

THIS WEEK'S CREATION MOMENT

Frog Pharmacists



"He also that received seed among the thorns is he that heareth the word; and the care of this world, and the deceitfulness of riches, choke the word, and he becometh unfruitful." - Matthew 13:22

Some frogs are regular little drug factories. Their skins produce a wide range of powerful alkaloids, a large family of chemicals usually produced by plants. Familiar alkaloids include quinine, caffeine, and morphine. Different alkaloids have different effects, usually on the nervous system.

The poison-arrow frog may be the most famous alkaloid-producing frog. South American natives simply rub their arrows or darts on the frog's back. One species of this frog contains enough poison to kill about 100 people! Another frog produces an anesthetic more powerful than morphine. South American natives rub another frog on their wounds. Researchers discovered that the frog's skin makes a powerful antiseptic. Yet another frog alkaloid will change the colors on parrot feathers. Some of the alkaloids produced by frogs are so complex that it takes years of study, using modern science's most sophisticated equipment, to discover the active chemical.

Researchers in this field are only beginning to learn about the alkaloids produced by frogs. What puzzles evolutionists is that the frogs' exotic skin chemistries don't follow the patterns they anticipated based upon expected evolutionary relationships. This means that these frogs have one more exciting purpose. They provide evidence for the Creator.

REF.: Pennisi, Elizabeth. "Pharming frogs." Science News, v. 142. Image: Poison Dart Frog, Costa Rica, Envato.

Scan the QR code after service to watch a related video!



October 4, 2026

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This Week at Memorial
Sunday October 4, 2026

10/4 – Breakfast

8:45AM – Discipleship Classes

10:00AM – Worship

Look Ahead

10/11 – Pastor Appreciation Day

10/19th, 22nd, 23rd – Upward Evals.

10/31 – Fall Fun Fest.

11/1 – Daylight Saving Time Ends

11/9 – Veterans' Luncheon

11/15 – 20 GAP Mission Trip

Thank you

Memorial Family,

We hosted the Franklin County Baptist Association annual meeting. You all went above and beyond to love and serve sister church pastors and members. We had so many compliments noticing and appreciating your service and generosity, thank you for loving well and honoring our Savior!

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Joy Junction

8:45AM – Linda W

10:00AM Svc: Bekah H - SaraW

Wed, October 7 – Cindy S

Junior Church

NO JUNIOR CHURCH

The Way – Wed – October 7

6PM – 7:55PM In the FLC

Usher Ministry

8:45AM - Sunday School – John P

10:00AM – Gary S – Bobby J

Wed, October 7 – Ed S

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Joy Junction

8:45AM – Sara W

10:00AM Svc: Kristin C – Dakota G

Wed, October 14 – Linda W

Junior Church

Mike C – Zachariah Cargill

The Way – Wed – October 14

6PM – 7:55PM In the FLC

Usher Ministry

8:45AM - Sunday School – Jim S

10:00AM – Joe G – Jesse W

Wed, October 14 – Ryan W



Registration is
OPEN

It's time to again share our love for God with our community!

We need coaches, referees, devotional leaders, prayer team, and concession stand, see Amy Johnson or Elijah Cargill so we can plan for your participation.

Sign up today, Evaluations are Oct 19th, 22nd, 23rd



Saturday, October 31, 2026

6:00-8:00PM



A not so scary, family friendly time to love and reach out to our community. Please bring candy to provide

Thank you for joining us for worship today. If you are a guest with us today, if anyone has prayer needs, please fill out the MBC Connect Card that is in your bulletin and place it in the offering plate.

Memorial on Mission



November 15-20

Cost is \$200

Ladies, you have the opportunity to serve God's Applantion Partnership as they prepare for their seasonal outreach.

See Kristin Cargill for more information.

HONORING ALL WHO SERVED

VETERANS DAY

THANK YOU to all who have served our country! Monday, Nov 9th @ 11:30AM, we will host a celebration for **ALL** veterans and a family member in our area. If you know of anyone who has served, invite and encourage them to come as we thank God for their service and their blessing to us as a nation! We will enjoy together a lunch, a guest speaker, and the NJROTC

Please RSVP with at text or call to Mary How
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