

PRAYER CONCERNS

Tyra Clark (Holly Poplin's niece), Joyce Spivey, Sharon Spivey, Floyd Wellons
Please remember to keep our community leaders in your prayers.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

SUNDAY, AUGUST 16

Sunday School	9:45 am	SS Classrooms
Worship (also FB Live/YouTube/Radio)	11:00 am	Sanctuary
Cookies & Lemonade	12:00 pm	Fellowship Hall

MONDAY, AUGUST 17

Staff Meeting	9:00 am	Conference Room
Endowment Committee Meeting	5:30 pm	Conference Room

TUESDAY, AUGUST 18

AA Group	7:00 pm	Community Room
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WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 19

Chancel Choir	7:00 pm	Choir Room
NA Group	7:30 pm	Community Room

THURSDAY, AUGUST 20

High Street Seniors	10:00 am	Fellowship Hall
Missions Team Meeting	5:30 pm	Fellowship Hall
AA Group	7:00 pm	Community Room



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EVERY MEMBER A MINISTER

Dr. Charles L. Qualls, *Senior Pastor*

Rev. Jeremy Poplin, *Associate Pastor/Music*

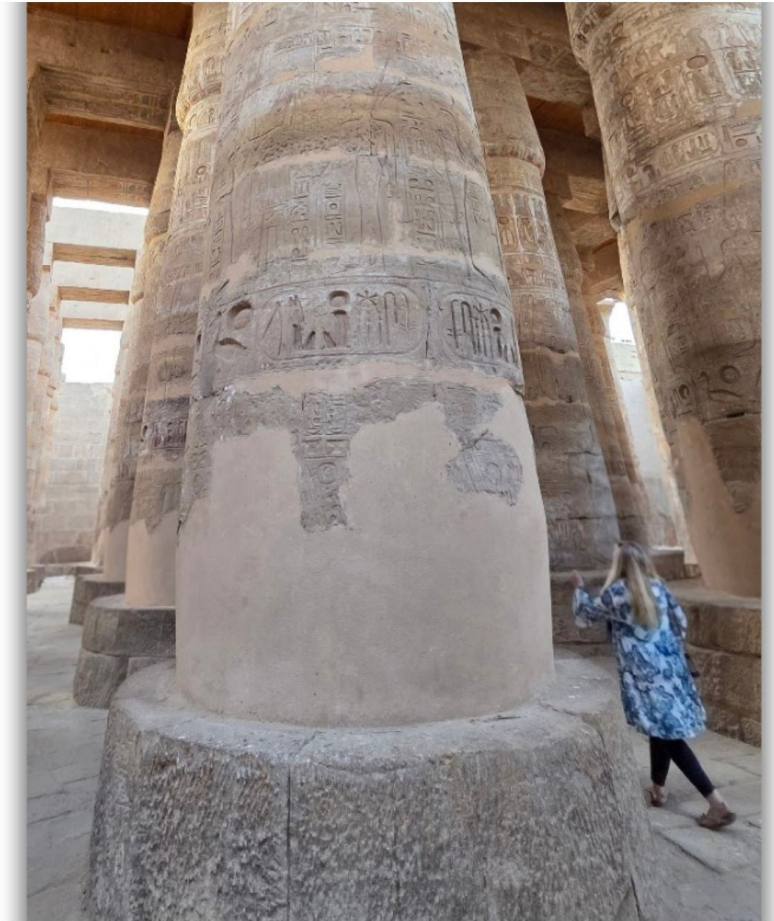
Dr. Barbara Salter, *Organist*

Rev. Steven R. Gibson, *Associate Pastor/Music Emeritus*

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

FRANKLIN BAPTIST CHURCH

AUGUST 16, 2026



TREASURES OF THE NILE

AN ARRAY OF THINGS TO WORSHIP

THE WORSHIP OF GOD
AUGUST 16, 2026
TREASURES OF THE NILE:
AN ARRAY OF THINGS TO WORSHIP
11:00 A.M.

*Please stand if you are able.

WELCOME TO WORSHIP

Our culture will give us endless things that we could worship. Today, in our scripture text we find Paul proclaiming to the people of Athens that “The God who made the world and everything in it, he who is Lord of heaven and earth, does not live in shrines made by human hands...” This morning we will experience the God in whom “we live and move and have our being.” Our opening hymn will invite us to push away what the world would have us worship and come and focus on God. The choir anthem will inspire us with the promises of God’s Word and love for us.

PRAYER OF THE DAY

You alone, O Lord, are the Maker of heaven and earth. In you we live and move and have our being. We are your children, and you are our God. Teach us to turn away from false idols and to turn to you in faith; through Jesus Christ our Savior, who is risen from the dead. AMEN.

GREETING

Charles Qualls

PRELUDE

God and God Alone
Jeremy Poplin, Piano

ARR. DINO KARTSONAKIS

THE CALL TO COME AND WORSHIP

Jim Rainey

RESPONSIVE CALL TO WORSHIP

Jim Rainey

Come away from rush and hurry to stillness of God’s peace.

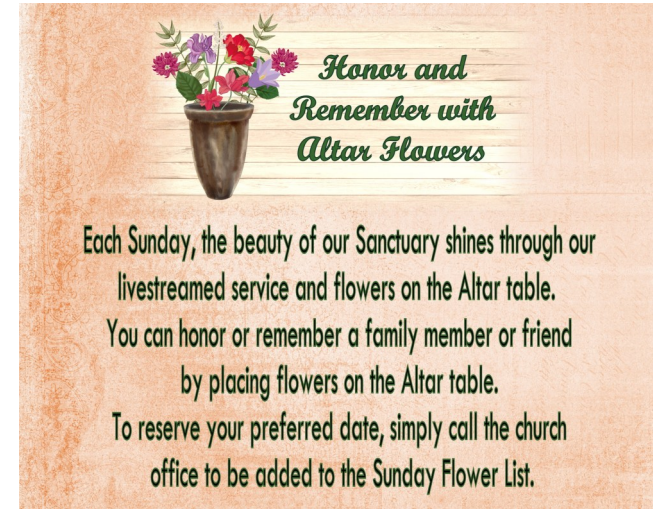
We come today to worship our Lord.

Release your ambition and your worry to Christ this day and find release.

We come with joy and thanksgiving.

Come and join all the people who are gathered here.

We come to seek and find God’s grace.



Call the church office at
757-562-5135 to
reserve a date in
August or September.



DR. QUALLS RETURNS TO DAY1

Visit the Day1.org website to enjoy two brand new episodes.

Dr. Charles Qualls will preach on Day1 for both the August 23rd and August 30th episodes.

As always, there will be a pre-sermon interview and then one post-sermon.

Be sure to tune in and enjoy!



Come and join the
SUMMER
Choir
August 9th and 16th

**Meet in the Choir Room at 10:40AM-No Robes-
Fun & Familiar-ALL ARE WELCOME!!**



CHANCEL CHOIR
REHEARSALS RESUME
WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 19TH
AT 7PM
IN THE CHOIR ROOM
Come and join us!

Hymn 302	<i>Come Away From Rush and Hurry</i>	PROMISE
INVOCATION AND LORD’S PRAYER		Jim Rainey
	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 306	<i>Come, Christians, Join to Sing</i> Sing Stanza 1 Responsive Reading 305: God’s Revelation Sing Stanza 2 Responsive Reading 305: Our Response Sing Stanza 3	MADRID
PASTORAL PRAYER		Charles Qualls
ANTHEM	<i>Standing on the Promises</i> Summer Chancel Choir; Barbara Salter, Organ	ARR. SALTER & POPLIN
*HYMN 307	<i>All Creatures of Our God and King</i>	LASST UNS ERFREUEN
OFFERTORY	<i>O Lamb of God Most Holy</i> Barbara Salter, Organ	J.S. BACH
DOXOLOGY	Praise God from whom all blessings flow; praise Him all creatures here below; praise Him above ye heavenly hosts; praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. AMEN.	OLD 100TH
PRAYER OF DEDICATION		Charles Qualls

SCRIPTURE READING

Exodus 20:1-6; Acts 17:19-31
Pew Bible Old Testament, Page 66
Pew Bible New Testament, Pages 137-138
This is the Word of the Lord.
Thanks be to God!

Charles Qualls

MESSAGE

Treasures of the Nile
An Array of Things to Worship

Charles Qualls

THE INVITATION TO CHURCH MEMBERSHIP AND FELLOWSHIP

If you desire membership or associate membership in this beloved community, you are invited to come forward at this time and our pastor will greet you. Franklin Baptist Church is a community of faith that is open and welcoming to all who wish to be a part of our family. You can join by transfer of membership from another church or by statement of faith. If you have not made a confession of faith, we invite you to do so and receive Christian baptism. Church members are invited to commit themselves anew to Christ and to Christ’s service in the world.

*HYMN 7

Worthy of Worship

JUDSON

BENEDICTION

Charles Qualls

CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE

The Spirit Sends Us Forth to Serve
**We go to be the hands of Christ, to scatter joy like seed
and, all our days, to cherish life, to do the loving deed.**

AZMON

POSTLUDE

Allegro di Molto
Barbara Salter, Organ

JOHANNES BRAHMS

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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 as it passes.

CHURCH OFFERINGS

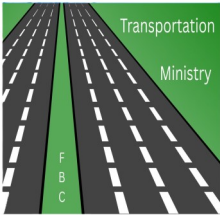
Help our church remain vital by continuing to give. Gifts can be made online on our website at franklinbaptist.org/onlinegiving or mail your offering to the church.

FRANKLIN COOPERATIVE MINISTRY

Franklin Cooperative Ministry will be collecting laundry detergent during the month of August.



CHURCH DIRECTORY
You can pick up a copy of the new church directory at the church office during working hours. If you are a shut-in and are unable to come to the church office, please contact your deacon and they will get a copy to you.



TRANSPORTATION MINISTRY
Franklin Baptist’s deacon transportation ministry is seeking drivers to assist church members in need of healthcare transportation. If you are willing to help provide this valuable service to our church family, please share your contact information with the church office or Jim Walton (757-620-7099), chair of the deacon caregivers’ support committee. When a request is received, Jim will notify volunteers of the opportunity to serve.