

*The flowers in the Sanctuary today are given by Nancy J. Hammond  
In Loving Memory of Her Parents  
Max and Rita Carpenter.*

**FEBRUARY 21, 2010 COMMITTEE MEETINGS**

Christian Education 3:00pm Commons Properties 4:45pm Calvin 202  
Evangelism & Fellowship 4:30pm Parlor Moderators' Meeting 6:00pm Commons  
Board of Deacons 4:30pm Calvin 203

Hospitality Committee will meet Monday, February 22, 9:30 am, Library  
Outreach Committee will not meet in February  
Worship and Music will meet Sunday, February 28, 4:00 pm, Commons Room

**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**Fun Family Event:** Monday, Feb. 22, 4-6 pm, skating party at the Starlight Skatium on College (just north of Maple). Cost: \$5/ person (as it is at regular skate times). Mondays are church and fundraiser nights; \$2 of the cost will come back to us. That money will go to PDA (Presbyterian Disaster Assistance) for Haiti relief. All ages are invited to come out and skate. Bring friends and family to have fun and help a great cause! If you have a child or youth would love to come and you have work or other commitments, please let us know. Kristi will coordinate rides for any kids who need one.

**Wonderful Wednesdays:** If you plan to be at Wonderful Wed. this week, please put your reservation slip in the box in the Narthex this morning. **Deadline for this Wed. is Noon, Mon., Feb. 22** by calling the office 442-4411. The meal this week is **from Whole Hog Bar-B-Que**. The program is for all ages — **The Gospel Echoes**. Cost for meal is \$5.00 per person, \$20.00 maximum (children 3 and under - gratis)

**Farewell Reception for Rev. Lee Power:** Personnel will host a Farewell Reception for Pastor Lee on Sun., Feb.28, after the 11:00 am service. Mark your calendar to share this special time to offer our thanks and best wishes to Lee.

**Urgent Request for Gifts for new Chancel Organ Console:** Our church is addressing the pipe organ's immediate need, which is this: we need to replace the console. The Session has approved an expenditure of \$30,000 to cover the costs of solving these urgent problems. \$12,750 has been paid from existing funds; **we still need \$6,914** to pay the balance. If you have not made a contribution to the organ fund, but want to support this important element of the Sunday worship service, now is the time. We are expecting delivery of the console during the next few weeks. Checks may be made out to FUPC with "Organ Fund" written on the memo line.

**Missing Flower Arrangement:** We seem to be missing a silk arrangement, one that we use during Lent; it's a simple basket filled with silk palms. Please call the office if you have seen it, or know where it might be 442-4411. Thank you

**Prayer Concerns:** Mary Margaret Morton, Billy Thompson, Mary Schaller, Eva Stalker, John Burhorn, Jim Scroggs, Catherine Cross, Rita Davis, Sue Ellen Ward, Rev. Maury Roberts, Marion Orton, Laurie Marshall (death of her mother), LeGene Vaughn (Mary Schlegal's sister-in-law), Chiko Sekiguchi (death of Ted), Becky Purcell (death of her Uncle Sam McCammon), Pam Jenkins (sister of Laura Winburn's step-mother), Rita Manske (death of her sister Sandra Kretzer), Patsy Brewer (death of Ted), Mary Beth Coldwell (death of her mother Mary Frances Gladney), 2nd Lt. Alec Burner-Abt (Barbara Brown's nephew), Alyce Brown (David Brown's mother), Alex Ruth (death of his father), Barbara George (death of her stepfather), John, Colin, and Bronwyn Dixon (death of Jan), Jennifer Cole (daughter of Carole Walter), Randy and Pam Andersen, Cindy Andersen, Emily and Buckley Bridges, Erin and John Wilson, Melissa Wilson (death of Matthew: son, husband, brother and brother-in-law, uncle), Helen Ezell, Laurie Reh (death of her mother), Lene Wells (sister-in-law of Kathy Sprouse), David Dulin and family (friends of Mary Jo Harvey), Connie and Jeff Taylor (daughter and son-in-law of Mary Jo Harvey), Julie Olsen (death of her grandmother), Norman Koch (father of Janet Clausen), Eleanor, Fred and Diane Shefte (death of Don), family of Jane Nelson (death of Jane), Edward Jackson (death of his grandfather), Tom Houston (death of his father and injury), Greg Selzer (Cathy Irwin's brother), Carolyn Hall (Robert Irwin's sister) Brooksie Cate Lawson (Nancy Mays' aunt), Cathy Hairston and family (death of her sister), Arlene Hendrickson (Amy Rossetti's step-grandmother), Ken Mays, Shayden Talbert (great-nephew of Ron Talbert), Bobby Odom, Lilyana Denn (Granddaughter of Ronnie and Nancy Denn, Lloyd Howe (father of Laura Winburn), Myra Rice, Carla Marchbanks (friend of Nancy and Ronnie Denn), Jared, Ashley and Jarlyn Gorney (nephew of Shawn Guthrie and Family), Family of Corrine Shipman, Virginia Hurd (Rob Button's grandmother)

**CALENDAR**

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 21

**Worship Services\*:** Sanctuary: 8:30 am: Communion, 11:00 am  
**Pre-school & Elementary Sunday School:** 9:30 am, Upper and Lower Knox  
**2nd and 3rd grade chimes:** (after Sunday School) 10:25-10:45 am, Lower Knox  
**4th and 5th grade chimes:** (before Sunday School) 9:30-9:50 am, Lower Knox  
**Confirmation Class for 6th and 7th grade:** Lower Knox  
**8th- 12th grade Sunday School:** Recreation Room  
**Adult Sunday School Assembly:** 9:30 am, Fellowship Hall  
**Adult Sunday School:** 9:45 am, assigned space  
**Chinese School:** 1:30-5:00 pm, Campus-Wide  
**Committee Meetings:** 3-6 pm, Campus-Wide  
**Youth Bells:** 3:00 pm  
**UPY:** 4:00 pm, Lower Witherspoon  
**Moderators' Meeting:** 6:00 pm, Commons Room

**WEEKDAY CALENDAR**

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 22

**First School Chapel:** 8:45 am  
**Hospitality Committee Mtg:** 9:30 am, Library  
**Boy Scouts:** 7:00 pm

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 23

**First School Chapel:** 8:45 am  
**Girls Chorus:** 5:45 pm, Fellowship Hall  
**PW 2:** 6:30 pm, Activity Center  
**Adult Handbells:** 6:30 pm, Sanctuary  
**GA Mtg.:** 7:00 pm, Lower Witherspoon

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 24

**Bulletin Announcements Due for February 28:** Noon, Church Office  
**Men's Breakfast:** 6:30 am, Village Inn  
**First School Jitterbugs:** 11:30 am,

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 24 CONT.

**Wonderful Wed.:** 5:30 pm, Fellowship Hall  
**Chancel Choir Rehearsal:** 7:15 pm, Music Room

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 25

**First School Jitterbugs:** 11:30 am, Fellowship Hall  
**Intercessory Prayer Group:** 3:30 pm, BTV Library  
**Everyone Can Sing:** 7:00 pm, Activity Center

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 26

**Hooks and Needles:** 10:00 am, Activity Center

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 27

**AA Meeting:** 6:00 pm, Activity Center

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 28

**Worship Services\*:** Sanctuary: 8:30 am: Communion, 11:00 am  
**Pre-school & Elementary Sunday School through Adult Sunday School** (See Sunday School Schedule Above)  
**Reception for Rev. Lee Power: After 11:00 Service, Fellowship Hall**  
**Youth Bells:** 3:00 pm  
**UPY:** 4:00

\*Indicates that professional childcare is provided for these events.  
#Indicates that reservations must be made.

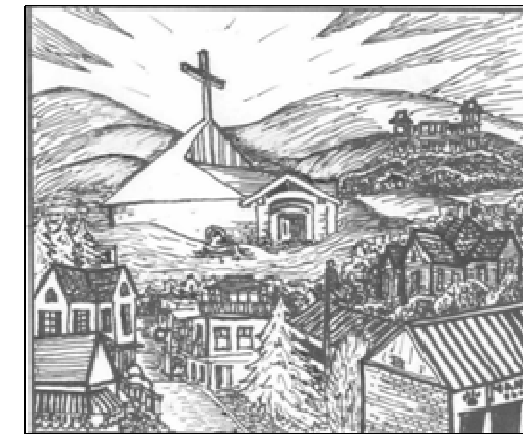
**STAFF**

Rev. Lee Power Interim Head of Staff	Jeannie Lee Organist
Kristi Button Director of Christian Education	Melanie Dietzel Administrative Assistant
Dr. Todd Prickett Director of Music	Tommy Kidd Custodian

Please call the church office, 442-4411, during the week with prayer concerns, joys or hospital information.

**First United  
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Fayetteville, Arkansas**

*Called to be a **light on the hill**,  
we boldly proclaim and serve Christ,  
the hope of our changing world.*



*First United Presbyterian Church  
is a faithful, dynamic congregation  
visibly demonstrating a deep commitment  
to proclaim Jesus Christ,  
as we lovingly grow in discipleship  
and eagerly engage in service to others.*

**February 21, 2010**

**First Sunday in Lent**

SERVICE FOR THE LORD'S DAY  
FIRST SUNDAY IN LENT  
FEBRUARY 21, 2010

**GATHERING**

PRELUDE *Prelude on "Balm in Gilead"* Charles Callahan

\*PASSING THE PEACE

The peace of Christ be with you.  
***And also with you.***

LIFE AND WORK OF GOD'S PEOPLE

STRIKING OF THE BELL AND LIGHTING OF THE CANDLES  
ACOLYTES: Emily Jackson and Allison Trotter-Wright

INTROIT *Send your Word, O Lord* Shozo Koyama

\*CALL TO WORSHIP (responsive)

The Lord is Sovereign; let the people tremble.  
***The Lord is enthroned forever; let the earth shake.***  
Proclaim God's greatness and worship on God's holy mountain.  
***For the Lord our God is the Holy One among us.***

\*PRAYER OF ADORATION

\*HYMN *The God of Abraham Praise* PH 488

PRAYER OF CONFESSION (responsive) Psalm 51  
Rob Button

Create in me a clean heart, O God;  
***put a new and right spirit within me.***

Have mercy on me, O God,  
according to your steadfast love;  
according to your abundant mercy  
blot out my transgressions.  
Wash me thoroughly from my iniquity,  
and cleanse me from my sin.  
Create in me a clean heart, O God;  
***put a new and right spirit within me.***

For I know my transgressions,  
and my sin is ever before me.  
Against you, you alone, have I sinned,  
and done what is evil in your sight.

Create in me a clean heart, O God;  
***put a new and right spirit within me.***  
*(silent confession)*

\*KYRIE

***Lord, have mercy, upon us.***  
***Christ, have mercy, upon us.***  
***Lord, have mercy, upon us.***

\*ASSURANCE OF PARDON

Friends believe the good news of the gospel.  
***In Jesus Christ we are forgiven! Thanks be to God!***

**THE WORD**

OLD TESTAMENT LESSON Job 42:1-6

CHILDREN'S SERMON

ANTHEM *I Want Jesus to Walk With Me* arr. David Schelat  
I want Jesus to walk with me;  
All along my pilgrim journey, Lord,  
I want Jesus to walk with me.

In my trials, Lord, walk with me;  
When my heart is almost breaking, Lord,  
I want Jesus to walk with me.

When I'm in trouble, Lord, walk with me;  
When my head is bowed in sorrow, Lord,  
I want Jesus to walk with me.

GOSPEL LESSON Luke 4:1-13

SERMON *On Our Way* Becky Purcell

\*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH (unison)  
from A Brief Statement of Faith

***We trust in God the Holy Spirit,  
everywhere the giver and renewer of life.  
The Spirit justifies us by grace through faith,  
sets us free to accept ourselves  
and to love God and neighbor,  
and binds us together with all believers  
in the one body of Christ, the church.  
The same Spirit who inspired the prophets and apostles  
rules our faith and life in Christ through Scripture,  
engages us through the Word proclaimed,  
claims us in the waters of baptism,  
feeds us with the bread of life and the cup of salvation,  
and calls women and men to all ministries of the church.  
In a broken and fearful world the Spirit gives us courage  
to pray without ceasing,  
to witness among all peoples to Christ as Lord and Savior,  
to unmask idolatries in church and culture,  
to hear the voices of peoples long silenced,  
and to work with others for justice, freedom, and peace.  
In gratitude to God, empowered by the Spirit,  
we strive to serve Christ in our daily tasks  
and to live holy and joyful lives, even as we watch  
for God's new heaven and new earth, praying,  
"Come, Lord Jesus!"***

\*HYMN (11:00 AM) *Jesus, Tempted in the Desert* STF 2105

PASTORAL PRAYER AND LORD'S PRAYER (11:00 AM)

PRESENTATION OF TITHES AND OFFERINGS

OFFERTORY *Verset* S. Karg-Elert

\*DOXOLOGY PH 592

\*PRAYER OF DEDICATION (unison)

***God of compassion, you minister to us in our wilderness.  
When barren wastes surround us,  
you hear our prayers of petition.  
In times of want, you ease our plight with mercy.  
In times of plenty all that we have comes from your grace.  
In bringing our gifts to you, we return what is already yours.  
May these gifts be used to bring all your people  
into the Promised Land. Amen.***

SACRAMENT OF HOLY COMUNION (8:30 AM)

**SENDING**

\*HYMN *Spirit* PH 319

\*CHARGE AND BENEDICTION Ephesians 3:14-21

CHORAL BENEDICTION *Peace Be upon You* Daniel Wilshire

POSTLUDE *Fugue* L. N. Clérambault

\*Please stand as you are able.

*Please register your attendance on the Friendship pad.*

**WELCOME GUESTS,** we pray that our worship together will strengthen and nurture our faith. If you are seeking a church home, please feel free to learn more about First United Presbyterian Church by speaking to a minister, a staff member, or a member of Session.

**CHILDREN'S WORSHIP PACKETS** are available in the Narthex. These include activity sheets, crayons and bookmarks.

**PROFESSIONAL NURSERY CARE** is provided in lower level Calvin.

**MEMBERSHIP IN FIRST UNITED PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH—All are invited** to unite with the church by profession of faith, reaffirmation of faith, or transfer of church letter. If you have questions, please do not hesitate to contact one of the pastors or the church office (442-4411).