

THE WORSHIP OF GOD  
OCTOBER 22, 2017  
11:00 A.M.

GREETING Charles Qualls

VOLUNTARY *Aria* DONALD MOORE  
Steve Gibson, Organist

RESPONSIVE CALL TO WORSHIP Trina Stout

Give thanks to the Lord, for God is good.  
**God's steadfast love endures forever.**  
Give thanks to God for the faith we share;  
**Be steadfast in hope through Jesus Christ.**  
Let us worship God.

INVOCATION AND LORD'S PRAYER Trina Stout

**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 565 *God of Past, Who By Your Spirit* HYFRYDOL

NEW TESTAMENT LESSON 1 Thessalonians 1:1-10 Trina Stout  
Pew Bible New Testament Page 203  
This is the Word of the Lord.  
**Thanks be to God.**

PASTORAL PRAYER Steve Gibson

HYMN OF OFFERING 601 *O How I Love Jesus* O HOW I LOVE JESUS

OFFERTORY *Think About His Love* MARK HAYES  
Steve Gibson, Pianist

\*Offertory Response *The Doxology* LASST UNS ERFREUEN  
**Let all things their Creator bless,  
and worship Him in humbleness,  
O praise Him, alleluia!  
Praise, praise the Father, praise the Son,  
and praise the Spirit, Three in One,  
O praise Him, O praise Him, Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!**

\*Prayer of Dedication Charles Qualls

OLD TESTAMENT LESSON Genesis 50:15-21 Trina Stout  
Pew Bible Old Testament Page 48  
This is the Word of the Lord.  
**Thanks be to God.**

ANTHEM *Seek the Lord* JOHN CARTER  
(*Isaiah 55:6-7*)  
Chancel Choir

Seek the Lord while he may be found,  
call upon him while he is near.  
Let the wicked forsake his way, and the unrighteous man his thoughts;  
let him return to the Lord, that he may have mercy on him,  
and to our God, for he will abundantly pardon.  
Seek the Lord while he may be found,  
call upon him while he is near.  
Seek the Lord.

SERMON The Healing Power of Moving On Charles Qualls

\*HYMN OF RESPONSE 341 *For the Beauty of the Earth* DIX

\*BENEDICTION Charles Qualls

\*CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE

*God of Past, Who By Your Spirit*

HYFRYDOL

**God of hope, to Whom our service is entrusted  
for the day when Your kingdom is established  
and all people know Your way,  
by the leading of Your Spirit guide us now,  
new faith instill, that we face the future  
boldly for the doing of Your will.**

VOLUNTARY

*Give Thanks to God*  
Steve Gibson, Organist

DAVID JOHNSON

\*Please stand if you are able.

The flowers in the sanctuary are given today to the Glory of God by the family of Edna Culpepper in honor of her 102<sup>nd</sup> birthday.

The rosebud on the altar is in celebration of the birth of Julian Gabriel Ayala who was born on October 18, 2017 in Germantown, MD. Julian is the grandson of Oscar and Dinah Babb.

## Franklin Baptist Church

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[www.franklinbaptist.org](http://www.franklinbaptist.org)



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

## UPCOMING Events

November 5	11:00 am 12:00 pm	All Saints Sunday Book Signing with Charles Qualls
November 19	6:00 pm	Thanksgiving Dinner Angel Tree Begins
December 3	11:00 am	First Sunday in Advent Advent Communion Service
December 10	11:00 am	Second Sunday in Advent Hanging of the Greens Service Church-wide Christmas Party following
December 17	11:00 am	Third Sunday in Advent Christmas Music Sunday Christmas Carol Celebration Chancel Choir, Children's Choir Chamber Orchestra
December 24	11:00 am 4:30 pm	Fourth Sunday in Advent Christmas Eve Candlelight Service



Many of you have asked for Cody Billups' address:

Cody Billups  
1117 Centerville Turnpike  
Room 302-B  
Virginia Beach, VA 23464

### PRAYER CONCERNS

Bessie Best, Elizabeth Brinster (Lynda Bond's daughter), Shirley Drake, Diana Eagon (Jerry Standahl's sister), Mac Edwards, Richard Edwards, Bobby Eubanks, Chris Hicks, Dawn Holland, Al Johnson, John Lee, Gerry Lewis, Horace Pierce, Winston Qualls, Jack Rainey, Daisy Vann, Jamie Vaughan

We express Christian sympathy to the family of Abbie-Fox Worrell who passed away on October 16, 2017.

The binders in the Narthex contain large print copies of each Sunday's hymns and worship orders. They are very light and easy to use.

### Calendar of Events

#### Sunday, October 22

Casual Worship	8:45 am	Chapel
Friends, Food and Fun	9:30 am	Atrium
Bible Study	9:45 am	
Sunday School for Children/Youth	10:00 am	
Worship	11:00 am	Sanctuary
BBA Meeting	3:00 pm	Chapel
Youth Group	6:00 pm	Youth Room

#### Monday, October 23

JuBELLation Ringers	6:15 pm	Fellowship Hall
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#### Tuesday, October 24

AA Group	8:00 pm	Community Room
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#### Wednesday, October 25

Bible Study	11:00 am	Fellowship Hall
Children's Chimes	5:00 pm	Chimes Room
Vesper Dinner	5:30 pm	Fellowship Hall
Children's Choir	6:00 pm	Choir Room
Adult Vespers	6:15 pm	Fellowship Hall
Children's Missions	6:30 pm	Kindergarten Room
Christmas Choir	7:00 pm	Choir Room
Chancel Choir	7:40 pm	Choir Room
NA Groups	7:30 pm	Community Room

#### Thursday, October 26

Senior Citizens	10:00 am	Fellowship Hall
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## Franklin Baptist Church – October 22, 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.

Due to the BBA meeting, the coffee will resume on October 29, 2017.

### 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.



October 22<sup>nd</sup> begins our Week of Prayer for Associational Missions. From disaster relief, prison Bibles, mission trip assistance for our church's teams and more, your generous financial contributions will make an impact. Thank you for supporting the work of our ministry partner. Offering envelopes for this purpose may be found in the Sunday School rooms and pew racks.



On Wednesday, October 25, 2017 at 6:15 pm in the Fellowship Hall, please come hear a disaster relief update from Bill and Jackie Howell. They will tell us about their mass feeding effort in Palm Coast, FL. You will be amazed!



Plan to help with Trunk or Treat on October 29th in the parking lot of Paul D. Camp Community College. Churches work together to give community children a safe place to trick or treat. The event will take place between 5:00 pm and 6:30 pm. Candy donations can be left at the church office anytime between now and October 29th. Please contact Trina Stout (757-653-8417) if you can help that evening.



Fall Business Meeting is scheduled for Wednesday, November 1, 2017.



There will be a presentation by Art Matters Mobile Museum (Early Stage Engagement) on Friday, November 3, 2017 from 1:00 pm until 3:00 pm in the Fellowship Hall. Mobile exhibit is courtesy of the Chrysler Museum of Art. Participation is FREE, but registration is required. RSVP at 1-800-272-3900. Visit the Alzheimer's Association website at [alz.org/seva](http://alz.org/seva) for more information on their organization.

What is Art Matters?

Art Matters is a socialization engagement program for people recently diagnosed with early stage Alzheimer's disease or another form of dementia and their care partner(s). For more information about our Early Stage Education and Support, please contact the Southeastern Virginia Chapter at 1-800-272-3900.

Book Signing with Charles Qualls  
at our  
Coffee Fellowship  
Noon on Sunday, November 5

We'll have copies of all 8 of Charles' books that day!

Prices range from \$9-13 ea.

Signed By The Author!



The Baptist General Association of Virginia will meet in Hampton, VA on November 13-15, 2017. Anyone wishing to be a Messenger is to contact the office prior to October 30, 2017. One does not have to attend all sessions, but has to be a Messenger to vote on proposals. For more information, visit their website at <https://meeting.bgav.org>.