

THE WORSHIP OF GOD
CHRIST THE KING SUNDAY
NOVEMBER 26, 2017
11:00 A.M.

GREETING Charles Qualls

MISSION MINUTE Angel Tree Jo Culpepper

VOLUNTARY *Come, Thou Almighty King* DONALD P. HUSTAD
Steve Gibson, Organist

RESPONSIVE CALL TO WORSHIP Judy Livesay

Give thanks to the Lord, for God is good.
God's steadfast love endures forever.
 The Lord is God; we are God's people.
We are the sheep of God's pasture.
Let us worship God.

INVOCATION AND LORD'S PRAYER Judy Livesay

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 223 *Crown Him with Many Crowns* DIADEMATA

PSALTER LESSON *Psalm 100* Judy Livesay
Pew Bible Old Testament Page 552
This is the Word of the Lord.
Thanks be to God.

PASTORAL PRAYER Charles Qualls

HYMN OF OFFERING 366 *O God Beyond All Praising* THAXTED

OFFERTORY *The Lord's My Shepherd* DONALD P. HUSTAD
Steve Gibson, Organist

*Offertory Response *The 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

SCRIPTURE READING Ephesians 1:15-23 Judy Livesay
Pew Bible New Testament Page 192
This is the Word of the Lord.
Thanks be to God.

ANTHEM *Then Sings My Soul* MARY McDONALD
Chancel Choir
(Congregation is asked to sing Stanza 4)

When Christ shall come with shout of acclamation,
and take me home, what joy shall fill my heart!
Then I shall bow in humble adoration,
and there proclaim, "My God, how great Thou art!"

Then sings my soul, my Savior God, to Thee;
how great Thou art, how great Thou art!
Then sings my soul, my Savior God, to Thee;
how great Thou art, how great Thou art!

SERMON Sermon Series: *As People with Hope* Charles Qualls
The Last Word

*HYMN OF RESPONSE 215 *Rejoice, The Lord is King* DARWALL

*BENEDICTION

Charles Qualls

*CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE

O God Beyond All Praising

THAXTED

**Then hear, O gracious Savior, accept the love we bring,
that we who know Your favor may serve You as our King;
and whether our tomorrows be filled with good or ill,
we'll triumph through our sorrows and rise to bless You still:
to marvel at Your beauty and glory in Your ways,
and make a joyful duty our sacrifice of praise.**

VOLUNTARY

The Lord Reigneth
Steve Gibson, Organist

HENRY KIHLEN

*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*

Sharon James, *Associate Pastor/Education Emeritus*

This worship service is broadcast on radio WLQM - 1250 AM

ADVENT
EVENTS & ACTIVITIES



December 3rd

Communion at both services

Hope, Peace, Joy and Love... (Celebrating Grace, # 80)

(Note: This is the last early service for 2017, the early service will return on January 7, 2018.)

Hanging of the Greens



December 10th

Nowell, Born is the King of Israel! (Celebrating Grace, #124)

(Today's coffee is replaced with a Christmas Party with food provided by the Administrative Council and Deacons - just come and enjoy!)

Christmas Music Sunday



December 17th

Good Christian Friends Rejoice! (Celebrating Grace, #122)

The combined voices of the Chancel Choir and Children's Choir present **Christmas Carol Celebration** by Benjamin Harlan and Ragan Courtney. This musical service will be accompanied by a string quartet and organ and will include the singing of favorite Christmas Carols.

Christmas Eve



December 24th

Once in royal David's city...(Celebrating Grace, # 104)

Candlelight Christmas Eve Service - 4:30 PM

On Christmas night the angels sing to hear the news the angels bring... (Celebrating Grace, # 133)



December 31st

Worship in the Chapel

PRAYER CONCERNS

Bessie Best, Daryl Billups, Ray Bradshaw, Elizabeth Brinster (Lynda Bond's daughter), Shirley Drake, Mac Edwards, Richard Edwards, Bobby Eubanks, Chris Hicks, Dawn Holland, Al Johnson, Paul Kaplan, Alyce Page Kitchen, John Lee, Peggy Pearce, Horace Pierce, Daisy Vann, Kirk Whitley

Calendar of Events

Sunday, November 26

Casual Worship	8:45 am	Chapel
Friends, Food and Fun	9:30 am	Atrium
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
Youth Group	6:00 pm	Youth Room

Monday, November 27

Frances Hudgins Circle	12:30 pm	The Village
JuBELLation Ringers	6:30 pm	Fellowship Hall

Tuesday, November 28

AA Group	8:00 pm	Community Room
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Wednesday, November 29

Bible Study	11:00 am	Fellowship Hall
Children's Chimes	5:00 pm	Chimes Room
Vesper Dinner	5:30 pm	Fellowship Hall
Children's Choir	6:00 pm	Choir Room
Adult Vespers	6:15 pm	Fellowship Hall
Children's Missions	6:30 pm	Kindergarten Room
Christmas Choir	7:00 pm	Choir Room
Chancel Choir	7:40 pm	Choir Room
NA Groups	7:30 pm	Community Room

Thursday, November 30

Senior Citizens	10:00 am	Fellowship Hall
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Wednesday activities end on December 13, 2017 and will resume again on January 10, 2018.

Franklin Baptist Church – November 26, 2017

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.

Worship

Franklin Baptist Church offers two services. Our casual service is at 8:45 am in the Chapel; and our traditional service is at 11:00 am in the Sanctuary.

Building Security

Our Security Committee, in concert with the Administrative Council, are reviewing current guidelines and practices. We want you to be assured that we are operating as safely and reasonably as possible. As adjustments in practice are suggested, we will keep you informed.

Year-End Contributions

In compliance with IRS regulations, all contributions for 2017 must be **received** by December 31, 2017. Any contributions received after that day will be posted to 2018. If you have any questions, please contact Melody Tayloe at 562-5135.

Anyone interested in donating stock to the church prior to the end of the year may use our accounts at Wells Fargo or Edward Jones in Franklin. If you have any questions, please call Bill Howell at 757 650-8893.

Everyone Knows 1

Everyone at Franklin Baptist knows that one friend, relative, neighbor or co-worker who would be here. That is, IF you invited them. Think of the one person who needs your prompting, and ask them to join you here next Sunday!



The Library Committee is conducting a "Book Sale" to get rid of discarded books & VHS tapes. Tables are set up outside the Library with a broad selection of books that you may acquire for any donation. A jar for donations is placed for your convenience.



Because of the resounding success of the Angel Tree, the Missions Committee eagerly adopted it again this year and increased the number of children from 45 to 75! All of the tags were taken during our Thanksgiving Dinner. Please return your wrapped gifts to the church office no later than December 4th. Remember to affix the tag containing the child's name to your package. **(Isaiah 9:6...For a child has been born unto us...)**



The church office will be closed the following days:

Christmas:

Friday, December 22nd – closing at 12:00 noon;
closed December 25th and 26th

New Year's: Closed January 1, 2018

Regular office hours resume January 2, 2018



Marriage Enrichment "Tune-ups" for Couples

Is marriage enrichment for you? It is if:

- *You want to make a good marriage better. Most groups and studies won't save the marriage already in crisis. But, you can gain perspective that will help you find greater health and balance before you get to crisis.*
- *You'd like a tune-up to see if there are growth areas to work on. There's always something to learn, and there is no perfect marriage. Risk the investment of time!*
- *You've realized that married love is work. There is no short cut to a healthy home. Marriage enrichment will help you to discover skills that will serve you well.*
- *You're in a committed relationship and both of you are willing to venture together in a few weeks of discovery. It does take two to do good enrichment.*

In just 5 brief sessions, Dr. Charles Qualls will guide you through a private "Enrich" experience similar to his popular program he shares with pre-marital couples each year. With questions, or to sign up, call Charles at 757-562-5135 or e-mail to Charles.qualls@franklinbaptist.org.