Franklin Presbyterian Church Rev. John C. Elam Sunday, May 5th, 2019

Welcome/Announcements/Passing of the Peace

Prelude – "Forest Green"

Frank Thomason Old English Melody

*Call to Worship:

Minister: Serve the Lord with gladness;

Congregation: Come before His presence with singing. Minister: Enter into His gates with thanksgiving,

Congregation: And into His courts with praise; be thankful unto Him and bless His name.

Minister: For the Lord is good;

Congregation: His mercy is everlasting, and His truth endureth to all generations.

*Hymn of Praise: #460 Leaning on the Everlasting Arms

Psalm Reading: Psalm 30:1-10 pg. 478 Eden Hager

Prayer of Confession:

Father, You did the impossible when You raised Jesus from the dead. Your victory over the grave reminds us of Your power to bring life out of death. We invite You into the dark recesses of our lives to yield the power of Your resurrection. We are stifled by our fears, hindered by our doubts, and consumed by our sins. Conquer our fears, overcome our doubts, and wipe away our sins. By the power of Your Spirit living in us, breathe the hope of new life and renew our passion to serve as Your disciples in this broken world.

Silent Prayer of Confession

Assurance of Pardon

Minister: God is slow to anger and full of compassion.

Congregation: He forgives all who humbly repent and trust in his Son as Savior and Lord. Minister: There is therefore now no condemnation for those who are in Christ Jesus. Congregation: We give thanks to the Lord our God! Amen. *Gloria Patri (front inside cover of hymnal)		
OT Reading: Readings from Proverbs	Andy Gardner	
Conversation with the Youth Prayer of Illumination		
Anthem		
NT Reading: Acts 9:1-9 pg. 119	Rev. Elam	
Sermon: "A Rather Interesting Meeting"		
*Hymn of Response: #393 Take My Life and Let it Be		
*Profession of Faith: Apostles' Creed		
Prayers of the People and the Lord's Prayer		
Offering of Our Gifts to God Offertory: "Arioso" *The Doxology *Prayer of Dedication	by Handel	
*Hymn of Dedication: #376 Take Time to be Holy		
*Benediction: #393 Take My Life and Let it Be Take my life and let it be Consecrated, Lord, to Thee; Take my hands and let them move At the impulse of Thy love, At the impulse of Thy love.		

Postlude: The Glory of God in Nature by Beethoven

Church Finances

Offering for April 28	Current:	Y-T-D
General Tithes & Offering	\$2,920.00	
Benevolence	\$.00	
B & G	\$50.00	
TOTAL	\$3,010.00	\$52,136.25
Weekly Budgeted Amount	\$2,970.00	\$50,490.00 \$1,646.25

Special Offerings: "Pennies for God's Children" \$247.39

Worship Leaders: Elder – Doug Foxworth

Money Counter: Heath Greeter: Naomi

Announcers ...

5th – Frank Thomason, 12th – John Singleton, 19th – John Lowe, 26th – Doug Foxworth

Psalm Readers ~

5th – Andy Gardner, 12 – John Jarvis, 19th – John Singleton, 26th – Eden Hager

Lay Readers...

<u>Alternate:</u>

5th – Eden Hager 12th – Cindy Grant 19th – Jan Hollis 26th – Rusty Smith Frank Thomason Jan Hollis Cindy Grant Bonnie Williams



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

Sunday, May 5 Session Meeting after Worship 5 pm Worship – St. James Male Chorus With Meal after concert Wednesday, May 8 Choir Practice @ 6:30 pm MEN's Breakfast @ Marlowe's 7:30 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 *Mentors are encouraged to attend 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 Monday, June 3 Community Watch Meeting – 7 pm

One who gives an honest answer gives a kiss on the lips.

Proverbs 24:26



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 Lee Jarvis, MJ Jarvis, 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, Andy Gardner's friend – Dean Ingold, Carol Penley, Andy Gardner's friend-Gerald, Eve Elam, Ann McCulloh's Grandson-Chris to have surgery, Audrey Smith's - Mother

YOUTH PRAYERS

Eden – Anthony – Rilee – John – for allergies to go away Ivan – for his elbow not to hurt Summer – Lee – for Nana H.'s knee Belle – Ben – Haley – for my neighborhood Donna – for the sick to be healed and your prayers to be answered

Men's Breakfast – Wednesday 7:30 – Marlowe's Y'all come!!!