

THE WORSHIP OF GOD

FEBRUARY 23, 2020

11:00 A.M.

*Please stand if you are able.

GREETING Charles Qualls

VOLUNTARY *Come, Thou Fount* GORDON YOUNG
Steve Gibson, Organist

RESPONSIVE CALL TO WORSHIP Nancy Bridges

Sing to the Lord a new song;
sing to the Lord, all the earth.
On a high mountain, Jesus was transfigured,
and God said: This is my Beloved Son.
Let us worship God!

INVOCATION AND LORD'S PRAYER Nancy Bridges

**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 339 *All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name* CORONATION

PSALM 99 Praise to God for His Holiness Nancy Bridges

The Lord is King; let the peoples tremble!
He sits enthroned upon the cherubim; let the earth quake!
The Lord is great in Zion;
He is exalted over all the peoples.
Let them praise your great and awesome name.
Holy is He!

Mighty King, lover of justice, you have established equity;
you have executed justice and righteousness in Jacob.

Extol the Lord our God; worship at his footstool.
Holy is He!

Moses and Aaron were among his priests,
Samuel also was among those who called on His name.
They cried to the Lord, and He answered them.
**He spoke to them in the pillar of cloud; they kept His decrees,
and the statutes that He gave them.**

O Lord our God, You answered them; You were a forgiving God
to them, but an avenger of their wrongdoings.

**Extol the Lord our God, and worship at His holy
mountain; for the Lord our God is holy.**

MUSICAL RESPONSE *Canticle of Hope* CYNTHIA DOBRINSKI
(SEATED) JuBELLation Ringers

PASTORAL PRAYER Charles Qualls

*HYMN 618 *Love Lifted Me* SAFETY

OFFERTORY *Change My Heart, O God* MARK HAYES
Steve Gibson, Pianist

*Doxology OLD HUNDREDTH

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

*Prayer of Dedication Charles Qualls

ANTHEM *Be Thou My Vision* DAVID BARTON
Chancel Choir

SCRIPTURE READING Ephesians 3:14-19 Cody Billups
Pew Bible New Testament Page 193
This is the Word of the Lord
Thanks be to God.

SERMON	The Need for Prayer	Cody Billups
*HYMN 48	<i>Great is Thy Faithfulness</i>	FAITHFULNESS
*BENEDICTION		Charles Qualls
*CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE		CORONATION

**O that with yonder sacred throng we at His feet may fall!
We'll join the everlasting song, and crown Him Lord of all;
we'll join the everlasting song, and crown Him Lord of all.**

VOLUNTARY	<i>Postlude on Thaxted</i> Steve Gibson, Organist	GORDON YOUNG
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EVERY MEMBER A MINISTER

Charles. L. Qualls, *Senior Pastor*

Steven R. Gibson, *Associate Pastor/Music*

Sharon James, *Associate Pastor/Education Emeritus*

This worship service is broadcast on radio WLQM - 1250 AM and PRAISE 99.1 FM



February 26th –
April 1, 2020

Offering:
Cooperative
Ministry

Host Church: Hunterdale Christian Church
741 Hunderdale Road, Franklin, VA
Main Number: 757-562-3682

Schedule: 12:00 PM – 12:30 PM (Lunch)
12:30 PM – 1:00 PM (Worship)
1:00 PM – 1:30 PM (Lunch)

<u>DATE</u>	<u>WORSHIP/LUNCH LEADERSHIP</u>
2/26/20 (Ash Wed.)	Franklin Presbyterian
3/4/20	High Street United Methodist
3/11/20	Emmanuel Episcopal
3/18/20	Franklin Baptist Church
3/25/20	Hunterdale Christian (Worship) St. Jude (Lunch)
4/1/20	Fellowship Around The Word

HOLY WEEK SCHEDULE

Palm/Passion Sunday	Sunday, April 5 th 11:00 AM, Sanctuary	Chancel Choir and friends present “When Darkness Comes” with the chamber orchestra.
Seder Meal	Thursday, April 9 th 6:00 PM, Fellowship Hall	Fellowship, Dinner and Communion
Tenebrae Service	Friday, April 10 th 7:30 PM, Chapel	The Service of Shadows
Easter Sunday	Sunday, April 12 th	Our Lord Has Risen!

PRAYER CONCERNS

Judy Avent, Olivia Benn (Joe Benn’s mother), Ray Bradshaw,
Graham Copeland, Shirley Pope, Rendy Powers, Louise Story,
Josephine Sumner, Barbara Wade, Bobby Wade

Calendar of Events

Sunday, February 23

Friends, Food and Fun	9:30 am	Middle School Room
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

Monday, February 24

Frances Hudgins Circle	12:30 pm	The Village
JuBELLation Ringers	6:00 pm	Sanctuary

Tuesday, February 25

Shrove Tuesday	6:00 pm	Fellowship Hall
AA Group	8:00 pm	Community Room

Wednesday, February 26

Ash Wednesday Service	11:00 am	The Village
Lenten Community Lunch	12:00 pm	Hunterdale Christian
Lenten Community Service	12:30 pm	Hunterdale Christian
Lenten Community Lunch	1:00 pm	Hunterdale Christian
Children’s Chimes	5:00 pm	Chimes Room
Dinner	5:30 pm	Fellowship Hall
Children’s Choir	6:00 pm	Choir Room
Ash Wednesday Worship Service	6:15 pm	Fellowship Hall
Children’s Missions	6:30 pm	Kindergarten Room
Easter Choir	7:00 pm	Choir Room
Chancel Choir	7:40 pm	Choir Room
NA Group	7:30 pm	Community Room

Thursday, February 27

Senior Citizens	10:00 am	Fellowship Hall
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Daylight Saving Time

Daylight Saving Time begins on **March 8, 2020**. Don’t forget
to set your clocks ahead one hour!

Franklin Baptist Church – February 23, 2020

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.

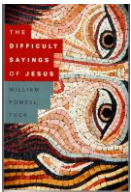
Constant Contact Emails

If you are not receiving the church’s monthly digital newsletter (constant contact), please check in your junk email folder. If you have any questions or need assistance, please call the church office at 757-562-5135.



Wednesday Evening Volunteers Needed

We are in need of volunteers to help serve dinner on Wednesday evenings and also volunteers to buy groceries on Wednesday mornings. Volunteers are usually there by 4:30 PM to help put out dessert, make coffee, etc. Please contact the church office if you are able to help.



Wednesday Morning Bible Study
11:00 AM to 12:00 PM at the Village

The Difficult Sayings of Jesus by William Powell Tuck
Cost of book: \$13.25

Calling all Singers!

Join the Easter Choir!

Rehearsals are Wednesdays from 7:00 PM to 7:40 PM.

The centerpiece for Palm Sunday is “When Darkness Comes”; “The Lord is My Shepherd” and “Draw Near in Peace”. Our children will lead the procession and our Chamber Orchestra will return.

Easter Sunday will include new music by John Dixon and Daniel Gawthrop.

Please contact the church office to add your name to the Easter Choir!



Shrove Tuesday Pancake Supper
February 25th at 6:00 PM in the fellowship hall

Shrove Tuesday is the traditional feast day before the start of Lent on Ash Wednesday. Please join us for pancakes, fun and games. To participate, you **MUST** make a reservation with the church office (562-5135) so we may prepare sufficient food. The pancake supper is free to all, but please sign up by **Sunday, February 23rd** so that we know how many to plan for.



Ash Wednesday Worship Service
February 26th at 6:15 PM in the fellowship hall

Come and enter the Lenten season with us. Let’s lift our hopeful spirits together as we move with Christ through the time of His passion. We’ll observe a brief time of song and symbol, culminating in the powerful imposition of ashes.

Images of the Christ
Wednesday Nights for Adults
6:15 PM in the fellowship hall, led by Dr. Charles Qualls
2 weeks (March 4, 11)



Easter is coming! Take this brief Lenten journey into how Jesus Christ has been portrayed. What roles did He play in his brief life and ministry? What are some basic doctrines we have adopted over the centuries...and what did He say about Himself?



Faith on Draft – Thursday, March 5, 2020
6:30 PM, Upstairs at Fred’s Restaurant

Why Is It So Hard for Christians to Talk About Politics?
We’ve all been there. You vote one way. She votes another. Adults should be able to differ, but on this subject things can get ugly quickly. What is it about political differences that makes conversation so difficult? Why do we sometimes set our faith aside and get nasty?

Come join us for a stimulating conversation. Bring a friend!