

ADULT MINISTRY

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

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.

MADISON UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

Madison, Mississippi

EASTER LILIES FOR SALE BY UMW

- Help provide lilies to decorate the Sanctuary on Easter Sunday or make a donation to United Methodist Women
- \$15 per lily. All proceeds will benefit UMW missions
- TODAY IS THE FINAL DAY TO PURCHASE LILIES!

DELTA GRACE WEEKEND MISSION TRIP

- April 13-14 in Sunflower, MS
- Mission team will be matched with those in need of minor home repairs
- Great mission opportunity for the entire family
- For more information or to sign up, contact Carolyn Schussler (cschuss093@gmail.com or 904-403-5748) or the church office

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.

SMALL GROUPS

- Are you interested in joining a small group or discipleship group?
- Call or text Jenny Caudell at 601-832-3831 or email jennyloufs@yahoo.com

MARK YOUR CALENDARS FOR THESE HOLY WEEK EVENTS

- Thursday, Mar. 29: Maundy Thursday Communion Service, 7:00 p.m.
- Friday, Mar. 30: Good Friday Service, 12:00 noon Stations of the Cross, 7:00 a.m. – 7:00 p.m.
- Sunday, April 1: Easter Services at 8:00 a.m., 9:30 a.m., & 11:00 a.m. No Sunday School or Bible Time for KIDS

No Fellowship Meal or activities this Wednesday due to special Easter schedule. Regular schedule will resume next week (April 4).

OUR CHURCH FAMILY

Presented for baptism today is Rosemary Kathryn Whittington, daughter of Lashlee and Chad Whittington and baby sister of William and Louise.

We rejoice at new births!

- Miriam Jewel McElroy, daughter of Michael and Reagan McElroy and granddaughter of Bob and Ann McElroy, was born March 20.

We offer our sympathy to the family of:

- Betty Peyton, mother of Scott Peyton, who died March 19

SERMON NOTES

(Hebrews 13:11-16)



March 25, 2018

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"Building faithful disciples, serving Jesus Christ"

SERVICE OF WORSHIP

March 25, 2018

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

PRELUDE *Hosanna, Loud Hosanna* arr. Carter

PROCESSIONAL HYMN *All Glory, Laud, and Honor* 280

CHORAL ANTHEM *Hosanna Celebration* Liebergen

CELEBRATION OF BAPTISM (10:45 a.m.) Rosemary Kathryn Whittington

Rosie, Rosie, 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.

Rosie, Rosie, 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.

Rosie, Rosie, 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.

GREETING

A TIME MOSTLY FOR CHILDREN

Oh how I love Jesus, O how I love Jesus,

Oh how I love Jesus, because he first loved me!

OFFERTORY *Can't Stop My Hallelujahs* Nordhoff
Elizabeth Carr, 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 Hebrews 13:11-16

HYMN OF PREPARATION *Tell Me the Stories of Jesus* 277

SERMON

HYMN OF RESPONSE *Must Jesus Bear the Cross Alone* 424

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.) Campbell Browning & Anslee Taylor
Acolytes (10:45 a.m.) Natalie Patterson & Catherine Lacey

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The flowers in the Chancel area

Are presented to the Glory of God

By Chad, Lashlee, William & Louise Whittington

In honor of Rosie's baptism
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BIBLE TIME VOLUNTEERS

Bible Time Volunteers for March 25:

8:30 a.m.: Michelle & Allen Taheri; Ginny & Henry Allen

10:45 a.m.: Christy & Brian Nettles; John & Rachel McHann
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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)

NO PINNACLE ACTIVITIES TONIGHT DUE TO NEWSBOYS CONCERT.

Student Choir will be from 5:00 p.m. – 5:30 p.m.

A full schedule of Student Ministry activities may be downloaded from the Student page of the MUMC website (www.madisonumc.org/students).

NEWSBOYS CONCERT

- Sunday, March 25, 6:00 p.m. at Jackson Coliseum
- Meet at MUMC at 5:15 p.m. to go to the concert.
- We will be attending this concert in place of our normal Sunday Night Activities.

SIFAT SLUM EXPERIENCE

- April 20 – 22 in Lineville, Alabama
- Grades 6-12
- Learn More Here: <https://sifat.org>
- \$75 per person (**Registration deadline: April 1**)
- Register Here: <http://www.madisonumc.org/sifat-2018>
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KIDS MINISTRY

Contact Renee Scales (renee@madisonumc.org)

KIDS MINISTRY EASTER CALENDAR

Adult volunteers needed for all activities!

See complete details in the March 14 MUMC *Messenger* Newsletter

- Sunday, March 25, Palm Sunday Processional, at both services, all ages
- Thursday, March 29, 5:00 p.m., Easter Passion Play in Kosciusko, Grades 4 & 5
- Friday, March 30, 5:30 p.m., Easter "Glow in the Dark," Grades 1, 2, & 3
- Saturday, March 31, 10:00 a.m., "What Is Easter?" and Easter Egg Hunt, ages 2½ & 3
- Saturday, March 31, 10:00 a.m., "The Parable of the Lily" and Easter Egg Hunt, ages 4 & 5

VBS 2018 - SHIPWRECKED: RESCUED BY JESUS!

- June 18 – 22
- Volunteers needed to help with arts & crafts, teaching, games, and decorating
- Please email Ms. Renee to volunteer or for more information

2018-19 AFTER SCHOOL CARE REGISTRATION

- April 4 (Church members only) and 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