



Franklin Methodist Church

February 4, 2024

GLOBAL
METHODIST CHURCH

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



Prelude and Entrance of Acolytes
Announcements and Church Family Celebrations

Praise Songs

*“Graves Into Gardens”
“10,000 Reasons”*

Children’s Sermon

Children are encouraged to join us at the front.

Prayer and Scripture

Jeff Ripley
Isaiah 40:21-31

Do you not know? Have you not heard? Has it not been told you from the beginning? Have you not understood since the earth was founded? He sits enthroned above the circle of the earth, and its people are like grasshoppers. He stretches out the heavens like a canopy, and spreads them out like a tent to live in. He brings princes to naught and reduces the rulers of this world to nothing. No sooner are they planted, no sooner are they sown, no sooner do they take root in the ground, than He blows on them and they wither, and a whirlwind sweeps them away like chaff. To whom will you compare Me? Or who is My equal?” says the Holy One. Lift up your eyes and look to the heavens: Who created all these? He who brings out the starry host one by one and calls forth each of them by name. Because of His great power and mighty strength, not one of them is missing. Why do you complain, Jacob? Why do you say, Israel, “My way is hidden from the LORD; my cause is disregarded by my God”? Do you not know? Have you not heard? The LORD is the everlasting God, the Creator of the ends of the earth. He will not grow tired or weary, and His understanding no one can fathom. He gives strength to the weary and increases the power of the weak. Even youths grow tired and weary, and young men stumble and fall; but those who hope in the LORD will renew their strength. They will soar on wings like eagles; they will run and not grow weary; they will walk and not be faint.

Offertory Music

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(Congregation please sing along)

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
Mark 1:29-39

As soon as they left the synagogue, they went with James and John to the home of Simon and Andrew. Simon’s mother-in-law was in bed with a fever, and they immediately told Jesus about her. So, he went to her, took her hand and helped her up. The fever left her and she began to wait on them. That evening after sunset the people brought to Jesus all the sick and demon-possessed. The whole town gathered at the door, and Jesus healed many who had various diseases. He also drove out many demons, but he would not let the demons speak because they knew who he was. Very early in the morning, while it was still dark, Jesus got up, left the house and went off to a solitary place, where he prayed. Simon and his companions went to look for him, and when they found him, they exclaimed: “Everyone is looking for you!” Jesus replied, “Let us go somewhere else—to the nearby villages—so I can preach there also. That is why I have come.” So, he traveled throughout Galilee, preaching in their synagogues and driving out demons.

The Great Thanksgiving

Communion Hymn

“Footsteps of Jesus”

Franklin Methodist Church Choir

Prayer after Receiving

Invitational

Invitational Hymn

*“Praise to the Lord, the Almighty”
(Page 139 in Hymnal~~All Verses)*

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)

Worship Attendance for last week: 76

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, January 28 (as of Thursday 2/1) 10

General Offering	\$	3,800.00
Building Fund	\$	375.00
Memorial-Designated	\$	0.00
Wesley House Donation	\$	25,000.00

Remember those who serve in our Military

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

Salsa

If you ordered salsa from the youth they are over there cooking it up right now. It will be ready for pick-up from Noon to 2pm today and then tomorrow afternoon from 3pm until 6pm.

MARK YOUR CALENDAR

Today	Trustee Meeting Pick up of Salsa in Activity Building Kitchen	After Worship Noon—2:00pm
Monday, February 5	Pick up of Salsa in Activity Building Kitchen	3:00pm —6:00pm
Tuesday, February 6	Bible Study A.S.K. Tutoring	10:00am 3:15-5:00pm
Wednesday, February 7	Women's Emmaus MOPS/MOMNext Ukulele Band Practice Choir Practice Youth BLAST	8:00am—9:00am 10:00-Noon 4:00pm 5:00pm 6:00pm 6:00pm
Thursday, February 8	Men's Emmaus	6:30am—7:30am
Sunday, February 11	Finance Committee Meeting	After Worship

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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