

Franklin United Methodist Church

April 25, 2021



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



the sheep. I have other sheep that are not of this sheep pen. I must bring them also. They too will listen to my voice, and there shall be one flock and one shepherd. The reason my Father loves me is that I lay down my life—only to take it up again. No one takes it from me, but I lay it down of my own accord. I have authority to lay it down and authority to take it up again. This command I received from my Father.”

Prelude and Entrance of Acolytes

Praise Songs

*“Graves to Gardens”
“Forever”*

Children’s Sermon

Children are encouraged to join us at the front.

Special Music

*“Oceans”
Reese Rawson*

Announcements, and Church Family Celebrations

Prayer and Scripture

**Mary Kamas
John 10:11-18**

“I am the good shepherd. The good shepherd lays down his life for the sheep. The hired hand is not the shepherd and does not own the sheep. So when he sees the wolf coming, he abandons the sheep and runs away. Then the wolf attacks the flock and scatters it. The man runs away because he is a hired hand and cares nothing for the sheep. “I am the good shepherd; I know my sheep and my sheep know me—just as the Father knows me and I know the Father—and I lay down my life for

Offertory Music

“Savior, Like a Shepherd Lead Us

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

Pastor Polly Standing

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.**

Invitational Hymn

“I Am Thine, O Lord”

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

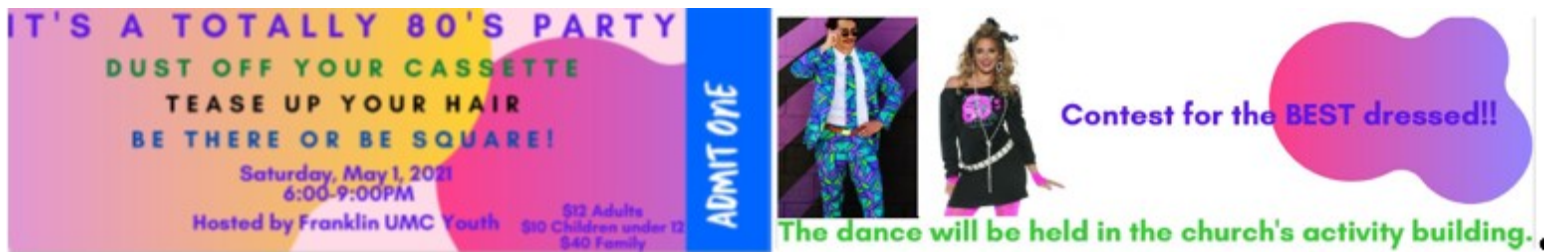
Eric Michael (Air Force)	Benjamin Standing (National Guard)
PFC Joseph Pawley (Army)	All Others, known by God

Worship Attendance for Last Sunday: 78

Many are also watching the Sunday Worship Live or on the videos posted on the church's website, Facebook page or YouTube. Views recorded for Sunday, April 18 (as of Thursday 4/22) 58

Giving Totals for Last Week

General Fund Offering	\$ 3,348.00
Building Note Fund	\$ 250.00



IT'S A TOTALLY 80'S PARTY
DUST OFF YOUR CASSETTE
TEASE UP YOUR HAIR
BE THERE OR BE SQUARE!
Saturday, May 1, 2021
6:00-9:00PM
Hosted by Franklin UMC Youth \$12 Adults \$10 Children under 12 \$40 Family

ADMIT ONE

Contest for the BEST dressed!!

The dance will be held in the church's activity building.

TICKETS AVAILABLE TODAY!

MARK YOUR CALENDAR

Sunday, April 25	VBS Leaders Meeting	After Worship
Wednesday, April 28	Women's Morning Emmaus at Salt & Light on the Square	7:00 - 8:00am
	Choir Practice	5:00pm
	Praise Band	6:30pm
	Youth Group	6:00pm
Thursday, April 29	Men's Emmaus	6:30 - 7:30am
Saturday, May 1	80's DANCE PARTY	6:00 - 9:00PM

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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