GLOBAL

Franklin Methodist Church

May 26, 2024

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



Prelude and Entrance of Acolytes

Announcements and Church Family Celebrations

Praise Songs

"Here I Am to Worship"
"Same God"

Children's Sermon

Children are encouraged to join us at the front.

Prayer and Scripture

Eileen Cross
John 3:1-17

Now there was a Pharisee, a man named Nicodemus who was a member of the Jewish ruling council. He came to Jesus at night and said, "Rabbi, we know that you are a teacher who has come from God. For no one could perform the signs you are doing if God were not with him." Jesus replied, "Very truly I tell you, no one can see the kingdom of God unless they are born again." "How can someone be born when they are old?" Nicodemus asked. "Surely they cannot enter a second time into their mother's womb to be born!" Jesus answered, "Very truly I tell you, no one can enter the kingdom of God unless they are born of water and the Spirit. Flesh gives birth to flesh, but the Spirit gives birth to spirit. You should not be surprised at my saying, 'You must be born again.' The wind

blows wherever it pleases. You hear its sound, but you cannot tell where it comes from or where it is going. So it is with everyone born of the Spirit." "How can this be?" Nicodemus asked. "You are Israel's teacher." said Jesus. "and do you not understand these things? Very truly I tell you, we speak of what we know, and we testify to what we have seen, but still you people do not accept our testimony. I have spoken to you of earthly things and you do not believe; how then will you believe if I speak of heavenly things? No one has ever gone into heaven except the one who came from heaven—the Son of Man. Just as Moses lifted up the snake in the wilderness, so the Son of Man must be lifted up, that everyone who believes may have eternal life in him." For God so loved the world that He gave His one and only Son, that whoever believes in him shall not perish but have eternal life. For God did not send His Son into the world to condemn the world, but to save the world through him.

Offertory Music

"Be Thou My Vision"
(Page 451 in Hymnal~Verses 1&2)

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

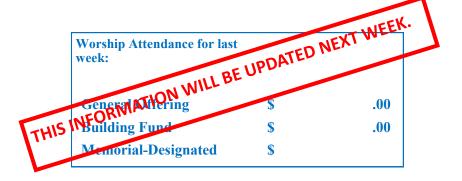
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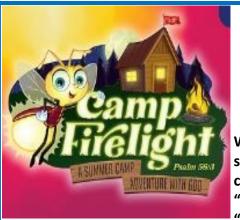
Pastoral Prayer and The Lord's Prayer

Apostles' Creed

Invitational Invitational Hymn

"Holy, Holy, Holy"
(Page 64 in Hymnal~Verses 1, 3 & 4)





May Mission of the Month Vacation Bible School What does this year's Vacation Bible School need? VOLUNTEERS!!

Will you be one of those that comes together for half a day, during the second week in July to share the story of God's love to the children of our community? There are so many opportunities to participate. Are you "crafty?" There are sets to design and daily craft activities. Are you "musical?" Themed music is used throughout the week. Do you like

science? There is a Science Station where the children get to participate in experiments. Do you like to "play?" Lots of varying-intensity activities are planned for "play time" that you can help with. And of course there are the snacks!!! Some great ideas for "feeding" everyone during the week. AND all of these activities come with detailed instructions so you do not have to come up with them on your own. Of course there are also other ways you can help just let us know you want to help the "campers" at this year's VBS.

MARK YOUR CALENDAR

Monday, May 27	Church Office Closed in Observance of Memorial Day	
Tuesday, May 28	NO BIBLE STUDY UNTIL SEPTEMBER	
Wednesday, May 29	Women's Emmaus Women's Bible Study Youth~Game Night	8:00am—9:00am 6:00pm 6:00pm
Thursday, May 30	Men's Emmaus	6:30am—7:30am

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.

<u>Key Verse</u>: "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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