

THE WORSHIP OF GOD
MAY 14, 2017
MOTHER’S DAY
11:00 O’CLOCK

GREETING		Charles Qualls
VOLUNTARY	<i>Jesus Loves Me!</i> Steve Gibson, Pianist	Charles Callahan
RESPONSIVE CALL TO WORSHIP		Jim Davis
	The Lord is risen! Alleluia! Alleluia! The Lord is risen indeed! How can we know the way to God? Jesus is the way, the truth and the life. Let us worship God.	
INVOCATION AND LORD’S PRAYER		Jim Davis
	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 344	<i>Jesus Loves Me</i>	CHINA
CHILDREN’S SERMON		Karissa Schuermann
PASTORAL PRAYER		Steve Gibson
HYMN OF OFFERING 501	<i>Jesu, Jesu, Fill Us with Your Love</i>	CHEREPONI
OFFERTORY ANTHEM	<i>Simple Gifts</i> Children’s Chimes	TRADITIONAL

	*Offertory Response	<i>The Doxology</i>	LAST UNS ERFREUEN
	Praise God, from whom all blessings flow, praise Him, all creatures Here below, O praise Him! Alleluia! Praise Him above, ye heav’nly Host; Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. O praise Him, O praise Him! Alleluia! Alleluia!		
	*Prayer of Dedication		Karissa Schuermann
SCRIPTURE READING	Acts 8:26-36 Pew Bible New Testament Page 127 This is the Word of the Lord. Thanks be to God.		Jim Davis
ANTHEM	<i>All God’s Critters Got a Place in the Choir</i>		TRADITIONAL
	Children’s Choir Skylar Bunn, Elizabeth Russell, Austin Schuermann; Soloists Accompanied by: The Over the Hill Gang Dayton Crowder, Guitar; Kenny Gay, Mandolin; Fran Racette, Ukelele; Bill Scarboro, Banjo		
SERMON	“Of Churches, Chariots and Other Holy Places”		Charles Qualls
	*HYMN OF RESPONSE 478	<i>Seek Ye First</i>	LAFFERTY
	*BENEDICTION		Charles Qualls
	*CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE 501	<i>Jesu, Jesu, Fill Us with Your Love”</i>	CHEREPONI
	Jesu, Jesu, fill us with Your love, show us how to serve the neighbors we have from You. These are the ones we should serve; These are the ones we should love; All these are neighbors to us and You. Jesu, Jesu, fill us with Your love, show us how to serve the neighbors we have from You.		

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*Please stand if you are able.

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

This worship service is broadcast on radio WLQM – 1250 AM

Franklin Baptist Church-May 14, 2017

Calendar of Events

Sunday, May 14

Contemporary Worship	8:45 am	Chapel
Friends, Food & Fun for Children/Youth	9:30 am	Atrium
Sunday School for Children/Youth	10:00 am	
Bible Study	9:45 am	
Worship	11:00 am	Sanctuary

Tuesday, May 16

Caregiver's Support	10:00 am	Fellowship Hall
39ers	6:00 pm	Country Club
Scholarship Committee	7:30 pm	Conference Room
AA Groups	8:00 pm	Community Room

Wednesday, May 17

NA Groups	7:30 pm	Community Room
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Thursday, May 18

Senior Citizens	10:00 am	Fellowship Hall
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PRAYER CONCERNS

Howard Boone, Elizabeth Brinster (Lynda Bond's daughter),
Edna Culpepper, Jerry Cutchin, David Drewry, Mac Edwards,
Richard Edwards, Barbara Gray, Jeffrey Holt, Peggy Pearce, Horace Pierce,
Dot Saunders, Beth Seymour, Louise Story, Jo Wilson, Carolyn Williams

We express Christian sympathy to the family of Anne Carson,
who passed away on May 10th.

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.

Today is a special day of honor for all female guardians, aunts, mothers, grandmothers, and other mother figures in our lives. We also pray for those who have not had ideal relationships with their 'mothers' or have lost their mothers due to death.

Worship

Franklin Baptist supports two services. Our contemporary service is at 8:45 am in the Chapel; and our traditional service is at 11:00 am in the Sanctuary. There will be no coffee after worship today.

Staff

Karen Causey's relocation means that we are now actively searching for a new church secretary. The position requires good oral and written communication skills, and the extensive use of office technology and software. If you are interested in applying, or know someone that may be a potential candidate, please contact David Benton, Personnel Committee Chairman, at 562-7032.

Relay for Life

Franklin Baptist Church Relay for Life team is holding a fund raiser for American Cancer Society. Join us on May 21 from 2:30-4:30 to paint an inspirational picture. The cost includes a teacher to guide the painting process, paint, canvas, and you take home your own masterpiece. Cost is \$30. Checks made payable to the American Cancer Society. See Trina for more details.

Missions

Offering envelopes for the CBF Global Mission program will be available next Sunday, 5/21. Your offering helps support CBF missionaries serving Christ around the world. As you write your check, remember to pray for the persons who will be impacted by your gifts.

Nominating Committee

The Nominating Committee has begun the process of filling committee positions beginning January, 2018, and would like to ask for volunteers to serve. Members of the committee are Peggy Blythe, Harold Burkett, Dayton Crowder, Nancy Hopkins, Kathy Roberts and Melody Tayloe. Please see any of these members if you are willing to help or if you need any additional information.

Cooperative Ministry

Due to the closing of the Days Inn, The Cooperative Ministry is requesting the following items for some displaced families. If you have any twin bed frames, bunk beds, kitchen table/chairs, end tables, lamps or anything else of this nature, please contact Ronnie at The Cooperative Ministry (757-516-6322). Please do not bring items to church.

Summer Camps and Youth Activities

Passport Youth is scheduled for July 2-8 at Furman University, Greenville, SC. The cost for the week is \$150 per youth. You may reserve your place with a deposit of \$75. Please print "Passport Youth" on the memo line of your check.

Music Camp is scheduled for July 17-21 at Eagle Eyrie, Lynchburg, VA. The cost for the week is \$150 per youth. You may reserve your place with a deposit of \$75. Please print "Music Camp" on the memo line of your check.

Vacation Bible School

Dawna Walton will be leading our Vacation Bible School volunteers this summer (July 30-August 3). Please call either the church office (562-5135) or Dawna (620-3703) to volunteer. A successful bible school takes planning, so be in on the ground floor. We need help from all ages! Spread the word for people to mark their calendars to save this date. Our bible school is for our community, not just FBC members. Returning this year will be dinner served each night at 5:30 pm. Bible school will be held from 6 pm to 8 pm.

Hospital Visitation

Ken Gay is looking for help with hospital visitation once every two weeks on Wednesdays. It requires a simple call to church to see if we have any members in the hospital who could use a visit. You can visit anytime during the day. Please give Ken a call if you can help in this area (562-5878).