

# FRANKLIN *Church of Christ*

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**SUNDAY:** Bible Class For All Ages 9:30 A.M. | Worship 10:30 A.M. & 5:30 P.M.

**WEDNESDAY:** Meal 6:00 P.M. | Bible Classes 7:00 P.M.

**OFFICE HOURS:** M - Th. 9:00-12:30 P.M.

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## Matthew 28:1-10

After the Sabbath, at dawn on the first day of the week, Mary Magdalene and the other Mary went to look at the tomb. There was a violent earthquake, for an angel of the Lord came down from heaven and, going to the tomb, rolled back the stone and sat on it. His appearance was like lightning, and his clothes were white as snow. The guards were so afraid of him that they shook and became like dead men. The angel said to the women, "Do not be afraid, for I know that you are looking for Jesus, who was crucified. He is not here; He has risen, just as He said. Come and see the place where He lay. Then go quickly and tell His disciples: 'He has risen from the dead and is going ahead of you into Galilee. There you will see Him.' Now I have told you." So the women hurried away from the tomb, afraid yet filled with joy, and ran to tell His disciples. Suddenly Jesus met them. "Greetings," He said. They came to Him, clasped His feet and worshiped Him. Then Jesus said to them, "Do not be afraid. Go and tell my brothers to go to Galilee; there they will see me."

Happy Easter!  
Jesus is risen!



### Elders

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### Deacons

Steve Beasley  
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Alicia Parker

**WELCOME!**

We are thrilled to meet with you all today and hope you are blessed just as much as we are to have you here!

Prayer, visitor and encouragement cards are in the back of the pews and special contribution envelopes are in the foyer and fellowship hall. These can all be placed in the collection plate following communion. Communion kits can also be found in a basket in the foyer if desired.

For guests, we encourage you to [fill out a visitor's card](#) so that we may have a record of your visit. We'd love to be able to contact you and pray for any needs you may have.



**WHAT'S HAPPENING?**

**The 5th Sunday Contribution** will be collected on March 31st. Everything collected over budget will go towards youth summer camps. We will not have a 5th Sunday Fellowship Meal, as it is Easter weekend. Also, we will not have evening services that day.

**Easter Egg Hunt**—we will have an egg hunt for all kids after morning services, March 31st. 5th Grade & younger will find the eggs. 6th Grade & older will hide the eggs. Please bring 1 dozen filled eggs/participant and place them on the counter in the church kitchen.

**No Empty Nesters** in April.

**Wednesday Meal** will be BBQ Sandwiches. Team Burning Bushes is preparing the main meal. The congregation is asked to bring sides and desserts.

**Food Pantry Workday** for our congregation is April 6th. There are 2 training videos that volunteers need to watch. The links to these videos have been emailed out and are posted online.

**Senior Sunday** will be May 19th. We have 13 seniors: Josh Atomanczyk, Blake Autrey, Gunner Brown, Josh Bush, Haley Caubarreaux, Reese Cottrell, Cort Lowry, Allie McCauley, Will Prochazka, Brady Rhoden, Gracie Stallones, Ryan Tucker, & Ayla Wolf. Tables have been set up in the fellowship hall where gifts and cards can be left for the seniors at any time.

**Ark Encounter Retreat** - New deadline to sign up to ride the bus is May 31st! The deposit is \$150/person. Information can be found online at [franklincofc.com/ark-encounter-retreat](http://franklincofc.com/ark-encounter-retreat).

**Sunny Glen Children's Home** has requested the following by May 16th:

- \*\*Toilet Paper**
- \*\*Mayonnaise**
- \*\*Dish Soap**
- \*\*Kid Snacks**

Items can be left in the foyer. If you do not have time to shop, you can give your money to Margaret Hall by May 5th, & she will shop for you.



*March 31st, 2024*

**MORNING WORSHIP 10:30AM**

<b>Morning Greeters</b>	Warren & M. Hall
<b>Opening Prayer</b>	Steve Beasley
<b>Direct Singing</b>	Dalton Vann
<b>Communion Devo.</b>	N/A
<b>Serving Communion</b>	Robin Lee Michael Williams Randy Sullivan Billy Wallingford
<b>Scripture Reading</b>	Jack Bush Matthew 28:5-6
<b>Shepherd's Prayer</b>	Jerry Pacey
<b>Announcements</b>	Les Lierman / Ross Bush
<b>Closing Prayer</b>	Joe Phillips
<b>Media</b>	Chris Smitherman Parker Januse
<b>Nursery</b>	Alicia Parker
<b>ERT</b>	Brad C., Harrison A., Coby W.

**WEDNESDAY 4/3/24**

<b>Song Leading</b>	Michael Williams
<b>Closing Prayer</b>	Tim Neff

**MONTHLY DUTIES**

<b>Building Lock Up</b>	Coby & Brooke Whitehead
<b>Communion Prep.</b>	Matt & Alicia Parker
<b>Counting</b>	Dalton Vann
<b>Order of Worship</b>	Harrison Armstrong

**Sunday: 3-24-24**      **Wednesday: 3-27-24**

<b>Bible Class</b>	72	<b>Bible Study</b>	111
<b>Worship A.M.</b>	121	<b>Membership</b>	265
<b>Contribution</b>	\$3,447	<b>2024 Baptisms</b>	1
<b>2024 Weekly Budget</b>	\$5,650	<b>Placing Membership</b>	0

**PRAYER LIST**

**Special Requests**

**Carrigan, Soles, Stover, Tucker & Turner families**—Zelda Turner passed away on March 23rd. The visitation will be at McCauley Funeral Home on Mon., April 1st, 5:00-7:00PM. Services will be held on Tues., April 2nd, at 11:00 AM at the Bald Prairie Church of Christ, with a burial to follow in the Bald Prairie Cemetery. We will be feeding the family at the Franklin Church building after the burial.

**Rocio**, friend of the Cruz family who have been attending the Spanish Bible study, has been diagnosed with stage 3 cancer, and will start chemotherapy soon.

**Celestina**, Miguel Cruz's mom, is having tests done for a possible stomach tumor on April 8th.

**Nursing Home/Assisted Living:** Laverne Currie, Pearl Howard, Sandra Jackson, Jimmie Kay, Laura King, Geraldine Marshal, Charles & LeAnn Nowlin, Sandy Perry, Johnine Phillips, Gary & Ruth Ray, Richard Stone.

**Military:** Alexis Bowen, Seth Cook, Brent Cook, Trent Ellison, James Wallingford.

**Cancer Patients:** John Widders (friend of the Phillips), Hudson Swinnea, Cash Samarron, Kaylie Dyniewski (Kevin & Paula Reed's granddaughter), Robert Maris, Margie Fulks, Wendell Hall, Lesleigh Jutson, Jessica Paulson, Rob Smith, Becky Tyree, Mary Whitworth, Mike Fisher (Gwen Biggs neighbor).

**Congregation:** Linda Skorupinski & family, Steven McCauley, Beth Armstrong, Priscilla Drennan, Steven McCauley, Elaine Beasley, Mike Lewis, Rex Neff, Ruth Rhodes, Jean Wylie, Kay Johnson & Geneva Mitchell.

**Friends & Family of the Congregation:** Emmett (Phillips' grandson), JJ & Cherry Ruffino (friends of the Beasleys), Riker Stippick (friend of the Brewers), Polly Haberkorn (Kristin Williams' MIL), Donna Spears (Elain Beasley's sister), Shirley Ellis, John Duncum, Leslie Nolan.