

ADULT MINISTRY

Contact Rev. Ben Butler (ben@madisonumc.org)

NAOMI-RUTH CIRCLE OF THE UMW

- Tomorrow, April 9, 9:45 a.m., in Fellowship Hall Room 204
- Rev. Ben Butler will present the program.

APRIL VIP LUNCHEON

- Tuesday, April 10, 11:30 a.m. in the Christian Life Center
- \$5 per person (please make reservations by noon April 9)
- Program: Video of Jill Briscoe's Story: Take It All the Way Home
- Menu: Greek salad; grilled chicken; lemon rice; Greek green beans; dessert

UNITED METHODIST MEN MONTHLY BREAKFAST

- Sunday, April 15, 7:00 a.m. in the Christian Life Center (CLC)
- Breakfast will be followed by a brief business meeting and program
- All men are invited to come and bring a friend for food and fellowship

WOMEN'S MINISTRY MOVIE NIGHT

- Friday, April 20, 6:00 p.m. in the Student Lounge Area
- Enjoy pizza, popcorn, candy, fun, and fellowship! (\$5 registration fee)
- Register during coffee time on Sunday mornings or on Wednesday night April 11
- Or send the \$5 registration via PayPal to mumcwomen@gmail.com (be sure to include your name and indicate "movie night")

ANNUAL FAITHBUILDERS RUMMAGE SALE COMING JUNE 2

- Donations being accepted every Saturday until May 19 from 11:00 a.m. – 12:00 noon in the East Parking Lot

UNITED METHODIST MEN OFFERING COLLEGE SCHOLARSHIPS

- Frank Wilson Scholarships available to 2 young men who are members of MUMC
- Applications available in the Church Office
- For questions or more information, contact Scott Catington at 601-497-9995 or email madisonummen@gmail.com

NOT RECEIVING MUMC'S BIWEEKLY MESSENGER NEWSLETTER?

There are three ways to access the Messenger:

- Have it delivered to your home by "snail mail"
- Receive by email
- View at www.madisonumc.org (click on the media tab)

To be added to the mail or email lists, please email your request to anne@madisonumc.org or call the church office.

WEDNESDAYS AT MADISON

FELLOWSHIP MEAL at 5:15 p.m. in the Christian Life Center (CLC)
Adults \$6 Kids \$3 | Studies/Activities for all ages at 6:15 p.m. – 7:00 p.m.

ADULTS

- *The Book of Ephesians*, led by Rev. Barry Male, Sanctuary

STUDENTS

- Junior High Bible Study in Student Lounge
- Senior High Bible Study in Student Lounge

KIDS

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

MENU for April 11

- Adults: Shepherds pie; tangy green beans; turnip greens; field peas; cornbread; apricot nectar cake; blueberry pie; chocolate pudding cake
- Kids: Tacos; nachos; salad; Rice Krispie treat

OUR CHURCH FAMILY

Presented for baptism today is Etta Cate Spencer, daughter of Phillip and Etta Spencer and baby sister of Strick.

We welcome new members!

- Lesa McCluer and son Ryan McCluer joined MUMC on March 25.

We rejoice at new births!

- Louis Mack Steiner, son of Hillary and Ryan Steiner and baby brother of Greyson and Elsie, was born April 3.

We offer our sympathy to the families of:

- Alice Johnson, grandmother of Karen Russell, who died March 9.
- Wanda Brieger, mother of Tanya Brieger, who died April 2.
- Harold Blalock, father of Debbie Hutto and grandfather of Brad Hutto, who died April 3.

SERMON NOTES

(Ephesians 5:15-21; I Thess. 4:1-3, 9-10)

MADISON UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

Madison, Mississippi



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"Building faithful disciples, serving Jesus Christ"

SERVICE OF WORSHIP

April 8, 2018

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

PRELUDE *He Lives* arr. Smith

CALL TO WORSHIP *Our Lord Is Risen* arr. Schram
The SonShine Choir

HYMN *Up from the Grave He Arose* 322

CELEBRATION OF BAPTISM (8:30 a.m.) Etta Cate Spencer

Etta Cate, God claims you, God helps you, protects you, and loves you too.

We this day do all agree a child of God you'll always be.

Etta Cate, God claims you, God helps you, protects you, and loves you too.

We are here to say this day that we will help you on your way.

Etta Cate, God claims you, God helps you, protects you, and loves you too.

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.

CHORAL ANTHEM *Only One* Wilkerson

GREETING

A TIME MOSTLY FOR CHILDREN

He lives, He lives! Christ Jesus lives today!

He walks with me and talks with me along life's narrow way.

He lives, He lives! Salvation to impart!

You ask me how I know He lives? He lives within my heart!

OFFERTORY *How Great Thou Art* arr. Zabel

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 Ephesians 5:15-21; I Thess. 4:1-3, 9-10

HYMN OF PREPARATION *Spirit of the Living God* 393

SERMON

HYMN OF RESPONSE *God of Grace and God of Glory* 577

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 Cory Phillips

Director of Kids Ministry Renee Scales

Organist Rosemary McInnis

Pianist Donna Banks

(8:30 a.m.) Wilson Caudell and Jacob Caudell

Acolytes (10:45 a.m.) Audrey Moore and Catherine Lacey

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The flowers in the Chancel area
Are presented to the Glory of God
By Tim Ross
In celebration of Susan's birthday
April 13

The flowers in the Chancel area
Are presented to the Glory of God
By Ann Cullen and Scott Catington
In memory of Renee Booth

BIBLE TIME VOLUNTEERS

Bible Time Volunteers for April 8:

8:30 a.m.: Douglas & Daphne Stewart; Doug & Angie Owens

10:45 a.m.: Lauren & Paul Younger; Kip & Gina Russell

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. Children K5 and younger may then exit to the Nursery Hall Rooms 112 & 114 for Bible Time. 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)

All students in grades 6-12 are invited to **Pinnacle** from 6:00 p.m. – 8:15 p.m. Student Choir is at 5:15 p.m. A full schedule of Student Ministry activities may be downloaded from the Student page of the MUMC website (www.madisonumc.org/students).

GRADUATE RECOGNITION SUNDAY

- May 6th : recognition of graduates at the 10:45 a.m. service followed by lunch in the CLC for graduates and families
- If your senior is not listed in the Messenger listing, please contact the Church Office or email jackie@madisonumc.org
- We would also like to recognize college and advanced degree graduates. Please send that information to jackie@madisonumc.org or call the church office.

UPCOMING STUDENT SUMMER TRIPS

- Junior High trip to Arlington, TX, June 10-13, Cost: \$175 (Deadline: May 10)
- M28 (Grades 6-12), Lake Junaluska, NC, July 1-5, Cost: \$350 (\$100 due by May 1)
- Senior High Appalachia Missions, West Virginia, July 13-20, Cost:\$400 (\$100 due by May 1)
- For more information, contact Cory@madisonumc.org

KIDS MINISTRY

Contact Renee Scales (renee@madisonumc.org)

VBS 2018 - SHIPWRECKED: RESCUED BY JESUS!

- June 18 – 22
- For all children who have completed K5 – 5th grade
- Registration is now open!
- Register online at www.madisonumc.org or pick up registration forms from the Church Office
- Free VBS music CD to the first 50 families who register
- Volunteers can also sign up on the website or by emailing renee@madisonumc.org

2018-19 AFTER SCHOOL CARE REGISTRATION

- April 9 (open to the community)
- Register in person from 3:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.
- Pick-up from Mannsdale Upper & Lower; Madison Avenue Upper & Lower; Madison Station, Madison Crossing
- For more information, contact Gayle Hart at 601-853-7436