

Franklin United Methodist Church

November 8, 2020

MARK YOUR CALENDAR

Wednesday, November 11	Women's Morning Emmaus	7:00am - 8:00am
	Choir Practice	5:00pm
	Youth Group~Activity Building	6:00pm
Thursday, November 12	Men's Emmaus	6:30am - 7:30am



ELECTRONIC GIVING NOW AVAILABLE!!

PAYPAL

VENMO

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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: 58

Many are also watching the Sunday Worship Live on the videos posted on the church's website, Facebook page or YouTube.

Views recorded for Sunday, November 1, 2020 77
(as of Thursday 11/5)

Giving Totals for Past Week

General Fund Offering	\$ 6,200.00
Building Note Fund	\$ 360.00
Memorial~Special Designated	\$ 199.00

November Monthly Mission Holiday Feast of Sharing

Pastor	Rev. Polly D. Standing
PT Director of Family Ministry	Frances Boyette
Administrative Assistant	Keith Kamas
Treasurer	Maria Cottrell
Custodian	Debbie Harris
Director of Nursery	Destiny Havard,
Nursery Staff	Karlie Kissinger
	Rhonda Miller
Director of Choir	Terrie Foltermann
Pianist	Cathy Reed
Keyboardist	Andy Harris & Andy Reed
Guitarists	John Standing
Sound Technician	Laura Corn, Christina Martin,
Visual Media	Caitlyn Martin
Communion Helpers	Servant Leaders of the Congregation
Acolytes	Children of the Church
Lay Reader	Grady Harris
Greeters & Ushers	Ken Reinhardt and Noah Reinhardt
Ministers of the Gospel Message	All Church Members

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

Vision: Franklin UMC 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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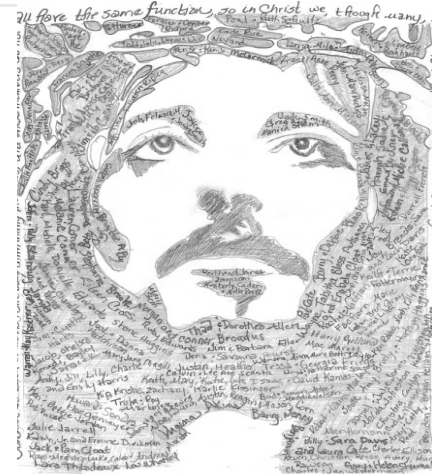


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Sunday Small Groups at 9:00am & Worship at 10:15am

Sunday Morning Worship LIVE online at <http://umc-franklin.org/sunday-morning->



Be One

Prelude

Greeting & Announcements

Church Family Celebrations!

Call To Worship & Entrance of Acolytes

"Make Us One"

Make us one, Lord, make us one;
Holy Spirit, make us one.
Let Your love flow,
So the world will know we are one in You.

Make us one, Lord, make us one;
Holy Spirit, make us one.
Let Your love flow,
So the world will know we are one in You.

Praise Songs

"The Battle Belongs to the Lord"

In heavenly armour we'll enter the land;
The battle belongs to the Lord.
No weapon that's fashion'd against us will stand;
The battle belongs to the Lord.

Chorus

And we sing glory, honor,
Power and strength to the Lord!
We sing glory, honor,
Power and strength to the Lord!

When the power of darkness comes in like a flood;
The battle belongs to the Lord.
He'll raise up a standard, the pow'r of his blood;
The battle belongs to the Lord.

Repeat Chorus

When your enemy presses in hard, do not fear;
The battle belongs to the Lord.
Take courage, my friend, your redemption is near;
The battle belongs to the Lord.

Repeat Chorus

"Greater Love"

Chorus

Greater love has no man than this,
That he lay down his life for his friends.
Greater love has no man than this,
That he lay down his life for his friends.

You took my burden shamelessly.
Paid my debt for eternity.
Wondering of your love for me,
Has become, life's greatest mystery.

Repeat Chorus

That you would come from Heaven above,
Offer free your priceless love,
That God's own Son would come and die,
To make a way for such as I.

Repeat Chorus.

Opening Prayer

Grady Harris

First Scripture

Joshua 24:1-3, 14-25

Then Joshua assembled all the tribes of Israel at Shechem. He summoned the elders, leaders, judges and officials of Israel, and they presented themselves before God. Joshua said to all the people, "This is what the LORD, the God of Israel, says: 'Long ago your ancestors, including Terah the father of Abraham and Nahor, lived beyond the Euphrates River and worshiped other gods. But I took your father Abraham from the land beyond the Euphrates and led him throughout Canaan and gave him many descendants. I gave him Isaac. "Now fear the LORD and serve Him with all faithfulness. Throw away the gods your ancestors worshiped beyond the Euphrates River and in Egypt, and serve the LORD. But if serving the LORD seems undesirable to you, then choose for yourselves this day whom you will serve, whether the gods your ancestors served beyond the Euphrates, or the gods of the

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Amorites, in whose land you are living. But as for me and my household, we will serve the LORD.” Then the people answered, “Far be it from us to forsake the LORD to serve other gods! It was the LORD our God Himself who brought us and our parents up out of Egypt, from that land of slavery, and performed those great signs before our eyes. He protected us on our entire journey and among all the nations through which we traveled. And the LORD drove out before us all the nations, including the Amorites, who lived in the land. We too will serve the LORD, because He is our God.” Joshua said to the people, “You are not able to serve the LORD. He is a holy God; He is a jealous God. He will not forgive your rebellion and your sins. If you forsake the LORD and serve foreign gods, He will turn and bring disaster on you and make an end of you, after He has been good to you.” But the people said to Joshua, “No! We will serve the LORD.” Then Joshua said, “You are witnesses against yourselves that you have chosen to serve the LORD.” “Yes, we are witnesses,” they replied. “Now then,” said Joshua, “throw away the foreign gods that are among you and yield your hearts to the LORD, the God of Israel.” And the people said to Joshua, “We will serve the LORD our God and obey Him.” On that day Joshua made a covenant for the people, and there at Shechem he reaffirmed for them decrees and laws.

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)

Gloria Patri

Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost; as it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be, world without end. Amen. Amen.

Children’s Sermon

Children are encouraged to join us at the front.

Special Music

American Armed Forces Medley

Army

You’re in the army now, You’re not behind a plow,
You’ll never get rich while digging a ditch,
You’re in the army now.
This is the Army Mr. Jones.
No private rooms or telephones.
You had your breakfast in bed before,
But you won’t have it there anymore.

Marines

From the halls of Montezuma, to the shores of Tripoli,
We will fight our country’s battles on the land as on the sea,
First to fight for right and freedom and to keep our honor clean,
We are proud to claim the title of United States Marine.

Navy

Anchors aweigh, my boys, anchors aweigh,
We’ll never change our course so vicious foe steer shy-y-y,
Anchors aweigh, my boys, anchors aweigh,
Sail on to victory and sink their bones to Davy Jones hooray!

Coastguard, National Guard, Policemen, Firemen

Over hill, over dale, we have hit the dusty trail,
And the Caissons go rolling along,
In and out hear them shout counter march and right about,
And the Caissons go rolling along.
For it’s Hi! Hi! Hee! In the field artillery,
Shout out your numbers loud and strong,
For where e’re you go, You will always know,
That the Caissons go rolling along.
“KEEP ‘EM ROLLING!”
That the Caissons go rolling along.

Airforce

Off we go into the wild blue yonder,
Climbing high into the sun,
Here they come zooming to meet our thunder,
At’em boys, Give’er the gun!
(GIVE ‘ER THE GUN!)

Down we dive spouting our flame from under,
Off with one terrible roar!
We live in fame or go down in flame, Hey!
Nothing’ll stop the U.S. Airforce!

God’s Army

Mine eyes have seen the glory of the coming of the Lord,
He is trampling out the vintage where the grapes of wrath are stored,
He hath loosed the fateful lightning of His terrible swift sword,
His truth is marching on.

Glory, glory, hallelujah! Glory, glory, hallelujah!
Glory, glory, hallelujah! His truth is marching on.
In the beauty of the lilies, Christ was born across the sea,
With a glory in His bosom that transfigures you and me,
As He died to make men holy, let us die to make men free,
Our God is marching on.

Glory, glory, hallelujah! Glory, glory, Hallelujah!
Glory, glory, hallelujah! His truth is marching on.
Our God Is March---ing On!

Second Scripture

Matthew 25:1-13

“At that time the kingdom of heaven will be like ten virgins who took their lamps and went out to meet the bridegroom. Five of them were foolish and five were wise. The foolish ones took their lamps but did not take any oil with them. The wise ones, however, took oil in jars along with their lamps. The bridegroom was a long time in coming, and they all became drowsy and fell asleep. “At midnight the cry rang out: ‘Here’s the bridegroom! Come out to meet him!’ “Then all the virgins woke up and trimmed their lamps. The foolish ones said to the wise, ‘Give us some of your oil; our lamps are going out.’ “‘No,’ they replied, ‘there may not be enough for both us and you. Instead, go to those who sell oil and buy some for yourselves.’ “But while they were on their way to buy the oil, the bridegroom arrived. The virgins who were ready went in with him to the wedding banquet. And the door was shut. “Later the others also came. ‘Lord, Lord,’ they said, ‘open the door for us!’ “But he replied, ‘Truly I tell you, I don’t know you.’ “Therefore keep watch, because you do not know the day or the hour.

The Message **Pastor Polly Standing**
“Be One, In Prayer”

Time of 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.**

Special Music

“BE ONE”
Natalie Grant

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**

Closing Hymn

“Stand Up, Stand Up for Jesus”

Stand Up, stand up for Jesus, ye soldiers of the cross;
Lift high his royal banner, it must not suffer loss.
From victory unto victory his army shall he lead,
Till every foe is vanquished, and Christ is Lord indeed.

Stand up, stand up for Jesus, the strife will not be long;
This day the noise of battle, the next the victor’s song.
To those who vanquish evil a crown of life shall be;
They with the King of Glory shall reign eternally.

