

NEWS & EVENTS



First Time Guest?

We're glad you are here! As a token of our appreciation, we'd like to make a donation of \$5 in your honor to one of our community partners. Scan the QR code to the left to select the organization you would like to donate to. Thank you for joining us today.



LIVING LEGENDS
Luncheons

Every life tells the story of God. Come hear the life stories of your friends and the "living legends" of our church.

MAY 19, 2026
NOON IN FELLOWSHIP HALL
BOXED LUNCHES AVAILABLE \$15
CALL 501-372-2256 TO RESERVE LUNCH

Featuring:
CAROLE LYNN SHERMAN

Backpacks for Kids Needs Help!

Our Backpacks for Kids program needs some financial assistance to end the school year. Help us close out the 2025-2026 school year with one more round of weekend food bags for Carver-Washington students. Each bag contains 7 items to help students cover food needs over the weekend. Send your donation to the Church and mark it "Backpacks for Kids".

We need canopy tents for the Block Party!

Our annual block party is Sunday, May 31st, and we need canopy tents. Please make sure your name is on them, and drop them off no later than Sunday, May 24th! You may leave them with one of the security guards, leave them in the narthex, or bring them to the church office. Thanks in advance!

Food Ministry Impact in Numbers

Our Friends and Neighbors Network and Backpacks for Kids ministries utilize the Arkansas Food Bank to share food with our neighbors in need. They shared some fun data with us this week that we wanted to pass along. From 1/1/26-4/27/26, FUMCLR has distributed 3,075 pounds of food, equivalent to 2,563 meals. Wow! You can join this work by sponsoring weekend food bags or FANN baskets for our neighbors. Just mark your donation with your ministry choice!

JOURNEY CARD

CHECK IF FIRST-TIME GUEST

FULL NAME – Please Print

CHILDREN & YOUTH PRESENT TODAY

Names & Ages _____

ADDRESS _____

CITY _____

STATE _____ ZIP _____

PHONE _____

EMAIL(s) _____

- My info has changed. Please update my records.
- Repeat Guest
- Member
- Friend
- Subscribe to E-Newsletter
- I am interested in joining FUMC.
- I would like more information about FUMC.
- I would like a call from the pastor



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First Word, May 3, 2026- 9:00 am

PRAYER REQUEST

Person or situation for which you are requesting prayer.

- Share this information with the congregation.
- For Pastors Only
- For Pastors & Prayer Team Only

OTHER REQUESTS

2026 FUMCLR Goals

Please use the space below to list ALL your service hours (even those served outside FUMCLR). Together, our goal is to serve 10,000 hours total.

Name:

Service Project:

Hours Served:

Guests Brought to FUMCLR:

Living Legends Luncheon

May 19, 2026 - Noon

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- I will attend.
- Order me a \$15 boxed lunch.

Name

Lunch Reservations for our Pentecost Block Party Sunday, May 31

In order to secure our Food Trucks, we need a head count! If you plan on ordering lunch from one of the Food Trucks, please register below!

Name & Number in Party: _____

- Hot Dogs # _____
- Casa Mañana # _____
- Grampa's Catfish # _____



MigraWatch Food Pantry: Loving Our Immigrant Neighbors

Our faith and advocacy team invites you to join the efforts to help keep the small food pantry at Intransitive, operated by MigraWatch, stocked with goods for our immigrant neighbors in need. We are looking for a once-a-month donation and drop-off by FUMCLR members to the pantry. You can sign up for a month in 2026 by emailing Rev. Haley at hjones@fumclr.org, and she will send a list of staples and the address.

Communion Fund Impact

Have you heard about our Communion Fund? It is our main source of funding for our work with our low-income or unhoused neighbors. Just this week, we used the fund to pay for 3 clothing vouchers, 2 state IDs, and 3 birth certificates. It is also used to support our dinners at Canvas Community and Our House when we don't have a sponsor. The fund has provided access to medications through our partnership with City Pharmacy, 100 one-ride bus passes to Canvas monthly, and 160+ snack bags weekly in our Community Cafe. We are currently working with an immigrant neighbor to get copies of his naturalization paperwork, "because I am too scared to walk around without them." The Communion Fund is always working on behalf of our friends and neighbors who have been pushed to the margins. You can give directly to the fund by sending in a donation or leaving money on the altar on Communion Sundays.