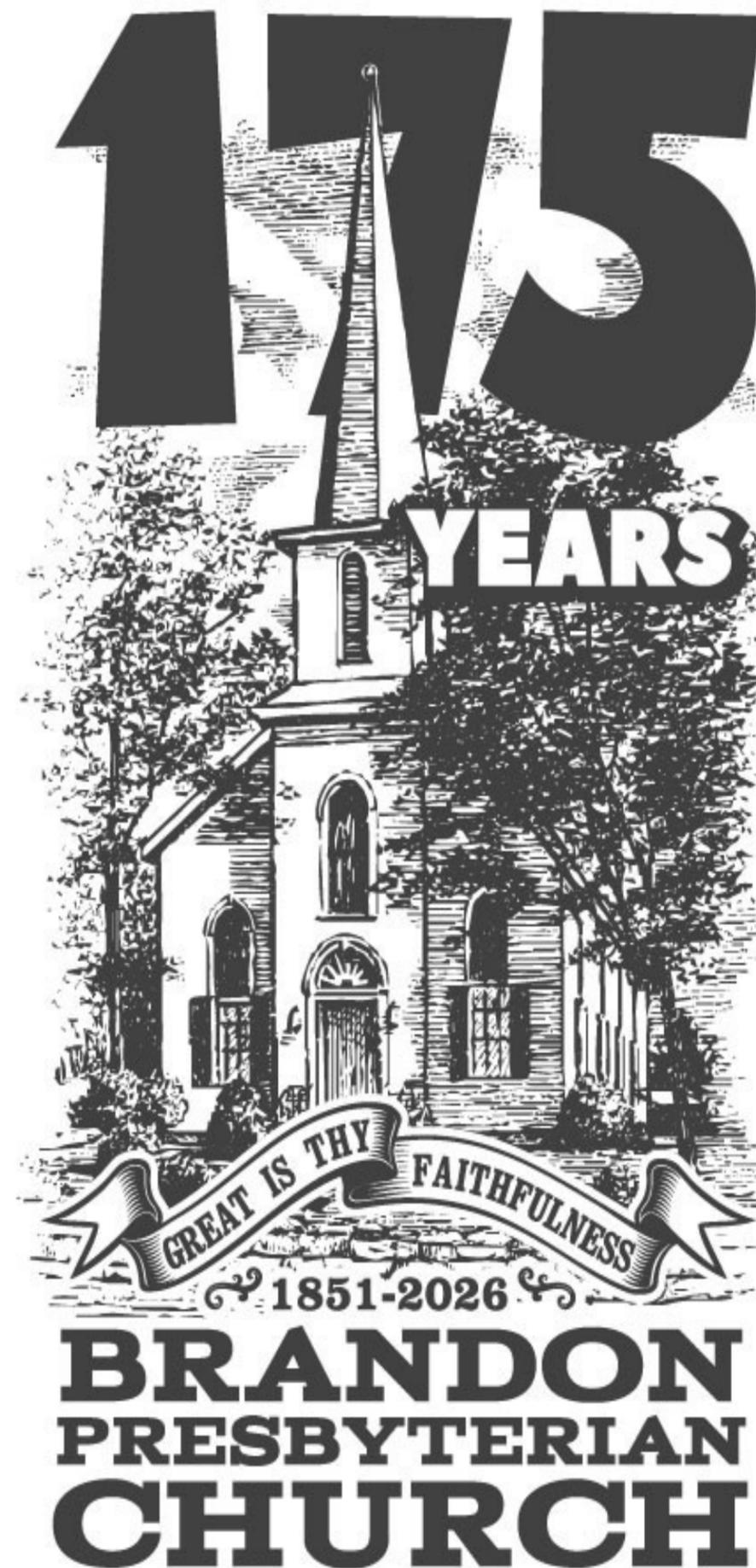
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The flowers in the Sanctuary are given to the glory of God by Sam and Jan Heath.

To Our Visitors	<p>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</p> <p>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.</p>
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Morning Worship

The Lord's Day, March 8, 2026

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

Meditation THOMAS WATSON

The least command cannot be left undone. Every command has the same authority, and if we do God's will uprightly, we do it uniformly; we obey every branch of his will with unlimited obedience.

Welcome & Announcements

Prelude JOSH PEOPLES, ORGANIST

Call to Worship PSALM 105:43, 45

The Lord brought his people out of slavery with joy, his chosen ones with singing, that they might keep his statutes and observe his laws. Praise the Lord!

Invocation * NEHEMIAH 1:9-11

Psalm of Praise * N^o. 184

“The King of Love My Shepherd Is” (PSALM 23) HYMN OF THE MONTH

Scripture Reading PAGES 753-754

Hosea 5

Confession of Sin GEORGE MATHESON

O Lord, as long as I am apart from you, I am self-satisfied, because I have no standard by which to measure my low stature. But when I come near to you, there for the first time I see myself. In your light I behold my darkness. In your purity I behold my corruption. My very confession of sin is the fruit of holiness. Oh! Divine Man, let me gaze on you more and more until, in the vision of your brightness, I loathe the sight of my impurity; until, in the blaze of that glory which human eye has not seen, I fall prostrate, blinded, broken, to rise a new man in you. Amen.

Assurance of Pardon EPHESIANS 1:4-7

In love he predestined us for adoption to himself as sons through Jesus Christ, according to the purpose of his will, to the praise of his glorious grace, with which he has blessed us in the Beloved. In him we have redemption through his blood, the forgiveness of our trespasses, according to the riches of his grace.

Hymn of Praise * N^o 693

“Blessed Assurance”

Pastoral Prayer JIM NEILL

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, that you through His poverty might become rich.

Offertory PIANO/ORGAN DUET

“How Great Thou Art”

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 * JIM NEILL

Reading of Holy Scripture PAGE 979

Ephesians 6:5-8

Sermon BRAD MILLS

“Under Authority, Under Christ”

Hymn of Response * N^o. 676

"Day by Day and with Each Passing Moment ”

Benediction 1 CHRONICLES 22:11-12, 19

May the Lord be with you, that you may succeed in the work of the Lord; may he grant you discretion and understanding, that you may keep his law; and may he set your mind and heart to seek him. *Go in the name and power of the Lord.*

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 HEBREWS 6:19-20

We have this as a sure and steadfast anchor of the soul, a hope that enters into the inner place behind the curtain, where Jesus has gone as a forerunner on our behalf, having become a high priest forever after the order of Melchizedek.

Welcome & Announcements

Prelude JOSH PEOPLES, PIANIST

Call to Worship PSALM 84:1-2

How lovely is the dwelling place of the LORD of hosts! My soul longs, yes, faints for the courts of the LORD; my heart and flesh sing for joy to the living God. Let us worship Him.

Invocation * PSALM 84

Psalm of Praise * N^o 64

“God, the Lord, a King Remaineth” (PSALM 93)

Scripture Reading PAGE 813

Matthew 8:1-34

Pastoral Prayer RAY SHORES

Psalm of Praise * N^o. 389

“This Is the Day the Lord Has Made”

Scripture Reading PAGE 10

Genesis 14:17-24

Sermon RAY SHORES

“Abram and Melchizedek”

Psalm of Response * HANDOUT

“Jehovah to My Lord Has Said” (PSALM 110)

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.

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