

Piedmont Presbyterian Church
Rev. William Shepherd, Supply Pastor
January 12, 2025
Baptism of the Lord

The Preparation

Prelude
 *Introit: "Wonderful Words of Life" (insert)

*Call to Worship (1 Cor. 12:4-5, 27)

Pastor: The Lord be with you.

People: And also with you.

Pastor: There are different gifts,

People: But it is the same Spirit who gives them.

Pastor: There are different ways of serving God,

People: But it is the same Lord who is served.

Pastor: God works through different people in different ways

People: But it is the same God who achieves his purposes through us all.

All: Together we are the body of Christ, and individually members of him.

*Invocation

*Hymn: "You Servants of God, Your Master Proclaim" 299

*Call to Confession

* Silent Prayer of Confession

*Assurance of Pardon

*Response: "Gloria Patri" 581

Welcome and Announcements

Prayer of Intercession, Lord's Prayer 11

Special Music: "I Need Thee Every Hour"

The Proclamation of the Word

Prayer for Illumination

New Testament Reading: Luke 5:1-11 (p 59)

Sermon: "Assurance and Calling in Discipleship"

The Response of Faith and Commitment

*Affirmation of Faith: "Apostles' Creed" 35

Worship with Tithes and Offerings

Offertory

*Doxology 606

*Prayer of Dedication

Installation of Officers

Invitation to the Lord's Table

Communion

Prayer of Thanksgiving (In Unison)

Loving God, you have given us a share in the one bread and the one cup and made us one in Christ. Help us to bring your salvation and joy to all the world. We ask this through Christ our Lord. Amen.

*Hymn: "O Jesus, I Have Promised " 724

*Benediction

*Choral Response: "Sweet, Sweet Spirit" (insert)

*Postlude

ENTER TO WORSHIP-----Depart to Serve

***Congregation standing for those who are able**

Prayers for the People Beneath the Steeple:

Home Bound – Emma Hatfield

Anne Hastings – Remission (Sally's sister)

Tom Fletcher – (Ron's brother-in-law)

Roger Mullikin - Cancer

Randy Morris – Cancer (Elizabeth Anne's father)

Isaac Wiggington – Trama ICU

Mike Farrah – (Christy's uncle)

Susie Johnson – Medical tests (Cory's Mom)