



EASTER LILIES are given to the Glory of God and in honor or memory of loved ones. They are listed in alphabetical order by the donor's name. Lilies may be picked up after the 11:00 a.m. service; plants remaining after that time will be placed outside the Atrium west entrance for pick-up later in the week.

Phil & Mary Blaylock
In honor of the Pastoral Staff
To the Glory of God

Tanya Brieger
In memory of Alan Brieger,
Wanda Brieger, Randy Brieger,
& Carolyn Brieger

Mary Campbell
In memory of Garnett Harris
& Carol Ive
In memory of Bruce Campbell
& Lois Campbell

Blake Cauthen
In honor of Abbey Stanford
To the Glory of God

Challengers Sunday School Class
In honor of Bobby and Julie
Blake

Scott and Kate Eddy
In memory of Jim Eddy, Victor
& Marilyn Lawrence

David and Stephanie Faulkner
In memory of their parents &
her sister.
In honor of their sons, their
families, and Larry Cook

Jim Genesse
In honor of Margaret Genesse

Bob and Vickie Graves
In honor of Rowan Graves

Judy & Sam Gray
In honor of our grandchildren,
Robert & Ann Lyles Gray

Wren Gregory
In honor of Adam Gregory

Diane Goolsby
In honor of Bryce, Ryder, and
Korbin

Cecil & Karen Harper
To the Glory of God

Stephanie Johnson
To the Glory of God
In honor of the Johnson Family

Steve & Cindy Keller
In memory of their parents
Marc & Cynthia Lauderdale
In honor of Sue Lauderdale &
Marvel Allred

Sue Lauderdale
To the Glory of God
Anita Lewis
In honor of Henry Lewis, their
grandson

In memory of Maxine Creel,
their mother

Rivers Lishman
In memory of Matthew
Lishman

Mark & Betty Loflin
In memory of Frank Loflin,
Mildred Loflin, Harold
Belongea, and Doris Belongea
To the Glory of God

Kathy Long
In honor of Tao, Seph, Milo, &
Addie Lundolos

Margaret Mason
In memory of John Mason

Donna & Brent Melton
In memory of Frank Hubert,
Elliot and Jodie Melton Clower

Fran & Lloyd McRae
In honor of their family

May & McKee Family
In memory of Barbara and Dick
Durgin

Kathy & Alex Mowdy
In memory of John Barnett

John Murphey
In memory of Jake Heath and
Everette Hatcher

Jeff & Mid Purvis
To the Glory of God

Elizabeth Ramsey
In memory of Michael Ramsey
Jason, Katye, & Maggie **Reece**
In honor of Kenny & Debbie
Hinshaw, Luther & Jane Reece

Revs. Linda & Cary **Rickman**
In honor of our grandchildren
Ervin Robertson
In memory of Rev. Dr. F. Gault
Robertson and Harriett
Robertson

Dave & Bobbie Robinson
In memory of Willard Foster &
Douglas Robinson

Carolyn Schussler
In memory of Marie Moffat

Mollie Sims
To the Glory of God

Sara Ann Sims
In memory of J.B. Sims
Priscilla Smith and Family
In memory of Leland S. Smith

Terry Smith
In honor of Marylee Toler
In memory of Harry & Johnnie
Smith and Hart Toler

Ken & Karen Stubbs
To the Glory of God

Suzanne Sullivan
In memory of Sam Sullivan
Ethel Taquino
In memory of George Taquino

Julie Tipton
In honor of Paula Stubbs

Ernest & Cynthia Thomas
In memory of Wesley Coleman

Steve & Marcia Whatley
In memory of their parents
William, Louise, & Rosie

Whittington
In memory of Debbie Dorman
& Nancy Whittington

Liles Williams
In memory of Ruth Ann
Williams

The Brent Wilson & Larry Peeples families
In memory of Anne Thames

OUR CHURCH FAMILY

We offer our sympathy to the family of:

- Nancy Galatas, mother-in-law of Pam Galatas and grand-mother of Sawyer Galatas, passed away March 25, 2026.
- Louise Walley, the mother of Dwayne Walley, passed away on March 31, 2026.



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HE IS

Risen!

Mark 16:6

EASTER SUNDAY

April 5, 2026

MADISON METHODIST CHURCH

CELEBRATION OF RESURRECTION

April 5, 2026

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

PRELUDE *Good Christian Friends, Rejoice and Sing!* arr. Burkhardt

CHORAL INTROIT *Alleluia, Christ Is Alive!* Raney

HYMN OF JUBILATION *Christ the Lord Is Risen Today*

*Christ the Lord is risen today, Alleluia!
Earth and heav'n in chorus say, Alleluia!
Raise your joys and triumphs high, Alleluia!
Sing, ye heavens, and earth reply: Alleluia!*

*Lives again our glorious King, Alleluia!
Where, O death, is now thy sting? Alleluia!
Once He died our souls to save, Alleluia!
Where's thy vict'ry, boasting grave? Alleluia!*

*Love's redeeming work is done, Alleluia!
Fought the fight, the battle won, Alleluia!
Death in vain forbids Him rise, Alleluia!
Christ hath opened paradise, Alleluia!*

*Soar we now where Christ has led, Alleluia!
Following our exalted Head, Alleluia!
Made like Him, like Him we rise, Alleluia!
Ours the cross, the grave, the skies, Alleluia!*

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.*

PASTORAL 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. Now and forever. Amen.

CHORAL WORSHIP *At the Name of Jesus* C. Berry

GREETING

A TIME MOSTLY FOR CHILDREN (No Children's Bible Time)

*Alleluia, alleluia, give thanks to the risen Lord
Alleluia, alleluia, give praise to His name..*

CHORAL OFFERTORY *All Hail King Jesus* arr. Wise
Sawyer Galatas, soloist

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 20:1-18

HYMN OF PREPARATION *Christ Arose*

*Low in the grave He lay - Jesus, my Savior!
Waiting the coming day - Jesus, my Lord!
Up from the grave He arose with a mighty triumph o'er His foes.
He arose a victor from the dark domain,
and He lives forever with His saints to reign.
He arose! He arose! Hallelujah! Christ arose!*

*Vainly they watch His bed - Jesus, my Savior!
Vainly they seal the dead - Jesus, my Lord!
Up from the grave He arose with a mighty triumph o'er His foes.
He arose a victor from the dark domain,
and He lives forever with His saints to reign.
He arose! He arose! Hallelujah! Christ arose!*

*Death cannot keep his prey - Jesus, my Savior!
He tore the bars away - Jesus, my Lord!
Up from the grave He arose with a mighty triumph o'er His foes.
He arose a victor from the dark domain,
and He lives forever with His saints to reign.
He arose! He arose! Hallelujah! Christ arose!*

SERMON Rev. Barry Male

HYMN OF VICTORY *Crown Him with Many Crowns*

*Crown Him with many Crowns, the Lamb upon His throne;
Hark! How the heav'nly anthem drowns all music but its own;
Awake, my soul and sing, of Him who died for thee,
And hail Him as thy matchless King through all eternity!*

*Crown Him the Lord of life, who triumphed o'er the grave,
And rose victorious in the strife for those He came to save;
His glories now we sing, who died and rose on high,
Who died eternal life to bring, and lives that death may die.*

*Crown Him the Lord of love; behold His hands and side,
Those wounds, yet visible above, in beauty glorified;
All hail, Redeemer, hail! For Thou hast died for me;
Thy praise and glory shall not fail throughout eternity!*

BENEDICTION

THOSE LEADING IN WORSHIP

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

ACCOMPANISTS:

Rosemary McInnis and Dr. Donna Banks

ACOLYTES:

8:00 a.m. Stratton Burns & Quinn Chamblee
9:30 a.m. Liza Cate Swayze & Solly Smith
11:00 a.m. Jack Nix & Tait Nix

EASTER WELCOME

• It is a joy to have you worship with us on this Resurrection morning. May the miracle of Easter fill your life with joy, strength, and hope.

• Flowers from home may be placed on the Easter cross in the Atrium.

• Join us for refreshments in the Atrium between services this morning.

• Easter lilies may be picked up following the 11:00 a.m. worship service. Please note that the church office will be closed Monday, April 6, in observance of Easter.

OPPORTUNITIES FOR CHILDREN

• Nursery – a nursery is available during the worship services for four (4) year olds and under.

• A Time Mostly For Children – All children are invited to come to the altar for a special time with Mrs. Renee.

• Children's Worship Bulletins and Sermon Notes for children are available at the entrances.

• There is no Children's Bible Time this morning. Children will remain in the sanctuary with their families.

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.

