

UPCOMING EVENTS

SERMON NOTES

2026 GMC GENERAL CONFERENCE RESULTS

This Wednesday, October 14, will be a special information session at 6:00 p.m. in the sanctuary to discuss the key results from the 2026 General Conference. Dr. Andy Miller and Rev. Robert McCormick, who were delegates at the conference, will lead that discussion. This session will be recorded and you can find it later on our YouTube channel.

SEASONS OF FAITH

This annual event will be on October 22, at 6:00 p.m. in the Christian Life Center. Registration is open now! Scan QR code to register.



PARDON OUR PROGRESS

Over the next few weeks, we are reconstructing and resurfacing our parking lots. The result will be additional parking spots, improved handicapped parking, and better traffic flow and signage. As we adjust, let’s care for one another, allow others to go first in line, and offer preference in parking. Let’s heed the words of Ecclesiastes 7:7 – “The end of a matter is better than its beginning, and patience is better than pride.”

SING IN THE CHRISTMAS CHOIR!

Those interested in being a part of our Christmas Choir may sign up by scanning the QR code or by emailing Lori at lori@madisonmc.org. Rehearsals are Wednesdays at 7:05 p.m. beginning October 14. The program will be presented Dec. 13 during morning worship services.



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WEDNESDAYS AT MADISON

- 5:00-6:00 p.m. - Dinner
- 5:45-6:10 p.m. - Kids Play (1st-6th graders) Kids Choir
- 6:00-7:00 p.m. - Adult Small Group/Discipleship Group time
- 6:15-7:00 p.m. - Programming for kids, students, and adults
- 7:05-8:30 p.m. - Chancel Choir practice



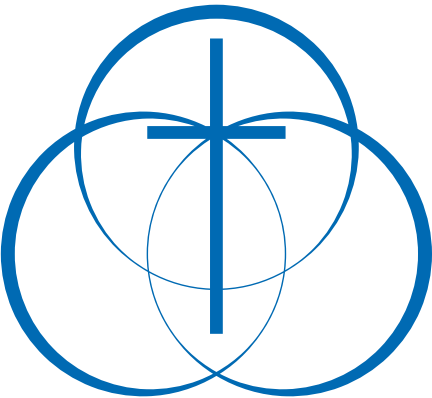
October 14th Adult Meal

Pretzel Chicken with Mustard Sauce, Bratwurst Sliders, Root Vegetable Medley, Potato Kugel, Sweet & Sour Braised Cabbage, Baked Apples
Super Salad Bar

Desserts German Chocolate Cake, Black Forest Trifle, Spritz Cookies
Sugar Free Almond Cake, Assorted Ice Cream

Kids Meal (5th grade and under)
Lil’ Smokies Sausages, Soft Pretzels with Cheese Dipping Sauce,
Applesauce Pouches, Gingerbread Cookies

Adults \$8 / Kids \$5 Family Max \$26 (2 adults / 2+kids)



MADISON
METHODIST CHURCH

October 11, 2026
8:30 a.m. & 10:45 a.m.

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Madison Methodist Church
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*People of every generation
being transformed by Jesus*

SERVICE OF WORSHIP

October 11, 2026

20th Sunday After Pentecost

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

PRELUDE *I Know Whom I Have Believed* arr. Lasky
HYMN *God Our Maker, God Most Holy* 71

AFFIRMATION OF FAITH / 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 Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; the third day he rose from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and sitteth at 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 Spirit, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

GLORIA PATRI
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.

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.

CHORAL WORSHIP *I Worship You, Almighty God* arr. McDonald

GREETING & A TIME MOSTLY FOR CHILDREN
*Shine, Jesus, shine, fill this land with the Father's glory
Blaze, Spirit, blaze, set our hearts on fire
Flow, river, flow, flood the nations with grace and mercy
Send forth Your Word, Lord, and let there be light.*

OFFERTORY *The Old Rugged Cross* arr. Joel Raney
Donna Banks, piano

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 Exodus 3:1-11
HYMN OF PREPARATION *Spirit of the Living God* 299
SERMON Rev. Barry Male
HYMN OF RESPONSE *Take My Life and Let It Be* 586
BENEDICTION

PARTICIPANTS IN TODAY'S SERVICE

ACOLYTES:
8:30 Emerson Shapin & Noelle Shapin
10:45 Jack Nix & Tait Nix
BIBLE TIME VOLUNTEERS
8:30 Matt & Madison Smith / Will & Lanna Daniels
10:45 Devin & Rachel Dickerson
ACCOMPANISTS:
Rosemary McInnis and Dr. Donna Banks
MADISON METHODIST PASTORS
Senior Pastor: Rev. Barry Male
Associate Pastor: Rev. Robert McCormick
Administrative Pastor: Rev. Jim Genesse
Pastor of Congregational Care: Rev. Linda Rickman

FLOWERS:
The flowers in the Chancel Area are presented to the Glory of God by Tanya Brieger in honor of Pastor Appreciation Day.

MADISON MC WELCOMES ALL CHILDREN
-A Nursery (infants, crawlers, and toddlers) is available during both worship services and Sunday School hours. 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.

WELCOME GUESTS!
We would love an opportunity to get introduced personally! Scan the QR code 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.



MINISTRY UPDATES

KIDS: Casey Chamblee (casey@madisonmc.org)
CONFIRMATION
No Confirmation Evening Class Tonight.
November 8: Confirmation Sunday
Scan QR code for Confirmation Information
STUDENTS: Michael Davis (michael@madisonmc.org)



NO YOUTH TONIGHT! Please pray for our students who are at the Beach Retreat this weekend!
STAY CONNECTED
Make sure you are on the text plan by texting "mmcstudent" to 866-998-3838. Follow our instagram page for more updates and pictures from events @mmcstudents.

METHODIST MEN'S BREAKFAST
The men of our church will meet next Sunday, October 18, in the Christian Life Center at 7:00 a.m. for a wonderful breakfast, great fellowship, and a guest speaker, Alan Loving, from UMMC.

MISSIONS
DELTA GRACE MINISTRY MISSION DAYS:
Our church will partner with Covenant Methodist Church in Meridian on November 13-14 to do home repairs through the Delta Grace Ministry in Sunflower, MS. Some will work on that Friday but most of the group will leave at 6:00 a.m. on Saturday, November 14 for a mission day. Any age level and any skill level can attend and there will be plenty of ways to serve. Send your questions and the names of those who will attend and which day(s) you will attend to missions@madisonmc.org.

SINGLE FRIENDS OCTOBER EVENTS (55+):
(10/15) Thursday: McB's Lakeside - Madison - 6:00 p.m.
(10/22) Thursday: Burger & Blues BBQ - Madison - 6:00 p.m.
(10/29) Thursday: Ding How Asian Bistro - Ridgeland - 6:00 p.m.
Please call Afton Pike at (720) 220-5171 to reserve your seat on Wednesdays by 5:00 p.m.

ANNUAL CRAFT SALE FOR MISSIONS:
The annual Craft Sale is scheduled for November 1, 3, & 4. Please consider a contribution of crafted items - such as jewelry, wood crafts, sewed items, decorative items, pottery, baked or frozen foods. Please drop off those price-marked items in the Atrium on October 31 between 9:00 and 11:00 a.m. or before the early church service on November 1. Contact Sue Lauderdale at 601- 674-2996 or Sandra Grissom at 601-862-8106 with any questions.