

### News & Events

**Communion Sunday.** Today is Communion Sunday. Loose bills left on the communion rail go to the Pastor's Discretionary Fund, which is used in emergency situations for those in need. As always, we thank you for your generosity.

**Church Meetings.** The Worship Committee meets Tuesday, November 8<sup>th</sup>, at 5:30 p.m. in the parlor. SPRC meets Thursday, November 17<sup>th</sup>, at 5:30 p.m. in the parlor.

**Ruth Circle.** Ruth Circle meets Tuesday, November 8<sup>th</sup>, at the home of Mary Ellen Taylor (806 North Park Drive). Please join us.

**Zach Williams Concert.** All those who signed up for the Zach Williams Concert will meet at 5:00 p.m. in the church parking lot Friday, November 11<sup>th</sup>. Bring money for food, drinks, or extras. There are still tickets available if you want to go but didn't sign up. Contact Jewelie to get on the list.

**Parent Meeting.** There is a children's parent meeting Sunday, November 13<sup>th</sup>, at 10:00 a.m. in the Fellowship Hall. Youth parents will meet Sunday, November 13<sup>th</sup>, at 6:00 p.m. in Sturgis.

**Handbells Practice.** The handbell choir meets Sunday, November 13<sup>th</sup>, at 4:00 p.m. in the Sanctuary for practice.

**Sunday, November 20<sup>th</sup>, Events.** Ruth Circle Bake Sale, Hanging of the Green, and Cobbler Gobbler. There will be more information next week or check out the Wednesday e-news/newsletter. Bake Sale setup is Saturday, November 19<sup>th</sup>, from 4:00-5:30 p.m. Please bring your baked goods by at that time.

### 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.

### Mission Opportunities

**Sock It to Me Sundays.** The UWinF/Ruth Circle are partnering with the Rotary Club to provide socks for school children ages 4-8! We will have "Sock It to Me Sundays" throughout November to donate socks. There will be a container in the Narthex for your donations! For more information you may contact Wanda O'Quinn!

**Blood Drive.** There is a blood drive Monday, November 14<sup>th</sup>, in Sturgis from 1-5 p.m. To schedule an appointment, visit [arkbi.org](http://arkbi.org) or call 877-340-8777.

**Food Pantry.** Food Pantry Distribution Day is Tuesday, November 15<sup>th</sup>. The donation requests are cereal, peanut butter, and monetary donations.

#### 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.
- B. You can live stream services on Facebook or YouTube at [facebook.com/fumcark](https://www.facebook.com/fumcark) or [youtube.com/user/fumcark](https://www.youtube.com/user/fumcark). Watch previous services at [fumcark.org/sermons](https://www.fumcark.org/sermons).

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**Tech** Todd Corley, Kurt Hill, Isabela Maxey, Sasha Maxey, Cindy Phillips

**Flowers** Mary Ellen Taylor

**Nursery Workers** Jewelie Mills and Erin Mecum

**Custodian** Sharon Murphy

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



# Worship for the Lord's Day

November 6, 2022  
All Saints Sunday

Traditional Worship Service  
Arkadelphia, AR

Welcome Ryan Lewis

Opening Voluntary *For All the Saints* Kay McAfee  
*-by Dale Wood*

## \*Call to Worship

The earth and all that is in it belongs to the Holy One.

Look, here is our God, for whom we have waited.

This is the Holy One, for whom we have waited.

Let us be glad and rejoice in our salvation.

Who shall ascend the hill of the Holy One?

And who shall stand in this holy place?

We come, seeking the face of God./

\*Hymn of Praise UMH No. 711  
*For All the Saints*

\*Apostles' Creed UMH No. 881

\*The Gloria Patri UMH No. 70  
Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost;  
as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world  
without end. Amen. Amen.

## Remembering the Saints

Carolyn Graham, Sarah Thompson, Kitty Holland, Glen Taylor,  
Tiff Covington, Sarah Wieman, Bettye Wallace, Wilmeda LaRue

Pastoral Prayer Rev. Zeke Allen

Offertory Prayer Rev. Zeke Allen

## Offering

The Offertory *Shine Like the Sun* Chancel Choir  
*-arr. Karen E. Black*  
*KyoungHwa Molinari, piano*  
*Kristen Bomberger, violin*

## \*Doxology

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; praise God, all  
creatures here below: Alleluia! Alleluia! Praise God, the  
source of all our gifts! Praise Jesus Christ, whose power  
uplifts! Praise the Spirit, Holy Spirit! Alleluia! Alleluia!  
Alleluia!

## \*Reading God's Word

*Luke 20:27-38*

Ryan Lewis

## Sermon

*Hope*

Rev. Zeke Allen

## A Service of Word and Table II

UMH P. 12

## The Great Thanksgiving

*Musical Setting A*

UMH P. 17

## The Lord's Prayer

Congregation

\*Hymn of Response *For All the Saints*

TFWS No. 2283

## \*Benediction/Blessing

Rev. Zeke Allen

Closing Voluntary *How Firm a Foundation* Kay McAfee  
*-by Carolyn Hamlin*

*\*Please stand if able*

## Flowers

The flower arrangement on the altar is in loving remembrance of  
Henry Huerkamp from his wife, Nancy.

## ANTHEM AT THE OFFERTORY TEXT

*Shine Like the Sun*  
*-arr. Karen E. Black*

There's a light that lights the darkness, and the world cannot  
contain it, and the world cannot explain it. It is the light of  
God's creation.

There's a love that flows within us, and the world cannot  
create it and the world cannot negate it. It is the love of God's  
salvation; and it shines like the sun.

There are saints who light the darkness, and the world cannot  
contain them, for the love of God sustains them, they will  
never be forgotten.

We were blest to have them with us, and we praise the God  
who made them. There is no way to repay them, and so we  
simply do applaud them as they shine like the sun.

Glory be to our Creator! Glory to the Holy One!  
Glory be to Christ our Savior, the Lord of light, the King of love.  
See him shine like the sun.

## Ways to give to First United Methodist Church



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