## **ADULT MINISTRY**

#### **CURSILLO RETREAT**

 There are a few openings available for the upcoming Cursillo Retreat on May 16-19. Contact Ron Bailey at wrbail@aol.com with any questions about registering for the retreat.

#### EXTRA HANDS, EXTRA LOVE

- May, June, & July dates are now available! Come rock our younger babies & play with & read books to our crawler babies!
- What are the requirements? Be at least 21 years old & complete the KIDS Ministry volunteer paperwork (available at the Nursery Check-in).
- What are the times? 8:15 9:30 a.m. or 9:30 10:45 a.m.
- Scan the QR code below or use the link to sign up for a Sunday morning!

#### **PICKLEBALL**

- We are currently having sessions Monday, Tuesday, and Friday from 12:30-2:30 p.m. for all levels of play and Thursdays from 12:30-2:30 p.m. for advanced play.
- There is a Monday night session from 6:00-7:30 p.m. It is for beginner instruction and those who work during the day.
- Pickleball may be moved at times due to other church activities. Contact Susan at 813-299-6558 to join the GroupMe app and stay up to date.
- The contacts for pickleball are Randy & Susan Hierlmeier at 813-299-6558 or Bobby & Nita Henry at 601-720-3633. A schedule is in place to ensure that at least one church member is present at all times.

#### SINGLE FRIENDS GROUP

May Single Friends activities:

May 16, Thursday: Fratesi's - Ridgeland - 6:00 p.m.

May 18, Saturday: Table-100 - Flowood - 5:00 p.m.

May 23, Thursday: Kathryn Steakhouse - Ridgeland - 6:00 p.m.

May 30, Thursday: Jutamas Thai - Ridgeland - 6:00 p.m.

Please let us know if you are coming, because some of these places get very busy and you may not have a seat. If you have any questions, please contact Afton Pike at 720-220-5171 or Alison Richardson at 601-842-3300.

#### MISSIONS AND OUTREACH:

#### **Upcoming Opportunities: Habitat for Humanity:**

• MMC will participate in building a new house with Habitat for Humanity during June and July. This project is the "Faith Build 2024" because it will again be funded and built as a cooperative effort by the congregations of Methodist, Episcopal, Catholic, Presbyterian, Baptist, and non-denominational churches in the Mississippi Capitol area.



- Madison Methodist will have a dedicated day on June 8, when we will be completing the walls by installing sheathing, top plates, and plumbing the walls in preparation to install roof trusses. In addition, volunteers can sign up to work on any Saturday using the following signup application that indicates the planned work tasks for each day and number of volunteers.
- Please consider signing up for multiple days if the tasks are what you feel most comfortable doing. Since we will again be building a brand new house from the ground up, this should be a fun and fulfilling project.

## **OUR CHURCH FAMILY**

We offer our sympathy to the family of:

• Gene Frederic, father of Alicia Knotts, who died May 4.

We rejoice at new births!

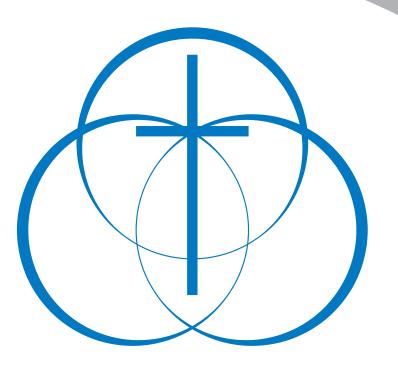
• Charlotte Anne Gregory, daughter of Sam and Haley Gregory, was born on May 6. Big sister is Emma and big brother is Jack.

#### **SERMON NOTES**

(Acts 14:19-23)

# MADISON METHODIST CHURCH

Madison, Mississippi



May 12, 2024

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"Building faithful disciples, serving Jesus Christ"

## SERVICE OF WORSHIP

May 12, 2024 Mother's Day Sunday

#### **WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**PRELUDE** For the Beauty of the Earth arr. teVelde

**HYMN** Alleluia! Sing to Jesus 146

MORNING PRAYER

#### PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Merciful God, we confess that we have not loved you with our whole heart. We have failed to be an obedient church. We have not done your will, we have broken your law, we have rebelled against your love, we have not loved our neighbors, and we have not heard the cry of the needy. Forgive us we pray. Free us for joyful obedience, through Jesus Christ our Lord.

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**CHORAL PRAISE** The Answer arr. Duren

**GREETING** 

#### A TIME MOSTLY FOR CHILDREN

This is My commandment, that you love one another,

That your joy may be full.

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That your joy may be full, that your joy may be full.

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OFFERTORY O The Blood Thomas Miller
Mollie and Elizabeth 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** 

Acts 14:19-23

**SERMON** 

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

SHARING THE BREAD AND CUP

SONG 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.

#### **BENEDICTION**

#### **POSTLUDE**

\*\*\* Seating of additional worshipers

# PARTICIPANTS IN TODAY'S SERVICES

Senior Pastor Rev. Barry Male

**Associate Pastor** Rev. Robert McCormick

Administrative Pastor Rev. Jim Genesse

Pastor of Congregational Care Rev. Linda Rickman

Pastor of Student Ministry Rev. Cory Phillips

Director of Kids Ministry Renee Scales

Director of Music Ministry Lori Blount

**Director of Outreach Ministry** Steve Potter

**Organist** Rosemary McInnis

Pianist Donna Banks

Acolytes (8:30 a.m.) Lillian Faulkner and Reed Ford

Acolytes (10:45 a.m.) Caroline and Jack Hutcheson

#### **BIBLE TIME VOLUNTEERS:**

No Bible Time today. We request that children remain in the Sanctuary with their families on Communion Sundays and experience this special and meaningful sacrament together.

#### 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)

## **Summer 2024 Trip Dates:**

- Brazil Mission Trip June 3-12 Senior High
- M28 July 2-5 All Grades
- Atlanta Mission Trip July 14-17 Junior High
- 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.

## KIDS MINISTRY HAPPY RETIREMENT!

- There will be a reception on Friday, May 17 from 9:00-11:00 a.m. in the Atrium, honoring Gayle Hart. She has spent the past 23 years involved in the Church's Preschool and After School Care programs.
- Please drop off cards & notes for Gayle in the basket located in the Atrium.

## VBS 2024 – is June 17-21 from 8:30-11:30 a.m. TO REGISTER

VBS is open to all children who have completed K5 – 5th grade. Options for registering are:

- 1. Register on-line at www.madisonmc.org & click on the VBS banner  $\,$
- 2. Use this QR Code

3. Text "VBS" to 601-255-1836



## TO VOLUNTEER

- 1. Volunteer on-line at www.madisonmc.org & click on the VBS banner
- 2. Use this QR Code
- 3. Text "Volunteer" to 601-255-1836



WEDNESDAYS AT MADISON has concluded and will resume August 14.