

THE WORSHIP OF GOD
MAY 21, 2017
11:00 O'CLOCK

GREETING Charles Qualls

VOLUNTARY *Jesus Calls Us* Robert J. Powell
Steve Gibson, Organist

RESPONSIVE CALL TO WORSHIP Nancy Bridges

Alleluia! The Lord is risen!
Alleluia! The Lord is Risen Indeed!
Blessed is God, who hears our prayers,
Whose steadfast love endures forever. Let us worship God.

INVOCATION AND LORD'S PRAYER Nancy Bridges

**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 debts as
we forgive our debtors. And lead us not into temptation,
but deliver us from evil,
for thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.**

*HYMN OF PRAISE 6 *Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise* ST. DENIO

MISSION MOMENT Jo Culpepper

PASTORAL PRAYER Charles Qualls

HYMN OF OFFERING 385 *In Christ There is No East or West* ST. PETER

OFFERTORY *I Can Hear My Savior Calling* TRADITIONAL
Steve Gibson, Organist

*Offertory Response *The Doxology* LAST UNS ERFREUEN

**Praise God, from whom all blessings flow, praise Him, all creatures
Here below, O praise Him! Alleluia! Praise Him above, ye heav'nly
Host; Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost.
O praise Him, O praise Him! Alleluia! Alleluia!**

*Prayer of Dedication Karissa Schuermann

SCRIPTURE READING Acts 17:22-31 Nancy Bridges
Pew Bible New Testament Pages 137-138
This is the Word of the Lord.
Thanks be to God.

ANTHEM *Let There Be Peace on Earth* Craig Courtney
Chancel Choir

SERMON "To An Unknown God" Charles Qualls

*HYMN OF RESPONSE 39 *Rejoice, Ye Pure in Heart* MARION

*BENEDICTION Charles Qualls

*CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE ST. PETER
In Christ There is No East or West

**Join hands, then, children of the faith, whatever your race may be.
Who serves my Father as a child is surely kin to me.**

*VOLUNTARY *Love Lifted Me* Robert J. Powell
Steve Gibson, Organist

*Please stand if you are able.

Calendar of Events

Sunday, May 21 (CBF Global Missions)

Contemporary Worship	8:45 am	Chapel
Friends, Food & Fun for Children/Youth	9:30 am	Atrium
Sunday School for Children/Youth	10:00 am	
Bible Study	9:45 am	
Worship	11:00 am	Sanctuary
Fellowship Coffee	Noon	Fellowship Hall
Relay for Life Painting	3:30 pm	Fellowship Hall
Youth Group	6:00 pm	Fellowship Hall

Monday, May 22

Frances Hudgins	12:30 pm	The Village
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Tuesday, May 23

AA Groups	8:00 pm	Community Room
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Wednesday, May 24

Nominating Committee	5:30 pm	Library
NA Groups	7:30 pm	Community Room

Thursday, May 25

Senior Citizens	10:00 am	Fellowship Hall
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Friday, May 26

Grief Support	10:00 am	Fellowship Hall
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PRAYER CONCERNS

Howard Boone, Elizabeth Brinster (Lynda Bond's daughter),
Edna Culpepper, Jerry Cutchin, David Drewry, Mac Edwards,
Richard Edwards, Barbara Gray, Jeffrey Holt, Peggy Pearce, Horace Pierce,
Dot Saunders, Beth Seymour, Louise Story, Jo Wilson, Carolyn Williams

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EVERY MEMBER A MINISTER

Charles. L. Qualls, *Sr. Pastor*

Steven R. Gibson, *Associate Pastor/Music*

Cody P. Billups, *Pastoral Intern*

Sharon James, *Associate Pastor/Education Emeritus*

This worship service is broadcast on radio WLQM - 1250 AM

Franklin Baptist Church-May 21, 2017

Welcome Guests

We are always grateful to welcome guests who worship with us! Please complete the brief information card found in the pew rack, directly in front of you and place it in the offering plate as it passes.

The flowers in the sanctuary are given to the glory of God and in loving memory of the birthdays of Stanley Pope (5/12) and Scottie Whitley (5/13) by their family.

The flowers in the Narthex are given to the glory of God and in loving memory of Anne Carson by her family.

Worship

Franklin Baptist supports two services. Our contemporary service is at 8:45 am in the Chapel; and our traditional service is at 11:00 am in the Sanctuary.

Relay for Life

Franklin Baptist Church Relay for Life team is holding a fund raiser for American Cancer Society this afternoon from 3:30-5:30 to paint an inspirational picture in the Fellowship Hall. The cost includes a teacher to guide the painting process, paint, canvas, and you take home your own masterpiece. Cost is \$30. Checks made payable to the American Cancer Society. See Trina for more details.

Missions

Offering envelopes for the CBF Global Mission program are in our bulletin this morning. Your offering helps support CBF missionaries serving Christ around the world. As you write your check, remember to pray for the persons who will be impacted by your gifts.

Nominating Committee

The Nominating Committee has begun the process of filling committee positions beginning January, 2018, and would like to ask for volunteers to serve. Members of the committee are Peggy Blythe, Harold Burkett, Dayton Crowder, Nancy Hopkins, Kathy Roberts and Melody Tayloe. Please see any of these members if you are willing to help or if you need any additional information. Our next meeting is Wednesday evening 5/24 at 5:30 pm in the Library.

Cooperative Ministry

Due to the closing of the Days Inn, The Cooperative Ministry is requesting the following items for some displaced families. If you have any twin bed frames, bunk beds, kitchen table/chairs, end tables, lamps or anything else of this nature, please contact Ronnie at The Cooperative Ministry (757-516-6322). Please do not bring items to church.

Summer Camps and Youth Activities

Passport Youth is scheduled for July 2-8 at Furman University, Greenville, SC. The cost for the week is \$150 per youth. You may reserve your place with a deposit of \$75. Please print "Passport Youth" on the memo line of your check.

Music Camp is scheduled for July 17-21 at Eagle Eyrie, Lynchburg, VA. The cost for the week is \$150 per youth. You may reserve your place with a deposit of \$75. Please print "Music Camp" on the memo line of your check.

Vacation Bible School

Dawna Walton will be leading our Vacation Bible School volunteers this summer (July 30-August 3). Please call either the church office (562-5135) or Dawna (620-3703) to volunteer. A successful bible school takes planning, so be in on the ground floor. We need help from all ages! Spread the word for people to mark their calendars to save this date. Our bible school is for our community, not just FBC members. Returning this year will be dinner served each night at 5:30 pm. Bible school will be held from 6 pm to 8 pm.

Hospital Visitation

Ken Gay is looking for help with hospital visitation once every two weeks on Wednesdays. It requires a simple call to church to see if we have any members in the hospital who could use a visit. You can visit anytime during the day. Please give Ken a call if you can help in this area (562-5878).

