

First of All

Thank you for choosing to worship with us at First Church.
Let’s worship the Lord together with...

Worship	“New Doxology”
First Family Fellowship	
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	“Good, Good Father”
	“In Christ Alone”
	“Revelation Song”
Prayer	“All Who Are Thirsty”
Offering	“Hope Has a Name” by Monica Jenkins
Message	“Praying with Fire”
Closing	“He Has Made Me Glad”

First Step

The most important thing that can happen to you
is asking Jesus into your heart. It’s as simple as ABC...

Admit that you have sinned

“For all have sinned and fall short of the glory of God.”
Romans 3:23

Believe that Jesus died for you

“God demonstrates His own love toward us,
in that while we were still sinners, Christ died for us.”
Romans 5:8

Confess that Jesus is Lord of your life

“If you confess with your mouth, ‘Jesus is Lord’, and believe in
your heart that God raised Him from the dead, you will be saved.
It is with your heart that you believe and are justified
and it is with your mouth that you confess and are saved.”
Romans 10:9-10

If you followed these steps and asked Jesus into your heart,
please let Pastor Bobby know.

First News

1 Regular Church/Pastor Review

This Tuesday, in fulfillment of the Church Manual's instructions in paragraph 123,
the Board, under the leadership of the District Superintendent, will be conducting
the regular church/pastor review with Pastor Bobby Howard.

The review will entail an inventory of the positive things taking place right now,
an opportunity for the board and pastor to identify significant accomplishments
that could be achieved in the next 4 years, a strengthening of the constructive
relationship between the board and the pastor, attention to the strengthening
of the ministry, and the matter of future pastoral relations.

While this meeting will be held in executive session with just the pastor, church
board and District Superintendent, feel free to share any input with a member of
our church board or the Pastor. Let's all be in prayer over these next days that
this review would enable the church to be even more effective in reaching people
in this community with the Good News of Jesus Christ.

2 Worship Pastor Candidate

We are pleased to announce that we will be hosting a worship pastor candidate
on Oct. 19-20. He will meet with the pastor, staff, and worship team in addition
to leading our worship service. Help us pray for God’s direction in his ministry
and our church.

3 BOO (Bring Others Over) on the Block on Oct. 31

One home in Little Rock and Maumelle is needed to host this outreach event.
You provide the front yard, First Naz will provide funds, and together we’ll
build a team to serve. Let Pastor Bobby know how you can help.

First Serve

Helpers Today:

Greeters: Lynn Weaks, Josh Woodard

Babies: Jennifer Raath

Toddlers: Maci Howard, Tiffany Frisby

Next Sunday, October 13

Sue Daniel, Wanda M., Keith Williams

Debby Hunsaker

Tessa Watson, Kelly Williams

First Fruits

September Giving	Needed	Received	Balance
Tithes/Offerings	\$38,183	\$38,437	\$ 254
Faith Promise - Missions	\$ 5,173	\$ 3,050	\$2,123

Mission: POSSIBLE (Debt Elimination)

Total Pledged	Received	Balance
\$61,519	\$45,264	\$ 16,255

First Impression

We welcome you to First Church! Here are
a few things that we would like you to know
about our Church...

Denomination

The Church of the Nazarene is a holiness
church that shares roots with the Methodist
Church. With over 2.2 million members
worshipping in over 29,000 congregations
in 159 world areas, we are a part of
something much bigger than ourselves.

Worship

It has been said that, “Worship changes
the worshiper into the image of the One
worshipped.” To achieve that transformation,
First Church is willing to use everything
from drums to organs and everything in
between.

Youth and Children

“It’s a race to the heart of a child and the
first one there wins.” First Church is
trying to outrun world influences with
various programs to “train a child up in
the way they should go.”

Adults

We are big enough to serve you and
small enough to know you! Whether you
are single or married, working or retired -
there is something for you at First Church.

Missions

We believe that the mission of the church
is Missions. First Church is a going,
sending, praying and paying church so
that the whole world may hear the Good
News of Jesus Christ!

Community

First Church cares for our neighbors. We
want “our light to shine before others, that
they may see your good deeds and glorify
your Father in heaven.”

First Word

October 6, 2019



“Praying with Fire”

James 5:16

We must be combustible.

We need to stay in contact.

We have to carry on.

First Glance

Sunday, October 6: 8:30 a.m. - Prayer Gathering
9:00 a.m. - Sunday School
10:00 a.m. - Worship Service
10:00 a.m. - Children's Church

Wed., October 9: 5:30 p.m. - Wednesday Meal (Hermon Hall)
6:00 p.m. - Prayer Gathering
6:30 p.m. - Celebrate Recovery Classes
6:30 p.m. - Adult Bible Study (Chapel)
6:30 p.m. - Ladies' Bible Study ("God of Covenant" study)
6:30 p.m. - Nursery Care, Children's & Teen Activities
7:35 p.m. - Praise Team Rehearsal

Thursday, Oct. 10: 6:30 p.m. - Church Board Meeting

Sunday, Oct. 13: 8:30 a.m. - Prayer Gathering
9:00 a.m. - Sunday School
10:00 a.m. - Worship Service / Family Worship
5:30 p.m. - Brookdale Senior Living Center Service

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**Loving God,
Loving Others,
Loving Little Rock**



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