## **ADULT MINISTRY**

#### **MISSIONS AND OUTREACH:**

#### **MISSIONS FAIR SEPTEMBER 15th**

Mark your calendars for Sunday, September 15th, when we will host a Missions Fair in the Christian Life Center from 8:45-11:15a.m. We will highlight 30 different ways to serve God in Madison, the Metro, Mississippi, and More. Come see the many ways the lay people of our church are serving and learn how to get involved!

#### LIFE AFTER LOSS

- Our next meeting will be September 4th in the Fellowship Hall, Room 122 at 6:15p.m.
- Our group meets the 1st & 3rd Wednesday of each month.

#### **VIP LUNCHEON**

- Our next VIP luncheon will be Tuesday, September 10th, at noon. Reservations must be made by Thursday, September 5th.
- Shad White, Mississippi State Auditor will be our guest speaker.
- Menu: Chicken Lombardy, Mashed Potatoes, Broccoli Almandine, Tomato/Cucumber Salad, Rolls and Frozen Key Lime Pie.
- You may sign up on the pew pads during Sunday service, email jone@madisonmc.org or call the office at 601-856-6058 to register.

#### SINGLE FRIENDS GROUP ACTIVITIES

(9-5) Thursday: Vasilios Greek Cuisine - Madison - 6:00p.m. (9-8) Sunday: Half Shell Oyster House - Madison - 12:00p.m. Please let us know if you are coming so we can save you a seat! If you have any questions, please contact Afton Pike at 720-220-5171 or Alison Richardson at 601-842-3300.

#### **MADISON TRUCK CLUB**

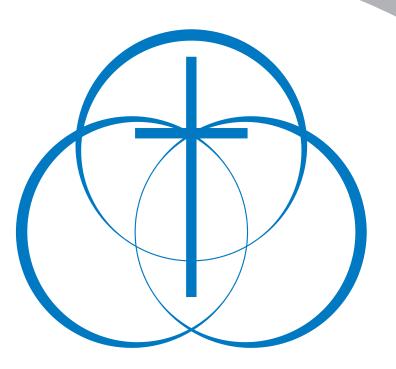
- All men are invited to Truck Club Bible Study on September 5th from 7:30-9:00p.m.
- Join us every first & third Thursday of the month at 224 Waterford Square, Madison. Bring a chair & a Bible. No truck required!

# **OUR CHURCH FAMILY**

#### **SERMON NOTES**

(John 5: 1-17)

# MADISON METHODIST CHURCH Madison, Mississippi



September 1, 2024

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# SERVICE OF WORSHIP

September 1, 2024 Fifteenth Sunday after Pentecost

#### **WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**PRELUDE** Lead On, O King Eternal arr. Thygerson

**HYMN** The Solid Rock 102

#### **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 WORSHIP** My Soul Finds Rest in God

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#### **GREETING**

#### A TIME MOSTLY FOR CHILDREN

The B-I-B-L-E, yes, that's the book for me. I stand alone on the Word of God, the B-I-B-L-E!

**OFFERTORY** Holy, Holy, Holy arr Wagner

#### 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 5: 1-17

#### **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.) Emerson and Noelle Shapin

Acolytes (10:45 a.m.) Lucy Bjornerud & Jack Lishman

#### **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)

• We will not meet today due to Labor Day weekend.

#### KIDS MINISTRY

Contact Renee Scales (renee@madisonmc.org)

#### 6th Grade Confirmation

Our Kickoff Event includes: 6th Grade Bible Presentation at both services on Sunday, September 8th & a dinner/activities for you, your 6th grader, their mentors, & siblings that night at 6:00p.m. in the Christian Life Center (CLC). Parents, if you have not received an email with all the details or need more information, please let Renee know!

#### Save the Date

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Confirmation Kick-off for 6th graders @ 6:00 p.m. in the CLC

December 11th Kids & Sonbeam Choirs Christmas Music Program @ 6:15 p.m.

#### WEDNESDAYS AT MADISON

Join us for food and fellowship starting at 5:15 p.m. in the CLC. Please use the link or QR code to sign up for meals. Adults \$8/ Children \$5, with a family cap of \$26. You can pay online when you sign up or at the door with cash, check, credit card or Venmo.

Please sign up by Tuesdays at 12:00p.m. each week.

- 5:15-6:00 pm -- Food & Fellowship in the Christian Life Center ("Gvm")
- 5:45-6:10 pm -- Kids Play or Kids Music (1st-6th graders)
- 6:00-7:00 pm -- Adult Small Group/Discipleship Group time
- 6:15-7:00 pm -- Programming for kids, students, and adults
- 7:05-8:30 pm -- Chancel Choir practice

#### Fall 2024 Studies

#### **Pastor Bible Studies:**

- Rev. Bary Male (Sanctuary) All ages / Study: I & II Samuel.
- Rev. Robert McCormick (Room 201) All ages / Abiding with Jesus.

#### Small Groups:

- Women's Group (Room 118) All ages / Study: Untangle Your Emotions by Jennie Allen.
- Singles and Couples Group (Room 208) Ages: 30-45 / Study: Habits of the Household by Justin Earley.
- Life After Loss Main Group (Room 122) Ages: 45-80 / Study: Guest speakers, support groups / Dates: 1st & 3rd Wednesdays. Next meeting is August 21st.

#### September 4 Adult Meal

French Onion Turkey Meatballs, Spinach Stuffed Pork Tenderloin, Buttery Parsley Orzo, Carrot Souffle, Herb Garden Green Beans, Super Salad Bar

#### Desserts

Milky Way Pound Cake, Blueberry Cheesecake Bars, White Chocolate Chip Macadamia Cookies, Sugar Free Cheesecake with Berries

#### Kids Meal

Cheese or Pepperoni Soft Pretzels, Applesauce Pouches, S'mores Cookies