

Rev. William S. “Doug” Blanton Jr.
1954 — 1957



Rev. Blanton

graduated from Kirkwood High School in Missouri. He attended Presbyterian College in Clinton, South Carolina, and graduated from Columbia Theological Seminary in Decatur, Georgia. Beginning the summer of 1952, he served as a student-supply pastor at First Presbyterian in Adell, Georgia, Fulton Presbyterian Church in Spartanburg, and the old Bethel Presbyterian Church outside of Walhalla. He was ordained in 1959.

In October 1954 the Session met at the church. Present were elders J.J. Marcengill, John Jay Cowan and Lawrence Orr. It was decided to call Mr. William S. Blanton Jr. to supply regular Sunday services.

The Session met at the church September 22, 1957, to accept the resignation of the Rev. W.S. Blanton Jr., student supply pastor, to take up duties in another field.