

## Branch's Staff

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## child care

July 8: Sandy Hunt & Sybil Turner  
July 15: Bonnie Coates & Edie Condrey

## calendar

### Sunday, July 8

9:15am Prayer Time ~ C216  
9:30am Sun Sch/Bible Study  
10:30am Assembly ~ KH  
10:30am Puppet Ministry  
11:00am Worship Service

### Monday, July 9

8:30am Bon Secours Care-a-Van  
9:00am Tellers, Group 1  
10:00am Kitchen Cleaning  
7:00pm Deacons' Meeting

### Tuesday, July 10

9:30am Staff meeting  
9:30am Women's Bible Study  
10:00am Prayer Shawl Ministry

### Wednesday, July 11

5:00pm Light Supper & Bible Study  
7:00pm Children's Choir

### Thursday, July 12

9:30am Food Pantry  
6:00pm Biblical Problem Solving

### Sunday, July 15

9:15am Prayer Time ~ C216  
9:30am Sun Sch/Bible Study  
10:30am Assembly ~ KH  
10:30am Puppet Ministry  
11:00am Worship Service  
2:00pm Personnel Committee

## Branch's Baptist Church

Sunday, July 8, 2018



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# Welcome to Branch's Baptist Church

We extend a special welcome to our visitors today as we join together in worship. Please take a moment to fill out the visitor's card in the pew rack in front of you and drop it in the offering plate, so we may have a record of your visit. We hope you will come back and join us.

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11:00am Service July 8, 2018

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Prelude	Gospel Medley	
Welcome & Announcements		Rev. Dorryce Ann Rudd
Call to Worship	Hymn Sing	Congregation
Greeting		
Offertory Hymn	# 262 "Word of God, Across the Ages"	Congregation
Offertory Prayer		Deacon
Offertory	"Valse, Opus 64, No. 2"	Chopin
Special Music	"Ancient Words"	Donna Moyer
Sermon	"Victory in Hard Times: Defeating Pride" Esther 3:1-6, 6:1-10	Rev. Sam Grozdanov
Invitation Hymn	# 180 "Jesus, Lover of My Soul" (vs. 1,3, and 4)	Congregation
Closing Song	#546 "Love Lifted Me" (chorus only)	Congregation
Postlude	"Rescue the Perishing"	



**Please turn off or silence your cell phone during Worship.**

## SERMON NOTES

As an aid to your learning and worship experience, the space below is provided for you to take notes during this morning's message. Along with any main points of the Scripture text, you may want to use the following outline as a guide to note taking. This is for your personal edification.

- 1) What God said to me
- 2) My response to God's word

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Child Care is available for those 5 and under from 11am—noon.  
Announcements are in the Sunday School Bulletin, available  
in the Church Lobby and the Welcome Area.