

THE WORSHIP OF GOD
AUGUST 13, 2017
11:00 O'CLOCK

GREETING Charles Qualls

VOLUNTARY *Aria* STEVEN R. GIBSON
Steve Gibson, Organist

RESPONSIVE CALL TO WORSHIP Maggie Swain
Give thanks to the Lord, for God is good.
God's steadfast love endures forever.
Let us hear what the Lord is telling us.
God will speak peace to the faithful.
Let us worship God.

INVOCATION AND LORD'S PRAYER Maggie Swain

**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 *God of Creation, All-Powerful* SLANE
(This hymn is found in the new Celebrating Grace Hymnal, # 26)

**God of creation, all-powerful, all-wise,
Lord of the universe, rich with surprise,
Maker, Sustainer and Ruler of all,
We are your children--You hear when we call.**

**God of the ages, through time's troubled years,
You are the One in whom history coheres;
nations and empires Your purpose fulfill,
moving in freedom, yet working Your will.**

**God of redemption, who wrought our rebirth,
called out Your church from the ends of the earth,
still You are Savior--put darkness to flight;
overcome sin by salvation's pure light!**

**God of Your people, Your Word still stands fast,
do for us now as You've done in the past!
Yours is the kingdom--your triumph we claim,
challenging evil in Jesus' strong name.**

**God of our now, all our trust is in You,
Covenant God, ever faithful and true;
Sovereign Creator, Redeemer and Lord,
now and forever Your name be adored!**

SCRIPTURE READING Psalm 85:8-13 Maggie Swain
Pew Bible Old Testament Pages 543-544
This is the Word of the Lord.
Thanks be to God.

PASTORAL PRAYER STEVE GIBSON

HYMN OF OFFERING 267 *Dear Lord and Father of Mankind* REST

OFFERTORY *Jesus, Name Above All Names* MARK HAYES
Steve Gibson, Pianist

*Offertory Response *The Doxology* OLD 100TH

**Praise God, from whom all blessings flow,
Praise Him, all creatures here below;
Praise Him above, ye heav'nly host;
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.**

*Prayer of Dedication Maggie Swain

SCRIPTURE READING Matthew 14:22-33 Maggie Swain
Pew Bible New Testament Page 16
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SOLO *As the Deer* LLOYD LARSON
Kathy Roberts, soloist

SERMON "Tell Me to Come to You" Charles Qualls

*HYMN OF RESPONSE 406 *The Solid Rock* SOLID ROCK

*BENEDICTION Charles Qualls

*CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE *God of Creation, All-Powerful* SLANE

**God of the ages, through time's troubled years,
You are the One in whom history coheres;
nations and empires Your purpose fulfill,
moving in freedom, yet working Your will.**

VOLUNTARY *Fanfare* STEVEN R. GIBSON
Steve Gibson, Organist

*Please stand if you are able.

PRAYER CONCERNS

Elizabeth Brinster (Lynda Bond's daughter), Mac Edwards,
Richard Edwards, Ronnie Ferguson, Al Johnson, Jeff Joyner, Earl Warren

The flowers in the sanctuary are given to the Glory of God and in loving memory
of Tommy Whitehead by his family.

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EVERY MEMBER A MINISTER
Charles. L. Qualls, *Sr. Pastor*
Steven R. Gibson, *Associate Pastor/Music*
Sharon James, *Associate Pastor/Education Emeritus*

This worship service is broadcast on radio WLQM - 1250 AM

Calendar of Events

Sunday, August 13

Casual Worship	8:45 am	Chapel
Bible Study	9:45 am	
Sunday School for Children/Youth	10:00 am	
Worship	11:00 am	Sanctuary
Fellowship Coffee	Noon	Fellowship Hall

Monday, August 14

Administrative Council	7:30 pm	Conference Room
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Tuesday, August 15

Caregivers' Support Group	10:00 am	Fellowship Hall
AA Group	8:00 pm	Community Room

Wednesday, August 16

Handbells	6:00 pm	Fellowship Hall
Chancel Choir	7:00 pm	Choir Room
NA Groups	7:30 pm	Community Room

Thursday, August 17

Senior Citizens	10:00 am	Fellowship Hall
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Pastor's Sunday School Class

Would you be interested in a weekly, Sunday morning Bible Study group led by our pastor, Dr. Charles Qualls? This group would be a curriculum-driven, Bible focused study and would begin this Fall. This group is not offered for those who are already active in a Sunday School class, but for those who might consider themselves currently in-between classes.

If you are interested in participating, please email Dr. Qualls at charles.qualls@franklinbaptist.org or call him to express your interest at 757-562-5135.



A Service of Installation to install the Reverend Dr. Charles L. Qualls as the twentieth pastor of Franklin Baptist Church will be held at 2:00 PM, Sunday, September 17, 2017 in the church sanctuary, with a reception immediately following in the Fellowship Hall.

Hymnal Dedication Service: Sunday, October 15, 2017 @ 11:00 AM

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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.

Worship

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

Clayton Turner Art Exhibit

There will be an exhibit of artistic creations from Clayton Turner (son of Glenn & Billie Turner) and Angela Bird (daughter of Colin and Suzanne Bird) at the Back Porch and Grille (The Village). The art work will be on display until August 23rd.

Blackwater Baptist Association

The Blackwater Baptist Association is accepting applications for an Administrator. This part-time position will work approximately 24 hours per week and office hours will be established with the winning candidate. The position requires fluency with Microsoft Office, word documents, payroll and filing the proper taxes. If you know someone who might be interested, please contact Steve Gibson.



JuBELLation Ringers/Chancel Choir

The JuBELLation Ringers and the Chancel Choir are getting a head start on fall music, Wednesday August 16th and Wednesday August 30th.

JuBELLation Ringers: 6:00 pm

Chancel Choir: 7:00 pm

