

First of All

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

Worship	“God You Reign”
First Family Fellowship	
Worship	“Because He Lives (Amen)”
	“10,000 Reasons (Bless the Lord)”
	“All Who Are Thirsty”
Prayer	“I Choose to Worship”
Offering	Special by John Guess
Message	“How Can I Be Sure?”
Closing	

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 Five

1 Fall Photo Booth

Please stop by the Fall Photo Booth today to take your photo. Then post your
picture on Facebook and tag the First Church page.

2 Komjoynus Class Dinner

The Komjoynus Class will have their Christmas dinner at the home of Rick &
Kathleen McComber next Sunday, December 2, at 5:30 PM. Contact Kathleen
about a food item to bring.

3 Edith’s Christmas Shut-in Boxes

On Friday, December 7, at 10 AM in Hermon Hall, goody boxes will be packed
for our shut-ins. Bring homemade goodies (please wrap individually or put a
few together in small baggies) and other items that you think would be useful
for our shut-ins. Help will also be needed to pack and deliver these boxes.

4 Children’s Christmas Program “It All Happened in the Country”

Mark your calendars and invite your family and friends to come to this year’s
Children’s Christmas program on Sunday, December 9, at 10:00 AM.

5 Church Christmas Dinner - Dec. 16

The annual Church Christmas Dinner will be held Sunday, Dec. 16, at 5:00 PM.
Reserve seats at the stand in the foyer. Families with last names starting with
A-K are asked to bring a salad; those with last names starting with L-Z are
asked to bring a vegetable. Meat, dessert and beverages will be provided.

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
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.”

First Serve

Helpers Today:	Next Sunday, December 2
Greeters: Sue Daniel, Nick & Tiffany Vano	Lynn & Dana Weaks, Josh Woodard
Babies: Mary Alice Spann	Jennifer Raath
Toddlers: Debby Hunsaker, Mary Cait Poole	Maci Howard, Sharon Vann

First Fruits

November Giving	Needed	Received	Balance
Tithes/Offerings	\$38,183	\$20,716	\$17,467
Faith Promise - Missions	\$ 5,173	\$ 2,224	\$ 2,949

First Word

November 25, 2018

The Questions of Christmas



“How Can I Be Sure?”

Luke 1:18

You look where your

faith is.

Disappointment leads

to doubt.

We need to exercise

our experience.

First Glance

Sunday, Nov. 25: 9:00 a.m. - Sunday School
10:00 a.m. - Worship Service
10:00 a.m. - Children's Church
No Handbell Rehearsal

Wed., Nov. 28: 6:30 p.m. - Adult Bible Study (Chapel)
6:30 p.m. - Ladies' Bible Study (Casey Center, Room 2)
6:30 p.m. - Nursery Care & Teen Activities
6:30 p.m. - Children's Program Rehearsal
7:35 p.m. - Praise Team Rehearsal

Sunday, Dec. 2: 9:00 a.m. - Sunday School
10:00 a.m. - Worship Service
10:00 a.m. - Children's Church
5:00 p.m. - Komjoynus Class Dinner (McComber's)

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



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