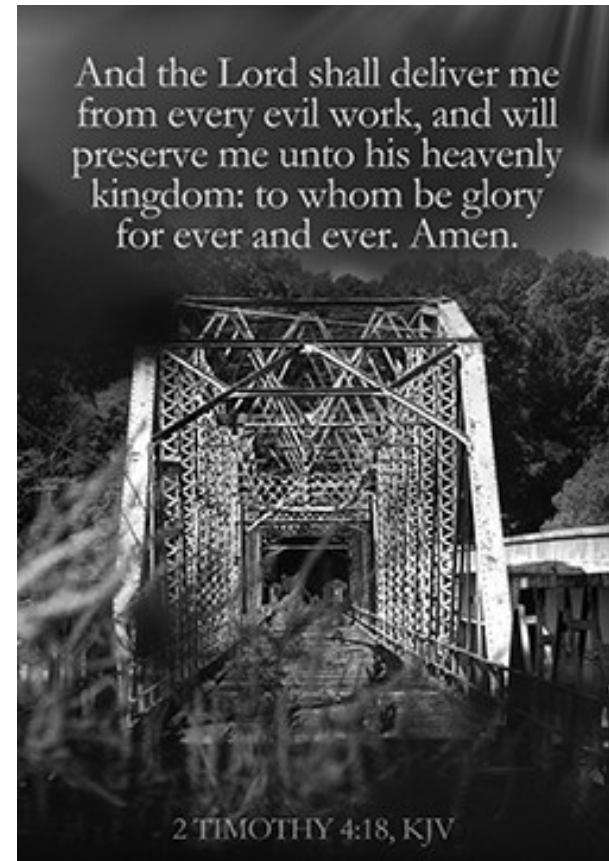




Mission Statement First Presbyterian Church

Mountain Home, Arkansas

Our mission is to glorify God, reach out to people of all ages and in all levels of spiritual growth in worship, Christian education, music and fellowship. Trumpet the good news we share of God's love and forgiveness, of Jesus Christ and his gospel to people everywhere throughout the local church community and the world.



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OCTOBER 26, 2025

20th Sunday after Pentecost

Order of Worship

October 26, 2025

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PRELUDE “Tell Me The Story of Jesus” Susan Hawkins
(This is a time for quiet meditation and preparation for worship)

WELCOME

Leader: The Peace of the Lord be with you.

People: And also with you.

Leader: Please share the peace of the Lord with
one another.

CALL TO WORSHIP

Rev. Lila DeMoss

Leader: How lovely is your dwelling place, O Lord of hosts!
My soul longs for the courts of the Lord. My flesh
sings for joy to the living God. Happy are those who
live in the house of the Lord, ever singing your praise,
O God. Happy are those whose strength is in you, in
whose heart are the highways to Zion.

PRAYER OF THE DAY

Rev. Lila DeMoss

(Please stand, as able)

HYMN OF PRAISE “I Sing the Mighty Power of God”
No. 288

SCRIPTURE READING

Psalm 65

Ralph Gillespie, Lay Reader

ATTENDANCE

Sunday, October 19, 2025 Attendance—20

PRAYER CONCERNS

Please keep the following in your prayers: Chuck Beall, Judy Sulephen, Bob Brozowski, Wana Thacker; Sue and Diane, sisters of Michele Wells; Eleanore Wheeler; Pam and Rev. Victor Jones; James and Jacky Neff for James’ healing; Lisa Gillespie, Fred Ruegsegger for comfort. Church secretary Debbie Heroux’s mother Charleen Killman, for healing; Lila Kirch, friend of Kay Kunkel for healing; Tommy Herr, friend of Linda Brozowski; Ted Bishop, Mary Smith’s brother for healing; Martha Mace for healing and comfort. Karen Diers, the daughter of Marilyn Seel. Susan Hawkins at the passing of her companion Dan Gilbert.

WEEKLY CHURCH FINANCES 2025

Weekly contributions needed: **\$1,809.00**

Amount deposited October 20, 2025: **\$321.00**

First Presbyterian Church Annual Budget: **\$79,799.00**

SCRIPTURES FOR NOVEMBER 2

Isaiah 1:10-18

Psalm 32:1-7

2 Thessalonians 1:1-4, 11-12

Luke 19:1-10

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All announcements for the Sunday Bulletin need to be in the secretary's office or emailed to fpcmh@centurytel.net by noon on Wednesday.

CHURCH ACTIVITIES

*Today-Session meeting immediately after service.

*Good Samaritan's Purse is currently collecting items for Shoe Boxes for children around the world. We will be donating money online this year. Please contact Mary for more information.

*November 2-Communion and celebration of our saints.

Judy Sulephen has a new address.

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PRAYER OF CONFESSION (UNISON)

Merciful God, hope of your people in every age, we confess that we have sinned against you. We have wandered from your pathways, turned toward idols, lived without compassion, and disregarded the well-being of your creation. Do not turn away from us, O Lord, but renew your covenant, for only in you will our lives be healed. Guide us and lead us in your ways, for happy are those who live in your house. Amen. *(silent confession)*

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

Rev. Lila DeMoss

(Please stand, as able)

GLORIA PATRI (UNISON)

No. 579

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost; as it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be, world without end. Amen. Amen.

SCRIPTURE READING

Luke 18:9-14

Ralph Gillespie, Lay Reader

GATHERING OF TITHES AND FIRST FRUITS

(Offering Plates in Narthex)

Ralph Gillespie, Lay Reader

(Please stand, as able)

THE DOXOLOGY (UNISON)

page 592, blue hymnal

PRAYER OF DEDICATION (UNISON)

Holy and merciful God, you know the joy that is in us when we offer ourselves, our time, and our possessions for the work you set before us. Use these gifts to heal and teach, comfort and challenge, that all the world might give you praise. Amen.

Ralph Gillespie, Lay Reader

HYMN “Just as I Am, Without One Plea”

No. 370

(Please be Seated)

SCRIPTURE READING 2 Timothy 4:6-8, 16-18

Rev. Lila DeMoss

SERMON “Paul’s Last Words”

Rev. Lila DeMoss

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

Rev. Lila DeMoss

THE LORD’S PRAYER (Traditional)

Our Father who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory, forever. Amen.

(Please stand, as able)

THIS WE BELIEVE (UNISON)

Apostle’s Creed
Page 14 blue hymnal

ANNOUNCEMENTS

HYMN “In Christ There Is No East or West”

No. 439

CHARGE AND BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE

Prayer list for Congregations, Presbytery of AR 2025

Children’s Church Ministries

West End, Arkadelphia

(Members:051 Est:1901)