

ADULT MINISTRY

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

SEPTEMBER VIP LUNCHEON

- Tuesday, September 11, 11:30 a.m. in the Christian Life Center (CLC)
- Guest Speaker: Tona Becker, director of Madison the City Senior Services
- Menu: Eye of round with mushroom gravy; ranch potatoes; sautéed squash; salad; roll; butter pecan cream cake

MADISON UNITED METHODIST MEN

- Next Sunday, September 17, 7:00 a.m. in the Christian Life Center (CLC)
- Special guest: Lt. Gov. Tate Reeves
- Join us for breakfast and fellowship and bring a friend!

MADCAAP NEEDS YOUR HELP

- Volunteers needed to help with food distribution at the Canton center each Monday from 9:00 a.m. – 11:30 a.m. Contact Rev. Ben Butler for more information
- Canned vegetables (green beans, corn, English peas, etc.) and canned fruit are needed for the Food Pantry. Bring items to the Church Office or the MadCAAP collection table in the Fellowship Hall.

WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDIES BEGIN FOR THE FALL

- 7 Bible Study groups currently scheduled
- Groups meeting at various times on Sundays, Mondays, Wednesdays, and Thursdays
- For detailed information, contact Rev. Linda Rickman (linda@madisonumc.org) or see September 6th *Messenger* newsletter

JOIN THE LAY MINISTRY TEAM

- Be a part of a covenant community of discipleship
- Help support and coordinate the work of ministry teams
- Contact Rev. Ben Butler (ben@madisonumc.org) for info

DELTA GRACE MISSION DAY

- Saturday, September 23, Sunflower, MS (Vans will take missionaries from MUMC)
- Intergenerational mission opportunity for anyone 7 years old and older
- Sign up ASAP at madisonumc.org/deltagrace
- For more information, contact Rev. Ben Butler (ben@madisonumc.org) or Carolyn Schussler (cschussler093@gmail.com)

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.

ADULTS

- Study of the Old Testament book of Judges, led by Rev. Barry Male in Sanctuary
- *Welcome to Dinner, Church*, led by Rev. Ben Butler in Fellowship Hall Room 122
- IF Conference videos and women's discussion group in Administrative Office Building Conference Room

STUDENTS

- Junior High Bible Study in Student Lounge
- Senior High Bible Study in Student Lounge

KIDS

- Music: SonBeams (2½-K5) and SonShine Choir (1st – 6th Grades)
- Classes for Preschool, Elementary, and Tweens

MENU for September 13

- Adults: Chicken Eden Isle; wild rice; steamed broccoli; field peas; squash casserole; roll; cherry crunch; praline key lime pie
- Kids: Turkey & cheese wrap; steamed broccoli; bananas; Rice Krispie treat

OUR CHURCH FAMILY

Presented for baptism today is Lola Katherine Briscoe, daughter of Lindsey and Adam Briscoe and baby sister of Hayden.

We offer our sympathy to the families of:

- Mignon Watt, mother of Lewis Watt, who died September 2
- Dick Bowie, husband of Fontaine Bowie, father of Allison Bowie and grandfather of Jacob and Henry, who died September 6

SERMON NOTES

(John 11:20-35)

MADISON UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

Madison, Mississippi



September 10, 2017

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SERVICE OF WORSHIP

September 10, 2017

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

PRELUDE *The God of Abraham Praise* arr. Young

OPENING HYMN *Praise to the Lord, the Almighty (vs. 1, 2, & 5)* 139

CELEBRATION OF BAPTISM (10:45 a.m.) Lola Katherine Briscoe

*Lola, Lola, 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.*

*Lola, Lola, 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.*

Lola, Lola, God claims you, God helps you, protects you, and loves you too

MORNING PRAYER

CHORAL ANTHEM (8:30 a.m.) *Here I Am to Worship/O Worship the King* arr. Fettke

MUMC Chancel Choir

(10:45 a.m.) *This Is My Father's World* Christiansen

The Mississippi College Singers

GREETING

A TIME MOSTLY FOR CHILDREN

*This is the day, this is the day that the Lord has made, that the Lord has made.
Let us rejoice, let us rejoice and be glad in it, and be glad in it.
This is the day that the Lord has made; let us rejoice and be glad in it.
This is the day, this is the day that the Lord has made.*

OFFERTORY (8:30 a.m.) *The Gift of Love* arr. Carter

(10:45 a.m.) *Saints Bound for Heaven* Parker

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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 11:20-35

SONG OF PREPARATION *Sanctuary*

*Lord, prepare me to be a sanctuary, pure and holy, tried and true.
With thanksgiving, I'll be a living sanctuary for You.*

SERMON

HYMN OF BLESSING *Shalom to You*

*Shalom to you now, shalom my friends. May God's full mercies bless you my friends.
In all your living and through your loving, Christ be your shalom, Christ be your shalom.*

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

Acolytes (8:30 a.m.) Claire Thompson & Will Thompson

Acolytes (10:45 a.m.) Gabriel Hernandez & Annalise Wells

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The flowers in the Chancel area
Are presented to the Glory of God
By Jerry and Frankie Mitchell
In honor of their three great-
grandchildren

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The flowers in the Chancel area
Are presented to the Glory of God
By Ed and Joanne Jones
In honor of their 62nd wedding
anniversary

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The flowers in the Narthex area
Are presented to the Glory of God
By Adam, Lindsey, and Hayden Briscoe
In honor of the baptism of Lola Katherine Briscoe

BIBLE TIME VOLUNTEERS

Bible Time Volunteers for September 10:

8:30 a.m.: Hillary & Ryan Steiner; Mackenzie & Drew Burns

10:45 a.m.: Lyle & Lauren Strickland; Amber & Shad Pope

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)

All students in grades 7-12 are invited to **Pinnacle** from 6:00 p.m. – 8:15 p.m. Student Choir is at 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).

KIDS MINISTRY

Contact Renee Scales (renee@madisonumc.org)

BIBLE OLYMPICS

- TODAY, 2:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m. in the KIDS Hall
- For all current 2nd graders
- Parent volunteers needed!

CONFIRMATION

- Details have been emailed to all 6th graders on the Sunday School rolls. If you did not receive one, please contact Ms. Renee.
- Kickoff event: TONIGHT, 6:00 p.m. in the CLC

SUNDAY MORNING CHECK-IN GUIDELINES

ALL children, infants - 6th grade, have to be checked in by a parent or guardian. Not only is this for safety, it is for Sunday School attendance.

- Infants, Crawlers, Toddlers, Younger 2's & Older 2's check in at the Nursery Check-In located off the East Hall outside our Sanctuary.
- Three year olds – 6th graders check in at our kids Check-In Desk located in the new Atrium. This will be the only entry point to the Children's Hall. There will be NO entrance from the upstairs hall or through the exterior north door.

Upon arrival, someone at our Check-In Desks will help you register your children. When you check in using our computerized check in system, you will be given a randomly generated security code (it changes weekly) assigned only to your family. The code will print on a name tag for each child & one will print for you, the parent or guardian. This tag will also include any medical notes, such as allergies, that your child may have. The tag must be presented when picking up your child. The teacher will keep the parent/guardian tag.

Please note:

- We do not allow elementary age children to check in or pick up their siblings. Children are NOT allowed to use or play with the iPads.