

No. 11 June 2, 2021

### Sunday Services, June 6, 2021

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

## **CONFIRMATION 2021**

May 23, 2021



Back Row (Left to right) – Micah Anglin (table leader), Stacey Lindley (table leader), Cathy Martin (table leader),

4<sup>th</sup> Row – Elias Abraham, Anna Lee Atkinson, Sarah Wasson, Porter Dancy, Harrison Smith, Ruthie Largen, Clark Moore (table leader)

3<sup>rd</sup> Row – Claire Bumgarner, Maggie Lindley, Danielle Dale, Ramsey Milling, Lorin Ezelle

2<sup>nd</sup> Row – Rev. Barry Male, Blake Valentine, Margaret Reily, Thomas Edwards, Drew Milton, Colton Barnett, Molly Carr, Sienna Smith, Katye Reece (table leader)

1<sup>st</sup> Row – Reneé Scales, Jave Breedlove, Natalie Butler, Caroline Norcross, Macey Livingston, Audrey Moore, Cooper Griffin, Sophia Phyfer, Frances Gatlin



### MADISON UMC SAFETY PROTOCOL UPDATES

Here are several protocol updates from our Administrative Council:

#### **WORSHIP MINISTRIES**

- We will continue to offer a live "masked" service in the Multi-Purpose Room for the 8:30 a.m. service. We will also have a "masked" video-feed service in the MPR at 10:45 a.m. but we will not have pastors and staff lead the service.
- We have cancelled worship registration.
- Singing will begin to be "mask optional" in our Sanctuary services this Sunday, June 6.
- We will begin passing registration pads and offering plates soon.

### **CAMPUS PROTOCOLS**

- Our campus is now "mask optional" and you can choose to mask or not moving throughout our facilities.
- We have begun to offer coffee in the Fellowship Hall. Volunteers will serve you.
- We do ask our church family to continue to sanitize their hands as they enter and leave the services.

### KIDS MINISTRIES

• The KIDS classrooms are now "mask optional".

#### FUNERALS/WEDDINGS

• We will continue to allow for "mask optional" weddings and funerals on our campus but we will not yet hold funeral visitations at our church for a while longer.

Thank you for your continued patience in the difficult season. Please call on our pastors or leaders with any questions or concerns. Make sure to visit our Communications webpage (<a href="www.madisonumc.org/communications">www.madisonumc.org/communications</a>) to find all of the ways that you can receive updates and announcements.

### WELCOME TO THE MUMC CHURCH FAMILY!



William James Eargle, son of Hayley and Jordan Eargle and grandson of Eddie & Donna Eargle, was baptized on April 18.



McKee Lynn Smith, daughter of Conner & Hannah Rachel Smith and baby sister of Parker, was baptized on May 2.



Lamar Kathleen Graham, daughter of Allison and Aaron Graham and granddaughter of Sheila and Les Jones, was baptized on May 23.

## **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

Willie Moore Louisa Swindle Carol Ann Ables Ann Artmann James Morphis Courtney Tucker Barbara Christmas Carlton O'Keefe Bryce Upshaw Betsy Cowden Mike Pace Cheryl Webb **Bob** Ellis Phillip Perry Connie Wiseman Norma Richards Janie Harris Marie Hulsey Elinor Rummel Judy McArthur Trey Russell Patsy McCarty Shauna Sansing

Janice Stenmark

### Hospice/Assisted/Living/Nursing Homes

The Blake: Fabia Smith

The Moody Family

Beau Ridge: Frankie Mitchell; Joyce Logue; Joan Winstead St. Catherine's Village: Clara Derrington; Lou Jennings; Bar-

bara Pittman; Mary Salvatore

Home Place: Margi Baley, Barbara Mapp Hospice Ministries Ridgeland: Beverly Sartor

Expectant Parents: Katie & Nathan Witt; Madison & Matt

Smith

### In Memoriam

Tyler Willis—5/18/21 Son of Tim and Dee Willis Member of MUMC

Bernice Bailey—5/18/21 Mother of Ron Bailey

**Garry Bjornerud** Father of Ben Bjornerud

John Harris—5/28/21 Husband of Kate Harris Father of Parker & Cooper Harris Member of MUMC

We express our sympathy to the families.

### PRAYER REQUESTS—FAMILY MEMBERS AND **FRIENDS**

Mike Blaine Phil Hinton's friend Glenn Bolton Allen LaBan's friend Mary Margaret Case Sara Reily's sister Rankin Faler Phil Hinton's relative Jean Hawkins Maritta Mullet's sister Mac Holmes Susan Hunt's brother-in-law Sheila Keller Steve Keller's sister-in-law Kenny Malone Diane Goolsby's friend Sandra Miller Friend of MUMC George Nasif Brooke Hood's uncle

Trey & Mary Ann Odom Elizabeth Carr's parents Aaron Sibley family Diane LaBan's nephew

Offering Year-To-Date Cash/Check Electronic All Giving 5/23/21 \$33,919. \$ 9,441. \$1,004,165. 5/30/21 \$32,000. \$15,605. \$1,051,770.

**MUMC REPORT** 

Education Building Cost: \$5,227,203.00

Education Building Mortgage

Balance (as of 5/03/21): \$1,678,118.00

### PRAY FOR OUR DEPLOYED TROOPS

Zack Al-Azzawi, Bill & Gayle Cooper's grandson-in-Law, Afghanistan

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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



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

Sun., June 6 – 1 Peter 4 Mon., June 7 – 1 Peter 5 Tues., June 8 – Proverbs 19 Wed., June 9 – Proverbs 20 Thurs., June 10 – Proverbs 21 Fri., June 11 – Proverbs 22 Sat., June 12 – Psalm 125

Sun., June 13 – 2 Peter 1 Mon., June 14 – 2 Peter 2 Tues., June 15 – Proverbs 23 Wed., June 16 – Proverbs 24 Thurs., June 17 – Proverbs 25 Fri., June 18 – Proverbs 26 Sat., June 19 – Psalm 126



## SUMMER IN THE PSALMS with Dr. Matt Ayars

Register for this weekly summer email subscription to receive short videos and a Bible study on one of the Psalms. Dr. Ayars, president of WBS, will lead this study and he received his PhD in Old Testament with publications on the Psalms. Go to <a href="https://summerinthepsalms.wbs.edu/summer-in-the-psalms">https://summerinthepsalms.wbs.edu/summer-in-the-psalms</a> or find a link for this email series through our church's social media, emails, and "News and Announcements" website section.



United Methodist Women will meet Monday, June 7, 9:45 am in the Fellowship Hall, room 122. Renee Scales will lead our program.

All are invited to this, our first oncampus meeting since the beginning of the pandemic.

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

# Madison United Methodist Church Student Summer 2021 Schedule

### 6th-8th Grade

- June 25: Bogue Chitto Tubing McComb, MS
- July 15-18: Jr. High Mission Trip Lake Charles, LA

### 9th-12th Grade

- June 4-11: Sr. High Mission Trip Fort Myers, FL
- July 23-24: Top Golf Baton Rouge, LA

## Whole Group

- June 16: Movie Night
- July 4-8: Lake Junaluska, NC
- July 28: Geyser Falls Philadelphia, MS
- August 4-5: Lock In

## Mission Mondays

- June 14: Hope Hollow 9a-11a
- June 21: Good Samaritan 9a-12p
- July 12: His Heart 10a-12p
- July 19: Perkins Center 1p-3p
- July 26: Soul City Church 1p-3p
- August 2: Wingard Home 3p-5p



### **SENIOR ADULT MINISTRY**

Rev. Linda RIckman 601-856-6058 or email Linda@madisonumc.org



We plan to resume meeting in person in the Christian Life Center beginning at noon on August 3, 2021. We hope that you have enjoyed these wonderful drive-by meals prepared by Cynthia Lauderdale and her team and will plan to attend our in-person meetings. We do NOT prepare "carry outs" once we resume in-person meetings except for meals to homebound church members.

Tanya Brieger, our chairperson of VIPs, is planning some great programs. Our VIP team will be meeting soon to coordinate plans and to prepare to send out a mailing asking VIPs to serve as host/hostesses, on a calling committee, etc.

We are excited that many new persons started attending VIPs during the drive-by meetings. We could use some new members on our VIP Ministry Team. If you are a church member and wish to serve on this team, please contact me at <a href="mailto:linda@madisonumc.org">linda@madisonumc.org</a>.

Rev. Linda Rickman Staff liaison for VIP Ministry



Happy birthday to Elinor Rummel, who turned 100 on May 24 and has been a member of Madison UMC and our predecessor church, Montgomery Memorial Methodist, since 1928. She is our longest term living member – 93 years! She joined the church when she was 7 years old and moved to Madison when her father became the county superintendent of education. What a beautiful, delightful lady!

### KIDS MINISTRY

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

## VBS 2021 – June 28-July 2—ROCKY RAILWAY: Jesus' Power Pulls Us Through



### **VBS REGISTRATION**

VBS is open to all children who have completed  $K5 - 5^{th}$  grade. You can register on-line at <a href="https://www.madisonumc.org">www.madisonumc.org</a> (go to the KIDS page and click on the VBS 2021 link; there is also a scrolling link on the home page).

### **VBS VOLUNTEERS**

Did you know you can volunteer to help one day, two days, three days, four days, or all week? We have opportunities for working parents to "share" a volunteer spot!!!

You can sign-up to volunteer on-line at <a href="www.madisonumc.org">www.madisonumc.org</a> (go to the KIDS page and click on the VBS 2021 link; there is also a scrolling link on the home page). You can also volunteer by emailing me at <a href="mailto:renee@madisonumc.org">renee@madisonumc.org</a>.

### VBS DECORATING COMMITTEE NEEDED

We are transforming the church, and we need your help. Let me know if you can serve on this committee!





## **CONFIRMATION MAY 23**

## PRESCHOOL GRADUATION MAY 25 & 26



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

The book of James reminds us that religion God finds as "pure and faultless is this: to look after orphans and widows in their distress and keep oneself from being polluted by the world." Below is one way for you, your family, your small group or Sunday school class to look after orphans.

A table will be set up in the Fellowship hall to receive donations from now through the month of July. Contact Diane Goolsby at dianegoolsby@ymail.com for more information.



## Give a Welcome Bag

Each child who comes to Methodist Children's Homes receives a personalize welcome kit when they arrive. Kits include the following items:

- MP3 players w/ headphones
- Adult coloring books and markers
- Crossword puzzles
- Journals and pen sets
- Bibles and devotion books
- iPhone/Android chargers
- Board and card games
- Make up bags, nail kits
- Axe body spray Chapstick
- Stuffed animals
- Toiletries (Soap, Shampoo, Pads, Deodorant, Hair Products for all ethnicities)

### **WE ALWAYS NEED:**

**Event tickets (movies, bowling, sports)** Video games systems and games Gift Cards (Walmart, Visa, Target, etc.) iTunes gift cards

Contact Trina at tmcnair@mchms.org for more details on this program.





