

### 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.

**Pastor's Bible Study.** Wednesdays at noon 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.

#### 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://tithely.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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**Nursery Workers** Sabrina Mecum and Erin Mecum

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



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Offering plate



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

# Pentecost Power

## Acts 2:1-13

First United Methodist  
**Arkadelphia**

# Worship for the Lord's Day

May 28, 2023  
Pentecost Sunday

Contemporary Worship Service  
Arkadelphia, AR

## Order of Service

\*Opening Song.....*NewSong Praise Band*

### Announcements

Children's Moment.....*John Crawford*

### Offering

\*Apostles' Creed.....*Congregation*

\*Songs of Praise.....*NewSong Praise Band*

Pastoral Prayer..... *Rev. Zeke Allen*

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

Scripture Reading .....*Becky Andrews*

*Acts 2:1-13*

Sermon..... *Rev. Zeke Allen*

*Pentecost Power*

\*Closing Song.....*NewSong Praise Band*

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

*\*Please stand if able*

### Flowers

The white rose on the altar is in loving memory of Earnestine Clark, who passed away Thursday, May 18<sup>th</sup>, at the age of 93. The red roses are also in memory of Earnestine, given by Henderson State University.

The flower arrangement is in celebration of Pentecost Sunday.

### News & Events

**Youth Sunday Night.** Youth will not meet tonight in observance of the Memorial Day weekend. We will meet again June 4<sup>th</sup> from 6-8:00 p.m. We had a lot of fun last Sunday so please come next Sunday and bring a friend!

**Office Closed.** The church office is closed tomorrow for Memorial Day. We will reopen Tuesday, May 30<sup>th</sup>, at 8:00 a.m.

**Vacation Bible School.** VBS is June 26-29 this year. Please let Jewelie know if you plan on volunteering so we can get a t-shirt ordered and get all volunteers Safe Gatherings certified. Getting certified isn't a difficult process and does not need to be done all at once.

**Pastor's Bible Study.** The last Bible Study before summer break is Wednesday, May 31<sup>st</sup>, both sessions, in-person and via Zoom.

**Running of the Tubs.** Youth are going to RotT June 3<sup>rd</sup> in Hot Springs. We leave from church at 7:30 a.m. and return about 2:30 p.m. Bring water guns and money for lunch. We will also play a round of putt-putt, which the church will pay for.

**United Women in Faith.** UWinF is collecting personal care items to be given to Sheriff Jason Watson at the June 6<sup>th</sup> meeting. Donations can be brought to the church office during the week or to the June 6<sup>th</sup> meeting at 10:00 a.m. in the Upper Room Sunday School class. UWinf will not meet in July.

**Ruth Circle.** The next meeting of Ruth Circle is Tuesday, June 13<sup>th</sup>, 6:00 p.m. at Gutti's for Ladies Night Out. Ruth Circle will not meet in July or August.

### Mission Opportunities

**Arms Around Arkadelphia.** AAA, June 12-15, is a yearly event begun by First Baptist Church to help those around Arkadelphia with things such as yard work, building wheelchair ramps, painting, etc. First Methodist has had a long history of helping. To volunteer, call First Baptist at 870-246-5587.

**Food Pantry.** The May distribution day saw 304 families served, for a total of 713 people. There were fewer volunteers due to college being out, so please consider volunteering at the June 20<sup>th</sup> distribution day.

**Requested donation items are peanut butter and jelly.**

**Food Pantry Schedule:** *Tuesday, June 6th, 9am to noon:* Storage delivery and begin packing boxes Our goal for boxes will be 320 for June. *Wednesday, June 7th, 11:00am to 11:45am:* Board meeting, parlor First Methodist.