First of All

Thank you for choosing to worship with us at First Church.

Let's worship the Lord together with...

Worship "Forever Reign"

First Family Fellowship

Worship "Mighty to Save"

"What a Beautiful Name"

"Made Me Glad"

Prayer

Offering "The Refiner's Fire" by Rick Stein

Message "The Cultural Storm" - Rev. Rodney Shanner

Closing "Mighty to Save"

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

<u>C</u>onfess 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 Five

1 Summer Camps

This year, the South Arkansas District camps will all be held in July:

<u>Jr. High Camp: July 9-13</u> - <u>registration postmark deadline</u> was June 25. Forms may still be sent in, but an additional \$15 late fee is now due.

<u>Kids' Camp: July 16-20</u> - registrations are due TODAY, July 1. The postmark deadline is Monday, July 2, to mail your own. If mailed after July 2, add \$15.

<u>Sr. High Camp: July 23-27</u> - registrations are due to David by next Sunday, July 8. The postmark deadline is July 9. If mailed after July 9, add \$15.

Wednesday, July 4

The church office will be closed for Independence Day this Wednesday, and no mid-week activities will be held that evening. Celebrate and thank God for our freedoms.

3 PT Cruisers' Luncheon

The PT Cruisers will have their July luncheon this Friday, July 6, at Whole Hog Barbeque in Rock Creek Square on West Markham at 11:30 AM. Invite a friend and let Ron or Connie Graham know if you plan to attend.

4 Family Movie Night

Mark your calendars for next Sunday, July 8, for a "Christmas in July" family movie night in the gym at 6:45 PM. The cost is \$3/person or \$10/family and includes nachos, drinks, and a popcorn bar!!! Bring your lawn chairs, blankets, and friends.

5 Future Work & Witness Mission Trip Opportunity

A 2019 trip is being planned (location and length of trip to be determined). The estimated cost will be about \$1,400/person for airfare, meals, lodging and transportation. This will be a construction trip with a possible VBS. Contact Marsha Trammell or Mary Alice Spann for more information.

First Fruits

Weekly need: \$10,730 Annual Budget: \$557,954

Faith Promise (Missions)

Weekly goal: \$1,193.75 Received since 5-1-2018: \$7,583.80

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 worshiping 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 worshiped." 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."

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First Word July 1, 2018 Cultural Storm" Daniel 1:1-14

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First Glance

Sunday, July 1: 9:00 a.m. - Sunday School

10:00 a.m. - Worship Service / Children's Church

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Wed., July 4: Independence Day

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Friday, July 6: 11:30 a.m. - P.T. Cruisers' Luncheon at Whole Hog Café

on West Markham

Sunday, July 8: 9:00 a.m. - Sunday School

10:00 a.m. - Worship Service / Family Worship 5:30 p.m. - Senior Living Center Service

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Sr. High Camp Registration Postmark Deadline is Monday, July 9

First Serve

<u>Nursery Help Today:</u> <u>Next Sunday, July 8</u>

Babies: Sharon Vann Oza Mae Jones

Toddlers: Maci Howard, Jennifer Raath Tiffany Vano, Kelly Williams

First Staff

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