



**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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**NOVEMBER 2, 2025**

**21ST SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST**

**PRELUDE**                      “For All the Saints”                      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**

Leader: Sing to the Lord a new song! Rejoice and give thanks, for  
the Lord takes pleasure in the people. Hallelujah!

**PRAYER OF THE DAY**

Rev. Lila DeMoss

**REMEMBERING OUR SAINTS**

|              |            |
|--------------|------------|
| John Strong  | 3/24/2025  |
| Don Crapnell | 6/23/2025  |
| Sherman Fine | 6/25/2025  |
| Dan Gilbert  | 10/21/2025 |
| T.J. Lawson  | 10/25/2025 |

*(Please stand, as able)*

**HYMN OF PRAISE**                      “When The Saints Go Marching In”  
See Insert

*(Please be seated)*

**SCRIPTURE READING**                      Psalm 119:137-144  
Nancy Priest, Lay Reader

**ATTENDANCE**

Sunday, October 26, 2024 Attendance--??

**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 and Bobby Stagg, friends 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. Jan Lawson and her 2 daughters for comfort at the passing of T.J. Lawson.

**WEEKLY CHURCH FINANCES 2025**

Weekly contributions needed:                      \$1,809.00  
Amount deposited October 27, 2024:                      \$348.00  
First Presbyterian Church Annual Budget: \$79,799.00

**SCRIPTURES FOR NOVEMBER 9**

|                                |                      |
|--------------------------------|----------------------|
| <i>Job 19:23-27a</i>           | <i>Psalm 17:1-9</i>  |
| <i>2 Thessalonians 2:13-17</i> | <i>Luke 20:27-38</i> |

**NOVEMBER BIRTHDAYS AND ANNIVERSARY**

November 03-Michele Wells  
November 07-Pete Wells  
November 16-Beverly Preble  
November 19-Mary Smith  
November 23-Nancy Priest  
November 30-Elliott Ruegsegger

November 11-Doug and Michele Wells Anniversary

To reach Rev. DeMoss, please call 870.670.4644

### HOLY COMMUNION

Communion distribution today will be by continuous table. For those who are able, you will be asked to come forward and receive the bread and juice and return to your seat. A container will be provided where you can place the empty cup.

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

### CHURCH ACTIVITIES

Today-All Saints Day Observed and Communion

November 16-Session Meeting at 11:30 am

November 23-Christ the King/Reign of Christ

November 27-Thanksgiving Day. Office Closed

November 29-Hanging of the Greens at 10 am

November 30-First Sunday of Advent

December 01-Year End Session and Deacon Reports Due

December 14-Congregational Meeting after service

The Mission Committee is collecting money for the Good Samaritan Christmas Boxes that will be donated online this year.

Rev. Lila gave us an opportunity to give Christmas gifts to prisoners that she counsels. Suggestions for gifts will be on lists in the hallway and on Fellowship Hall tables. Examples include Ramen noodles and peanut butter crackers.

### PRAYER OF CONFESSION (UNISON)

God of the covenant, who calls all people to reconciliation, you have made us members of the very body of Christ; yet we persist in wounding that body with our divisions, our suspicions, and our neglect. Forgive us, and teach us to nurture unity and peace. For the sake of Jesus Christ and the world he came to save; 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.

*(Please be Seated)*

### SCRIPTURE READING

Luke 19:1-10

Nancy Priest, Lay Reader

### GATHERING OF TITHES AND FIRST FRUITS

(Offering Plates in Narthex)

Nancy Priest, Lay Reader

*(Please stand, as able)*

### THE DOXOLOGY (UNISON)

page 592, blue hymnal

### PRAYER OF DEDICATION (UNISON) Nancy Priest, Lay Reader

Holy One, all that we have comes from you. You bless our lives with the companionship of your people, that freedom that comes from forgiveness of sin, the joy of thanksgiving for Earth and all its bounty. Turn us toward those in need, in the name of the one who gave himself for us, Jesus Christ, our Savior. Amen.

**HYMN                    “Let Us Break Bread Together”                    No. 513**

**(Please be Seated)**

**SCRIPTURE READING                    Matthew 5:1-12**  
Rev. Lila DeMoss

**SERMON                    “All Saints Day”                    Rev. Lila DeMoss**

**PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE**

**THE LORD’S PRAYER** (Traditional)                    Page 16, blue hymnal

*(Please stand, as able)*

**THIS WE BELIEVE (UNISON)                    Apostle’s Creed**  
Page 14 blue hymnal

**(Please be Seated)**

**SERVICE OF HOLY COMMUNION**

**INVITATION**

**PRAYER**

**WORDS OF INSTITUTION**

**COMMUNION OF THE PEOPLE**

**PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION**

**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**HYMN                    “Open My Eyes That I May See”**  
**No. 324**

**CHARGE AND BENEDICTION**

**POSTLUDE**

**Prayer list for Congregations, Presbytery of AR 2024**

**Presbyterian Church of Bull Shoals (Members:26 Est:1953)**

**First, Arkadelphia (Members:78 Est:1858)**