

## ADULT MINISTRY

### ALTAR FLOWER ARRANGEMENTS

- Please sign up by calling the church office at 601-856-6058
- We ask that if you sign up for Sanctuary flowers and you intend to take them home; you are welcome to take them after the second service. If this time is not convenient, please pick them up on Monday morning.

### GRIEF MINISTRY

- Our meetings will be on the 1st and 3rd Wednesday of each month at 6:15 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall, Room 118.
- For additional information, contact Jackie Wilson at 601-953-7455 or Linda Barker at 601-842-2971

### GIVING TO MADISON METHODIST CHURCH

- With our church's name change on July 1, please update your records if you utilize your bank's online giving or give by check. If you give through the church online giving or by text, no change is needed. Please feel free to contact our church office with any questions, [info@madisonmc.org](mailto:info@madisonmc.org)

TEXT GIVING 601-255-1836  
 ONLINE GIVING [Madisonmc.org/give](https://www.madisonmc.org/give)  
 APP GIVING  
 QR CODE  
 MAIL 100 Post Oak Rd, Madison MS 39110



### MADISON MC 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 are available at the doors entering the sanctuary.

### 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.



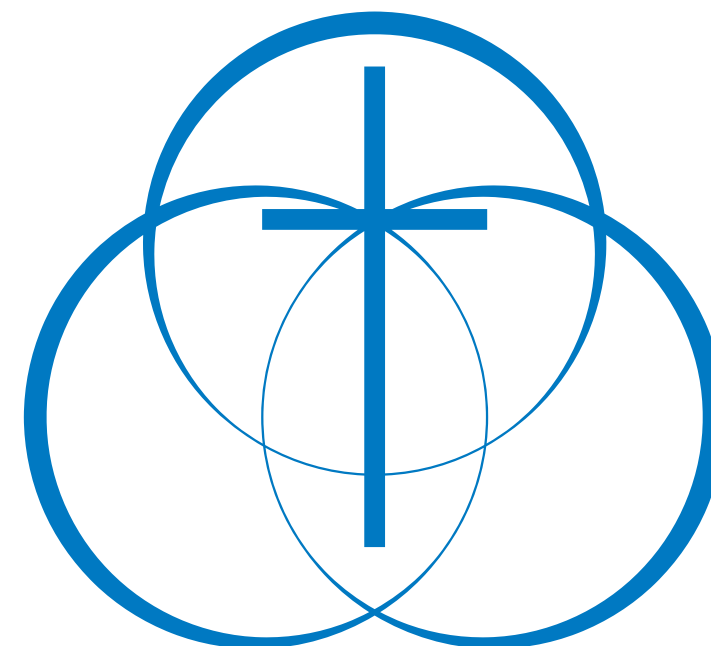
## OUR CHURCH FAMILY

Presented for baptism today Michael Garnett Campbell, son of Matthew and Mary Catherine Campbell, born on December 6, 2019. Big sister is Marianna, grandparents are Rick & Mary Campbell, aunt is Elizabeth Lishman and uncle is Richard Campbell.

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**SERMON NOTES**  
**(Matthew 20:1-16)**

# MADISON METHODIST CHURCH

Madison, Mississippi



September 17, 2023

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[www.madisonmc.org](http://www.madisonmc.org)

*"Building faithful disciples, serving Jesus Christ"*

# SERVICE OF WORSHIP

September 17, 2023  
Sixteenth Sunday after Pentecost

## WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

**PRELUDE** *I Sing the Mighty Power of God* arr. Ritter

**HYMN** *To God Be the Glory* 531

## AFFIRMATION OF FAITH The Apostles' Creed

I believe in God, the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth; And in Jesus Christ his only Son, our Lord; who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; the third day he rose from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and sitteth at the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. 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, Amen.*

## CELEBRATION OF BAPTISM (10:45 A.M.) Michael Garnett Campbell

*Michael, Michael, 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.*

*Michael, Michael, 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.*

*Michael, Michael, 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.

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**CHORAL WORSHIP** *The Power of Your Love* arr. Holstein

## GREETING

### A TIME MOSTLY FOR CHILDREN

*Thy word is a lamp unto my feet and a light unto my path.*

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**OFFERTORY** *There is a Fountain* arr. Hayes  
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** Matthew 20:1-16

**HYMN OF PREPARATION** *My Jesus, My Savior (Shout to the Lord)* 124

## SERMON

**HYMN OF RESPONSE** *We've a Story to Tell to the Nations* 458

## BENEDICTION

## POSTLUDE

\*\*\* Seating of additional worshippers



**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.)** Sam Chew and Walker Hodges

**Acolytes (10:45 a.m.)** Lyla Moore and Hudson Honea

### BIBLE TIME VOLUNTEERS:

8:30 a.m. Carrie & Brad McDill and Haley & Sam Gregory  
10:45 a.m. Susan Hall & Stephen Anderson

# STUDENT MINISTRY

Contact Cory Phillips (cory@madisonmc.org)

- Our Sunday Night Student Worship has kicked back off with food, small groups, worship, games and fun from 6:00 – 8:15 p.m.
- 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.



**Beach Retreat** in Panama City is October 7th - 9th. Deadline to sign up is September 24. Please scan the QR Code to register.

## KIDS MINISTRY Save the Date

September 24 Confirmation Kick-off for 6th Graders & Their Families  
November 12 Confirmation Sunday

### FIRST GRADE – Sunday Morning Worship

1st graders are growing and learning so fast, and we think you are ready to learn about how we worship in the Methodist Church. One way you learn new things is to attend worship services on Sunday mornings. **1st graders will remain in the Sanctuary for the entire worship service.** Come down for KIDS Time and then go sit with your parents for the remainder of the service.

### FALL 2023 WEDNESDAY NIGHT ACTIVITIES FOR CHILDREN

5:45 – 6:10 p.m. KIDS Choir (1st – 6th graders) in the Choir Room  
5:45 p.m. Drop off for kids whose parents participate in small groups  
3-year-olds – 6th grade – KIDS Check-in Desk  
2-year-olds & under – Nursery Hall  
6:15 – 7:00 p.m. KIDS Classes  
3-year-olds – 6th grade – KIDS Hall  
2-year-olds & under – Nursery Hall

### 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. Pastor's Bible Study (Sanctuary)

Register & pay for supper by using this QR code or you may also call the office 601-856-6058, register on the pew pads during Sunday service or email jone@madisonmc.org



### September 20 Adult Meal

Open Faced BBQ Chicken Cornbread Sandwiches with Pickled Peppers and Onions, Home-style Burger with Pimento Cheese and Bacon, Dr. Pepper Baked Beans, Cowboy Pasta Salad, Cranberry Almond Slaw

### Desserts

Chocolate Caramel Cake in a Cup, Peach Cobbler Bread Pudding, Sugar Free Brownies

### Kids Meal

Cheeseburger Sliders (Sliders with no cheese available), Baked Beans, Tater Tots, Football Brownies