

ADULT MINISTRY

HOLY WEEK SERVICES

- Maundy Thursday Communion Service, March 28, at 7:00 p.m. in the Sanctuary
- Stations of the Cross, Friday, March 29, 7:00 a.m. – 7:00 p.m. in the Sanctuary
- Good Friday Service, Friday, March 29, at 12:00 noon in the Sanctuary
- Easter Sunday Services, March 31, at 8:30 a.m., 9:30 a.m. & 11:00 a.m.

PURCHASE EASTER LILIES

- Decorate the sanctuary with Easter lilies or make a donation to the Naomi-Ruth Circle. All proceeds will benefit missions.
- Lilies are \$20 each and may be purchased Sunday morning March 17. You may also purchase lilies on Wednesday evening March 20 during WAM.
- Lilies may be picked up following the 11:00 a.m. Easter Service or the following week outside the west Atrium entrance.

MADISON METHODIST MEN'S FRANK WILSON SCHOLARSHIPS

- The Madison Methodist Men (MMM) are pleased to announce their 16th annual program for the awarding 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 2024, with a grade point average of 3.0 or above, and have participated in church, school, and community programs. Applications are available in the church office. Application deadline is May 3, 2024. Application submissions should be complete, including high school transcripts.
- This year the scholarships will be for \$3,000 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.

MISSIONS AND OUTREACH CELEBRATIONS & UPCOMING OPPORTUNITIES:

HONDURAS MISSION TEAMS DEADLINES:

- The deadline to sign up for the Moody/Legacy Honduras Mission trip for this summer is March 24th. The registration for the Salt & Light trip is closed for this year.
- If you are interested in joining the Legacy/Moody Honduras Mission team this summer (June 22-29th), contact Micah Anglin at manglin@gmail.com

PICKLEBALL

- Currently having sessions Monday, Tuesday, and Friday from 12:30-2:30 p.m. for all levels of play and Thursdays, 12:30-2:30 p.m. for advanced play.
- Monday night session from 6:00-7:30 p.m. is for beginner instruction and those who work during the day.
- The contacts for pickleball are Randy & Susan Hierlmeier at 813-299-6558 or Bobby & Nita Henry at 601-720-3633. A schedule is in place to ensure that at least one church member is present at all times.

SHOWER POWER

- Thank you for your donations to Shower Power, however, we are still in need of Men's Boxer Briefs, M-XL.
- Please bring donations to the table in the Fellowship Hall.

OUR CHURCH FAMILY

- Presented for baptism today is Mary Kirk Rawson, daughter of Chad & Jennifer Rawson and baby sister of Patrick & Jameson. Grandparents are Mitcie Reid and the late Dr. Kirk Reid.
- We rejoice at new births! Layne Prescott Beebe, son of Hunter & Laura Beebe and baby brother of Hunt, was born February 21. Grandparents are Tracy Beebe and the late Ken Beebe.
- We offer our sympathy to the family of Virginia Mounger, sister of Ann Holifield and aunt of Martha Grace Gray, who died March 1.
- We offer our sympathy to the family of Bill Beard, brother of Becky Morgan, who passed away March 13.

SERMON NOTES

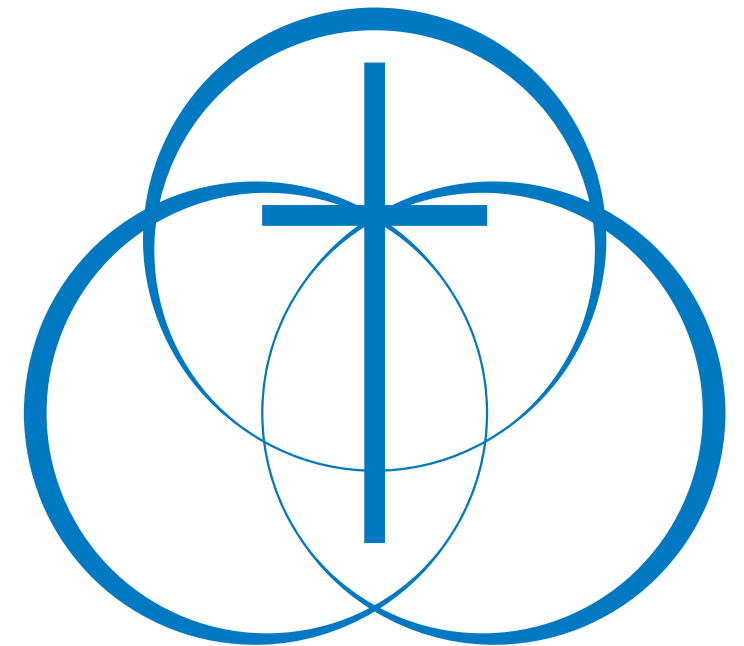
(John 12:20-26)

SINGLE FRIENDS GROUP

- We are a group of Christian Singles following Christ, growing our faith, building community, and supporting local churches and outreach. Ages 50 to 70+.
- We have weekly dinners at local restaurants, movie nights, potluck dinners, and more. Please let us know if you plan to join, so we have room at the table.
- The next event will be on Thursday, March 21, at 6:00 p.m. at Pizza Shack in Madison. Please let us know if you're coming so we will have room at the table.
- If you have any questions, reach out to Afton Pike at (720) 220-5171 or Alison Richardson at (601) 842-3300. We would love for anyone interested to join us.

MADISON METHODIST CHURCH

Madison, Mississippi



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"Building faithful disciples, serving Jesus Christ"

SERVICE OF WORSHIP

March 17, 2024
Fifth Sunday in Lent

PARTICIPANTS IN TODAY'S SERVICES

STUDENT MINISTRY

Contact Cory Phillips (cory@madisonmc.org)

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

PRELUDE *Ah, Holy Jesus* arr. McDonald

HYMN *There Is a Fountain Filled with Blood (vs. 1-4)* 486

CELEBRATION OF BAPTISM (8:30 A.M.) Mary Kirk Rawson
Mary Kirk, Mary Kirk, 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.
Mary Kirk, Mary Kirk, 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.
Mary Kirk, Mary Kirk, 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 WORSHIP *Wonderful, Merciful Savior* arr. Schrader

GREETING

A TIME MOSTLY FOR CHILDREN

Alleluia, alleluia! Give thanks to the risen Lord.
Alleluia, alleluia! Give praise to His name

OFFERTORY *Washed White as Snow* arr. Larson
Donna Banks, piano

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 John 12:20-26

HYMN OF PREPARATION *Have Thine Own Way, Lord* 343

SERMON

CLOSING HYMN *Take My Life and Let It Be Consecrated* 586

BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE

*** Seating of additional worshippers

Senior Pastor Rev. Barry Male
Associate Pastor Rev. Robert McCormick
Administrative Pastor Rev. Jim Genesse
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.) Everly Smith & Mina Taheri

Acolytes (10:45 a.m.) Gilley Nettles & Caitlyn Stewart

BIBLE TIME VOLUNTEERS:

8:30 a.m. Channing & Josh Hancock; Chad & Jennifer Rawson

10:45 a.m. Katie & Josh Crump

WEDNESDAYS AT MADISON

5:15-6:00 p.m. Supper Adults \$8, Kids \$5, with a family cap of \$26

NO CARRYOUT MEALS WILL BE AVAILABLE UNTIL 5:50 P.M.

5:45 p.m. KIDS Choir & KIDS Play
6:15 p.m. KIDS Ministry activities (KIDS check-in)
6:15 p.m. Student Ministry study (Lounge, Student Hall)
6:00 p.m. Small Groups
6:15 p.m. Wesley Covenant Service (Sanctuary)

March 20 Adult Meal

Chorizo Queso Tortilla Bake, Green Chili Chicken Posole, Mexican Black Beans, Yellow Rice, Street Corn Salad, Super Salad Bar, Nachos — Tortilla Chips, Salsa, Guacamole

Desserts

Tres Leche Cake, Sopapilla Cheesecake Bars, Margarita Pie (non-alcoholic), Sugar Free Tex Mex Bars, Soft Serve Ice Cream

Kids Meal

Tacos with Beef & Cheese, Chicken Taquitos, Yellow Rice, Mexican Shortbread Cookies



Support our senior high summer mission trip to Brazil!
Tenderloins - 2 per order - \$30, to order, please use the QR Code.
Pick up at Madison Methodist Church on Saturday, March 23, 9:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.
(Tenderloins not picked up by 12:00 p.m. will be donated to our First Responders)



- STAY CONNECTED! Please make sure you are on the text plan by texting "mmcstudent" to 866-998-3838.
- Also, follow our Instagram page for updates and pictures from events: @mmcstudents.

KIDS MINISTRY

KIDS CELEBRATING EASTER PALM SUNDAY

All children are invited to process with palms at the beginning of both worship services on March 24. For the 8:30 a.m. service, meet in the Fellowship Hall at 8:20 a.m. For the 10:45 a.m. service, meet in the Fellowship Hall at 10:35 a.m.

WALKING THROUGH HOLY WEEK

WHO: 1st - 3rd Graders
WHEN: Wednesday, March 27 from 5:30-7:00 p.m.
WHERE: Meet in the CLC at 5:30 for dinner
VOLUNTEERS: Parent/Youth Volunteers are Needed!
RSVP: Scan the Easter QR Code (at the bottom of this article) to register!
Deadline to register is Sunday, March 24th.

FLASHLIGHT EASTER EGG HUNT & COMMUNION

WHO: 4th & 5th Graders
WHEN: Thursday, March 28, from 6:30-8:30 p.m.
WHERE: Parents will drop off/pick up at the Home of Micah & Lisa Anglin, 298 Sundial Rd, Madison
BRING: A flashlight & a basket (or something to collect eggs in) & your own chair
VOLUNTEERS: the afternoon of March 28th to hide eggs; the night of March 28th to help serve food, bring food
RSVP: Scan the Easter QR Code (at the bottom of this article) to register!
Deadline to register is Sunday, March 24th

J IS FOR JESUS: AN EASTER ALPHABET

WHO: Preschool Children (2 1/2, 3, 4's & K5)
WHEN: 10:00 a.m. on Saturday, March 30, 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, March 28th. Write your child's name & age on the bag!
PARENTS: Plan to stay with your child on March 30th
VOLUNTEERS: Egg hiders at 9:00 a.m. on March 30th
Face painters from 9:45-10:30 a.m. on March 30th
Craft center leaders from 9:45-11:00 a.m. on March 30th
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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 MMC you want to know more about. Then SUBMIT the form, and we will follow up with you in the coming week.

