



# Franklin Methodist Church

**April 19, 2026**

GLOBAL  
METHODIST CHURCH

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

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## Offertory Music

*“I Have Decided to Follow Jesus”*

## 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 D. Standing**

*“Pick Up Your Cross and Follow Me”  
“Repent and Believe”*

## Pastoral Prayer and the Lord’s Prayer

*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; He descended into hell; on 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)

## Invitational

## Invitational Hymn

*“Beneath the Cross of Jesus”  
(Page 297 in Hymnal~All Verses)*

## Prelude and Entrance of Acolytes

## Announcements and Church Family Celebrations

## Praise Songs

*“Only King Forever”  
“Trust in God”*

## Children’s Sermon

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

## Prayer and Scripture **Meghan Moran** **Mark 1:15**

“The time has come,” he said. “The kingdom of God has come near. Repent and believe the good news!”

## **Isaiah 6:5-7**

“Woe to me!” I cried. “I am ruined! For I am a man of unclean lips, and I live among a people of unclean lips, and my eyes have seen the King, the LORD Almighty.” Then one of the seraphim flew to me with a live coal in his hand, which he had taken with tongs from the altar. With it he touched my mouth and said, “See, this has touched your lips; your guilt is taken away and your sin atoned for.”



# SENIOR 2026

## Do You Have a Graduating High School Senior?

It is that time of the year where we begin to make plans to honor our graduating high school seniors. Senior Sunday will be May 17 at our regular 10:15am Worship Service. Traditionally we have put together a slideshow with pictures from throughout their life. Please start gathering up those photos and have them to the church before May 4 . **We need at least 1 really good baby picture.**

If you have any questions contact the church office at 979-828-3355.

### Worship Attendance for last week: 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 last Sunday,(as of Thursday 4/16) 46

### Giving Totals for Last Week

General Offering	\$	6,990.00
Building Fund	\$	0.00
Memorial~Designated	\$	0.00

### MARK YOUR CALENDAR

Monday, April 20	Ukulele Band Practice	4:00pm
Wednesday, April 22	Men's Emmaus	7:30-8:30am
	Women's Emmaus	8:00—9:00am
	MOMCo	9:30—11:30am
	BLAST	6:00pm
	Youth	6:00pm
Thursday, April 23	Grandparents Day at the Preschool	1:45pm
Saturday, April 25	Youth Local Mission	

**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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