

THE WORSHIP OF GOD
FEBRUARY 4, 2018
COMMUNION SUNDAY
11:00 A.M.

*Please stand if you are able.

GREETING Charles Qualls

VOLUNTARY *Voluntary on Marching to Zion* GORDON YOUNG
Steve Gibson, Organist

RESPONSIVE CALL TO WORSHIP Nancy Bridges

Sing to the Lord a new song;
Sing to the Lord, all the earth.
Do all things for the sake of the gospel.
So that we may share in the blessings of God.
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 550 *We're Marching to Zion* MARCHING TO ZION

SCRIPTURE READING Mark 1:29-39 Nancy Bridges
Pew Bible New Testament Page 35
This is the Word of the Lord
Thanks be to God.

*HYMN OF OFFERING 303 *All Who Hunger, Gather Gladly* HOLY MANNA

OFFERTORY ANTHEM *The Lord is My Shepherd* ALAN POTE
Chancel Choir

*Doxology *All Creatures of Our God and King* 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

MEDITATION *The Secret Life* Charles Qualls

CELEBRATION OF COMMUNION
INVITATION, BLESSING OF THE ELEMENTS, DISTRIBUTION

*HYMN OF RESPONSE 395 *Open My Eyes, That I May See* SCOTT

*BENEDICTION Charles Qualls

*CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE *Blest Be the Tie That Binds* DENNIS

**Blest be the tie that binds our hearts in Christian love;
the fellowship of kindred minds is like to that above.
Amen!**

VOLUNTARY *I Just Keep Trusting My Lord* JOHN W. PETERSON
Marti Howell, Pianist

PRAYER CONCERNS

Lynda Bond, Elizabeth Brinster, Letitia Crumpler (Patsy Fowler's mother),
Mary Davidson (Greg Davidson's mother), Mac Edwards, Richard Edwards,
Dawn Holland, Paul Kaplan, Alyce Page Kitchen, Jennifer Maynard, Clyde Parker,
Marion Poole, Nancy Shackelford, Maggie Swain, Susan Vick, Kirk Whitley,
Lessie Whitley, Charles Wrenn

We express Christian sympathy to the family of Sol W. Rawls, Jr. who passed away
on January 28, 2018.

We express Christian sympathy to the family of Lauren Jernigan whose father
passed away on January 25, 2018.

Franklin Baptist Church

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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



Franklin Baptist Church Shrove Tuesday Pancake Supper:

When: Tuesday, February 13th, 6:00 PM
 Where: Fellowship Hall

There will no charge (however donations to help defray cost will be accepted). To participate, you **MUST** make a reservation with the church office (562-5135) so we may prepare sufficient food. Menu will include sausage, pancakes, assorted toppings & fruit, juice & coffee. It's Mardi Gras, so dress appropriately.

If you can assist with cooking, serving or setting up, please contact Britt Culpepper at 562-4360.



Ash Wednesday Worship will be on February 14th at 6:15 p.m. This entry into the Lenten season calls us to humble ourselves and to appreciate what Christ has meant for our lives. Make your plans to be with us, and be sure to bring family or friends for this meaningful service.

 February 14 th – March 21, 2018 Offering: Cooperative Ministry	Host Church: Emmanuel Episcopal Church 400 N. High Street, Franklin, VA Main Number: 757-562-4542														
	Schedule: 12:00 PM – 12:30 PM (Lunch) 12:30 PM – 1:00 PM (Worship) 1:00 PM – 1:30 PM (Lunch)														
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Calendar of Events

Sunday, February 4

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
Fellowship Coffee	12:00 pm	Fellowship Hall
Grief Support Group	1:30 pm	Church Parlor
Youth Group	6:00 pm	Quall's House

Monday, February 5

Helping Hands Soup Day	10:00 am	Fellowship Hall
JuBELLation Ringers	6:30 pm	Fellowship Hall

Tuesday, February 6

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

Wednesday, February 7

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
Winter Business Meeting	6:15 pm	Fellowship Hall
Children's Missions	6:30 pm	Kindergarten Room
Chancel Choir	7:00 pm	Choir Room
NA Groups	7:30 pm	Community Room

Thursday, February 8

Senior Citizens	10:00 am	Fellowship Hall
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Friday, February 9

Bell Festival		Glen Allen, VA
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Saturday, February 10

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Franklin Baptist Church – February 4, 2018

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 a.m. in the Chapel; and our traditional service is at 11:00 a.m. in the Sanctuary.



Spring Bible Study Group -- Come and join us on Wednesdays at 11:00 AM in the Fellowship Hall. We will study the short book of Jude and then turn to the Lenten study "Seven Words to the Cross" by J. Ellsworth Kalas.



New Paths: Christians Engaging Israel
led by Charles Qualls

Wednesday nights, 6:15 PM

Journey to the Holy Land as we experience the sights, sounds and voices of Israel. *New Paths* empowers North American Christians with a robust learning experience about Israel, in all its complexity, while bringing Christian theology and values to bear. Brief videos in each session will lead us into important discussions.



Library Book Sale -- Last chance to purchase books and VHS tapes. Tables are set up outside the Library with a broad selection of books that you may acquire for any donation. A jar for donations is placed for your convenience.

Everyone Knows 1

Everyone at Franklin Baptist knows that one friend, relative, neighbor or co-worker who would be here. That is, IF you invited them. Think of the one person who needs your prompting, and ask them to join you here next Sunday!

February EVENTS



Super Bowl Sunday -- Youth, make your plans to be at the Qualls' house tonight, 128 Beechwood Drive, Franklin, for the Super Bowl Party. As usual, we'll be there through halftime. See Trina Stout for time and more details!



Helping Hands Soup Day -- All are invited to prepare soup for our homebound on Monday, February 5th at 10:00 a.m. in the Fellowship Hall. Vegetable or tomato juice, canned tomatoes, frozen corn and butterbeans are needed. Jobs included will be cleaning the silver and taking inventory of the china. Lunch will be served for participants.



Churchwide Business Conference -- Do you wonder what your offerings do? Wish you knew more about what the church really does? Our Winter Churchwide Business Conference is Wednesday, February 7th at 6:15 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall. Come and hear the happy news of our solid 2017. Even better, 2018 is a year that is full of excitement. Important updates and committee work is making a place for you!



Virginia Baptist Handbell Festival 2018 -- Our JuBellation Ringers are planning to participate in the Richmond Festival, February 9-10, hosted by Mt. Vernon Baptist, 11220 Nuckols Road, Glen Allen, VA. As part of the Festival, the JuBellation Ringers will ring a solo piece at the concluding concert, beginning at 11:30 a.m. on Saturday. The guest director is Rev. Steve Gibson.



ALMA HUNT Offering for Virginia Missions -- Assists all Women's Missionary Unions of Virginia and makes possible other special ministries, outreach projects, initiatives and other projects not funded through regular streams of giving. FBC will conduct this offering through February 11th. The offering envelopes can be found in classrooms as well as in the sanctuary and chapel.