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Contact Kathryn Harrington  
if you would like to help.  
575-760-7438



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FIRST METHODIST CHURCH OF CLOVIS

SUMMER  
PROGRAM

JUNE 2<sup>nd</sup> - JULY 31<sup>st</sup>

7:30AM-5:30PM

MONDAY-FRIDAY

KINDERGARTEN-6TH GRADE

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THE STORY

READ THE STORY. EXPERIENCE THE BIBLE.



First Methodist Church Clovis | May 18, 2025

**VOLUNTARY** **Allegro** Ferrell Roberts, organ  
*Tr. Charles Callahan*

**\*CALL TO WORSHIP** Vernah Williams

**Leader: Worthy of praise from every mouth,**  
People: worthy of confession from every tongue,  
**Leader: worthy of worship from every creature,**  
People: is your glorious name, O Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.  
**Leader: For you created the world in your grace,**  
People: and by your compassion you saved the world.  
**Leader: To your majesty, O God, ten thousand times ten thousand  
bow down and adore,**  
People: singing and praising without ceasing, and saying:  
**Leader: Holy, holy, holy, Lord God of hosts;**  
People: heaven and earth are full of your praises.  
**Leader: Hosanna in the highest.**

**\*HYMN**                      **Holy, Holy, Holy**                      UMH #64

**\*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH** Vernah Williams

**I believe in God, the Father Almighty,  
creator of heaven and earth.**

**I believe 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, died, and was buried;  
he descended to the dead.**

**On the third day he rose again; he ascended into heaven,  
is seated at the right hand of the Father,  
and will come again to judge the living 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** UMH #70

## CHILDREN'S TIME Shanna Walker

**MORNING PRAYER & THE LORD'S PRAYER** Rev. Jeb Archey

**\*HYMN** **Be Thou My Vision** UMH #451

**\*SCRIPTURE**                      **2 Kings 17:7-23**                      Rev. Jeb Archey  
The Word of God, for the people of God.  
**Thanks be to God.**

**ANTHEM**                      **The Triumphs of His Grace**                      Chancel Choir  
(O for a Thousand Tongues to Sing)  
Gustav Holst/arr. Stan Pethel

**SERMON**                      **The Story-Chapter 16**                      Rev. Jeb Archey  
***The Beginning of the End***

## TITHES AND OFFERINGS

**OFFERTORY** **Thine Be the Glory** Ferrell Roberts, organ  
Charles Callahan

**\*DOXOLOGY** Sing we to our God above, Alleluia!  
Praise eternal as God's love, Alleluia!  
Praise him all ye heavenly host, Alleluia!  
Father, Son and Holy Ghost, Alleluia!

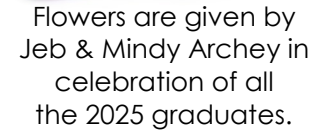
**\*HYMN      Lift Up Your Heads, Ye Mighty Gates      UMH #213**

**\*BENEDICTION** Rev. Jeb Archey

**POSTLUDE** **Grand Choeur** Ferrell Roberts, organ  
Cesar Franck

\*you are invited to stand as able

**Interested in becoming a member?  
Contact Pastor Jeb at [jarchey@firstclovis.com](mailto:jarchey@firstclovis.com)  
or call the church office for more info.**



**Liturgist:** Vernah Williams  
**Pianist:** Alison Brown  
**Children's Time:** Shanna Walker  
**Ushers/Greeters:** Team 3  
**Acolytes:** Jace Walker,  
 Xavier VanNostran  
**Sound/Media:** MaryNell Urban,  
 Greg Jennings, Calvin DeWitt,  
 Rigby Hunt

**10:45—11:30AM**  
**AGES 4 TO ADULT**

The nursery is open Sunday mornings for children birth to preschool. Our nursery is located in the north/education wing.

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