

Announcements

Sun. Jan . 4 th	Deacons Meeting	8:00 a.m.
	Sunday School	9:15 a.m.
	Worship Service – The Lord’s Supper	10:30 a.m.
<i>Investing for Eternity – Putting God First in Our Lives</i>		
<i>Deuteronomy 26:1-4, 10b; 1 Kings 14:1-17</i>		
Wed. Jan. 7 th	Men’s Breakfast	8:00 a.m.
	Monthly Prayer Gathering	11:00 a.m.
	Spring Arbor Sunday School	1:30 p.m.
	Wednesday Bible Study	3:00 p.m.
Sun. Jan . 11 th	Sunday School	9:15 a.m.
	Worship Service	10:30 a.m.
<i>Investing for Eternity – Giving Yourself First to God</i>		
<i>2 Corinthians 8:1-5</i>		
Tue. Jan. 13 th	Leadership Meeting	3:00 p.m.



Join us Wed. Jan. 14th at 4:00 p.m. for a **Fellowship Meal**. Smithfield Chicken 'N BBQ will be furnishing the meal.

The meal will consist of BBQ, or chicken (white or dark meat), potato salad, coleslaw, and hush puppies. The cost is \$10.00/person. Jan. 12th, to reserve your meal.



SPILMAN MEMORIAL BAPTIST CHURCH

January 4, 2026



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The Worship of God
January 4, 2026 – 2nd Sunday after Christmas

Trust in the LORD with all your heart,
And lean not on your own understanding;
In all your ways acknowledge Him,
And He shall direct your paths. – **Proverbs 3:5-6**

COMMUNION WITH GOD

Meditation and Silent Prayer

Prelude Melony Rasbury-Cobb

Welcome and Announcements Dr. H. Powell Dew, Jr.

WORSHIP THROUGH PRAISE AND PRAYER

Call to Worship Hymn 12
Great is the Lord by Michael W. Smith

Prayer of Adoration and Invocation Doug Blizzard

Scripture Reading Deuteronomy 26:1-4, 10b; 1 Kings 14:1-17

Hymn of Prayer and Fellowship with God Hymn 447
Trust and Obey by John H. Sammis

WORSHIP THROUGH PRAYER

Prayer of Intercession Dr. H. Powell Dew, Jr.

Instrumental Meditation Melony Rasbury-Cobb
Joy to the World! The Lord is Come by Isaac Watts

Deacon of the Month:	Jerry Crisp
Usher/Greeter:	Jimmy Powers
Care Team Week:	Ella Wade

WORSHIP THROUGH PROCLAMATION AND RESPONSE

When we put God first in our lives,
everything else falls into place.

Putting God First in Our Lives

Deuteronomy 26:1-4, 10b;
1 Kings 14:1-17

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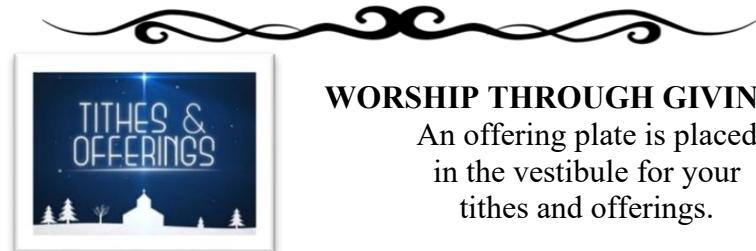
WORSHIP THROUGH REMEMBRANCE

Invitation to the Lord's Table Words of Institution
Prayer at the Table Distribution of the Bread and Cup
Words of Hope and Comfort

Hymn of Conviction and Submission Hymn 275
I Surrender All by Judson W. Van DeVenter

Benediction Dr. H. Powell Dew, Jr.

Postlude Melony Rasbury-Cobb



WORSHIP THROUGH GIVING

An offering plate is placed
in the vestibule for your
tithes and offerings.

PUT GOD FIRST

Heavenly Father, I thank You for all that You do for me.
Forgive me for all the times that I forgot to seek
You first and did things my own way.
In this year, help me put You first in everything I do.
Remind me each and every day that I need You in my life.
Help me to love and desire You above all things,
As I step into the new year,
I pray that You will be my guide and my protector.
Give me the strength and courage for the year.
And direct me in all that You do.
In Jesus' name I Pray. Amen