

ADULT MINISTRY

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OUR CHURCH FAMILY

MADISON UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

Madison, Mississippi

ALTAR FLOWER ARRANGEMENTS

- Please sign up by calling the church office 601-856-6058
- You may sign up for one or both arrangements at \$65 each

CELEBRATE RECOVERY

- For any person who has experienced a hurt, habit, or hangup and would like the support of God & others to overcome in a structured Biblical setting
- Every Tuesday night in the Multi-Purpose Room (MPR)
- Supper is 5:30-6:00 p.m. A nursery for children 4 years old and younger, opens at 6:00p.m.
- Worship and large group time is 6:15 p.m. and support groups follow at 7:00 p.m.
- Please contact Steve Potter (steve@madisonumc.org) to volunteer to be a greeter, to help with set-up, prepare & serve meals, serve on worship team or to work the soundboard.
- Please invite people to this recovery program and feel free to visit the program to learn more about it
- For more complete information, see the article in the August 15 *Messenger* newsletter. Copies are available in the Narthex or on the MUMC website.

MUMC COVID UPDATES

Due to the rapid rise of COVID cases in our area, several scheduled events at MUMC have been postponed.

- Wednesdays at Madison meals and programming (originally schedule to resume this Wednesday) has been postponed for at least two weeks.
- The September VIP Luncheon has been cancelled.
- Rise Against Hunger meal packing event to be held September 19 has been postponed and will be rescheduled at a later date.

We offer our sympathy to the family of:

- Chuck Dauenhauer, husband of Eleanor Dauenhauer and member of MUMC, who died August 13.
- Allison Friel, sister of Janice Stenmark, who died August 19.

Presented for baptism today are:

- James Preston Hogg, IV, son of Jay & Hannah Hogg and baby brother of Gates.
- Kirsten & Katie Norris, daughters of Jay & Ashley Norris and sisters of JakeMUMC, who died August 13

SERMON NOTES

(II Corinthians 1:3-7)

I. It is a c _____ (1:3-7)

II. It is a c _____ (3:3, 11:28-29)

WELCOME GUESTS!

We would love an opportunity to get introduced personally!
 Scan the QR code below to access an online Connection Card.
 Please share your name, best contact info, and any areas of the life and ministry of MUMC you want to know more about. Then SUBMIT the form, and we will follow up with you in the coming week.



August 22, 2021

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"Building faithful disciples, serving Jesus Christ"

SERVICE OF WORSHIP

August 22, 2021

Sanctuary

OPENING MUSIC

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

PRELUDE

And Can It Be

arr. Metzger

CELEBRATION OF BAPTISM (8:30 a.m.)

James Preston Hogg, IV

CELEBRATION OF BAPTISM (10:45 a.m.)

Kirsten & Katie Norris

Do you, as Christ's body, the church, reaffirm both your rejection of sin and your commitment to Christ? **We do.**

Will you nurture one another in the Christian faith and life and include the Norris family before you in your care? **With God's help, we will.**

AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

We believe in one God, the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all this is, seen and unseen.

We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ, the only Son of God, Eternally begotten of the Father, God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, of one Being with the Father; Through Him all things were made.

For us and for our salvation He came down from heaven Was incarnate of the Holy Spirit and the Virgin Mary and became truly human. For our sake He was crucified under Pontius Pilate; He suffered death and was buried. On the third day He rose again in accordance with the Scriptures; He ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead, and His kingdom will have no end.

We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, Who proceeds from the Father and the Son Who with the Father and the Son is worshipped and glorified, Who has spoken through the prophets.

We believe in the one holy catholic and apostolic church. We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins. We look for the resurrection of the dead and the life of the world to come. Amen.

A TIME MOSTLY FOR CHILDREN

SPECIAL MUSIC

Oh Lord, My Rock and My Redeemer

arr. Grassi

Vocal Ensemble

MORNING PRAYER

THE LORD'S PRAYER

SCRIPTURE READING

II Corinthians 1:3-7

³ Praise be to the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, the Father of compassion and the God of all comfort, ⁴ who comforts us in all our troubles, so that we can comfort those in any trouble with the comfort we ourselves receive from God. ⁵ For just as we share abundantly in the sufferings of Christ, so also our comfort abounds through Christ. ⁶ If we are distressed, it is for your comfort and salvation; if we are comforted, it is for your comfort, which produces in you patient endurance of the same sufferings we suffer. ⁷ And our hope for you is firm, because we know that just as you share in our sufferings, so also you share in our comfort.

OFFERTORY PRAYER

OFFERTORY

Cornerstone

arr. Larson

Vocal Ensemble

SERMON

BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE

*** Seating of additional worshippers

PARTICIPANTS IN TODAY'S SERVICES

Senior Pastor Rev. Barry Male

Associate Pastor Rev. Ben Butler

Pastor of Congregational Care Rev. Linda Rickman

Director of Music Ministry Lori Blount

Director of Student Ministry Rev. Cory Phillips

Director of Kids Ministry Renee Scales

Director of Outreach Ministries Steve Potter

Organist Rosemary McInnis

Pianist Donna Banks

Acolytes (8:30 a.m.) Luke Anglin & Macy Anglin

Acolytes (10:45 a.m.) Hayden Briscoe & Robert Gray

VOCAL ENSEMBLE:

Rachel Landrum, Margie Williams, Emily Breedlove,

Elizabeth Carr, Wesley Blount, Russell Boles, Blake Breedlove

BIBLE TIME VOLUNTEERS

Bible Time Volunteers for August 22:

8:30 a.m.: Sam & Bailey Madden; Melanie & Steve Shapin

10:45 a.m.: Etta & Phillip Spencer; Sara Ann & David Ellis

The flowers in the Chancel Area

Are presented to the Glory of God

By Judy & Sam Gray, Martha Grace & Matt Gray

And their children Robert and Ann Lyles

In memory of Judy's sister Nancy Higdon King

MADISON UMC WELCOMES ALL CHILDREN

- A **Nursery** (infants, crawlers, and toddlers) is available during both worship services as well as during the Sunday School hour. The Nursery is located in the Nursery Hall, Rooms 103, 105, and 107.
- All children are invited to come down for Children's Time during the worship service. On Communion Sundays, we request that children remain in the Sanctuary with their families and experience this special and meaningful Sacrament together.
- Children's Bulletins and Sermon Notes for Kids are available at the doors entering the Sanctuary.

STUDENT MINISTRY

Contact Cory Phillips (cory@madisonumc.org)

A full schedule of Student Ministry activities may be downloaded from the Student page of the MUMC website (www.madisonumc.org/students).

- Text "mumcstudent" to 955-77 to get upcoming events or change
- Sunday Night Family Groups start back tonight
- Dinner is 6-6:30 p.m., games & worship 6:30-7:15 p.m., Small groups/Family groups 7:15p.m., at 8p.m. we will close with a special time of prayer in the Chapel

We are **excited** to be back! Invite some friends and come hangout tonight! **Also**, 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.

- Game Night @ MCHS September 19
- Beach Retreat October 8-11

KIDS MINISTRY

Contact Renee Scales (renee@madisonumc.org)

All of our **1st graders** will remain in the Sanctuary for the entire worship service. Come down for Children's Sermon and then go sit with your parents for the remainder of the service.

Save The Dates!!!!

- Drive-by Blessing of the Backpacks is TODAY, 4:00 – 5:30 p.m.
- 1st Grade Bible Sunday is August 29
- Confirmation Kick-off is September 12
- Confirmation Sunday is November 14
- KIDS Fall Music Program is November 17