

THE WORSHIP OF GOD
APRIL 9, 2023
RESURRECTION OF OUR LORD
EASTER SUNDAY
11:00 AM

*Please stand if you are able.

PRAYER OF THE DAY

God of mercy, we no longer look for Jesus among the dead, for he is alive and has become the Lord of life. Increase in our minds and hearts the risen life we share with Christ, and help us to grow as your people toward the fullness of eternal life with you, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

GREETING

Alleluia! Christ our Lord is risen!
Our Lord is risen indeed! Alleluia!

Charles Qualls

PRELUDE

The Day of Resurrection
Ron Cornwell, organ

ARR. PAUL FEY

RESPONSIVE CALL TO WORSHIP

Vince Holt

People of God, we are witnesses to these things:
That Christ died, hanging on a cross;
that God raised him from the dead on the third day;
that he is coming again in glory to reign.
This is the good news we tell to the world:
Jesus Christ is risen indeed! Alleluia!

INVOCATION AND LORD'S PRAYER

Vince Holt

**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 194	<i>Christ the Lord Is Risen Today</i>	EASTER HYMN
RESPONSIVE READING 193	Christ Is Risen Indeed	Vince Holt
*HYMN 207	<i>Low in the Grave He Lay</i>	CHRIST AROSE
RESPONSIVE READING 201	<i>Jesus, The Messiah</i>	Vince Holt
OFFERTORY	<i>Fairest Lord Jesus</i> Ron Cornwell, organ	ARR. J. RICHARDSON
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
ANTHEM	<i>Christ is Risen as He Said</i> Chancel Choir	JOHN CARTER
SCRIPTURE READING	Matthew 28:1-10 Pew Bible New Testament, Pages 33-34 This is the Word of the Lord Thanks be to God.	
SERMON	He Has Been Raised!	Charles Qualls
*HYMN 622	<i>He Lives</i>	ACKLEY
*BENEDICTION		Charles Qualls

**Soar we now where Christ has led, Alleluia!
Following our exalted Head, Alleluia!
Made like Him, like Him we rise, Alleluia!
Ours the cross, the grave, the skies, Alleluia!**

*POSTLUDE

Jesus Christ is Risen Today
Ron Cornwell, organ

ARR. PAUL FEY



THE LILIES/MISSIONS DONATIONS HAVE BEEN GIVEN IN LOVING MEMORY OF
OR IN HONOR OF THE FOLLOWING PEOPLE:

Given ByIn Memory Of/In Honor Of

Jackie Arrington (Lily)	In memory of Charles Arrington
Martha Barnes (Missions)	In memory of James E. Barnes
Walter and Carrie Bernacki (Lily and Missions)	In memory of Bernacki and Lashua (parents)
Karen Bond and Suzan Bond Quesenberry (Lily)	In memory of Lynda Howell Bond
Ray P. Bradshaw (Lilies and Missions)	In memory of Burton Bradshaw In memory of Ben Bradshaw
Nancy and Warren Bridges (Missions)	In memory of Bessie and Herman Bradshaw
Camp Family (Lilies)	In memory of Mr. & Mrs. James L. Camp, Sr. In memory of Mr. & Mrs. John M. Camp, Jr. In memory of Mr. & Mrs. William M. Camp, Sr. In memory of Mr. William M. Camp, Jr.
Sion and Sally Carr (Missions)	In memory of Mr. and Mrs. S.A. Carr
Britton and Jo Culpepper (Lily and Missions)	In memory of Britton and Edna Culpepper In memory of Earl and Fannie Lou Long In memory of Sidney Earl Long II In honor of Dr. Charles L. Qualls
Joyce Davis (Lily and Missions)	In memory of E.A. and Emma Davis In memory of Frank Davis
Beth and Franklin Drake, Rick Poole (Lily)	In memory of Dick C. and Marion D. Poole

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Mr. & Mrs. Roger Wilson Drake, Jr. (Missions)	In memory of Mr. and Mrs. William Tracy (Smiley) Atkinson, Jr. In memory of Mrs. Shirley Drake In memory of Roger W. Drake, III
Irma and David L. Drewry, Sr. (Lily and Missions)	In memory of Charlie Drewry In memory of Mary M. Babb
Mark, Kay and Harrison Drumheller (Missions)	In memory of Margaret Ann Joyner Cunningham In memory of Bill and Martha Drumheller In memory of Bob and Oma Joyner
Mr. and Mrs. J. Richard Duck (Lily) Beth and Tom Ellington (Missions)	In memory of Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie R. Duck In memory of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Francis Ellington In memory of Mr. and Mrs. William Tall Jones
Bobby and Crissie Eubanks (Lily) Faison Family (Lilies)	In memory of Sam and Marion Eubanks In memory of Tonya Kay Faison In memory of Loretta Drake Faison
Mary Ann Flythe (Missions) Mickey and Pat Futrell (Lily)	In memory of David E. Flythe In memory of our parents
Dawn W. Holland (Lily)	In memory of the lives lost to war in the Ukraine
Nancy and John Hopkins (Missions)	In memory of W. Wayne Pixley In honor of Louise D. Pixley
Hudgins Family (Lily)	In memory of Jonathan Hudgins In honor of Rev. and Mrs. Hudgins
Larry Johnson (Lily)	In memory of Meta Johnson Cutchin, Lawrence Johnson and William H. Cutchin
Sue and Mike Johnson (Lily)	In memory of Sidney Long (Jo Culpepper's brother)
Stell D. Pierce and family (Missions) Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Wm. Pottger, Jr. (Lily)	In memory of Horace L. Pierce In memory of Marcolina Mercedes Pottger
Dr. & Mrs. Charles Qualls (Lilies)	In memory of Don and Betty Boynton In memory of Winston Qualls In honor of our Franklin Baptist Church family In honor of Julie Qualls
Rawls Family (Lilies)	In memory of Ann Peace Rawls In memory of Mr. and Mrs. S.W. Rawls, Sr. In memory of Sol Waite Rawls, Jr.
Jeff Saunders (Lily)	In memory of Dot and Charlie Saunders

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Avis Shockley & Family (Missions)	In memory of Martin J. Shockley
Amy and Lance Simms (Missions)	In memory of John and Liz Underwood
Everett and Amelia Spivey (Lily)	In memory of Archer and Christine Spivey In memory of Dewey and Josephine Howell
Sharon H. Spivey (Missions)	In memory of Ronald D. Spivey
Ann Stephens (Missions)	In memory of Bob Stephens
Stone Family (Missions)	In memory of Jake M. Stone
Margaret S. Vick (Lilies)	In memory of Bobby M. Vick In memory of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph W. Stone
Sonny Vick (Lilies)	In memory of Susan Vick In memory of Edna and Alton Vick In memory of Pearl Wellons
Kaye and Donnie Wade (Missions)	In memory of Mr. and Mrs. E.R. Baker

PRAYER CONCERNS

Jon Brabban (Georgianna Johnson's brother), Dollie Bridgers, Tom Morgan,
Georgia Stainback, Jeff Trowbridge, Jeannie Whitley

The rosebud on the altar is in celebration of the birth of Esther Abigail Morgan,
daughter of Aaron and Christine Morgan, born on April 3, 2023.
Esther Abigail is the granddaughter of Peggy and Tom Morgan.

Please remember to keep our community leaders in your prayers.

Calendar of Events

Sunday, April 9

Sunday School	9:45 am	SS Classrooms
Worship (also Facebook Live/Radio)	11:00 am	Sanctuary

Monday, April 10

Church Office Closed

Tuesday, April 11

AA Group	7:00 pm	Community Room
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Wednesday, April 12

JuBELLation Ringers	4:30 pm	Sanctuary
NA Group	7:30 pm	Community Room

Thursday, April 13

High Street Seniors	10:00 am	Fellowship Hall
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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.

Church Offerings

Help our church remain vital by continuing to give. Gifts can be made online on our website at franklinbaptist.org/onlinegiving or mail your offering to the church. Thank you for your faithful and generous support!



Office Closure

Please note that the church office will be closed on Easter **Monday, April 10, 2023.**



Wednesday Activities

There will be **NO** morning bible study, evening bible study, dinners or Chancel Choir on April 12th for our Easter break. All Wednesday activities will resume again on **April 19th!**



JuBELLation Ringers Rehearsal Schedule

Wednesday, April 12th at 4:30 PM in the Sanctuary



Scholarship applications for members of Franklin Baptist Church can be mailed or emailed to you by calling or emailing Eliza Rainey, scholarship committee chair, at 757-562-2949, 757-377-7523 or epr321@charter.net.

The deadline for returning applications is Monday, May 30th.

If the application is emailed to you, please print it out, complete it and return with documents by mail to:

Eliza Rainey
321 Meadow Lane
Franklin, VA 23851

If you have questions, you may call or text Eliza.

Help Us Help You

We want to serve you pastorally. But we can only go where we know to go. Help us to help you. If you end up hospitalized or have a surgery scheduled, if you wish for the church office to know, please notify us personally. Often, we end up either not hearing what is happening with our members or hearing all too late. Call our office Monday-Friday, 8:00 AM to 4:00 PM at 757-562-5135.

Aid to Matthew Stout In Light of Fire

Many church members have inquired as to how they can assist Matthew Stout in light of his recent comprehensive house fire. Our church's recently established benevolence fund is an excellent conduit for assistance. The committee that oversees the fund is currently determining how to best assist Matthew. If you would like to make a contribution to the benevolence fund, please make checks payable to: **Franklin Baptist Church**, with a note of **Benevolence Fund** in the memo line. Your help is graciously appreciated.

Franklin Cooperative Ministry

Franklin Cooperative Ministry is in need of the following items: Single-serving dry cereals, single-serving fruit cups and pop-top potted meat.



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EVERY MEMBER A MINISTER

Charles. L. Qualls, *Senior Pastor*
Sharon James, *Associate Pastor/Education Emeritus*
Steven R. Gibson, *Associate Pastor/Music Emeritus*

This worship service is broadcast on radio WLQM – 1250 AM and PRAISE 99.1 FM
Facebook Live @ 11:00 AM