

**Sunday Services, March 8, 2020**  
 Worship services 8:30 a.m. and 10:45 a.m.  
 Sunday School Classes for all ages 9:45 a.m.



Our first night back in August 2019 was a great time as over 50 men gathered to worship, fellowship, hear testimonies, and share life. Please **PRAY** and **PLAN TO PARTICIPATE** as we have our second large group gathering. Please reach out to Jay Atkinson (jatkinson@atkinsonberch.com -- 662-571-0123) and go to [www.madisonumc.org/fightclub](http://www.madisonumc.org/fightclub) to learn more.

### MUMC TEACHER/LEADER ROUNDUP

- **WHAT?**  
A time of food, fellowship, appreciation, and inspiration for all who teach and lead in our Christian Formation ministries (Sunday School, Bible Studies, etc.)
- **WHEN/WHERE?**  
Thursday, March 26 (6:00-7:30 PM) in the CLC (Christian Life Center)
- **PLEASE RSVP**  
For Kids, Renee Scales (renee@madisonumc.org);  
For Students, Cory Phillips (cory@madisonumc.org);  
For Adults, Tracey Thompson (traceykthompson1744@gmail.com).

**YOU ARE INVITED TO THE**

# MUMC TEACHER/LEADER ROUNDUP

**MARCH 26, 2020 | 6PM**  
**IN THE CLC**

**BBQ COOKED BY DOUG AND CYNTHIA**

More details:  
[madisonumc.org/teacher-roundup](http://madisonumc.org/teacher-roundup)

## WEDNESDAYS AT MADISON

March 11, 2020

### **NO WEDNESDAY FELLOWSHIP MEAL OR PROGRAMMING MARCH 11 DUE TO SPRING BREAK!**



## WEDNESDAYS AT MADISON

March 18, 2020

FELLOWSHIP MEAL at 5:15 p.m. in the Christian Life Center

Adult meals are \$7.00; Children's meals are \$4.00

Reservations are needed and may be made online ([www.madisonumc.org](http://www.madisonumc.org)); on the pew pad on Sunday morning; or by phone (601-856-6058).

### **CELEBRATING ST. PATRICK'S DAY!**

#### **ADULT MENU:**

**Corned beef  
Shepherd's pie  
Unstuffed cabbage casserole  
Green peas & onions  
Colcannon\*  
Super salad bar  
Variety of Irish soda breads**

#### **ADULT DESSERTS:**

**Sticky toffee pudding  
Spice cake with lemon glaze  
Mint chocolate chip brownie**

#### **KIDS MENU:**

**Meatball Kabob  
Mashed potatoes  
Green peas  
Lucky Charms treats**



\*Colcannon is a traditional Irish dish of mashed potatoes with kale or cabbage.

#### **KIDS**

- ◆ Music: SonBeams (2½ - K5) and SonShine Choir (1st—6th grades)
- ◆ Classes for Preschool, Elementary, and Tweens

#### **STUDENTS**

- ◆ Junior High Bible Study meets in the Student Ministry Lounge
- ◆ Senior High Bible Study meets in the Student Ministry Lounge

#### **ADULTS 6:15-7:00 p.m.**

- ◆ *Jacob—Who Am I*, led by Dr. John Oswalt in Sanctuary
- ◆ Adult Discipleship Groups – Fellowship Hall classrooms
- ◆ Celebrate Recovery Step Study – Fellowship Hall, Room 122

CHANCEL CHOIR practice each Wednesday in the Choir Room at 7:10 p.m.



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### **“JACOB - WHO AM I” TEACHING SERIES TO BE LED BY DR. JOHN OSWALT**

Dr. John Oswalt will teach for our *Wednesdays at Madison* Bible study for last two weeks in March. Invite others to come with you for these services and please make reservations for the supper.

# 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](mailto:jackie@madisonumc.org) if prayer is still needed.**

### Prayer Requests – MUMC Members

Laurel Albrecht	Mary Ann McKay	Trey Russell
Vicki Blake	Vanita McMullin	Mary Salvatore
Cathy Cauthen	The Moody Family	Shauna Sansing
Charles Coghlan	Willie Moore	Courtney Tucker
Betsy Cowden	Florence Morphis	Bob Walters
Amy Feild	James Morphis	Jeanne Walters
Allen LaBan	Robin Morris	Janet Zoble
Jerry Lyons	Bobbi Robinson	
John Mason	Elinor Rummel	

### Prayer Requests—Family Members and Friends

Mike Boyle	Kim Hunt's friend
Doug Davis	MarChelle Pace's brother-in-law
Brian Hierlmeier	Randy/Susan Hierlmeier's son
George Melichar	Marcia Whatley's father
Marie Melichar	Marcia Whatley's mother
Junior Pounders	Vanita McMullin's cousin
Evelyn Rickman	Rev. Cary Rickman's mother
Tommy South	Rosemary Taylor's grandson

### Pray for Our Deployed Troops

- Will Beggiani, Ann Beggiani's grandson, U. S. Army, Germany
- Mac Parker, Karen Harper's nephew, U.S. Air Force, Japan
- Lt. Andrew Robinson, Bobbi/Dave Robinson's grandson, U.S. Navy Harry S. Truman Aircraft Carrier, Persian Gulf

### *In Memoriam*

**Margaret Santmyer—2/24/20**  
Mother of Elizabeth Ramsey

**Alan Brieger—3/3/20**  
Father of Tanya Brieger

*We express our sympathy to the families.*

### Hospice/Assisted/Living/Nursing Homes

**The Arbor:** Leon and Catherine Williams

**The Blake:** Fabia Smith

**Beau Ridge:** Keith Walton; Jerry & Frankie Mitchell; Joyce Logue

**St. Catherine's Village:** Bertyle Cochran, Clara Derrington

**Home Place:** Margi Baley, Barbara Mapp

**Expectant Parents:** Lindsey & Chris Clark; Wil & Melanie Crawford

**New Baby:** Treyson Ward, son of Heather & Trey Ward and baby brother of Haley, Sadie, Emma, & Claire, was born February 24

## MUMC REPORT

	Worship Attendance		Sunday School
02/23/20	662		347
03/01/20	858*		350
	Offering		Year-To-Date
	Cash/Check	Electronic	All Giving
02/23/20	\$19,892.00	\$ 5,129.00	\$ 305,101.40
03/01/20	\$52,258.45	\$ 8,282.00	\$ 363,642.85

Education Building Cost: \$5,227,203.00  
 Education Building Mortgage  
 Balance (as of 3/03/2020): \$2,195,442.65

\*includes 134 students attending DNOW

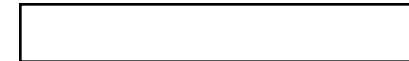
**Madison United Methodist Church**  
100 Post Oak Rd.  
Madison, MS 39110  
601-856-6058  
Website: [www.madisonumc.org](http://www.madisonumc.org)

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Please deliver by: Saturday, March 7, 2020

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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**



Sun., Mar. 8 – 1 Thessalonians 1  
Mon., Mar. 9 – 1 Thessalonians 2  
Tues., Mar. 10 – 1 Samuel 1  
Wed., Mar. 11 – 1 Samuel 2  
Thurs., Mar. 12 – 1 Samuel 3  
Fri., Mar. 13 – 1 Samuel 4  
Sat., Mar. 14 – Psalm 60

Sun., Mar. 15 – 1 Thessalonians 3  
Mon., Mar. 16 – 1 Thessalonians 4  
Tues., Mar. 17 – 1 Samuel 5  
Wed., Mar. 18 – 1 Samuel 6  
Thurs., Mar. 19 – 1 Samuel 7  
Fri., Mar. 20 – 1 Samuel 8  
Sat., Mar. 21 – Psalm 61



Daylight Saving Time Begins!

CHANGE  
YOUR



**DON'T "CATNAP" THROUGH CHURCH  
SUNDAY! CHANGE YOUR CLOCKS  
SUNDAY, MARCH 8.**

**ADULT MINISTRY**  
**Rev. Ben Butler 601-856-6058 or email [ben@madisonumc.org](mailto:ben@madisonumc.org)**



***FROM STEVE POTTER,  
MUMC DIRECTOR OF OUTREACH MINISTRIES***

Madison UMC Family,

Thank you so much for welcoming me and my family into your church family so well. I am excited for what God will do in us and through us to impact Madison, the Metro, Mississippi and more.

I wanted to highlight two of our many mission opportunities which are time sensitive, and ones in which I would love for you to join me. The Delta Grace and Salt & Light Honduras trips need sign ups to be completed soon.

**DELTA GRACE:** (sign up ASAP)

Delta Grace is a ministry to people who live in the Mississippi Delta for any age and skill level. This is a great intergenerational and family ministry opportunity for parents to bring their kids or grandparents to bring grandchildren. Betsy and I are planning to bring our four kids and hope you will join us. We will be going on March 28th, although some may go up on the 27th as well.

To sign up (to serve and/or donate) go to [www.madisonumc.org/deltagrace](http://www.madisonumc.org/deltagrace). If you need help or more information, please contact Carolyn Schussler at [cschuss093@gmail.com](mailto:cschuss093@gmail.com) or cell (904)403-5748 or call the church office.



**SALT & LIGHT HONDURAS:** (sign up deadline is March 15th)



The Salt & Light Mission Team will go to Honduras June 11-18, 2020. Ministries often include such things as medical, dental, VBS, teacher training, Women's Bible study, teen soccer ministry, construction, and evangelism. You can email me if interested or contact Phil Hinton (601-940-9033) or Lisa Anglin (601-594-8939) for more info.

**MANY OTHER OPPORTUNITIES:**

I look forward to an opportunity to meet all of you and share the many ministry opportunities we have to impact the Kingdom together. In the meantime, find out more about many of them at <http://www.madisonumc.org/missions>.

Seeking God's heart,  
Steve Potter  
[steve@madisonumc.org](mailto:steve@madisonumc.org)

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**WELCOME NEW MEMBERS**



Bob and Barbara England became members of MUMC on February 23.



Aubrey and Haley Mayes joined the MUMC church family on March 1.

**ADULT MINISTRY**  
Rev. Ben Butler 601-856-6058 or email [ben@madisonumc.org](mailto:ben@madisonumc.org)

### MUMM'S FRANK WILSON SCHOLARSHIPS

The Madison United Methodist Men (MUMM) are pleased to announce their 12th annual program for the award of the Frank Wilson college scholarships to two young men who are members of our church. Applicants must graduate from high school no later than August 2020, with a grade point average of 3.0 or above, and have participated in church, school and community programs. Applications are available in the church office. Application deadline is April 24, 2020. This year the scholarships will be for **\$3,000.00**. All men of the Church are invited to participate in this project for our young men. Questions – call Scott Catington at 601-497-9995 or email [madi-sonummen@gmail.com](mailto:madi-sonummen@gmail.com).



**EASTER IS  
APRIL 12**

# Easter Choir

**THIS EASTER JOIN WITH THE  
CHANCEL CHOIR  
IN SINGING PRAISES TO  
OUR RISEN LORD!**

**First Rehearsal: Wednesday March 4 at 7:10**  
**Adults & High School Students Welcome!**

### MUMC PRAYER CONFERENCE COMING IN APRIL

Sunday & Monday, April 19—20

Featuring Dr. Terry Teykl

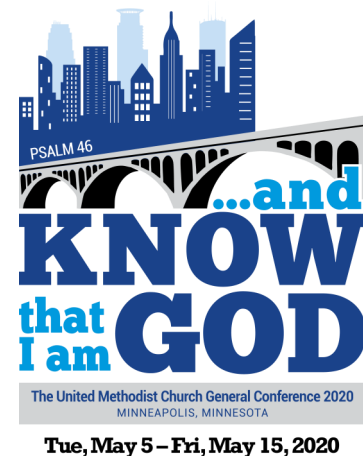


Terry Teykl's warm humorous style makes him one of the most sought after speakers and seminar leaders in the country. Terry pastored local churches for 28 years. In 1987, God spoke to Terry and told him to "build the church in prayer." Since that time he has been teaching churches across the country how to pray and invite the Holy Spirit. Terry and his wife, Kay, reside in Houston, Texas.

### UMC GENERAL CONFERENCE INFORMATION MEETINGS

Rev. Barry Male is conducting small meetings to share information about the upcoming General Conference (May 3-15). Small meetings are being held so that more questions can be asked. Rev. Male has already met with some Sunday School classes, small groups and individuals. Please contact him (601.955.3384; [barry@madisonumc.org](mailto:barry@madisonumc.org)) soon if you would like him to meet with you, with your class or with your small group. There will also be an informational meeting during the Sunday School hour on April 26 in the Multi-Purpose Room for anyone who does not attend a class or who has had to miss an earlier session.

Following the General Conference, additional meetings will be held to discuss the work completed at the General Conference. Our Bishop, Rev. James Swanson, is also planning to hold informational meetings following the General Conference.





**CELEBRATING EASTER 2020 AT MADISON UMC**  
**Please Notice the Special Instructions in Italics & Bold!**

**Palm Sunday Processional**

ALL children are invited to process with palms before each service on **Sunday, April 5**. Meet in the Fellowship Hall at 8:20 a.m. for the 8:30 a.m. service and at 10:35 a.m. for the 10:45 a.m. service. Volunteers needed!

**2<sup>nd</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Graders ...**

“A Colorful, Good Time” – join us an Easter devotion, a messy craft & pizza on **Wednesday, April 8 from 5:00-7:00 p.m. in the Christian Life Center (CLC)**. *Volunteers are needed! Please RSVP to Mrs. Reneé ([renee@madisonumc.org](mailto:renee@madisonumc.org)) no later than Monday, April 6.*

**3<sup>rd</sup>, 4<sup>th</sup>, & 5<sup>th</sup> Graders ...**

You are invited to the Bob Mayo’s farm (map will be available) on **Thursday, April 9 from 6:30-8:30 p.m.** for a flashlight Easter egg hunt & Communion. You will need to bring a flashlight & a basket (or something to collect eggs in). Each child will need to *bring one dozen treat filled eggs to the Church Office no later than Wednesday, April 8. Please put the eggs in a bag with the child’s name. Parents are invited to stay but we do ask that younger siblings wait to experience this fun when they are in upper elementary school! Parent volunteers are needed - during the day on the 9<sup>th</sup> as well as that night!*

**Preschool Children (2 ½, 3, 4’s & K5) ...**

Let’s Experience Easter! Bring your favorite Easter snack to share and **join us at 10:00 a.m. on Saturday, April 11, in the atrium of new Education Building**. A parent will need to stay with their child, and a Nursery will be provided for younger siblings. We will finish with an Easter Egg Hunt at the Montgomery property (across the street from MUMC). *Each child will need to bring one dozen treat filled eggs to the Church Office no later than Thursday, April 9. Please put the eggs in a bag with the child’s name and age on it! Don’t forget the Church Office closes at 4:30 p.m. on Monday – Thursday and at 1:00 p.m. on Friday. We will need volunteers to serve as center leaders, snack coordinators, egg hiders, and helpers! Email Mrs. Reneé ([renee@madisonumc.org](mailto:renee@madisonumc.org)) to volunteer!*



**KIDS CHOIRS SPRING DATES**

**Wednesday, March 11:** Spring Break Week – NO Wednesday activities

**Wednesday, April 8:** Holy Week – No SonShine or SonBeams Choir.

**Sunday, April 19:** SonBeams Choir (ages 3-K5) will sing the “Call to Worship” at both services

**Wednesday, May 4:** SPRING PROGRAM for both SonShine Choir & SonBeams Choir - 6:15pm in the Sanctuary

**Sunday, May 10 (Mother’s Day):** SonShine choir will sing the “Call to Worship” at both services

**KIDS MINISTRY**  
**Renee Scales 601-856-6058 or email [renee@madisonumc.org](mailto:renee@madisonumc.org)**

### **MUMC AFTER SCHOOL CARE REGISTRATION FOR THE 2020-21 SCHOOL YEAR**

Church Members will have an opportunity to **register on April 14**. To register you will need to come to the Weekday Ministries Director's Office (in the new Education Building) between 2:00 – 5:00 p.m.

The Community will have an opportunity to register beginning April 15 and will be open until van spaces are full. To register you will need to come to the Weekday Ministries Director's Office (in the new Education Building) between 2:00 – 5:00 p.m.

A non-refundable registration fee of \$150.00 is required to hold your child's slot.

For more information, contact Gayle Hart at [afterschool@madisonumc.org](mailto:afterschool@madisonumc.org).



**STUDENT MINISTRY**  
**Cory Phillips 601-856-6058 or email [cory@madisonumc.org](mailto:cory@madisonumc.org)**

Pinnacle Sunday nights for all students in grades 6 – 12 every Sunday from 6:00 p.m. – 8:15 p.m. A full schedule of Student Ministry activities may be downloaded from the Student page of the MUMC website ([www.madisonumc.org/students](http://www.madisonumc.org/students)).

### **UPCOMING DATES YOU NEED TO KNOW!**

- Spring Retreat: SIFAT in Lineville, AL, April 17 – 19
- Help needed providing student meals on Sunday nights. Email Cathy Cauthen ([ccauthe@entergy.com](mailto:ccauthe@entergy.com)) or sign up for an available date at [www.signupgenius.com/go/5080554a8ab28a02-sunday](http://www.signupgenius.com/go/5080554a8ab28a02-sunday)
- Info on summer trips will be available in March.
- Lake Junaluska trip is July 1-5.

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**Rev. Ben Butler 601-856-6058 or email [ben@madisonumc.org](mailto:ben@madisonumc.org)**

### **Men of the Church,**

Please join the Madison United Methodist Men's Club for our monthly meeting on Sunday March 15, 2020, in the CLC. We will continue in our video series, "The Measure of a Man," with Rev. Gene Getz. Our usual great breakfast begins at 7 a.m. with the program to follow at 7:30. Bring a friend and we'll see you then.