

THE WORSHIP OF GOD
NOVEMBER 4, 2018
ALL SAINTS' AND COMMUNION SUNDAY
11:00 A.M.

*Please stand if you are able.

All Saints' Day is a time to rejoice in all who through the ages have faithfully served the Lord. The day reminds us that we are part of one continuing, living communion of saints. It is a time to claim our kinship with the "glorious company of apostles ... the noble fellowship of prophets ... the white-robed army of martyrs" (Te Deum). It is a time to express our gratitude for all who in ages of darkness kept the faith, for those who have taken the gospel to the ends of the earth, for prophetic voices who have called the church to be faithful in life and service, for all who have witnessed to God's justice and peace in every nation.

To rejoice with all the faithful of every generation expands our awareness of a great company of witnesses above and around us like a cloud (Hebrews 12:1). It lifts us out of a preoccupation with our own immediate situation and the discouragements of the present. In the knowledge that others have persevered, we are encouraged to endure against all odds (Hebrews 12:1-2). Reminded that God was with the faithful of the past, we are reassured that God is with us today, moving us and all creation toward God's end in time. In this context, it is appropriate for a congregation on All Saints' Day to commemorate the lives of those who died during the previous year.

Franklin Baptist marks All Saints' Sunday with the reading of church members' names who have died in the past year. A family member or friend brings a rose forward that is arranged in a vase.

The final rose is symbolic of those who have died that were not members of Franklin Baptist Church.

GREETING Charles Qualls

VOLUNTARY *Nun Bitten Wir* BUXTEHUDE
Floyd Clingenpeel, Organist

*CONGREGATIONAL CALL TO WORSHIP *Great is Thy Faithfulness* FAITHFULNESS

Great is Thy faithfulness, O God my Father,
there is no shadow of turning with Thee; Thou changest not,
thy compassions, they fail not; as Thou hast been, Thou forever wilt be.
Great is Thy faithfulness! Great is Thy faithfulness!
Morning by morning new mercies I see;
all I have needed, Thy hand hath provided;
great is Thy faithfulness, Lord, unto me!

INVOCATION AND LORD'S PRAYER Nancy Phillips

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 this day our daily bread, and forgive us our debts as
we forgive our debtors. And lead us not into temptation,
but deliver us from evil,
for thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

*HYMN OF PRAISE 567 *For All The Saints* SINE NOMINE

OFFERTORY *How Great Thou Art* VOGT
Floyd Clingenpeel, Pianist

*Offertory Response *The Doxology* LASST UNS ERFREUEN

Let all things their Creator bless, and worship Him in humbleness,
O praise Him, alleluia!
Praise, praise the Father, praise the Son, and praise the Spirit, Three in One,
O praise Him, O praise Him, Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!

*Prayer of Dedication Charles Qualls

SCRIPTURE READING John 11:28-37 Charles Qualls
Pew Bible New Testament Page 105
This is the Word of the Lord.
Thanks be to God.

LITANY OF REMEMBRANCE (SEE INSERT)

MEDITATION *Sermon Series: God's Inverted Kingdom*
Jesus Wept...and so will we Charles Qualls

CELEBRATION OF COMMUNION
INVITATION, BLESSING OF THE ELEMENTS, DISTRIBUTION

*HYMN OF RESPONSE 533 *What Gift Can We Bring* ANNIVERSARY SONG

*BENEDICTION Charles Qualls

*CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE Great is Thy Faithfulness FAITHFULNESS

Great is Thy faithfulness! Great is Thy faithfulness!
Morning by morning new mercies I see;
all I have needed, Thy hand hath provided;
great is Thy faithfulness, Lord, unto me!

VOLUNTARY *How Majestic Is Your Name* SMITH/ARR HAYES
Floyd Clingenpeel, Pianist

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EVERY MEMBER A MINISTER
Charles. L. Qualls, *Sr. Pastor*
Steven R. Gibson, *Associate Pastor/Music*
Sharon James, *Associate Pastor/Education Emeritus*

This worship service is broadcast on radio WLQM - 1250 AM

PRAYER CONCERNS

Ed Daughtrey, Mac Edwards, Richard Edwards,
Irvin Porter, Bill Scarboro

We express Christian sympathy to the family of Helen Howell
who passed away on October 29, 2018.

Calendar of Events

Sunday, November 4

Daylight Savings Time Ends		
Casual Worship	8:45 am	Chapel
Friends, Food and Fun	9:30 am	Atrium
Bible Study	9:45 am	
Sunday School for Children/Youth	10:00 am	
Worship	11:00 am	Sanctuary
Fellowship Coffee	12:00 pm	Fellowship Hall
Discipleship Team Meeting	12:30 pm	Community Room
Card Making Workshop/Youth Group	2:00 pm	Fellowship Hall

Monday, November 5

JuBELLation Ringers	6:30 pm	Fellowship Hall
Deacon's Meeting	7:30 pm	Conference Room

Tuesday, November 6

AA Group	8:00 pm	Community Room
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Wednesday, November 7

Bible Study	11:00 am	Village-Activity Room
Children's Chimes	5:00 pm	Chimes Room
Dinner	5:30 pm	Fellowship Hall
Children's Choir	6:00 pm	Choir Room
Fall Business Meeting	6:00 pm	Fellowship Hall
Children's Missions	6:30 pm	Kindergarten Room
Christmas Choir	7:00 pm	Choir Room
Chancel Choir	7:40 pm	Choir Room
NA Groups	7:30 pm	Community Room

Thursday, November 8

Senior Citizens	10:00 am	Fellowship Hall
"Lighting God's Path" - Missions	6:00 pm	Fellowship Hall

Saturday, November 10

Youth - Chemo Kit Workshop	10:00 am	Fellowship Hall
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LITANY OF REMEMBRANCE

Charles Qualls

We remember the great ancestors of our faith,
from Abraham and Sarah, to Paul and Phoebe:
Ancestors of the faith, we remember you.

We remember the prophets and priests,
the ministers and teachers who have taught us the way of God:
Teachers of the faith, we remember you.

We remember our grandparents and parents, aunts and uncles,
those who have gone before us in our lifetime:
Family of our faith, we remember you.

We lift up the memories of children and grandchildren,
brothers and sisters, husbands and wives and parents
whose lives ended too soon:
Those close in our heart, we remember you.

We lift up to You, O God,
the names of those we have lost in this past year from our lives,
knowing that they are with Your heart forever.
As we read these names, we will pause after every name
to remember, pray, and give thanks for their life.
We celebrate the lives of those we have named, O God,
and lift up many more names in our hearts.

**Family of God, we remember you, and we honor you.
We know you are with us in the spirit of worship,
and you will not be forgotten.**

We give thanks, O God,
for all who have gone on to join with You beyond this life.
We trust in the hope of resurrection and the promise of new life in Christ,
and know that in our grief and celebration, O God,
You are with us through it all, and we are not left alone.
In the name of Christ, in whom love lives forever, we pray.
Amen.

*Clayton Louis "Trey" Best, III, Aurelius W. Brantley, William M. Camp, Jr.,
Edna Culpepper, Roy De Brand, Shirley Drake, Helen Rose Howell, Al Johnson,
Chip Kingery, Alyce Page Kitchen, John H. Lee, III, Peggy Pearce,
Sol Waite Rawls, Jr., Nancy Shackelford, John E. Whitley, Charles Wrenn*

Franklin Baptist Church – November 4, 2018

Welcome Guests

We are always grateful to welcome guests who worship with us! Please complete the brief information card found in the pew rack, directly in front of you and place it in the offering plate as it passes.

Worship

Franklin Baptist Church offers two services. Our casual service is at 8:45 AM in the Chapel; and our traditional service is at 11:00 AM in the Sanctuary.

Missions

- Opportunity for volunteers to help Franklin High School at football/volleyball games as ticket takers and at concession stands. Contact Lola Gay at 757-377-7166 for more information.
- Flood Bucket Info: In response to the BGAV hurricane disaster relief, we will provide clean-up kits (flood buckets) instead of the hygiene kits we recently completed. We will be accepting monetary donations and purchasing the items rather than accepting donated items because of strict specifications for the materials to be included in the buckets, as well as being heavy and bulky. Thanks for your continued support to meet this critical need. If you would like to be one of the "shoppers", let Bobby Eubanks or Tom Ellington know.

Upcoming Youth Activities

- ◆ November 10th - The youth will be making chemotherapy kits from 10:00 AM to 12:00 PM in the Fellowship Hall. Lunch (pizza) will follow.
- ◆ November 16th: The youth will decorate the Angel Christmas tree in the Fellowship Hall from 4:30 PM - 6:30 PM.



There will be a Fall Business Meeting on **Wednesday, November 7, 2018** at 6:00 PM in the Fellowship Hall.



There will be a blood drive on **Tuesday, November 13, 2018** from 11:30 AM to 5:30 PM in the Fellowship Hall.

CHAMBER OF COMMERCE
BUSINESS EXPO

The Chamber Community Business Expo will be on **Thursday, November 15th** from 4:00 PM – 7:00 PM at the PDCCC Workforce Development Center.



Join the Franklin Baptist Family for our Thanksgiving Dinner on **Sunday, November 18th** at 6:00 PM in the Fellowship Hall. Please remember to sign up for the dinner before November 15th. The dinner is a covered dish with the church providing beverages, paper products and serving utensils. Please bring a nonperishable food item(s) for the Cooperative Ministry (canned soup, Jiffy muffin mix, canned baked beans, pasta (1 lb. size), spaghetti sauce (15-16 oz max.); also winter clothing - all sizes (male & female).

Come, ye thankful people, come!



Because of the resounding success of the Angel Tree, the Missions Committee eagerly adopted it again this year and increased the number of children to 85! The Angel tree will make its appearance at the **Thanksgiving Dinner on November 18th**. Hanging on the tree will be tags with the name of the child, favorite color, sizes of clothing and more. Each tag has a perforated, detachable stub that you tear off. (If desired, the tag and your receipts can be used for a tax deduction as allowed by law.) In addition, each person is asked to sign the Master List which will assist us in keeping track of the Angel Tree Gifts. **Please return your wrapped gifts to the church office no later than December 3rd**. Remember to affix the tag containing the child's name to your package.

(Isaiah 9:6...For a child has been born unto us...)



The church office will be closed the following days:

Wednesday, November 21st – closing at 12:00 noon
Closed November 22nd and November 23rd