

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 hang-up 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.

- 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.

WAM BIBLE STUDY TIMES & LOCATIONS

- 5:45 p.m. - KIDS Choir & KIDS Play
- 6:00 p.m. - Family Reunion Small Groups (CLC)
- 6:15 p.m. - KIDS ministry activities (KIDS Check-in)
- 6:15 p.m. - Student Ministry study (Lounge, Student Hall)
- 6:15 p.m. - *The Names of God* study (Sanctuary – mask required, Chapel – mask optional)

We offer our sympathy to the family of:

- Sandra Miller, Preston O’Neal’s mother, who died August 29
- Charles Ellis, Bill Ellis’ father, who died August 27
- Mike Breland, brother-in-law of David Milling, who died in August.

COMMUNION SERVICE

- We will have a drive-thru Communion Service today 4:00-5:00 p.m. for those who feel they cannot attend worship service due to the increase in Covid cases.

SERMON NOTES

(John 5:1-15)

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.



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"Building faithful disciples, serving Jesus Christ"

SERVICE OF WORSHIP

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WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

PRELUDE *Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise* arr. Wagner

MORNING PRAYER

THE LORD'S PRAYER

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come, thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory forever. Amen.

SPECIAL MUSIC *Holy Ground* arr. Davis
Cary Breedlove, soloist

A TIME MOSTLY FOR CHILDREN

OFFERTORY *The Potter's Hand* arr. Larson
Rachel Landrum and Cary Breedlove, duet

SCRIPTURE READING John 5:1-15

SERMON

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

SHARING THE BREAD AND CUP

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.) Greyson Steiner & Sam Chew

Acolytes (10:45 a.m.) Noah Brown & Max O'Reilly

The flowers in the Chancel Area are presented to the Glory of God by Ed and Joanne Jones in celebration of their 66th Wedding Anniversary.

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)

NO ACTIVITIES TONIGHT DUE TO LABOR DAY WEEKEND!!!

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)

- Confirmation Kick-off is September 12
- Confirmation Sunday is November 14
- KIDS Fall Music Program is November 17

WEDNESDAYS AT MADISON

- Resumes September 8
- Supper 5:15-6:00 p.m. Please socially distance as you wait in line to pay for your meal. Adults \$7 Kids \$4
- Register for supper by calling the office 601-856-6058 or email Jone at Jone@madisonumc.org or www.madisonumc.org/wednesdays-at-madison
- Meals will be boxed & on a table for pick up. We will have a dessert table & drink table as well.

MENU for Sept 8

- **Adults:** Oven baked chicken, Bacon ranch potato salad, Cajun corn pops, Zucchini tomato stacks, Choice of Bel Air salad or Southern wedge salad
Desserts-Chocolate caramel cake in a cup, Banana trifle, Blueberry lemon pound cake, Flower sugar cookies. Gluten free/sugar free French almond cake
- **Kids:** Oven baked chicken strips, Corn on the cob, Baked potato wedges