

ADULT MINISTRY

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OUR CHURCH FAMILY

MADISON UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

Madison, Mississippi

MINISTRY UPDATES

- No United Methodist Men meetings in December.
- Christmas poinsettias to decorate the sanctuary will be on sale by United Methodist Women each Sunday, thru today, Dec. 5.



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



We offer our sympathy to the family of:

- Flo Stovall, mother of Barbara England, who died November 28
- Debbie Young, mother of Lindsey Tindle, who died November 30



SERMON NOTES



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.



December 5, 2021

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"Building faithful disciples, serving Jesus Christ"

SERVICE OF WORSHIP

December 5, 2021

Second Sunday of Advent

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

PRELUDE *Angels from the Realms of Glory* arr. te Velde

CALL TO WORSHIP *The SonShine Choir*

HYMN *Good Christian Friends, Rejoice* 224

LIGHTING OF THE ADVENT WREATH

8:30 a.m. : Brock, Emily, Elliott & Graham Herron

10:45 a.m.: Justin, Anne, Jack & James Jernigan

O come, let us adore Him, O come, let us adore Him,

O come, let us adore Him, Christ the Lord.

PASTORAL 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.

CHORAL ANTHEM *Let Every Heart Prepare Him Room* Larson

GREETING

A TIME MOSTLY FOR CHILDREN

Away in a manger no crib for a bed, the little Lord Jesus lay down His sweet head.

The stars in the sky looked down where He lay, the little Lord Jesus asleep on the hay.

OFFERTORY *Christmastime* arr. Larson
Vocal Ensemble

DOXOLOGY

Praise God from whom all blessings flow. Praise Him all creatures here below.

Praise Him above ye heavenly hosts. Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen

SCRIPTURE READING Luke 2:1-7

SERMON

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

SHARING THE BREAD AND CUP

SONG OF BLESSING *Shalom to You*
Shalom to you now, shalom my friends. May God's full mercies bless you my friends
In all your living and through your loving, Christ be your shalom, Christ be your shalom.

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.) Sam Chew & Lillian Strong

Acolytes (10:45 a.m.) Jack Jernigan & Max Ezelle

The flowers in the Chancel area
Are presented to the Glory of God

BIBLE TIME VOLUNTEERS

No Bible Time volunteers due to Communion.

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 changes
- Sunday Night Family Groups are back!
- 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

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.

- Registration for students for Elevate Ski Retreat in Gatlinburg, TN, is now open. Register online at www.madisonumc.org/students. Deadline is December 15.

KIDS MINISTRY

Contact Renee Scales (renee@madisonumc.org)

Save the dates: Please RSVP renee@madisonumc.org for these events!!

- Friday Dec. 10, **Christmas Scavenger Hunt**, 4th & 5th graders, time to be determined
- Saturday, Dec. 11, 10:00-11:30 in the Kids Hall, **Happy Birthday Jesus Party** for 2 1/2's, 3's, 4's & K5's
- Wednesday, Dec. 15, 6 - 7:30p.m. in the MPR, **O What Fun!** Christmas games & pizza, 1st- 3rd graders

WEDNESDAYS AT MADISON

- Supper 5:15-6:00 p.m. Adults \$7 Kids \$4
- Here is a QR Code to pull up the online supper registration:
- Register & pay for supper by using this QR code or www.madisonumc.org/wednesdays-at-madison. You may also call the office 601-856-6058 or email jone@madisonumc.org



MENU December 8

Adult Meal - Curried Chicken with Cranberry Chutney, Creamy Mustard Pork Tenderloin, Rice Pilaf, Pineapple Souffle, Green Beans with Red Peppers Broccoli with Balsamic Glaze and Bacon, Potato Rolls

SUPER SALAD BAR

Desserts - Snickerdoodle Cheesecake Bars, Gingerbread People, Chocolate Christmas Lights Cupcakes, Christmas Poke Cake, Pistachio Berry Parfait (sugar free / gluten free)

Kids Meal - Ham and Cheese Crescent Cups, Rice Pilaf, Broccoli and Bacon Pineapple with Cherries