

Fourth Sunday after Pentecost

Father's Day

Pulaski Heights United Methodist Church
Classic Worship, 9:00 & 11:00 a.m.
June 16, 2024

*The asterisk indicates to stand, as you are able.
Large print hymnals and magnifying readers are available in the narthex.*

CALL TO WORSHIP BELL TOLL

WELCOME

Rev. Jay Clark

OPENING VOLUNTARY

Elegy
Sungyun Kim, Organ

Christopher Tambling

* CALL TO WORSHIP (Psalm 113:1-3, NRSVUE)

Pastor: Praise the Lord! Praise, O servants of the Lord;
People: praise the name of the Lord.
Pastor: Blessed be the name of the Lord
from this time on and forevermore.
People: From the rising of the sun to its setting,
All: the name of the Lord is to be praised.

* OPENING HYMN 181

Ye Servants of God

HANOVER

* AFFIRMATION OF FAITH (The Apostles' Creed)

Dr. Frode Gundersen

I believe in God, the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth;
and in Jesus Christ his only son, our Lord;
who was conceived by the Holy Spirit,
born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate,
was crucified, dead, and buried' the third day he rose from the dead;
he ascended into heaven, and sitteth at the right hand of God the Father Almighty;
from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead.
I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints,
the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

* GLORIA PATRI 70

MEINEKE

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.

ANTHEM

O When I Sing the Songs of God
Chancel Choir

John Carter

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

Rev. Abbey Maynard

The Lord be with you.
And also with you.

CONGREGATIONAL PRAYER

Loving God, you who are our father and our mother, we thank you that you have shown us how important it is to follow your example as we grow in faith. Teach us to be obedient to your will, respecting you as children ought. Thank you for your mercy despite our disobedience. Strengthen us to stand up against the challenges of this world, honoring your name and trusting your grace. In the name of your Son, we pray together:

THE LORD'S PRAYER

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 our daily bread; and forgive us our trespasses
as we forgive those who trespass against us.
And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil,
for Thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

CHORAL AMEN

GIVING OF OUR TITHES & OFFERING

Rev. Maynard

OFFERTORY

There Is a Balm in Gilead
Dr. Frode Gundersen, piano

arr. J. Bert Carlson

* DOXOLOGY 95

OLD 100th

Praise God from whom all blessings flow.
Praise God, all creatures here below.
Praise God above, ye heavenly host.
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

* HYMN 707

Hymn of Promise

PROMISE

* SCRIPTURE LESSON

Mark 4:26-34

This is the Word of God for the people of God.
Thanks be to God.

* GREETING

SERMON

A Very Seedy Gospel

Rev. Clark

* CLOSING HYMN 694

Come, Ye Thankful People, Come
(Stanzas 1, 2, & 4)

ST. GEORGE'S WINDSOR

* WELCOME TO NEW MEMBERS

We rejoice to recognize you as a member of Christ's holy church, and we welcome you to Pulaski Heights United Methodist Church. With you we renew our vows to uphold it with our prayers, our presence, our gifts, our service, and our witness.

* BENEDICTION

* CLOSING VOLUNTARY

Rejoice, Ye Pure in Heart
Sungyun Kim, Organ

arr. Albert Travis

Communion is available immediately following this service in the Chapel.

WORSHIP LEADERS
 Rev. Jay Clark, *Executive Pastor*
 Rev. Abbey Maynard, *Pastor of Community Ministries*
 Dr. Frode Gundersen, *Director of Music, Worship, & Arts*
 Sungyun Kim, *Associate Music Director & Organist*

USHERS
 (9:00) Nancy Archer (Lead), Lee Archer, Dickie Lunsford, Susan Wood
 (11:00) John Jones (Lead), Ryan Eppinette, Daniel Hines, Boo Jennings

ACOLYTES
 (9:00) Charlotte Stotts

ALTAR GUILD
 Nancy Banks

SOUND
 Bob Worthington

SANCTUARY FLOWERS
 The Sanctuary flowers are given in loving memory of Brent and Brian Coker by Daryl Coker.

COLUMBARIUM FLOWERS
 The Columbarium Garden flowers are given to the glory of God and in loving memory of Cal McCastlain, Jr., by Heather and Cal McCastlain.

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Summer Book Club with Pastor Kathleen

Light discussions on some great books!
 6PM in the Parlor (C235)!

- Jun 11 *A Hole In the World*
- July 2 *I Think You're Wrong But I'm Listening*
- July 23 *My Body Is Not an Apology*
- Aug 14 *Everything Happens for a Reason (and Other Lies I've Loved)*

VACATION BIBLE CAMP



JUNE 24-27

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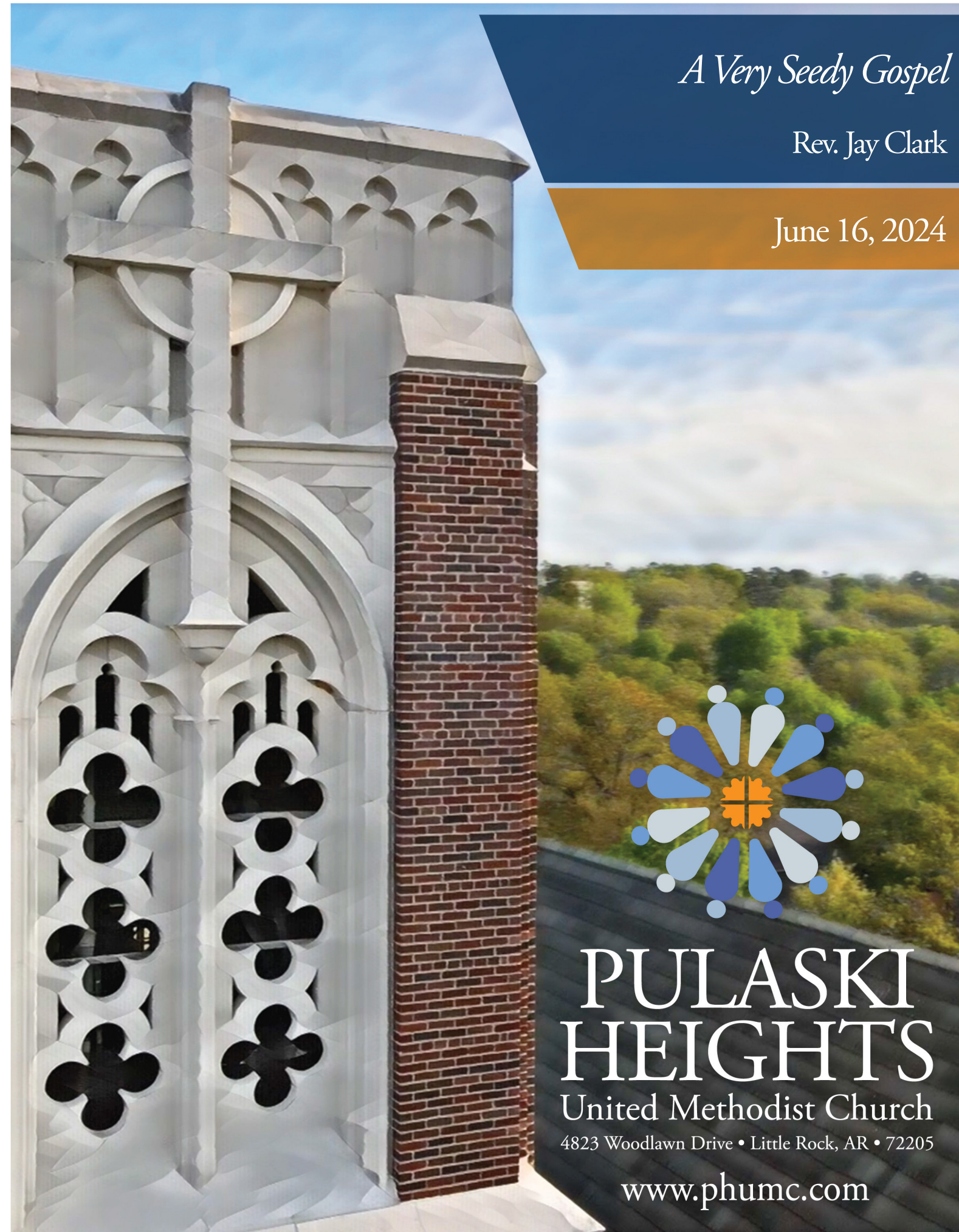
EVENTS IN JUNE

- 6/01 SOMA PRIDE SETUP | 6 AM-10 AM**
Come help set up the inaugural Pride event in SoMa. Email Brooke at bhobbs@phumc.com to register.
- 6/06 ARKANSAS TRAVELERS GAME | 6:30 PM**
Buy your own ticket and we'll meet at Dickey Stephens Park in North Little Rock! \$3 ticket night!
- 6/15 BRUNCH - LR FARMER'S MARKET | 10 AM**
Meet at Big Bad Breakfast downtown at 10 AM. After brunch, we will head to the Little Rock Farmer's Market at the river market.
- 6/25 PICKLEBALL PARTY | 5:30 PM**
Come to the Argue Great Hall (gym) at the church! We'll play pickleball and have a snack supper.



EVENTS IN JULY

- 7/10 LR RANGERS GAME | 7 PM**
Join us for Little Rock's own professional soccer club's match against Mississippi Brilla. Food trucks and concessions available for purchase. Match begins at 7PM.
- 7/18 TRIVIA @ EL SUR | 6:30 PM**
Help lead our Young Adult Ministry to victory at Trivia at El Sur Street Food Co. in SoMa. Trivia begins at 7 PM. Please arrive by 6:30 to help secure a table.
- 7/23 BOARD GAME CAFE | 6 PM**
Join us for a night at Caverns & Forests in Argentina (downtown North Little Rock). Admission is free on Tuesdays. Food/Beverages available for purchase.



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