

THE WORSHIP OF GOD
SECOND SUNDAY OF PENTECOST
COMMUNION SUNDAY
JUNE 6, 2021
11:00 A.M.

*Please stand if you are able.

Prayer for preparation for worship:

All-powerful God, in Jesus Christ you turned death into life and defeat into victory. Increase our faith and trust in him, that we may triumph over all evil in the strength of the same Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen.

GREETING Charles Qualls

VOLUNTARY *St. Denio* MICHAEL BURKHARDT
Steve Gibson, Organist

RESPONSIVE CALL TO WORSHIP Bill Howell

O give thanks to the Lord with your whole heart.
On the day I called, you answered me.
God's steadfast love endures forever.
Thanks be to God!

INVOCATION AND LORD'S PRAYER Bill Howell

**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 58 *Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise* ST. DENIO

LITANY Psalm 138:1-2; 8a Bill Howell

I will give you thanks, O Lord, with my whole heart;
before the gods, I sing your praise;
I bow down toward your holy temple and give thanks to your name,
for your steadfast love and your faithfulness;
for you have exalted your name and your word above everything.
**The Lord will fulfill his purpose for me;
your steadfast love, O Lord, endures forever.**

VOLUNTARY *Draw Us to You* MICHAEL BURKHARDT
Steve Gibson, Organist

SCRIPTURE READING 2 Corinthians 4:13-5:1 Charles Qualls
Pew Bible New Testament, Page 181
This is the Word of the Lord
Thanks be to God.

VOLUNTARY *Great is Thy Faithfulness* FAITHFULNESS
Rick Poole, Soloist
Steve Gibson, Pianist

SERMON *Series: More Than Meets The Eye* Charles Qualls
My Suffering Is Not Who I Am

CELEBRATION OF COMMUNION
INVITATION, BLESSING OF THE ELEMENTS, DISTRIBUTION

*HYMN 272 *They'll Know We Are Christians* ST. BRENDAN'S

*BENEDICTION Charles Qualls

*CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE *Blest Be The Tie* DENNIS

**Blest be the tie that binds our hearts in Christian love;
the fellowship of kindred minds is like to that above. Amen.**

VOLUNTARY *Crown Him With Many Crowns* MICHAEL BURKHARDT
Steve Gibson, Organist



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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
Facebook Live @ 11:00 AM

Franklin Baptist Church – June 6, 2021

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.

Worship Service

In response to CDC and VA Adjustments in Covid policies, masks are optional for worship at 11:00 AM. We will have more doors and exits open for your convenience. We will continue to have pews marked for physical distancing should you choose.

Worship Music

June 6 - Rick Poole, Soloist, Great is Thy Faithfulness

Hymns: Immortal Invisible, God Only Wise; They'll Know We Are Christians

June 13 - George Corbett, Oboist

Hymns: Be Still My Soul; Blessed Assurance

June 20 - Jackie Arrington, Pianist

Hymns: Joyful, Joyful We Adore Thee; God Our Father, You Have Led Us

June 27 - Ron Cornwell, Organist

Hymns: As the Deer; We're Marching to Zion

Adult Bible Studies

Wednesday Morning Bible Study resumes again on Wednesday, September 15th at 11:00 AM. We are tentatively scheduled to return to the Village at Woods Edge. We will study Galatians and Thessalonians by N. T. Wright. If you would like to order a book, please call the office and place your name on the list.

Wednesday School Adult Bible Study will be taking a summer break during June and July and will return again on August 4th on Facebook Live.



Summer Sermon Series – More Than Meets The Eye *Sermons in 2 Corinthians and other sacred texts*

In nature, things are not always what they appear to be. A black cat may actually have spots or other markings, upon closer examination. The graphite in a pencil is of little value, but the only difference between graphite and a diamond is the process by which their carbon was altered.

God's work is radical. God's work has power, transformation and even salvation as its results. But sometimes we have to look a little deeper to discover the secrets of our faith.

Let's take a closer look. Starts this Sunday at 11!



In-Person VBS 2021 is here! The theme this year is Knights of the North Castle...Quest for the King's Armor - Invites children to be strong in the Lord and the strength of His power!

Mark your calendars for July 18th thru July 22nd from 6:00 PM to 7:15 PM. Age groups are Pre-K to those going into the 6th grade.

For our church families, please pre-register on the church website at franklinbaptist.org by June 6, 2021. We are opening it up to the public on June 7th.

We have a limited amount of openings this year due to COVID-19.

Because of COVID-19, we are adjusting and WILL NOT serve dinner this year. Masks are optional.

If you would like to volunteer, please call Dawna Walton at 620-3703.



Franklin Cooperative Ministry is in need of the following items:

- ◆ 16/18 oz. Peanut Butter
- ◆ Jiffy Muffin Mix

Main Office Hours

Mondays, Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Thursdays: 9:00 AM to 12:00 PM and 1:00 PM to 3:00 PM

Fridays: 9:00 AM to 12:00 PM

The Clothing Closet will now be able to accept donations of clothing and linens on Monday mornings. **They are in need of summer clothes for boys in larger sizes!** At this time, they are not in need of kitchen items. They are unable to accept decorative items and knick-knacks.

Please bring items to the Clothing Closet at 511 N. Main Street (by the Franklin Post Office) on Monday mornings from 8:00 AM to 11:30 AM. **They cannot accept Clothing Closet donations at their main office.** If you have any questions, please call them at 757-516-6322.

They will be **reopening their clothing closet to shoppers on June 25th by appointment** -- as always, this does not apply to emergencies -- to better accommodate for social distancing. Please call 516-6322 for a shopping time! A HUGE thank you to our donors who make it possible for us to offer free clothing.

Any food contributions should be taken directly to the Franklin Cooperative Ministry building on the corner of High Street and First Avenue, Monday through Friday, during their regular business hours.

PRAYER CONCERNS

Dollie Bridgers, Marleen Carroll (Trey Gilliam's mother), Joan Edwards, Opal Elks, Jonathan Hudgins, W. Bruce Jackson II (Greg and Cindy Jackson's nephew), Linda Johnson

Please remember to keep our community leaders in your prayers.

Calendar of Events

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| <u>Sunday, June 6</u> | | |
| Worship | 11:00 am | Sanctuary Facebook Live |
| <u>Monday, June 7</u> | | |
| Deacons Meeting | 7:00 pm | Fellowship Hall |
| <u>Tuesday, June 8</u> | | |
| AA Group | 8:00 pm | Community Room |
| <u>Wednesday, June 9</u> | | |
| NA Group | 7:30 pm | Community Room |
| <u>Thursday, June 10</u> | | |
| Vision Oversight Committee | 4:00 pm | Conference Room |
| Scholarship Committee Meeting | 4:30 pm | Fellowship Hall |



The office will close at Noon on Fridays during the summer months and will resume normal hours on Friday, September 10th.