

### Mission Opportunities

**Food Pantry.** your efforts fed 311 families for a total of 719 people. Thank you all for your physical presence, prayers and financial support. It takes a village and faith to make miracles happen.

The donations items we are requesting for November are: money to be used for our Thanksgiving boxes, peanut butter, and cereal.

### Please Remember:

- A. You may put your offering in the plate, use Tithely by scanning the QR code under Ways to Give, go directly to Tithely at <https://tithe.ly/give?c=368022>, or drop it off at the church office during the week or by mail.
- B. You can live stream services on Facebook or YouTube at [www.facebook.com/fumcark](http://www.facebook.com/fumcark) or [www.youtube.com/user/fumcark](http://www.youtube.com/user/fumcark). Watch previous services at [www.fumcark.org/sermons](http://www.fumcark.org/sermons).

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**Refreshments** Diane Wyatt

**Nursery Workers** Jewelie Mills and Erin Mecum

**Custodian** Sharon Murphy

#### **Ways to give to First United Methodist Church**



**In Person**  
Offering plate



**By Mail**  
107 N. 9th Street



**Online**  
Scan

# The Posture of Prayer

## Luke 18:9-14



This is a Sanctuary, a place of peace. With the exception of municipal, county, state or federal law enforcement, carrying a gun on First United Methodist Church property is prohibited. Thank you for respecting this covenant of trust.

*Adopted by First United Methodist Church Council, October 10, 2017.*

# Worship for the Lord's Day

October 23, 2022  
20<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Pentecost

Contemporary Worship Service  
Arkadelphia, AR

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## Order of Service

Opening Song.....*Newsong Praise Band*

Announcements.....*Zeke Allen*

Children's Moment.....*Wanda O'Quinn*

### Offering

Apostles' Creed.....*Congregation*

Songs of Praise.....*Newsong Praise Band*

Pastoral Prayer.....*Zeke Allen*

The Lord's Prayer.....*Congregation*

Scripture Reading.....*Christy McDowell*

*Luke 18:9-14*

Sermon..... *Zeke Allen*

*The Posture of Prayer*

Closing Song.....*Newsong Praise Band*

Benediction/Blessing..... *Zeke Allen*

## News & Events

**Life Line Screening.** Life Line will be conducting health screenings Monday, October 24th, in the Fellowship Hall. Call 1-800-772-8260 or go to [lifelinescreening.com/communitycircle](http://lifelinescreening.com/communitycircle) to schedule an appointment as well as pre-pay. Pre-registration is required.

**Church Meetings.** The Finance Committee meets Tuesday, October 25th, at 6:00 p.m. in the parlor.

**Cottage Meetings.** There is a cottage meeting scheduled for Tuesday, October 25th, at 7:00 p.m. (formerly 6:30 p.m.) at the home of Ryan and Missy Lewis. Sign-up sheet is in the Narthex.

**5th Sunday Brunch.** Sunday, October 30th, is our 5th Sunday Brunch at 10:00 a.m. in the Fellowship Hall. Kids of all ages are welcome to wear their costumes.

**Main Street Trick or Treat.** First Methodist will be taking part in the Downtown Arkadelphia Trick or Treat on Main Street Monday, October 31st, from 5-7:00 p.m. We are asking everyone to donate one bag of candy as well as asking for several people to help man the booth. Contact Jewelie for more information.

**United Women in Faith.** UWinF mmets Tuesday, November 1<sup>st</sup>, at 10:00 am. In the upper room classroom. "The World Thank Offering" and its history in the Methodist Church will be our program. We hope you can join us and bring a friend!

## Weekly Participation Opportunities

**Sunday Night Youth.** Meets from 6-8:00 p.m. in the Sturgis Children & Youth Center. Contact Jewelie Mills for more information.

**Tuesday Morning Bible Study.** Meets at 9:30 a.m. in the church library. Led by Claire Gehrki.

**Pastor's Bible Study.** Wednesdays at noon (in person) and 6:30 p.m. (in-person/Zoom) in the Fellowship Hall. Led by Zeke Allen.

**Chancel Choir Practice.** Thursdays at 6:00 p.m. in the choir room. Contact Bill Higgins for more information.