



Franklin Methodist Church

November 20, 2022

Sunday Morning Worship online at~<http://franklinmethodist.org/sunday-morning-worship>



Christ the King

Offertory Music

“Praise to the Lord, the Almighty”

Doxology

**Praise God from whom all blessings flow,
Praise Him, all creatures here below;
Praise Him above, ye heavenly host,
Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. Amen**

The Message

Reverend Polly Standing

“Woe to the shepherds who are destroying and scattering the sheep of my pasture!” declares the LORD. Therefore, this is what the LORD, the God of Israel, says to the shepherds who tend my people: “Because you have scattered my flock and driven them away and have not bestowed care on them, I will bestow punishment on you for the evil you have done,” declares the LORD. “I myself will gather the remnant of my flock out of all the countries where I have driven them and will bring them back to their pasture, where they will be fruitful and increase in number. I will place shepherds over them who will tend them, and they will no longer be afraid or terrified, nor will any be missing,” declares the LORD. “The days are coming,” declares the LORD, “when I will raise up for David a righteous Branch, a King who will reign wisely and do what is just and right in the land. In his days Judah will be saved and Israel will live in safety. This is the name by which he will be called: The LORD Our Righteous Savior. Jeremiah 23:1-6

Pastoral Prayer & The Lord’s Prayer

**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 trespasses,
As we forgive those who trespass against us.
And lead us not into temptation,
But deliver us from evil.
For Thine is the kingdom, and the power
And the glory for ever. Amen.**

Prelude and Entrance of Acolytes

Praise Songs

*“Battle Belongs”
“Lord I Need You”*

Children’s Sermon

Children are encouraged to join us at the front.

Announcements, and Church Family Celebrations

Prayer and Scripture

**Jeff Ripley
Luke 21:33-43**

When they came to the place called the Skull, they crucified him there, along with the criminals—one on his right, the other on his left. Jesus said, “Father, forgive them, for they do not know what they are doing.” And they divided up his clothes by casting lots. The people stood watching, and the rulers even sneered at him. They said, “He saved others; let him save himself if he is God’s Messiah, the Chosen One.” The soldiers also came up and mocked him. They offered him wine vinegar and said, “If you are the king of the Jews, save yourself.” There was a written notice above him, which read: THIS IS THE KING OF THE JEWS. One of the criminals who hung there hurled insults at him: “Aren’t you the Messiah? Save yourself and us!” But the other criminal rebuked him. “Don’t you fear God,” he said, “since you are under the same sentence? We are punished justly, for we are getting what our deeds deserve. But this man has done nothing wrong.” Then he said, “Jesus, remember me when you come into your kingdom.”

Invitational

Invitational Hymn

“For the Beauty of the Earth”

Now let us remind ourselves of what we believe as we head out into the world.

Apostles’ Creed

I believe in God the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth; And in Jesus Christ His only Son our Lord: who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; the third day he rose from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and sitteth at the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic* church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen. *(universal)

Remember those who serve in our Military

Eric Michael (Air Force)	Benjamin Standing (National Guard)
PFC Joseph Pawley (Army)	All Others, known by God

Worship Attendance for Last Sunday: 88

Many are also watching the Sunday Worship Live or on the videos posted on the church’s website, Facebook page or YouTube. Video views for Sunday, November 13 (as of Thursday 11/17) 71

Giving Totals for Last Week

General Offering	\$	4,590.00
Building Fund	\$	50.00
Memorial-Designated~Other	\$	100.00

November Mission of the Month

Holiday Feast of Sharing

December 3rd



This holiday meal is a simple way to let anyone and everyone in the community know that they are loved and thought of during the holiday seasons. Over 1,100 people were fed in 2021, and we expect that number to increase. All donations collected over the cost of the Feast will go towards the Christmas Angels gifts.



We are in need of some artificial Christmas trees and Christmas lights to use in decoration for the Cookie Walk. Please contact Katherine Scasta at 979-229-0253 or Beth Vickers at 979-255-1406 for more information on helping with these items.

There will be a SPECIAL ITEM in the Christmas Store: Look for the beautiful handmade quilt by Dorthea Allen that will be available to purchase.

MARK YOUR CALENDAR

Monday, November 21	Decorating of Church for Christmas Soup Supper following the decorating	4:00pm
Tuesday, November 22	NO BIBLE STUDY NO A.S.K. Tutoring	
Wednesday, November 23	Church Office Closed	
Thursday, November 24	Happy Thanksgiving	

Purpose: Willing and ready to follow and serve Jesus Christ.

Vision: Franklin Methodist Church shares God’s love, Christ’s sacrifice, and our faith for the salvation of the world.

Mission: We believe in Jesus Christ whom we follow, serve and share.

Key Verse: “For God so loved the world that He gave His only begotten Son, that whoever believes in him should not perish but have everlasting life. For God did not send His Son into the world to condemn the world, but that the world through him might be saved.” - John 3:16-17

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