

ICAN DO ALL THINGS
THROUGH CHRIST
WHO GIVES ME STRENGTH

Philippians 4:13

COMING SOON!

- April 20 - Easter Sunday (invitations will be available soon!)
- May 2 - Lions for Christ Banquet
- May 4 - Senior Sunday
- May 11 - Mother's Day
- May 18 - Small group term ends
- May 25 - Memorial Day
- June 15 - Father's Day
- June 22-25 - Vacation Bible School
- June 26-27 - Special Needs Vacation Bible School

Therefore encourage one another and build one another up, just as you are doing.
1 Thess. 5:11

**April 6, 2025
WELCOME!**



We're so glad you're with us!
MEMBERS AND GUESTS:
Please let us know you're here by going to WestArk.org/hello, scanning the code, or completing a card on the back of the pew and leaving it in a basket at the coffee counter.

ALSO AVAILABLE:

- Communion (at entrances to auditorium)
- Contribution baskets (at coffee counter)
- Worship hearing assist device (room in the back of the auditorium)
- Nursery/Nursing Room
- Fun Pew Pouches (check-out for young children at the entrances to the auditorium)

**ORDER OF WORSHIP
Leader - Brent Evans**

I Woke up This Morning

WELCOME & PRAYER

Praise

God So Loved

What He's Done

COMMUNION & PRAYER

PRAYER FOR COLLECTION & COINS FOR CHRIST

Goodness of God

SERMON

Each Step I Take

Leaning on the Everlasting Arms

SHEPHERD'S PRAYER

NURSERY ROTATION - Week 1

Have you missed worship or want to hear a sermon again? All recordings of worship and sermons can be viewed at westark.org/stream.

SUNDAY BIBLE STUDIES 9:30AM / **SUNDAY WORSHIP 10:30AM** / **WED BIBLE STUDIES 6:30PM**

MINISTRY STAFF

- Preaching - Chris Benjamin chris@westark.org
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- Youth & Family - Joseph Harrell joseph@westark.org
- Campus - Cade Richards cade@westark.org

GIVING

Mar 30 Contribution - \$ 14,652.26

2025 Average - \$ 17,814

WAYS TO GIVE:

- Click [here](#) for online giving.
- Text "Westark" to (833) 371-5159
- Mail check to:
900 North Waldron Road
Fort Smith, AR 72903

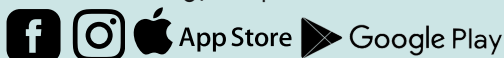
WHERE'S WESTARK

- WIFI password: Godissogood!
- westark.org
- office@westark.org
- 479.452.1240
- Studies/groups: westark.org/connections
- Way to serve: westark.org/serve
- Elder Emails: westark.org/shepherds

Happy Birthday!

APRIL

- 6 Robin Owen
- 7 Malik Collier
- 10 Rachel Snider
- 11 Duane Walker
- Jeff Pressley



CAMPUS

KIDS

HEALING

HOPE

This WEEK at WESTARK - Apr 6 through Apr 12

- **Sunday:** Bible classes (9:30AM); Worship (10:30AM); VBS Meeting - (WAY); Men's Leadership Workshop
- **Monday:** Quilting Group (9AM); Celebrate Recovery (6PM)
- **Tuesday:** Men's Class (9AM); Ladies' WinGS class (9:30AM)
- **Wednesday:** Bible Classes - 6:30 PM
- **Thursday:** Pickleball (1:30PM-Gym)

Contact dena@westark.org for more info and see calendar at westark.org/calendar

VBS 2025 will be June 22 through 25! Planning has already started, and we need YOU! Join us Sunday, April 6, after worship in The WAY (youth group) room upstairs for lunch and a planning session. See you there!

JOIN OUR Team

He is Risen!
WALK + 5K RUN FOR Life

See Jennifer Dotson in the foyer for more info!

1stChoice Pregnancy Medical Center
APRIL 19, 2025
BEN GEREN REGIONAL PARK
Registration 8:30 a.m. • Walk/Run 9:00 a.m.



FROM A FRIEND

AN ANONYMOUS ENCOURAGEMENT MINISTRY
Encourage someone today!

"From a Friend" is an anonymous ministry that makes sharing encouragement easy.

Notes are in the pews and can be dropped off in the marked boxes at the coffee counter or youth room. Digital messages can be sent using the code. May God guide us in uplifting one another - all to His glory!



Are you willing and able to help with any of the tasks below?

- Basic house repairs
- Budgeting/tax help
- Cooking/baking
- House cleaning
- Moving
- Visiting/sitting with sick/shut-ins
- Yardwork

The WestArk Care Team is looking for individuals who can respond when needs arise. Please let us know you are willing and able by completing the Serve Form at westark.org/serve form (or use the code) or contact dena@westark.org. Thank you!



Prayer List

- Carl Neumeier had an appendectomy last week and he is now home. Please pray for a complete recovery.
- Praise! Robin Owen's most recent blood test and scan indicated no cancer. Let's praise our Father and pray that no cancer will recur.
- Shelly Robbins' mom, Betty, fell and fractured a vertebra in her back. She had surgery on April 1st. Please pray for a successful surgery with no complications.
- Annette Rotta asks for continued prayer for her mom, Iris, as she continues to battle stage four cancer.
- Terran Stilwell asks for continued prayers for Tavoun Richardson who was in a serious accident. He is improving but will need rehab following his hospital stay.
- Louise Howard asks for prayers for Judy Loris who is recovering from hip surgery and for Elizabeth Davis who will be receiving a lung transplant soon in Houston.
- Ted Knight asks for prayers for his brother-in-law, Bob Cutsinger. He is in the hospital in Tulsa with serious heart issues. Please pray for answers and for healing.
- A 7.7 earthquake hit Myanmar last week. It was felt in Thailand and there was significant damage in Bangkok. The Tignor family felt it, but there was no damage to the city they live in. Please pray for all those affected by the earthquake and for aid to be able to get to them quickly.
- Our love and sympathy to Ronnie Galloway and family in the loss of his wife, Vicki, on April 1. Visitation will be Sunday, April 6, at Edwards Funeral Home at 5pm and the Rosary will follow at 6pm. There will also be a Rosary on Monday, April 7, at 9:30am at Immaculate Conception Church. Your prayers are appreciated for Ronnie and all the family.

Continued Prayers

- David Beneux
- Ann Cook
- Bob Faries
- Rusty Howard
- Carlene Payne
- Jack Richardson
- Carolyn Smith
- Ellen Smith
- Merle & Mary Thomas

WORSHIP

SERVE

GROW

GIVE