

No. 13

June 29, 2022

Sunday Services, July 3, 2022 Worship Services in the Sanctuary at 8:30 & 10:45 a.m. Sunday School classes at 9:30 a.m.





# WELCOME NEW MEMBERS!



Gerad & Elizabeth Buffington joined the MUMC church family on June 19.

Owen Adam Dilley, son of Jessica & Adam Dilley and baby brother of Gracyn & Hayes, was baptized June 26.









During June, our church has been blessed in so many ways by hosting **Praying Pelican Mission teams** from Tulsa, Oklahoma; Greenwich, Connecticut; and a bonus team from Kentucky! While in Mississippi, the teams worked on projects with Jackson Leadership Foundation, Hilltop Ministries, the Perkins Foundation, Canopy, Soul Snatchers and helped clear the landscape of several Jackson Police precincts.

The hospitality, donated snacks and prayers were so appreciated! Special thanks to the following for serving meals during our summer of Praying Pelicans: Carrie Ainsworth, Marvel

Allred, Jeannie Barrier, Butler family, Chisolm family, Kaia Gentry, Diane Goolsby, Gray Family, Vickie Graves, Cindy Keller, Adelene Killens, Cynthia Lauderdale, Kathy Long, Laurie McCarley, Jone McCollum, Ann McElroy, Fran McRae, Men's Club, Connie Moore, Edward and Max Sanders, Marcy and Kirk Scoggins, Suzanne Sullivan, Paula Stubbs, Hallye Stringer, Tipton Family, and Jackie Wilson. Thank you to Wilson Claudell, Max Sanders, Stella Tipton and Charles Yeager for going above and beyond to make the CLC their home away from home!

# **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. Please send all prayer requests to: prayer@madisonumc.org

#### PRAYER REQUESTS – MUMC MEMBERS

Carol Ann Ables Ann Artmann Vicki Blake Gwyn Bourne Philip Boyd Regina Brock Sandra Eilders Travis Ezelle Philips Godwin Rebecca Godwin Janie Harris Vernon Hull Rhonda Loeb Joyce Logue Lizzie Manning Margaret Mason Herb Mays Judy McArthur Barrie McArthur Rosemary McInnis

The Moody FamilyJames BarnesWillie MooreDonna BryantCathy NavarretteDhilip ChisolnCarlton O'KeefeAmes & ParkeBill PhillipsMatt LivingstTrey RussellMary Ann OdMary Ann StottsThames PembCourtney TuckerNeil SmithDonna WalleyMary AngelaWayne WebbSophie Spence

#### PRAYER REQUESTS—FAMILY MEMBERS/FRIENDS

Kirk Barnes' brother Donna Bryant Beverly Phillips' mother Philip Chisolm Richard Chisolm's father Ames & Parker Lee Christy Nettles' nephews Matt Livingston Lib Sistrunk's son-in-law Mary Ann Odom Elizabeth Carr's mother Thames Pemberton MUMC regular attender Neil Smith Leslie Ezelle's father Mary Angela South Rosemary Taylor's daughter Sophie Spence Bob/Debbie Merchant's granddaughter Steve/Marcia Whatley's daughter-in-law Rebecca Whatlev Jerry Williamson familyKaren Russell's father

#### HOSPICE/ASSISTED LIVING/NURSING HOMES/

<u>RETIREMENT HOMES</u>

<u>The Blake</u>: Fabia Smith <u>Beau Ridge</u>: Frankie Mitchell; Joyce Logue; Joan Winstead; Bonnie Hoy

<u>St. Catherine's Village</u>: Lou Jennings; Cappy Paine; Rosalind Ross; Barbara Pittman; Mary Salvatore; James Potts; Jerry Zoble

Home Place: Barbara Mapp; Evelyn Palmer; Peggy Maddox; Rosemary Taylor

<u>The Orchard</u>: Maggie Hart; Frances Williams <u>Ridgeland Place</u>: Phillip Perry

# In Memoriam

Mary Virginia Phillips—6/15/22 Mother of Bill Phillips

> *Tillie Taylor—6/16/22* Sister of Johnnie Miller

Judy Rivardo—6/22/22 Sister of Tom Cain

We express our sympathy to the families.

<u>EXPECTANT PARENTS:</u> Megan & David Cretella; Jason & Katie Leist

#### **MUMC REPORT**

Worship Attendance 06/19/22 521 06/26/22 484

Finances 2022 Budget: \$2,500,000 Given to Date: \$1,273,099

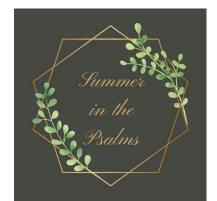
Education Building Mortgage Balance (as of 05/01/22): \$1,406,009.00



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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 Dated Material Please deliver by: Saturday, July 2, 2022 NONPROFIT ORGANIZATION U.S. POSTAGE PAID MADISON, MS. PERMIT 8

#### **RETURN SERVICE REQUESTED**



SUMMER IN THE PSALMS

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Sun., July 3 – Psalms 56-57 Mon., July 4 – Psalm 58-59 Tues., July 5 – Psalm 60-61 Wed., July 6 – Psalms 62-63 Thurs., July 7 – Psalms 64-65 Fri., July 8 – Psalms 66-67 Sat., July 9 – Psalm 68

Sun., July 10 – Psalm 69 Mon., July 11 – Psalms 70-71 Tues., July 12 – Psalms 72 Wed., July 13 – Psalms 73 Thurs., July 14 – Psalm 74-75 Fri., July 15 – Psalms 76-77 Sat., July 16 – Psalms 78



Devon Loggins, CEO of Methodist Children's Home, was with us this past Sunday for a special information meeting during Sunday School. He shared information about the amazing work MCH is doing to bring hope and healing to hurting children of Mississippi through its group homes, foster care programs and so much more. Visit our webpage at madisonumc.org/missions to learn more about MCH and how you can get involved.

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



#### **CHURCH NURSERY JOB OPENINGS**

If you are interested in working in the Nursery on Sunday mornings, Wednesday nights, and other scheduled times, please contact Paige Wright (melpaigew@yahoo.com) for an application or for more information. Applicants must be at least 21 years old and will be required to obtain CPR/First Aid Certification as well as pass a background check.

#### AFTER SCHOOL CARE JOB OPENINGS

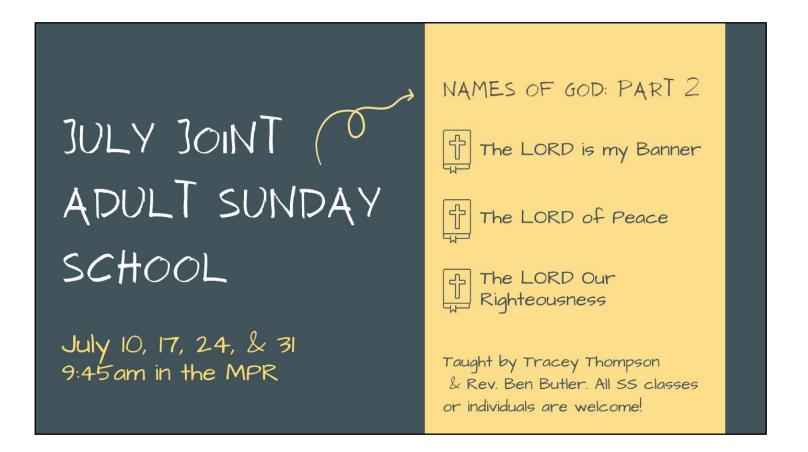
After School Care has openings for an After School Care positions. This position is August – May from 2:00 - 6:00 p.m. Applicants must be at least 21 years old and will be required to obtain CPR/First Aid Certification as well as pass a background check. Please email Gayle Hart (gayle@madisonumc.org) for more information or to request an application.



# SUMMER OFFICE HOURS FOR PRESCHOOL & AFTER SCHOOL CARE

Beginning in June, Preschool/ASC office hours will be from 10:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m. on Monday, Tuesday, and Wednesday.

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



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

Summer Sunday Night Activities Each Week 6:00 p.m.. – 7:45 p.m. No meals are served in June or July.

A full schedule of Student Ministry activities may be downloaded at www.madisonumc.org/students



# MISSION/OUTREACH MINISTRY Steve Potter 601-856-6058 or email steve@madisonumc.org

# **CELEBRATING OUR MISSION TRIPS:**

Madison UMC recently sent out three foreign mission teams, thanks to the prayers, encouragement and generosity of our church family. God did great things in and through these teams. Below are a few testimonies from some who went.

# HIGH SCHOOL YOUTH TRIP TO JAMAICA:

Going to serve in Jamaica was something I had been looking forward to for a long time, but little did I know how much of an impact it would truly have on me. All the meetings and fundraising were filled with excitement and eagerness to just actually get there and do what the Lord had planned for us, but I have to say that first night was tough. The conditions that we stayed in were overwhelming and I felt so unprepared. We got to Jamaica Saturday then Sunday we went to Annotto Bay Baptist Church Service, and I was ready for Monday, Tuesday, and Wednesday because those are the days I knew we would be serving and working the most. We did a VBS at a local school and painted two churches as well as making cement to pour for Annotto Bay Baptist Church's new youth ministry project. Looking back, I wouldn't change a thing about this trip. I wouldn't have chosen for things to be the way that they were, but I know now that that's exactly why God needed me on this trip. Getting out of your comfort zone is terrifying. Not feeling clean for a week is uncomfortable. Praying over strangers is uncommon. Jamaica made me empathize. It made me step out of my reality and appreciate other peoples reality. I am so thankful for the ability to serve the Lord by tutoring the fourth graders at the school, having paint in my hair for a couple of days, bonding with friends old and new, and sharing a love that only He can give. The best thing about mission trips is that they only grow a light to bring back home and I'm pretty positive I can speak for just about everyone that served this past week we are all on fire! His love is never ending no matter where we are.

- Alexa Ainsworth (High School student)

#### SALT & LIGHT TRIP TO HONDURAS:

Salt & Light was a great and fulfilling trip where we saw God working in lives in His power. We were in a "new" geographical area for our ministry. My work area was the construction of the soup kitchen/feeding center located in Los Lomitas. With a friend from New Hampshire, Mark Edwards, and a couple of people from St. Marks, we made great progress on the facility. At the end of our week, the walls were virtually complete and ready for the roof to be installed. This feeding center is adjacent to the school in Los Lomitas and will provide a healthy meal to the children of the school. The Salt & Light team also participated in medical, dental, VBS, teacher training, Women's Bible study, teen soccer ministry, evangelism, and more.

-John Smith

# LEGACY TRIP TO HONDURAS (MOODYS):

We were serving on the island of Roatan in the Oak Hill area. We were doing construction by day. We installed shelving and painted in the clinic pharmacy in the Legacy Center. We worked at 2 different schools replacing ceilings, painting, replacing fencing, worked on playground equipment and plumbing work. We worked at replacing walls and siding on homes in Punta Caliente. At night we hosted a 3 night Men's Discipleship Conference where we had about 30 men attend. This was at New Hope church which is the church plant from Legacy Mission International.

-George Taylor

#### (Photos of all Mission Trips can be found elsewhere in this Messenger)





































