



He Qi, The Baptism of Jesus

## Baptism of the Lord

Sunday, January 9, 2022

10:15 am

### Gathering Around the Word

Prelude

“Two Preludes on ‘Buinessan’”

G. Winston Cassler and Alan Bullard

Opening Words

Dean Lindsey

Introit

This Is My Son, My Beloved

Kathy Powell



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Call to Worship from Isaiah 43

Deannine Shipman

Leader: We listen for the word of the Lord, who created us, redeems us, and calls us by name.

**People: We belong to God.**

Leader: “When you pass through the waters, I will be with you.”

**People: We belong to God.**

Leader: “Do not fear,” says the Lord, “for you are mine.”

**People: We belong to God.**

\*Hymn No. 458

“The World is a Lamp Unto My Feet”

\*Call to Confession

\*Prayer of Confession

Merciful God, in baptism you promise forgiveness and new life, making us part of the body of Christ. We confess that we remain preoccupied with ourselves, separated from one another. We cling to destructive habits, hold grudges, and show reluctance to welcome one another. We allow the past to hold us captive. In your loving-kindness, have mercy on us, and free us from sin. Fulfill the promises of our baptism so that we may rise to new life, and live together in grace, through Christ. Amen.

[Where you see an asterisk (\*), please stand if you are able]

## \*Assurance of Pardon

### Hearing the Word

**Anthem** "On Jordan's Banks" Michael Connolly  
The Chancel Choir

**Time for Children** Deannine Shipman

Parents and Guardians please take note that during the children's message, children may be photographed or video recorded due to our live stream. The video/images may be used without compensation by the church for promotional purposes in digital or print media. If you do not wish for your child to be in the live stream, the front pew/row of chairs are not in the live shot. (Children leave for special programs)

**Hymn No. 487 Song After Children's Time** "These Treasured Children" verse 2

**Scripture Lesson:** Luke 3:15-17, 21-22

**Sermon** "Baptized" Dean Lindsey

### Responding to the Word

**Renewal of Baptism** Dean Lindsey and Allison Maus

\*Hymn 482 "Baptized in Water"

#### \* Profession of Faith

Leader: Trusting in the gracious mercy of God, do you turn from the ways of sin and renounce evil and its power in the world?

**People: I do.**

Leader: Who is your Lord and Savior?

**People: Jesus Christ is my Lord and Savior.**

Leader: Will you be Christ's faithful disciple, obeying his word and showing his love?

**People: I will, with God's help.**

## Welcome and Announcements

### Celebration of Communion

Invitation to the Table

Sharing of Joys and Concerns

Prayer of Thanksgiving

Breaking of the Bread

Sharing of the Cup

Prayer following Communion

\*Hymn 839 "Blessed Assurance, Jesus is Mine!"

#### \*Benediction

#### \*Sharing of the Peace

**Postlude** "Trumpet Tune" Robert Lau

**Ushers this Morning:**

Head Usher: Carrie Miller

Ushers: Jennifer Creighton, Reed Miller &amp; Scott Banfield

**Coffee Hour this Morning:****Host:** Jamey Perry**Assisting:** Owen Perry & Margaret Van Fossan**Greeters this Morning:****Parking Lot:** Mary Ann Sessler**Fraser Street:** Rick Bryant**Sanctuary Flowers:** The sanctuary flowers are given in memory of David Morrow, born on January 14, 1935, by Linda Morrow and their children: Austin, Laurie and Melanie.**Here's What's Happening at SCPC****NEW SCHEDULE!  
NEW YEAR!****9am - 9:45am Sunday School for all ages**Children and Youth Sunday School  
and Adult Education**8:45am - 10:00am Coffee Available**Join us in the Social Hall  
Fellowship! Don't be left out!**10:15am Worship in the Sanctuary**Children's message followed by  
Creative Movement and Music for ages 3-K  
and Children and Worship for 1st-3rd grade

\*Childcare available 8:30am-11:30am

STATE COLLEGE  
PRESBYTERIAN  
CHURCH**Adult Education**

Next Sunday at 9:00 am Adult Ed will meet in Westminster Hall. Diana Malcom will lead on the Spiritual Practice of Movement and Play. She will lead us in exploring the spiritual practice of local pilgrimage, being outside and alongside God's beautiful creation, in a way that fits our rhythms.

**Second Sunday Membership  
Opportunity—Today!**

Anyone interested in becoming a member of our church family is invited to the Martin Room following worship today. You'll meet the pastor, several elders from our Session, and be received into membership if you wish. Questions? Contact Martha Trout (marthascpc@gmail.com).

**2022 Offering Envelopes**

If you requested 2022 offering envelopes, they are available for pick up on the table in the back of the sanctuary. If you did not request envelopes, you can sign up for them at the table.

**Flower Chart for 2022**

Anyone wishing to supply flowers for 2022 Sunday worship services, the new flower chart is now posted in the hallway between the sanctuary and the church office. Or, call or email the church office at 814-238-2422 or officescpc@gmail.com.

**Welcome Visitors & Guests**

We are so glad you have joined us today. If you have questions about our church, our programs or activities offered here, stop by the Information Desk outside the Church Office.

**You are Invited for coffee and fellowship in the Social Hall before worship every Sunday at 8:45 am.**

## This Week at SCPC

### Sunday, January 9

- 8:30 am Infant and Toddler Childcare—Room 101
- 8:45 am-10:00 am Coffee Available—Social Hall
- 9:00 am Adult Ed—Westminster Hall
- 9:00 am Sunday School
- **10:15 am In-Person Worship Service**
- **10:15 am Service Live Steam on YouTube & Available to view**
- During Service: Creative Movement & Music and Children and Worship
- 11:15 am Invitation to Join—Martin Room
- 11:30 pm YoPro Bible Study—Fireside Room
- 7:00 pm Examination of New Elders
- 7:00 pm Session—Social Hall and Zoom

### Monday, January 10

- 6:00 pm S&P Advisory Team Meeting—Zoom
- 7:00 pm Boy Scouts—Westminster Hall
- 7:00 pm Theology unTapped—Federal Tap-house

### Tuesday, January 11

- 10:00 am Staff Meeting
- 12:00 pm Congregational Prayer Meeting—Zoom
- 4:30 pm LOGOS Geckos
- 5:15 pm LOGOS Chrysalis
- 7:30 pm Handbell Choir

### Wednesday, January 12

- 4:00 pm FISH Homework Time—Fireside Room
- 5:30 pm CAYAM—Zoom
- 6:00 pm FISH
- 7:00 pm Racial Reconciliation—Zoom
- 8:00 pm POLO Women's Bible Study—Zoom

### Thursday, January 13

- 6:00 pm Presbyterian Student Fellowship—Fireside Room
- 7:00 pm Adult Ed Committee—Zoom
- 7:00 pm Chancel Choir
- 7:00 pm Men's Covenant Group—Martin Room

### Friday, January 14

PresbyPost Deadline

- 11:30 am GIFT Book Club Meeting—Fireside Room

### Saturday, January 15

- 2:00 pm Sue Sherritt Funeral

### Sunday, January 16

- 8:30 am Infant and Toddler Childcare—Room 101
- 8:45 am-10:00 am Coffee Available—Social Hall
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### Especially for Children

**Sunday School** (9:00 am) Ages 3, 4, and Kindergarten will meet in Room 209. Grades 1st through 5th will meet upstairs in Room 210. Middle School and High School Students will meet in the Fireside Room.

**10:15 am Worship** - Children of all ages are invited to come forward for the children's message. Following this time, children 3 years old by September 1, 2021 through grade 3, are welcome to leave for special programs.

**Creative Movement and Music** (Ages 3-K) in Westminster Hall

**Children and Worship** (Grades 1-3) meets in Room 11.

Parents please pick up your children directly after worship.

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