



Franklin Methodist Church

April 30, 2023

GLOBAL
METHODIST CHURCH

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

Make a Joyful noise unto the Lord

Prelude Songs (all by Fanny Crosby)
(My Savior, First of All; Jesus is Calling Me Home;
All the Way My Savior Leads Me;
Praise Him, Praise Him)

**Announcements and Church Family
Celebrations**

Praise Song
"Open the Eyes of My Heart"

Children's Sermon
(Tell Me the Story Stories of Jesus
by Fanny Crosby)
Children are encouraged to join us at the
front.

Prayer and Scripture John "Carty" Hicks
John 10:1-10

"Very truly I tell you Pharisees, anyone who does not enter the sheep pen by the gate, but climbs in by some other way, is a thief and a robber. The one who enters by the gate is the shepherd of the sheep. The gatekeeper opens the gate for him, and the sheep listen to his voice. He calls his own sheep by name and leads them out. When he has brought out all his own, he goes on ahead of them, and his sheep follow him because they know his voice. But they will never follow a stranger; in fact, they will run away from him because they do not recognize a stranger's voice." Jesus used this figure of speech, but the Pharisees did not understand what he was telling them. Therefore Jesus said again, "Very truly I tell

you, I am the gate for the sheep. All who have come before me are thieves and robbers, but the sheep have not listened to them. I am the gate; whoever enters through me will be saved. They will come in and go out, and find pasture. The thief comes only to steal and kill and destroy; I have come that they may have life, and have it to the full.

Offertory Music
"At the Cross"

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
Glorifying God Through the Witness of
Fanny Crosby's Faith

Fanny Crosby Songs
"Jesus Keep Me Near the Cross"
"Pass Me Not, O Gentle Savior"
"Rescue the Perishing"
"To God Be the Glory"
"Blessed Assurance"

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

Invitational Hymn

“I Am Thine, O God”

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: 65

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 23 (as of Thursday 4/27) 28

Giving Totals for Last Week

General Offering	\$	4,427.27
Building Fund	\$	0.00
Memorial-Designated	\$	200.00
Wesley House Renovations	\$	1,000.00



THEY'RE BACK TODAY AFTER WORSHIP!!!

Join the fun in the Activity Building immediately after worship for a time of good food and fellowship. Mark these dates on your calendar for future potlucks: July 30 and October 29 and come join in the fun!

MARK YOUR CALENDAR

Today	POTLUCK LUNCH	After Worship
Tuesday, May 2	Bible Study	10:00am—Noon
Wednesday, May 3	Women's Emmaus MOPS/MOMSNext Ukulele Band Practice Choir Practice Youth Group BLAST	8:00am—9:00am 10:00am—Noon 4:00pm 5:00pm 6:00pm 6:00pm
Thursday, May 4	Men's Emmaus Turquoise Table Ladies	6:30—7:30am 11:00am

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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