

ADULT MINISTRY

CHRISTMAS POINSETTIAS

- Naomi Ruth Circle will be selling poinsettias to decorate the sanctuary during the Christmas season.
- The plants will be \$15 and may be purchased on Sundays, Nov. 26 and Dec. 3 and on Wednesday, Nov. 29.
- Please make your check payable to MMC and note that it is for Poinsettias on the memo line of your check.

ADOPT A CHILD

- Christmas giving ministry: Methodist Children’s Homes of Mississippi has wish lists available for the children and youth who are part of their on-campus group homes and foster programs.
- If you, your small group or Sunday school class is looking for a way to give back this Christmas and would like more information about adopting a child’s wish list, please contact Kristen Harwell at 601-383-6128 or Kris10harwell@gmail.com.
- Gifts are due (unwrapped) December 10th.

VIP LUNCHEON

- Our next VIP luncheon is Tuesday, December 5th at noon. Reservations MUST be made by Thursday, November 30th.
- Bridgid Berry, local singer & songwriter will perform Christmas music.
- Menu: Wild Rice Stuffed Pork Loin, Hasselback Sweet Potatoes w/ Bacon Jam, Spinach Madeleine, Aunt Tia’s Salad, Rolls, & Orange Cranberry Panna Cotta w/ Christmas Cookies.
- You may sign up on the pew pads during Sunday service, email jone@madisonmc.org or call the office at 601-856-6058 to register.

DELTA GRACE TRIP

- Madison Methodist Church will be returning to Delta Grace on Saturday, December 2nd. Delta Grace is a multi-denominational, faith-based organization that matches mission teams with those in need of home repairs.
- To find out more information about Delta Grace, visit <https://deltagrace.org> or contact Matthew Thompson at wmatthewt@gmail.com
- To sign up for the December 2nd trip, use this QR code:



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TEXT GIVING 601-255-1836
 ONLINE GIVING Madisonmc.org/give
 APP GIVING
 QR CODE
 MAIL 100 Post Oak Rd, Madison MS 39110

OUR CHURCH FAMILY

Presented for baptism today is Jackson Ikey Smith, son of Conner & Hannah Rachel Smith, born on May 17, 2023. Big sisters are Parker and McKee.

SERMON NOTES (Col. 1:15-20)

WE NEED BIBLE TIME VOLUNTEERS FOR THE 10:45 A.M. WORSHIP SERVICE.

Bible Time is a special ministry during the 8:30 and 10:45 Sunday morning worship services for parents and children (ages 2 ½ through K5). The children leave the worship service after KIDS Sermon and participate in an age-appropriate Bible lesson in a child’s classroom setting. Many find the idea of “teaching/leading” Bible Time overwhelming and somewhat scary, but all you have to do is -

- Come down to the KIDS Sermon so you can assist with “crowd control” and help get the children from the Sanctuary to the classrooms.
- Read a short Bible story/activity with the children. The story and all supplies will be provided for you.
- Provide classroom supervision/monitoring.
- Put toys back on the shelves, push chairs under the tables, etc. – in other words, please leave the room neat and ready for our Monday morning classes.

OUR AFTER SCHOOL CARE PROGRAM HAS 2 JOB OPENINGS

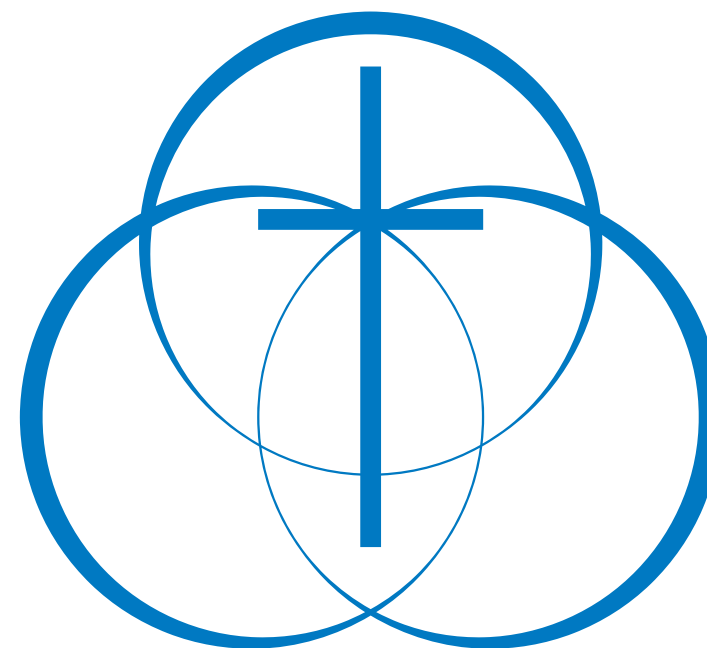
- a classroom teacher & an office assistant!
- The classroom teacher must be at least 21 years old; hours are from 2:00-5:30 p.m. on Monday-Friday during the school year.
 - The Office Assistant must be at least 21 years old; the hours are from 2:00-6:00 p.m. (with some flexibility) on Monday-Friday during the school year!
 - Contact Gayle Hart at 601-853-7436 to apply or for more information.

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.

MADISON METHODIST CHURCH Madison, Mississippi



November 26, 2023

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“Building faithful disciples, serving Jesus Christ”

SERVICE OF WORSHIP

November 26, 2023
Christ the King Sunday

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

PRELUDE *O Worship the King* arr. Berry

HYMN *All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name (vs 1-4 and 6)* 279

AFFIRMATION OF FAITH The Nicene Creed

We believe in one God, the Father, the Almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all that is, visible and invisible.

We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ, the only-begotten 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 from the Holy Spirit and the Virgin Mary, and was made man. 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 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.

GLORIA PATRI
Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost; As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be: world without end. Amen,

CELEBRATION OF BAPTISM (8:30 a.m.) Jackson Ikey Smith
Jackson, Jackson, 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. Jackson, Jackson, 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. Jackson, Jackson, 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 *The Solid Rock* arr. Davis

GREETING

A TIME MOSTLY FOR CHILDREN
Give thanks with a grateful heart, give thanks to the Holy One, Give thanks, because He's given Jesus Christ, His Son. Give thanks with a grateful heart, give thanks to the Holy One Give thanks, because He's given Jesus Christ, His Son. Give Thanks!

OFFERTORY *I'd Rather Have Jesus* Miller/Shea
Patricia Stanfield, soloist

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 Col. 1:15-20

HYMN OF PREPARATION *Jesus Shall Reign (vs 1, 2, & 5)* 282

SERMON

HYMN OF RESPONSE *All to Jesus I Surrender* 607

BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE

*** Seating of additional worshipers



Senior Pastor Rev. Barry Male
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.) James Burns and Colton Johnson
Acolytes (10:45 a.m.) Jack Lishman and Will Thomas Stark



BIBLE TIME VOLUNTEERS:
8:30 a.m. Carrie & Brad McDill and Melanie & Steve Shapin
10:45 a.m. Chris & Lindsey Clarke and Joe & Sarah Ulmer

STUDENT MINISTRY

Contact Cory Phillips (cory@madisonmc.org)

- 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.
- Madison MC Student Ministry invites all students in grades 7-12 to join us for our Sunday night worship. Each week we meet from 6:00-8:15 P.M. for dinner, games, worship, small groups, and prayer. It is an awesome experience, and we would love to have you be a part of it!
- ELEVATE Ski Retreat sign-ups are live! Ski trip January 12-15, 2024. Gatlinburg, TN. There will be 3 Worship Sessions and 2 Ski Sessions. Deadline to register December 10. Please use this QR code to register.
- Church League Youth Basketball sign-ups are going on now. Please email me with names and grades of those interested! There are three divisions: Middle School; 9th and 10th grades; and 11th and 12th grades.
- Christmas Party @ the Farm, December 10. Family groups will play Dirty Santa 5-10\$ gifts. Dress warm as this is an outside event.



KIDS MINISTRY Calendar
• Dec. 6 6:10 p.m. SonBeams & KIDS Choirs Christmas Music Program
• Jan. 25-27, 2024 TBA Created by God for 5th Graders
• June 17-21, 2024 8:30-11:30 a.m. VBS

- CHRISTMAS ACTIVITIES**
- Milk & Cookies for 2 ½ - K5, Saturday, Dec. 9, 10-11:30 a.m.-KIDS Hall
 - Merry & Bright Activities for 1st – 3rd Graders, Wednesday, Dec. 13, 5:30-7:00 p.m.-CLC
 - Hunting for the Good News for 4th & 5th Graders, Friday, December 15, 6:00-7:30 p.m.-Madison Area
 - Ugly Christmas Sweater Party for 6th Graders, Date & Time to be Determined
 - Register for any event by Scanning the QRC



WEDNESDAYS AT MADISON

November 29 Adult Meal
Mama's Meatloaf, Oven Fried Ranch Pork Chops, Cabbage with Bacon and Onions, Cheese Grits, Stewed Tomatoes and Okra, Apple Pecan Kale Salad
Cornbread Mini Muffins

Super Salad Bar

Desserts
Key Lime Pie, Apple Cider Whoopee Pies, Chunky Fudge Brownies, Sugar Free Brownies, Over the Moon Banana Pudding, Soft Serve Ice Cream

Kids Meal
Mini Meatloaf, Cheese Grits, Applesauce Pouches, Cornbread Mini Muffins