

The Madison Presbyterian Church

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"We are part of the Family of God! As a Christian family, we seek to practice the generous hospitality of Jesus Christ, who welcomes all. As a worshiping family, we seek to enhance and expand our experience of God in worship. As a family of Christ's disciples, we seek to grow in our understanding of God's grace and God's claim upon our lives. As a mission-oriented family, we express our faith in action. As an historic Presbyterian family in a contemporary setting, we are rooted and grounded in the Presbyterian Church (U.S.A.) as we strive to remain relevant to the needs of our community. As the joyful children of God, we live in faith, hope and love!"

THE SESSION

2015

Tim Busching
Marshall Havens
Richard Hoover

2016

Jean Beaver
Jennifer Saroka
Libby Sheppard

2017

Jim Bartlett
Shannon Glass
Don Wiest

THE BOARD OF DEACONS

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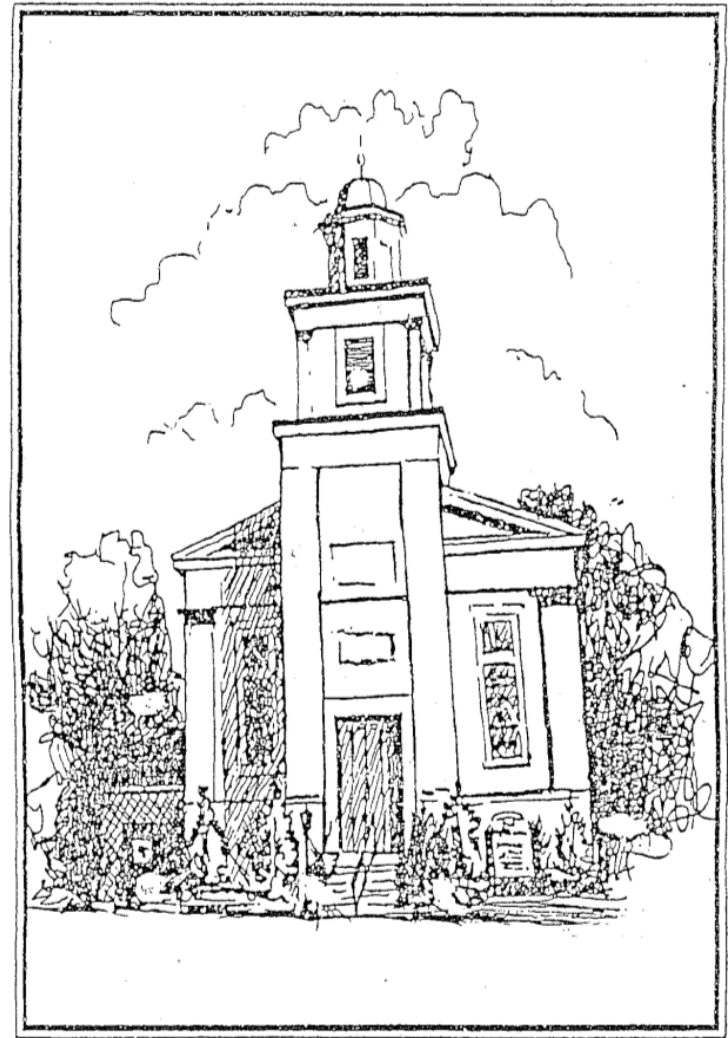
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MADISON

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

OUR HISTORY: The Madison Presbyterian Church was organized in 1815. The present sanctuary was built in 1846. In 1925 and again in 1956, rooms were added to provide additional facilities for our educational task. As a congregation, we are part of the continuing work of God through the Church of all ages and a member of the Presbyterian Church (U.S.A.).

Madison Presbyterian Church

April 19, 2015 – 10:00 A.M.

3rd Sunday of Easter

The * indicates when to rise in body or in spirit.

GATHERING GOD'S PEOPLE

PREPARATION FOR WORSHIP

WELCOME TO THE FAMILY OF GOD!
WE ARE BOUND TOGETHER BY THE LOVE OF GOD,
AND BY CONCERN FOR EACH OTHER
AND FOR THE WORLD IN WHICH WE LIVE.

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WORDS OF WELCOME

Please sign and pass the Fellowship Pad at this time.
Please note prayer requests and announcements.

CONNECTING WITH COMMUNITY

Tonya Ruble-Richter – Voices for Children

DEACONS' MINUTE

THE UNISON PRAYER OF ADORATION

Almighty God, your power makes the lame walk and the dead rise to new life. We give you thanks for the love poured into our world through Christ Jesus, who brings peace to our troubled hearts and who creates faith, hope and love. Show us Jesus, even now, through the mystery of your presence in our midst as we worship. Amen.

INTROIT *from Psalm 4*

Answer me when I call, O God, defender of my cause;
you set me free when I am hard-pressed; have mercy on me
and hear my prayer.

Know that the Lord does wonders for the faithful;
when I cry out, the Lord will hear me.

PRAYER LIST

Congregation: Ashtyn Adams, Sharon Auxier, Mary Clapham (Thornton Terrace), Mike Cope, Mary Louise Grimes, Marshall Havens, Al Huntington, the family of Jane Jacobs, Joan Knowland, Bill Mayberry, Harriette Parton, Janet Ryan, Staci Ryan-Torres, Sheila Self, Donnie Stevens, Nancy Strandmark, Barbara Walters-Dixon, Sue Ward (Thornton Terrace), Jill Wiest

Family and Friends: Ruth Auxier, Mike Baker (Mary Davee's brother), Lloyd Bell, Mark Bersch, Pat Bersch, Carol Blasdel, Conny Bowman and family, Donna Bowman, Todd Bredenkamp, Connie Brink, Mark Busching, Michael Busching, Becky Chase, the family of Margie Covington, Sherry Craddock, Linda and John Davis, Mary Lawrence Davis, Susan DeLapp, Elaine DeVries, Dave Dionne, Dan Dunn, Phillip Eades, Eric, Jessica Garvey and family, Peter Glycer, Sara Goble and families, Pat Goley, Hilary Goodman, Shirley Griffith, Chuck Hale, Tom Hale, Miachel Hancock-Eccles, Millie Harness, Brittany Henry, Norma Huffman, Bill Hughes, James Jackson, Brittney Johnson and family, Ruth Johnson, Anne Jones, Kaya Kabota, Candy Kahn and family, Tasha Keller, James Leveille, Paul Limato, Jeff Lineburg (Janet Castor's brother), Steve Livingston, Mary Louise Lohrig, Terra Louis, Madison Correctional Facility and Juvenile Correctional Facility Residents and Staff, Mary McClure, Greg and Holly McCracken, David Meese, Jr., Tabatha Melton, Helen Miller (Hanover Health & Rehab Center), Eric Mitchell (Jean Beaver's son), Gaye Moll, Doris Moss, Pam, Wanda Payton, Frank Pearson, Nak Phok, Ruben Portillo (Alicia's dad), Darrell Ralston, Roberto, Tom Ryan and the family of Sally Ryan, Susan Schafer and family, Ken Schneider, Elizabeth Shupperd, Donna and Travis Smith and family, Jessica Smith, Josh Smith, Laryssa Smith, Therese Spence, Dan Stockdale, Tiana Stockton and family, Roy Stone, Denver Taylor, Trey Taylor, Donnetta Trejo, Doug Vaughn, Peggy Voris and family, Buddy Waller, Warren (friend of Bob & Judith Glass), Jaye Weaver, Tom Weber, Laurel Lyn Wiest, Sue Williams, Nick Wyne

MPC Rotating Prayer Calendar for week of April 19

Mary Lee (Mimi) Mannix
Whitney Eckert
Jeffrey Vaughn II
Charlie Elizabeth
Scipio Presbyterian Church

2015

Community Vacation Bible School



June 8-12 6:00 - 8:30pm

North Madison Christian Church
1400 E. ST RD 62, Madison

For (potty trained) **children**
age 3 to (completed) **grade 5.**

Register

- **Online** at madisoncommunityvbs.com
- **In Person** at any of our sponsoring churches
- Participants can also register **at VBS** (pre-register online to avoid long lines!)

Register online during the month of April for a special prize!

Like us on Facebook to receive updates and news.

For more information contact Kelly at 812-265-2331 or Rodney at 812-273-1601.

THE CALL TO WORSHIP

L: The Bread of Life opens our eyes.

R: The Word of Life opens our ears.

L: The risen one shows us God's love and sacrifice.

"Look at my hands and my feet," Jesus said.

R: **By those wounds we are healed.**

L: Peace be with you.

R: **And also with you.**

*HYMN

Love Divine, All Loves Excelling

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THE CALL TO CONFESSION

God calls us to repent. In trust that our Creator knows us and loves us through and through, let us open our hearts to the healing of God's forgiveness.

THE UNISON PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Lord, have mercy on us. We talk about love, but our actions betray us. We talk about love, but we neglect the poor. We talk about love, but we fail to love one another. Lord, have mercy on us. Forgive us and abide in us by the power of your Spirit so that our lives may show our love for Jesus Christ in whose body we live and in whose name we pray. Amen.

(A time of silence is observed)

THE KYRIE

L: Lord, have mercy.

R: **Christ, have mercy.**

L: Lord, have mercy.

THE ASSURANCE OF PARDON

L: In the name of God, the Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, your sins are forgiven. Believe the promises of God and the Good News of the Gospel. Jesus Christ bore our sins in his body on the cross that we might be dead to sin and alive to all righteousness. By Christ's wounds we are healed.

R: **Thanks be to God.**

**Glory be to the Father, and to the Son,
and to the Holy Ghost; As it was in the beginning,
is now, and ever shall be,
world without end. Amen. Amen.**

HEARING GOD'S WORD

THE UNISON PRAYER OF ILLUMINATION

**Holy God, by your Spirit come to us through your Holy Word
and let us hear what you are saying. Amen.**

THE FIRST LESSON

N.T. 120

Acts 3: 12-19

This is the Word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God.**

ANTHEM

My Eyes for Beauty Pine

Howells

My eyes for beauty pine,
My soul for Goddes grace,
No other care nor hope is mine,
To heaven I turn my face.

One splendor thence is shed
from all the stars above:
'Tis named when God's name is said,
'Tis Love, 'tis heavenly Love.

And every gentle heart
that burns with true desire,
Is lit from eyes that mirror part
of that celestial fire.

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THE CHILDREN'S SERMON

THE SECOND LESSON

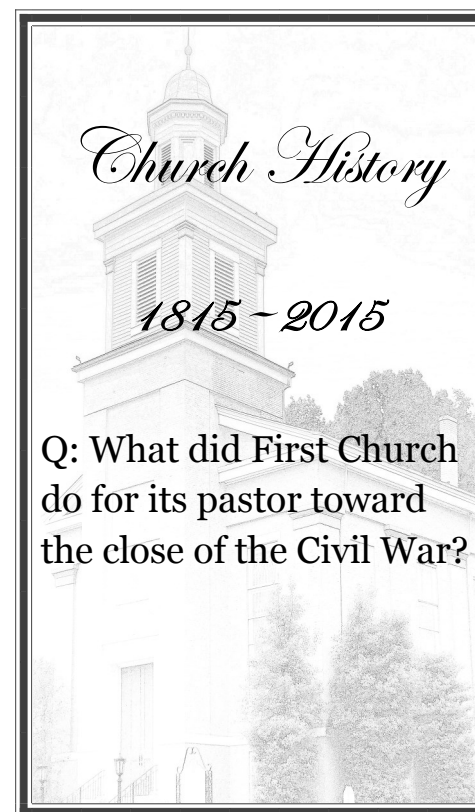
N.T. 91

Luke 24: 36b-48

This is the Word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God.**

The flowers today are in memory of

Jane Garber Wallis Jacobs.



ANNOUNCEMENTS

Congregational Meeting: Session has called a congregational meeting for Sunday, May 3rd, after worship, for the purpose of electing a Nominating Committee.

Please join the Membership ministry, ACES, and our neighbors from Rivertrace Apartments for the next **5th Thursday Meal on Thursday, April 30th**, at 6:00 P.M. in Fellowship Hall. Bring a covered dish and your appetite, and enjoy the fellowship!

“Walking in the Footsteps of Jesus” - Each **Thursday evening**, the ACES’ fellowship and study group will watch Adam Hamilton tour the Holy Land, showing places important in Jesus’ ministry. If you found “24 Hours That Changed the World” meaningful, you will want to be a part of this study. Join the group at **6:00 p.m.** for a pitch-in supper followed by the DVD.

You’re Invited: Today at 3:00 p.m., please attend Madison's Spring Choir Festival (note corrected time from previous announcements) at Prince of Peace Catholic Church. Hear local church choirs present the music they sang on Easter and a few combined numbers conducted by Dr. Madlen Batchvarova, Director of Choral Activities at Hanover College. This event is free, open to the public, and is underwritten, in part, by the Madison Performing Arts Foundation.

RESPONDING IN FAITH

***HYMN**

Be Thou My Vision

450

***THE APOSTLES’ CREED**

**I believe in God the Father Almighty,
Maker of heaven and earth,
And in Jesus Christ his only Son, our Lord; who was
conceived by the Holy Ghost, born of the Virgin Mary,
suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and
buried; he descended into hell; the third day he rose again
from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and sitteth on the
right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence he shall
come to judge the quick and the dead.
I believe in the Holy Ghost; the holy catholic church;
the communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins; the
resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting. Amen.**

THE OFFERING

Offertory

Air

Battishill

Doxology

606

***Prayer of Dedication**

**Lord God, we offer to you only a portion of what you have
given us. All that we have is from your creative hand. All that
we can give away we do through Jesus’ love. Deal graciously
with these gifts so that others may have joy in Jesus’ name.
Amen.**

THE PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

Silent Prayer

Pastoral Prayer

The Lord's Prayer (using “debts” and “debtors”)

***HYMN**

Fairest Lord Jesus

630

***BENEDICTION**

*BENEDICTION RESPONSE

Lowry

How Can I Keep from Singing

My life flows on in endless song, above earth's lamentation.
I hear the clear, though far-off hymn that hails a new creation.
No storm can shake my inmost calm
while to that Rock I'm clinging.
Since Christ is Lord of heaven and earth,
how can I keep from singing?

*POSTLUDE

Cornet Voluntary

Travers

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You are invited to join members and friends for Fellowship Time immediately after the benediction response. If you wish to stay and listen to the postlude, please feel free to remain in your seat.

Thank you for being with us in worship. If you are new in the area or are looking for a church home, we invite you to join us for worship, fellowship, study and service.



A nursery is available for young children. If you are unfamiliar with the location of the nursery, please ask an usher.

LITURGIST – DaShawn Kelley

USHERS – Jean Beaver and Gina Freeman

GREETERS – Sheila Self and Al Huntington

GATHERING MUSIC – Gregg Mayberry

FELLOWSHIP HOUR - Ellen Eckert

ATTENDANCE LAST SUNDAY - 106

THIS WEEK'S SCHEDULE

April 19

SUNDAY	8:30 A.M. Adult Sunday School Classes 10:00 A.M. Worship Children's Sunday School 11:00 A.M. Fellowship Hour Worship Ministry Meeting 5:00 P.M. The Gathering at F.B.C.*
TUESDAY	5:30 P.M. D.A.R. Event, Fellowship Hall
WEDNESDAY	4:30 P.M. Bell Choir 5:30 P.M. Choir
THURSDAY	6:00 P.M. ACES'* potluck

*The Gathering is an evening ecumenical Worship Service at First Baptist Church.

*The Madison Men's Bible Study is an ecumenical Bible Study meeting the 1st and 3rd Tuesday of the month at different homes each time. Contact Larry Newhouse at 812-493-4012 or lwnewhouse@gmail.com for information.

*ACES = Adult Christian Education Subgroup