

# Franklin United Methodist Church

April 4, 2021



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



linen. Finally the other disciple, who had reached the tomb first, also went inside. He saw and believed. (They still did not understand from Scripture that Jesus had to rise from the dead.) Then the disciples went back to where they were staying. Now Mary stood outside the tomb crying. As she wept, she bent over to look into the tomb and saw two angels in white, seated where Jesus' body had been, one at the head and the other at the foot. They asked her, "Woman, why are you crying?" "They have taken my Lord away," she said, "and I don't know where they have put him." At this, she turned around and saw Jesus standing there, but she did not realize that it was Jesus. He asked her, "Woman, why are you crying? Who is it you are looking for?" Thinking he was the gardener, she said, "Sir, if you have carried him away, tell me where you have put him, and I will get him." Jesus said to her, "Mary." She turned toward him and cried out in Aramaic, "Rabboni!" (which means "Teacher"). Jesus said, "Do not hold on to me, for I have not yet ascended to the Father. Go instead to my brothers and tell them, 'I am ascending to my Father and your Father, to my God and your God.'" Mary Magdalene went to the disciples with the news: "I have seen the Lord!" And she told them that he had said these things to her.

## Prelude and Entrance of Acolytes

## Praise Songs

*"Graves Into Gardens"  
"Amazing Love"*

## Children's Sermon

*Children are encouraged to join us at the front.*

## Announcements, and Church Family Celebrations

## Prayer and Scripture

**Wayne Huggins**  
**John 20:1-18**

Early on the first day of the week, while it was still dark, Mary Magdalene went to the tomb and saw that the stone had been removed from the entrance. So she came running to Simon Peter and the other disciple, the one Jesus loved, and said, "They have taken the Lord out of the tomb, and we don't know where they have put him!" So Peter and the other disciple started for the tomb. Both were running, but the other disciple outran Peter and reached the tomb first. He bent over and looked in at the strips of linen lying there but did not go in. Then Simon Peter came along behind him and went straight into the tomb. He saw the strips of linen lying there, as well as the cloth that had been wrapped around Jesus' head. The cloth was still lying in its place, separate from the

## Offertory Music

*"Alive"*  
**Kimberly Perez**

## 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

*“Up From the Grave He Arose”*

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

## Choral Benediction

*“Risen Today”*



### Remember those who serve in our Military

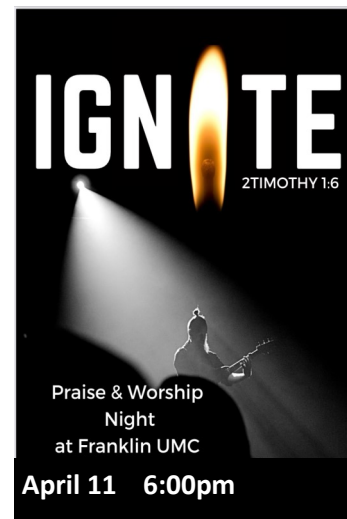
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| Eric Michael (Air Force) | Benjamin Standing<br>(National Guard) |
| PFC Joseph Pawley (Army) | All Others, known by God              |

### Worship Attendance for Last Sunday: 110

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, March 28 (as of Thursday 4/1) 46

### Giving Totals for Last Week

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|-----------------------|-------------|
| General Fund Offering | \$ 2,068.00 |
| Memorial-Designated   | \$ 40.00    |



### MARK YOUR CALENDAR

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| Wednesday, April 7 | 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 8  | Men's Emmaus   | 6:30 - 7:30am |
| Sunday, April 11   | Ignite   | 6:00pm        |

**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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