### **Mission Opportunities**

**Blood Drive.** FUMC is hosting a blood drive Monday, September 19<sup>th</sup>, from 1-5:00 p.m. in **Sturgis**, not in the Fellowship Hall.

**Food Pantry.** The next Food Pantry Distribution Day is Tuesday, September 20<sup>th</sup>. Our food donation request for September is **rice, peanut butter, and Ramen Noodles.** 

#### **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 or www.youtube.com/user/fumcark. Watch previous services at www.fumcark.org/sermons.

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Jeremy Smith, Michelle Smith, and Michael Wyatt

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Annabeth Wyatt, and Hunter Wyatt

Refreshments Diane Wyatt

Nursery Workers Jewelie Mills and Erin Mecum

## Ways to give to First United Methodist Church

**Custodian** Sharon Murphy







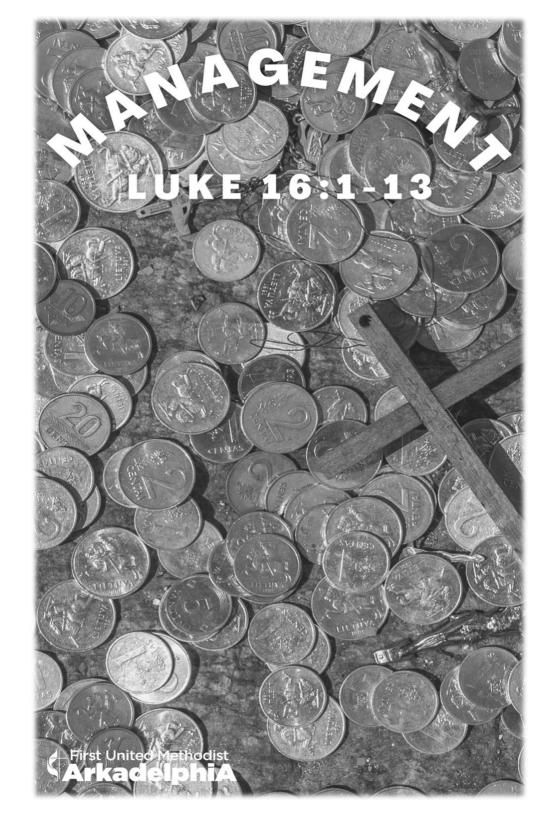
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Adopted by First United Methodist Church Council, October 10, 2017.



# **Worship for the Lord's Day**

September 18, 2022 15<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Pentecost Contemporary Worship Service Arkadelphia, AR

# Order of Service

Opening Song	Newsong Praise Band
Announcements	Rev. Zeke Allen
Children's Moment	Sara Hubbard
Offering	
Apostles' Creed	Congregation
Songs of Praise	Newsong Praise Band
Pastoral Prayer	
The Lord's Prayer	Congregation
Scripture Reading	Sabrina Mecum
	Luke 16:1-13
Sermon	Rev. Zeke Allen
	Management
Closing Song	Newsong Praise Band
Benediction/Blessing	Rev. Zeke Allen

#### **News & Events**

**Meet the Pastor.** Citizens Bank is hosting a Business after Hours "Meet the Pastor" event Tuesday, September 20th, from 4:30-6:00 p.m. to introduce Zeke to the community. We hope you will take the opportunity to come by and say hi.

**Cottage Meetings.** Sign-up sheets to attend the cottage meetings are in the Narthex. The first meeting is Thursday, September 22<sup>nd</sup>, at 6:00 p.m. at the home of Bob and Brenda Biehunko.

**Volunteer Training.** Acolyte/liturgist training will be held Sunday, September 25th, during the Sunday School hour. Sign-up sheets are outside of each service for those wanting to volunteer. If you volunteered previously but haven't been contacted, please sign up again so we can get you on the schedule. Thank you.

**Office Closed.** The church staff will be attending a Leadership Conference at Church of the Resurrection in Kansas Wednesday, September 28th, through Friday, September 30th. The office will be closed and will reopen Monday, October 3rd, at 8:00 a.m. Pastor's Bible Study is cancelled for that week.

**Beth & Scott Wyatt.** A benefit for Beth and Scott will be held Saturday, October 1<sup>st</sup>, from 5-8:00 p.m. at 705 Main Street, Downtown Arkadelphia. Tickets are a \$15.00 donation per person. All proceeds go directly to Beth Wyatt and family to help provide financial support during this time. Tickets are available this Sunday and next before and after each service.

### **Weekly Participation Opportunities**

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

**Tuesday Morning Bible Study.** Meets at 9:30 a.m. in the church library. Led by Claire Gehrki (knitarkadelphia@gmail.com).

**Pastor's Bible Study.** Wednesdays at noon (in person) and 6:30 p.m. (in person and Zoom) in the Fellowship Hall. Contact Rev. Zeke Allen for more information.

**Student Choir Practice.** Thursdays at 5:00 p.m. in the choir room. Led by Wesley Lamendola and Alex Tyler. All students welcome.

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