

Upcoming Events and Information

Mon Jan 22: 10AM Willis Chapel Council Meeting

Thu Jan 25: 7PM Flint Hill Council Meeting

Sun Jan 28: 12:15PM Sperryville Council Meeting

Wed Feb 14: 7PM Ash Wednesday Flint Hill

Wed Feb 21: 7PM Community Lenten Potluck Dinner and Worship at Washington Baptist

Sat Feb 24: 1-3PM Rise Against Hunger meal packing Lenten Three Notch'd District mission project at Culpeper UMC (*10,000 meals to be made up*)

JANUARY BIRTHDAYS

FLINT HILL: 2 Anne-Ashleigh Lamma

SPERRYVILLE: 2 Richard Antony, 10 Frank Coffey, 18 Duane Siler, 23 Sandy Thompson

WILLIS CHAPEL: 2 Glenda Fox, Mary E. Williams, 20 Judi Burke, 21 Tommie Leddy, 23 Dottie Johnson

Pastor Jeff Thompson

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January Willis Chapel Mission:

Coat collection to be distributed in Warren and Rappahannock Counties



Rappahannock
United Methodist Charge



Baptism of the Lord

Sunday Morning Worship

8:45 AM: Flint Hill

9:55 AM: Willis Chapel

11:15 AM: Sperryville



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RAPPAHANNOCK CHARGE

**Baptism of the Lord
January 14, 2024**

***Standing (either literally or in spirit remaining seated)**

PRELUDE

ENTER LIGHT OF CHRIST

ANNOUNCEMENTS

***CALL TO WORSHIP**

Open up the heavens and rain down upon us your Holy Spirit.

Make the same Spirit that blows across the waters in the beginning, guide and direct our paths.

Restore us to right relationship to you through the Sacraments.

Give each of us the boldness we need to follow your Spirit, to live out our baptism by daily dying and rising to new life in Christ. Amen.

***HYMN 369 Blessed Assurance**

***OPENING PRAYER**

Living God, when the Spirit descended on Jesus at his baptism in Jordan's water, you revealed him as your own beloved Son. You anointed him with the Holy Spirit. Let us boldly confess Jesus Christ as Lord and Savior, illumined by your Word and Sacrament, that Christ will be known, worshiped, and obeyed to the ends of the earth, now and forever. Amen.

PROCLAMATION AND RESPONSE

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION P6

SCRIPTURE: Genesis 1:1-5

PSALTER: Psalm 29 P761

SCRIPTURE: Acts 19:1-7

SCRIPTURE: Mark 1:9-13

SERMON "Baptism beginnings"

RESPONSE TO THE WORD P253

CONCERNS AND PRAYERS

INVITATION P12

CONFESSION AND PARDON P13

OFFERING

***95 Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow**

THANKSGIVING AND COMMUNION

PREPARING THE BREAD AND THE CUP

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING P13-14

THE LORD'S PRAYER

GIVING THE BREAD AND THE CUP

UNISON PRAYER

Eternal God, we give you thanks for this holy mystery in which you have given yourself to us. Grant that we may go into the world in the strength of your Spirit, to give ourselves for others, in the name of Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

SENDING FORTH

***HYMN 377 It Is Well With My Soul**

***BENEDICTION**

***HYMN Shalom to You**