

# ADULT MINISTRY

## VIP LUNCHEON

- Tuesday, October 3rd at noon. Reservations must be made by Thursday, September 28th.
- Senator Walter Michel will be giving us a legislative update.
- Menu: Pork Medallions with Mustard Cream Sauce, Savory Sweet Potato Casserole, Roasted Cheddar Broccoli, Apple Crunch Salad, Maple Corn Muffins and Pecan Cobbler w/ Butter Pecan Ice Cream.

## 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 122.
- 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)



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## 6<sup>TH</sup> GRADE BIBLE PRESENTATION

September 24, 2023

8:30 Service	10:45 Service	To Be Presented Later
Jude Broussard	Anna Catherine Brown	Wesley Barnett
Sam Chew	Gracyn Dilley	Collin Burr
Wyatt Godfrey	Max Ezelle	Ava Harwell
Hensley Hardy	Robert Gray	Emma McElroy
Hudson Martin	Lily Hall	Evan Nettles
Camille McClelland	Jack Heard	
Molly McGuffie	Jack Jernigan	
Charlie Milton	Jackson Lacey	
Julia Owens	Max Largen	
	Wade McHann	
	Lyla Moore	
	Jack Patterson	
	Ty Reeves	
	William Rogers	
	Claire Selman	
	Grace Smith	
	Lillian Strong	

# OUR CHURCH FAMILY

## We offer our sympathy to the families of:

- Jeannie Giroux, mother of Peter Giroux, who died September 15.
- Pamela Mayfield White, mother of Chris White, who died September 17.

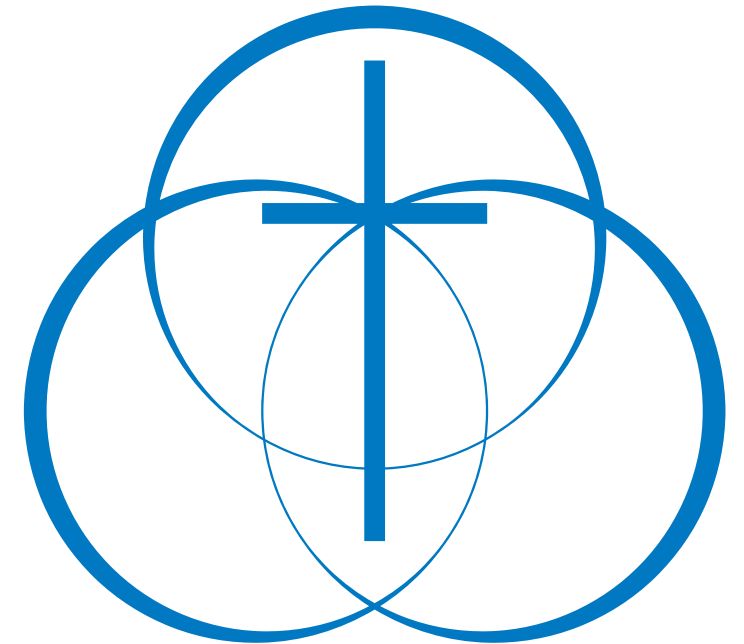
## SERMON NOTES (Matthew 21:23-32)

## 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.

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Madison, Mississippi



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*"Building faithful disciples, serving Jesus Christ"*

# SERVICE OF WORSHIP

September 24, 2023

Seventeenth Sunday after Pentecost

## WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

**PRELUDE** *When Morning Gilds the Skies* arr. Caudill

**HYMN** *Glory to His Name* 551

## 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** *Oh How He Loves You and Me* Kaiser/Purifoy

## PRESENTATION OF SIXTH GRADE BIBLES

Congregation:

We hope that as you read the Bible, you will bring not only your faith but also your questions and your doubts to your church family where you find a loving, supporting, listening and teaching community. We want to grow with you in faith and knowledge.

## 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** *You Can Rest* H. Scott  
Elizabeth and Molly Carr

**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 21:23-32

**HYMN OF PREPARATION** *Softly and Tenderly (verses 1, 2, 4)* 504

## SERMON

**HYMN OF RESPONSE** *Amazing Grace* 572

## BENEDICTION

## POSTLUDE

\*\*\* Seating of additional worshipers

# PARTICIPANTS IN TODAY'S SERVICES

**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.)** Mason Owens and Julia Owens

**Acolytes (10:45 a.m.)** Caroline Hutcheson and Robert Gray

### BIBLE TIME VOLUNTEERS:

8:30 a.m. Channing & Josh Hancock and Marylin & Jay Livingston  
10:45 a.m. Dustin & Kristy Case

The flowers in the Chancel Area are presented to the Glory of God by Bob and Kathleen Matthews in memory of Walter Lee & Elizabeth Marling, James & Lorraine McNamara, Lorraine Marling Payne and LaNell Marling Cauthen.

### 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.



# 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 27 Adult Meal

Smoked Sausage & Vegetable Kabob, Chicken Broccoli Stuffed Bread, Roasted Potatoes, Creamed Turnip Greens, Dilled Green Beans, Super Salad Bar

### Desserts

Italian Cream Cake, Chocolate Chip Cheesecake Pie, Peanut Butter Sandwich Cookie, Sugar Free, Gluten Free Almond Cheesecake (pick up on the serving line), Soft Serve Ice Cream

### Kids Meal

Cheesy Crescent Dogs, Green Beans, Orange Slices, Danimal Yogurt Drink