



Sunday Services, April 25, 2021

Services in the Sanctuary & Multipurpose Room at 8:30 & 10:45 a.m.
Sunday School classes at 9:30 a.m.

Communion Services in May

We will celebrate the sacrament of Holy Communion in person at our morning services on Sunday, May 9.

We will also have a Drive-Through Communion Service from 3:00-4:00 p.m. on May 16 for those who cannot yet attend an in-person service.



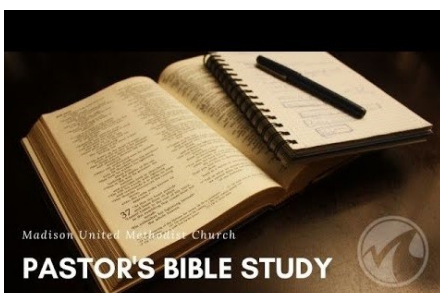
MADISON UMC SAFETY PROTOCOL UPDATES

- Our Administrative Council will meet next week to review current Covid-19 data and to update our COVID protocols. Late next week, we will share any COVID protocol changes with our church family through church emails, texts, social media, church app, and website.
- Beginning this Sunday, April 25, we will increase seating capacity in the sanctuary services. Since those services require a mask, we believe that we can begin to move closer to one another. We still ask that you try to keep some distance between you and other families.
- This Sunday, we will also add a hymn to the middle of all worship services.

PASTOR'S BIBLE STUDY UPDATES

Dr. John Oswalt finished his Joseph study for us on Wednesday, April 21. Those sessions were recorded and have been added to our YouTube channel and Facebook page.

Our online Pastor's Bible Study has concluded for the spring semester and we plan for it to resume with in-person sessions in August, along with our other *Wednesdays at Madison* age-level studies.



Latest Worship Updates



People may unmask in the Multi-Purpose Room services once they are seated. Those in the MPR will still need to mask for singing and should maintain social-distancing. Though we are lifting mask mandates for the MPR services, we are asking that everyone please be **masked throughout the rest of our campus and buildings** since many persons are still at-risk or have not been able to schedule their vaccination just yet.

WORSHIP REGISTRATION REMINDER

We will continue to ask that you register for our worship services for several more weeks due to our limited seating space. We are now uploading the registration on our website at 8:30 a.m. every Monday morning on our website or you can call the church office to register any time after 8:30 a.m.

ARE YOU TAKING ADVANTAGE OF YOUR FREE RIGHT NOW MEDIA ACCOUNT THROUGH MUMC?

Right Now Media is a streaming Bible study resource MUMC has secured for our members and guests. For some suggested studies, please periodically check www.madisonumc.org/rnm. If you want to receive an email invitation to access *RNM* please contact Ben Butler (ben@madisonumc.org).



We also have an account with Grace Ministries Online with video resources for Christian marriage, family, grief, crisis, men, and kid friendly movies. Go to <https://www.grace101.org/> and use **madisonumc** as both the username

MISSIONS/OUTREACH MINISTRY

Steve Potter 601-856-6058 or email steve@madisonumc.org



Methodist Children's Home

What a blessing to be in ministry and outreach with MCH. While in person opportunities on campus have been halted for the last year, summer and fall appear to be opening up a little. Opportunities will be publicized soon. There are about 20 youth housed on the campus year round, all needs provided through MCH. When we say all needs, we mean physical and emotional. Children housed away from home need an abundance of love and encouragement. While we are not hands on at this time, there are still opportunities to be involved. One way right now is to help with the bedding and linens required for our friends on campus. All beds are twins and Boys and Girls are both in need. And there is always the opportunity to Foster. What a blessing that would be for YOU and some precious child. We have an ongoing close working relationship with MCH so please let us know if you would like any information on Methodist Children's Home. For more info, contact Diane Goolsby dianegoolsby@ymail.com

Concerns of Our Church Family

MADISON UMC PRAYER MINISTRY TEAM LIST

Please continue to turn in names and addresses of family/friends needing prayer for the MUMC Prayer Ministry Team.

We encourage you to turn in prayer requests for other special needs such as expectant mothers, new babies, job changes, relocations, etc.

The MUMC Prayer Ministry Team covenants to pray for these names for 30 days. Names may be resubmitted to jackie@madisonumc.org if prayer is still needed.

PRAYER REQUESTS – MUMC MEMBERS

Carol Ann Ables	The Moody Family	Janice Stenmark
Ann Artmann	Willie Moore	Courtney Tucker
Barbara Christmas	James Morphis	Cheryl Webb
Bob Ellis	Dupree Petty	Janet Zoble
Katherine Fowler	Norma Richards	
Marie Hulsey	Julia Lee Riley	
Mary Frances Kelly	Elinor Rummel	
Judy McArthur	Trey Russell	
Patsy McCarty	Shauna Sansing	
Jerry Mitchell	Beverly Sartor	

PRAYER REQUESTS—FAMILY MEMBERS AND FRIENDS

Glenn Bolton	Allen LaBan's friend
Mary Margaret Case	Sara Reily's sister
Sandra Miller	Friend of MUMC
George Nasif	Brooke Hood's uncle

Hospice/Assisted/Living/Nursing Homes

The Blake: Fabia Smith

Beau Ridge: Jerry & Frankie Mitchell; Joyce Logue; Joan Winstead

St. Catherine's Village: Clara Derrington; Lou Jennings; Barbara Pittman; Mary Salvatore

Home Place: Margi Baley, Barbara Mapp

Expectant Parents: Emily and Peyton Spring

Pray for Our Deployed Troops

- Will Beggiani, Ann Beggiani's grandson, U. S. Army, Germany

MUMC REPORT

	Offering		Year-To-Date
	Cash/Check	Electronic	All Giving
4/11/21	\$24,117.00	\$13,556.00	\$714,236.00
4/18/21	\$70,000.00	\$14,045.00	\$798,241.00

Education Building Cost: \$5,227,203.00

Education Building Mortgage

Balance (as of 4/05/21): \$1,697,342.00

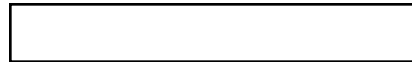
Madison United Methodist Church
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Website: www.madisonumc.org

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MINISTERIAL LEADERSHIP
Rev. James E. Swanson, Sr., Resident Bishop
Rev. Connie Shelton, District Superintendent
Rev. Barry Male, Senior Pastor
Rev. Ben Butler, Associate Pastor
Rev. Linda Rickman, Congregational Care

RETURN SERVICE REQUESTED



**For the 1st Year of the Plan, go to
<http://www.readpraylovedaily.com/year-1-plan/>;
the 3rd Year plan is below

Sun., Apr. 25 – Mark 8
Mon., Apr. 26 – Mark 9
Tues., Apr. 27 – Job 37
Wed., Apr. 28 – Job 38
Thurs., Apr. 29 – Job 39
Fri., Apr. 30 – Job 40
Sat., May 1 – Psalm 119

Sun., May 2 – Mark 10
Mon., May 3 – Mark 11
Tues., May 4 – Job 41
Wed., May 5 – Job 42
Thurs., May 6 – Proverbs 1
Fri., May 7 – Proverbs 2
Sat., May 8 – Psalm 120



Maintenance/Custodial Person Needed

Due to recent personnel changes,
MUMC is looking for a FULL-TIME
maintenance and custodial person. If
you or someone you know is interested
in this position, please contact Doug
Owens at 601-856-6058 ext. 230 or
email doug@madisonumc.org.

STUDENT MINISTRY

Cory Phillips 601-856-6058 or email cory@madisonumc.org

Congratulations, Graduates!

HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATE RECOGNITION SUNDAY 2021

May 2 is our annual Graduate Recognition Sunday. We will recognize our high school graduates at the 8:30 and 10:45 a.m. services and enjoy a reception together during the Sunday School hour.

This is a listing of our known high school graduates:

Peyton Abner, Madison Bates, Harper Blake, Elizabeth Bourne, Keitan Bradford, Alex Brown, Mason Brown, Anna Kay Bumgarner, Clint Burton, Bryant Buteau, Casey Carmichael, Libby Chance, Connor Chisolm, Haley Cote, Katherine Delaney, Sims Dixon, Rossy Edmonson, Rob Embry, Anders Estorge, Kellen Fairburn, Danson Foster, Will Fritts, Norah Fulcher, Joe Gallaspy, Ella Gibbs, Jacob Grimsley, Carter Hales, Everett Heard, Ethan Howell, Harry Howell, Audrey Kilgore, Victoria Klauser, Jackson Lawrence, Parker Layton, Bob Loflin, Rhaly Milling, Ali Nicholson, David Ramsey, Anderson Rings, Creek Robertson, Walker Rogillio, Lanie Schulz, Will Scoggins, Jessica Shelton, Ann Cabot Stockett, Wyatt Stringer, Sam Thoms, Robert Tickner, Nathan Upshaw, Ty Usey, Adeline Walters, Logan Watrous, Luke Weathersby, Chandler Welgos, Taylor Wells, and Aden Wright.

Please contact the church office at 601-856-6058 or email Jackie@madisonumc.org with additions or corrections to this list.

COLLEGE AND ADVANCED DEGREE GRADUATES

Please let us know if you plan to graduate or have graduated with a college or advanced degree August 2020-August 2021. Information needed for church publications includes: parents' names, name of student, date of graduation, name of college, degree received, and field of study. You can call the church office with this information at 601-856-6058 or email it to Jackie@madisonumc.org.



ADULT MINISTRY

Rev. Ben Butler 601-856-6058 or email ben@madisonumc.org

Faithbuilders
**ANNUAL
RUMMAGE
SALE**

Friday, June 4, 4-6 p.m.
(\$5.00 Early Entry Fee)

Saturday, June 5, 8 am - 1pm



Donations accepted in the back of the east parking lot on Saturdays May 1, 8, 15, & 22 from 10:00 - 11:00 a.m.

Clothing will only be accepted the week of May 24, and clothing must be on hangers.

Monetary donations can be made via paypal to faithbuildersmumc@gmail.com

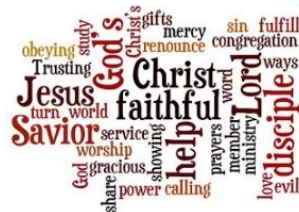
KIDS MINISTRY
Renee Scales 601-856-6058 or email renee@madisonumc.org



Vacation Bible School will be June 28-July 2! Details about registration & volunteer opportunities coming soon!

KIDS Ministry Leadership Team (KMLT) Zoom Mtg.
 Confirmation Sunday
 VBS

April 26 @ 6 p.m.
 May 23
 June 28-July 2



SPRING 2021 Confirmation

Thirty confirmands & their mentors are 8 week journey to confirm our faith in Jesus Christ! Below are some pictures from our Sunday morning & Sunday night classes, including Bible Pictionary, Faith Walk, and Table Work.



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Join the VIPS for a
Drive-Thru Luncheon
as they celebrate the
Birthday of the Church
(Pentecost)

Tuesday, May 4, 12:00 noon

Reservations must be made by noon on Thursday, April 29. No reservations will be accepted after that date/time. Please bring a check or cash for the exact amount as we will not make change. \$5 per meal. One meal per VIP!

Menu: Eden Isle chicken, wild rice, squash casserole, broccoli romaine salad and three milk birthday cake.

Call Jone at the church office for reservations - (601)856-6058 or email jone@madisonumc.org.

