

No. 05

March 9, 2022

Sunday Services, March 13, 2022 Worship Services in the Sanctuary at 8:30 & 10:45 a.m. Sunday School classes at 9:30 a.m.



WEDNESDAYS AT MADISON

No Wednesdays at Madison Fellowship Meals or Studies March 16 due to Spring Break.

Regular Wednesday schedule resumes March 23.

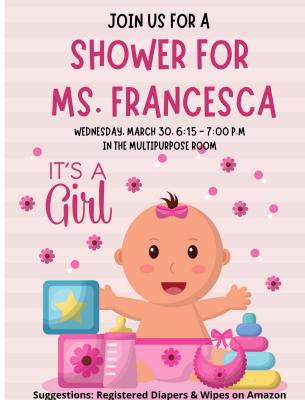
March 23

<u>Adult Meal</u> Sausage & Spinach Stuffed Pasta Philly Cheesesteak Stuffed Peppers Sauteed Squash Loaded Cauliflower Bake Sweet Potato Fries Garlic Bread Desserts Soft Serve Ice Cream & Toppings Bar Cherry Crumble Chocolate Fudge Cake Chocolate Chip Toffee Cookie Almond Pound Cake (sugar free, gluten free)

> <u>Kids Meal</u> Unsloppy Janes Sweet Potato Fries Mini Corn on the Cob

Super Salad Bar

On Wednesday, March 30, All Our Kids Are Invited to Celebrate with Ms. Francesca!



 Suggestions: Registered Diapers & Wipes on Amazon

 Pure Diapers
 DYPER Bamboo Baby Diapers

 Water Wipes
 Honest Company Clean Conscious Diapers

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 Ann Artmann Gwyn Bourne Philip Boyd Janie Harris Vernon Hull Rhonda Loeb Judy McArthur Barrie McArthur The Moody Family Willie Moore Carlton O'Keefe MarChelle Pace Mike Pace Trey Russell John Stenmark George Taquino Courtney Tucker Donna Walley

In Memoriam

William Lloyd Sanders—3/1/22 Grandfather of Kristen Harwell

Walter "Buddy" Hathcock—3/3/22 Father of Bridgett Chisolm

> *Ray Petty*—3/5/22 Father of Dupree Petty

We express our sympathy to the families.

PRAYER REQUESTS—FAMILY MEMBERS/FRIENDSLes BumgarnerBrad Bumgarner's father

Les Bumgarner Larry Byrd Tommy & Linda Climer Blake Hutto Ames Lee Meagan Myers Mary Ann Odom Mary Percy Janine Palmertree Mary Angela South John Hudson Stafford Billy Weems Cathy/Jerry Williamson

Linda Barker's brother Tim Climer's parents Billy/Debbie Hutto's son Christy Nettles' nephew Cori/Gerry Holaday's daughter Elizabeth Carr's mother Louisa Swindle's sister-in-law Leona Bishop's daughter Rosemary Taylor's daughter John/Sharon Kirk's grandson Bo Weems' father Karen Russell's parents

Hospice/Assisted Living/Nursing Homes/Retirement Homes

The Blake: Fabia Smith Beau Ridge: Frankie Mitchell; Joyce Logue; Joan Winstead; Rosemary Taylor; Bonnie Hoy St. Catherine's Village: Lou Jennings; Cappy Paine; Rosalind Ross; Barbara Pittman; Mary Salvatore; James Potts; Jerry Zoble Home Place: Barbara Mapp; Evelyn Palmer The Orchard: Maggie Hart; Frances Williams; Eleanor Dauenhauer Ridgeland Place: Phillip Perry

	MUMC REPORT				
		Worship Atter	ndance		
	02/27/22	597			
	03/06/22	595			
		Offering		Year-To-Date	
		Cash/Check	Electronic	All Giving	
	02/20/22	\$ 79,582.00	\$ 21,794.00	\$423,981.00	
	02/27/22	\$ 18,982.00	\$ 24,527.00	\$467,490.00	
	03/06/22	\$ 32,000.00	\$ 5,603.00	\$505,093.00	
Education Building Cost: \$5,227,203.00 Education Building Mortgage					
		as of $03/01/22$):		6.00	

Expectant Parents: Hannah & Jay Hogg

New Babies: Lilla James McDonald, daughter of Matt & Ashley Anne McDonald, granddaughter of Rachel & Larry Peeples and Michelle & Bobby Hall, born February 24.

Can't join us this Sunday? Can't find your checkbook and don't have cash on Sunday morning? Join our members who are using online giving for automated giving to Madison UMC. It is secure, convenient, has no extra cost to you, and the program provides a great benefit to our church. Sign up today by visiting <u>www.madisonumc.org/give</u>. Contact our church office with any questions at info@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

Dated Material Please deliver by: Saturday, March 12, 2022 NONPROFIT ORGANIZATION U.S. POSTAGE PAID MADISON, MS. PERMIT 8

RETURN SERVICE REQUESTED

the	BIBLE		
PROJECT			
READ THROUGH THE BIBLE			

**For the 1st Year of the Plan, go to (www.readpraylovedaily.com/year-1-plan/); 2nd Year (www.readpraylovedaily.com/year -2-plan/); remainder of 3rd Year is below

Sun., Mar. 13 – Ezekiel 47 Mon., Mar. 14 – Ezekiel 48 Tues., Mar. 15 – Daniel 1 Wed., Mar. 16 – Daniel 2 Thurs., Mar. 17 – Daniel 3 Fri., Mar. 18 – Daniel 4 Sat., Mar. 19 – Daniel 5

Sun., Mar. 20 – Daniel 6 Mon., Mar. 21 – Daniel 7 Tues., Mar. 22 – Daniel 8 Wed., Mar. 23 – Daniel 9 Thurs., Mar. 24 – Daniel 10 Fri., Mar. 25 – Daniel 11 Sat., Mar. 26 – Daniel 12



DAYLIGHT SAVING TIME BEGINS SUNDAY, MARCH 13, 2022, AT 2 A.M.

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



WHO:	4 th & 5 th Graders
WHAT:	Go to Kosciusko United Methodist Church's Passion Play
WHEN:	Thursday, April 14 – leave the Church at 5:00 p.m. & return approximately 10:30/11:00 p.m.
BRING:	Blankets, jackets, & folding chairs - the play is outside!
VOLUNTEERS:	Van drivers (<u>renee@madisonumc.org</u> to volunteer)
	Chaperones (renee@madisonumc.org to volunteer)
REQUIRED INFO	Each child MUST be registered & have a signed Activity Participation Form (email
	renee@madisonumc.org for the form) - return completed form no later than Wednesday, April
	13
RSVP:	To (<u>renee@madisonumc.org</u>) no later than Sunday, April 10



WHO:	Preschool Children (2 ¹ / ₂ , 3, 4's & K5)
WHAT:	Sharing the Easter story, crafts, & hunting Easter eggs
WHEN:	10:00 a.m. on Saturday, April 16 in the KIDS Hall
BRING:	One dozen treat filled eggs to the bins outside the Fellowship Hall doors across from the
	church office no later than Thursday, April 14 - write your child's name & age on the bag!
PARENTS:	Plan to stay with your child on April 16 th
VOLUNTEERS:	Egg hiders at 9:00 a.m. on April 16 th (<u>renee@madisonumc.org</u> to volunteer)
	Face painters from 9:45-10:30 a.m. (renee@madisonumc.org to volunteer)
	Craft center leaders from 9:45-11:00 a.m. (renee@madisonumc.org to volunteer)



WHO:	$1^{st} - 3^{rd}$ Graders
WHAT:	Wear a white t-shirt & join us for Glow in the Dark Games & Fun
WHEN:	Wednesday, April 13 from 5:30-7:00 p.m.
WHERE:	Multi-purpose Room
VOLUNTEERS:	At 12:30 p.m. to help set-up (<u>renee@madisonumc.org</u> to volunteer)
	during the event to help (renee@madisonumc.org to volunteer)
RSVP:	To (<u>renee@madisonumc.org</u>) no later than Sunday, April 10

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

Sunday Night Family Groups Dinner: 6:00—6:30 p.m.; Games and Worship: 6:30 -7:15 p.m. Small Groups/ Family Groups: 7:15—8:00 p.m. At 8:00 p.m. we close with a special time of prayer in the Chapel. Invite some friends and come hangout Sunday night!

If you are interested in being part of our student led praise band, come to praise band practice at 5:00 p.m. and see what it is about.



FOR 2 TENDERLOINS

PICKUP WILL BE AT MUMC APRIL 9, 9AM-12PM

email cory@madisonumc.org to order!

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



General Conference postponed to 2024

The Commission overseeing the United Methodist General Conference announced last week that they have made the decision to **postpone** the General Conference that was scheduled **for August of 2022** and have moved it to **May of 2024**. They have cited concerns over delegates from other countries being able to acquire visas as well as concerns over vaccinations for those delegates. Our church has routinely updated our website about General Conference issues, and you can find a link to this report and years of other updates here: http://www.madisonumc.org/townhall.

Our Administrative Council met this past week to discuss our concerns about this potential news and we will meet again soon for more conversation about the implications of this decision. We will post more news in our upcoming newsletters and through our social media accounts as more information becomes available.

I have already begun to meet with Sunday School classes about General Conference and would like to meet with classes, groups, and individuals to talk about this decision and about the General Conference. Please contact me (barry@madisonumc.org; 601.955.3384) to schedule a time soon to meet with your group or with you.

Let us all be faithfully praying for the leadership of our General Conference, Annual Conference, and church during this difficult season. God has certainly gifted us a wonderful church family with so many ministries and missions and we will focus on our calling, ministry, and life together as we also pray and walk through these issues within our denomination.

Rev. Barry Male

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



Our church made a significant donation to **UMCOR** (United Methodist Committee of Relief) to help fund their **humanitarian assistance** to the people of **Ukraine**. You can give a gift through our church (add "UMCOR" in the memo line) for this or you can go to the UMCOR website to learn more about, and to share a gift with, them: <u>https://umcmission.org/umcor/how-to-assist-the-ukrainian-people/</u>.

SALT & LIGHT MISSION TRIP TO HONDURAS:

If you would like more information on the Salt and Light trip, contact Phil Hinton <u>phil_hinton@ajg.com</u> The trip dates are June 9-16th - Deadline for sign up is March

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You may also contact - Steve Potter at steve@madisonumc.org





Jude Davis Hancock, son of Channing & Josh and baby brother of Sawyer, was baptized on February 27.



Jim & Staci Maddox joined MUMC on February 27. Grandchildren Grayson and Luna were also baptized at the 8:30 a.m. service.

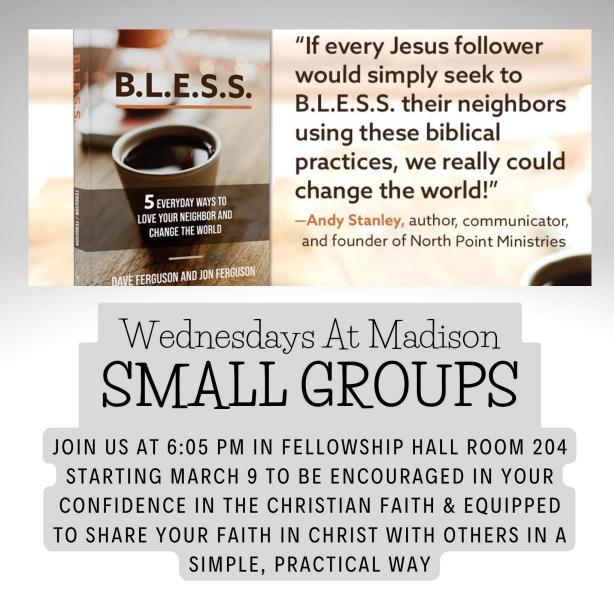


Ellie Banks Spring, daughter of Peyton & Emily Spring, was baptized on March 6. Peyton also joined the MUMC fellowship on March 6.

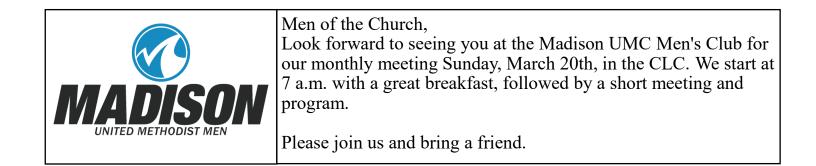


Vicky Minninger became part of the MUMC church family on February 27.

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Based on the book B.L.E.S.S. by Dave and Jon Ferguson and a short video series called EVANGE-LISM 101, join us for study and discussion as we seek to grow in confidence and understanding in our faith in Christ through the EVANGELISM 101 videos, then grow in the practical side of sharing that faith through the life that <u>B.L.E.S.S. es</u> others. Contact Ben Butler (<u>ben@madisonumc.org</u>) if you have questions or want to let him know you plan to participate.







SERVE JESUS BY SINGING IN THE EASTER CHOIR!

Volunteers do not have to be able to read music or have solo quality voices to participate. If the person sitting next to you in the pew doesn't ask you to be quiet when you sing the hymns, then you're probably a good candidate for our choir! Rehearsals will be on Wednesdays at 7:00 beginning March 9 with no rehearsal planned during spring break. Those interested should contact Lori Blount at Lori@madisonumc.org.

REDEEMED WOMEN

FELLOWSHIP, WORSHIP & BIBLE STUDY

The Necessity of Forgiveness

4/4/22 6:30-8:30PM

Madison United Methodist Church - 100 Post Oak Rd, Madison, MS In the Multipurpose Room (2nd floor education building)

> Join us for an evening with food, fellowship, worship and Bible study. There is no charge. Simply RSVP to **redeemedwomengathering@gmail.com.**

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MUMM's Frank Wilson Scholarships

The Madison United Methodist Men (MUMM) are pleased to announce their 14th annual program for the award of the Frank Wilson college scholarships to two qualified young men who are members of our church. Applicants must graduate from high school no later than August 2022, with a grade point average of 3.0 or above, and have participated in church, school and community programs.

> SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

Applications are available in the church office. Application deadline is April 26, 2022. This year the scholarships will be for \$3,000.00 payable over four years. 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 madisonummen@gmail.com.

2022 ONLINE (ZOOM) LENTEN WORSHIP GATHERINGS

STARTS MARCH 3, 2022

a time to be (Re)FORMED in the basics of Christian belief & living

6:45 PM (extra fellowship time before worship)

7:00-7:20 PM nightly (except Sundays & Wednesdays)

> Powered by ignite



JOIN MEETING AT: www.madisonumc.org/lent2022

OR, with QR Code:

