Franklin Presbyterian Church Rev. John Elam Easter Sunday, April 21st, 2019

Welcome/Concerns/The Passing of the Peace of Christ

Frank Thomason

Prelude: "My Redeemer Liveth"

Call to Worship

Minister: It is truly right that with full hearts and minds and voices we should praise you, O Lord.

Congregation: Our Lord, the unseen God, the all-powerful Creator, and your only Son, our Lord Jesus Christ.

Minister: For Christ has ransomed us with his blood.

Congregation: And paid for us the debt of Adam's sin.

Minister: Rejoice, heavenly powers!

Congregation: Sing, choirs of angels! Jesus Christ our King is risen!

*Hymn No. 138 "Christ Arose"

First Gospel Reading: John 20:1-18 pg. 108 Jan Hollis

Responsive Prayer for Easter:

Minister: O Christ, in your resurrection, the heavens and the earth rejoice. Alleluia! By your resurrection you broke open the gates of hell, and destroyed sin and death.

Congregation: Keep us victorious over sin.

Minister: By your resurrection you raised the dead, and brought us from death to life.

Congregation: Guide us in the way of eternal life.

Minister: By your resurrection you confounded your guards and executioners, and filled the disciples with joy.

Congregation: Give us joy in your service.

Minister: By your resurrection you proclaimed good news to the women and apostles, and brought salvation to the whole world.

Congregation: Direct our lives as your new creation.

Second Gospel Reading: Luke 24:36-53 pg. 85 Lisa Kluttz

THE SACRAMENT OF THE LORD'S SUPPER

Invitation to the Lord's Table Words of Institution Prayer of Consecration Distribution of the Elements Prayer of Thanksgiving

Easter Cantata:

Offering of Our Gifts to God Offertory: "Alleluia"

*The Doxology

*Prayer of Dedication

*Hymn No. 137 "Christ the Lord is Risen Today"

*Benediction - #129 At the Cross

At the cross, at the cross where I first saw the light, And the burden of my soul rolled away – it was there by faith I received my sight, And now I am happy all the day!

Postlude: "Victory March"

*Stand, if able

Church Finances

Offering for April 14	Current:	Y-T-D
General Tithes & Offering	\$2,342.00	
Benevolence	\$.00	
B & G	\$50.00	
TOTAL	\$2,392.00	\$47,238.75
Weekly Budgeted Amount	\$2,970.00	\$44,550.00 \$2,688.75

Special Offerings:

Worship Leaders: Elder – Heath Hager

Money Counter: John L Greeter: Nyoka

Announcers ...

21st – Frank Thomason, 28th – John Lowe

Psalm Readers ~

21st - Jan Hollis, 28th - Eden Hager

Lay Readers...

Alternate:

21st – Lisa Kluttz 28th – John Singleton Cindy Grant Bonnie Williams

Birthdays this week ...

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~Please PRAY 7 am or 7 pm or both – Pray and lift up our Church to God

Friday, April 26 Mission – "The Porch" 4:15 pm Sunday, April 28 2-Cents-a-Meal and donate can goods for Rowan Helping Ministries Jubilee Sunday – Committee Meetings Tuesday, April 30 May Calendar & Newsletter info due Wednesday, May 1 Choir Practice @ 6:30 pm Sunday, May 5 Session Meeting after Worship 5 pm Worship – St. James Male Chorus With Meal Wednesday, May 8 Choir Practice @ 6:30 pm Friday, May 10 Mission – "The Porch" 4:15 pm Sunday, May 12 Mother's Day 10:30 am Nurture – to Honor Mothers Tuesday, May 14 10 am Ladies Circle Meeting Wednesday, May 15 Choir Practice 6:30 pm Saturday, May 18 Youth Bowling @Woodleaf Lanes Wednesday, May 22 6:30 pm Choir Practice Friday, May 24 Mission-"The Porch" @ 4:15 pm Sunday, May 26..... "Pennies for God's Children"/bring can food donations for RHM Monday, May 27 Memorial Day – Office Closed Tuesday, May 28 Calendar & Newsletter Stuff due Wednesday, May 29 Choir Practice @ 6:30 pm Thursday, May 30 Delivery of Meals-on-Wheels



Rest Home/Rehabilitation:

Aliene Beaubien @ Trinity Oaks-Apt. 132-C, Clara Thomason @ Oak Park-Apt. 205

Hospital/Surgery/Treatment/Tests/Home:

Ann Barber, Sam and Mike Thomason, Jack & Shirley Smith and Family – Jack's sister passed away, Jackie Cammuse' brother-Jerry has stage 4 cancer, Lee Jarvis (testing), MJ Jarvis-shoulder repair, Mahaley Jarvis – Uncle Edward had a stint put in, Grace Lowe, Audrey – Lena's Sister, Nancy Foxworth's Mom – hand surgery, Lena Ross-knee rehab @ Autumn Care-Room #612, Andy Gardner's friend – Dean Ingold, Carol Penley – tests, Andy Gardner's friend – Dean Ingold, Eve Elam, Ann McCulloh's Grandson-Chris to have surgery, Audrey Smith's - Mother to have surgery

Instead of dwelling on negative thoughts, cause your mind to dwell on peace and joy.

- Ernest Holme

YOUTH PRAYERS

Eden – for people in the Church to feel better Anthony – Rilee – for Grandma Grace's back John – for the rain & storms to stop Ivan – everybody to have a good Easter Summer – for Grandma Grace's back Lee – for Nana Hopper's Knee Belle – Nana Jarvis's trip to Georgia Ben – MJ – for Cathy @ work-her husband's wreck, his head went through the window

News & Info

Application forms for academic scholarships and music awards are available in the church office. Please turn in by July 1st. Thanks, Telka

Be sure and pick up a new copy of our new and up-dated Church Directory

Our Christian sympathies are extended to Jack & Shirley Smith and family at the passing of Jack's sister this week. Please say a prayer for them.

<u>Easter Flower Dedication:</u>

In Honor of: ~Ms. Janice, the Choir, Our Children, the Youth, Pastor John & Eve, Our Parents, Our Grandchildren ~Given by Doug & Nancy

In Memory of: ~James Williams ~Margaret Thomason ~Given by Bonnie Williams

In Memory of: ~Jim Hollis

~Given by Jan Hollis

In Honor of: ~Gary & Herman, Joanne, Anita & Sue

In Memory of: ~Michael ~Given by Dan & Doris Mowery

In Honor of: ~ Libby & Clay Fowler

In Memory of: ~F.T. & Sara Thomason ~Given by Frank Thomason

<u>Easter Flower Dedication:</u>

In Memory of: ~Mom & Dad

In Honor of: ~My Children & Grandchildren ~Given by James Bost

In Memory of: ~Russell ~R.J.

In Honor of: ~John & Donna ~Summer & Rilee

~Given by Grace

In Honor of: ~Macy Grace

~Given by Grandpaw

In Memory of: ~Lester & Joyce Coley ~Given by Janice Robbins

In Memory of: ~James & Malissa Mowery ~Given by Telka Weant

In Memory of: ~My Brother Jerry ~Given by Jackie Cammuse