MADISON METHODIST CHURCH

THE MESSENGER

People of every generation being transformed by Jesus

No. 23 **November 11, 2026**

CONFIRMATION CLASS OF 2026!

Special thanks to Casey Chamblee, the Confirmation team leaders, and all the families who invested in the discipleship of 44 outstanding girls and boys.





THE LORD'S ACRE

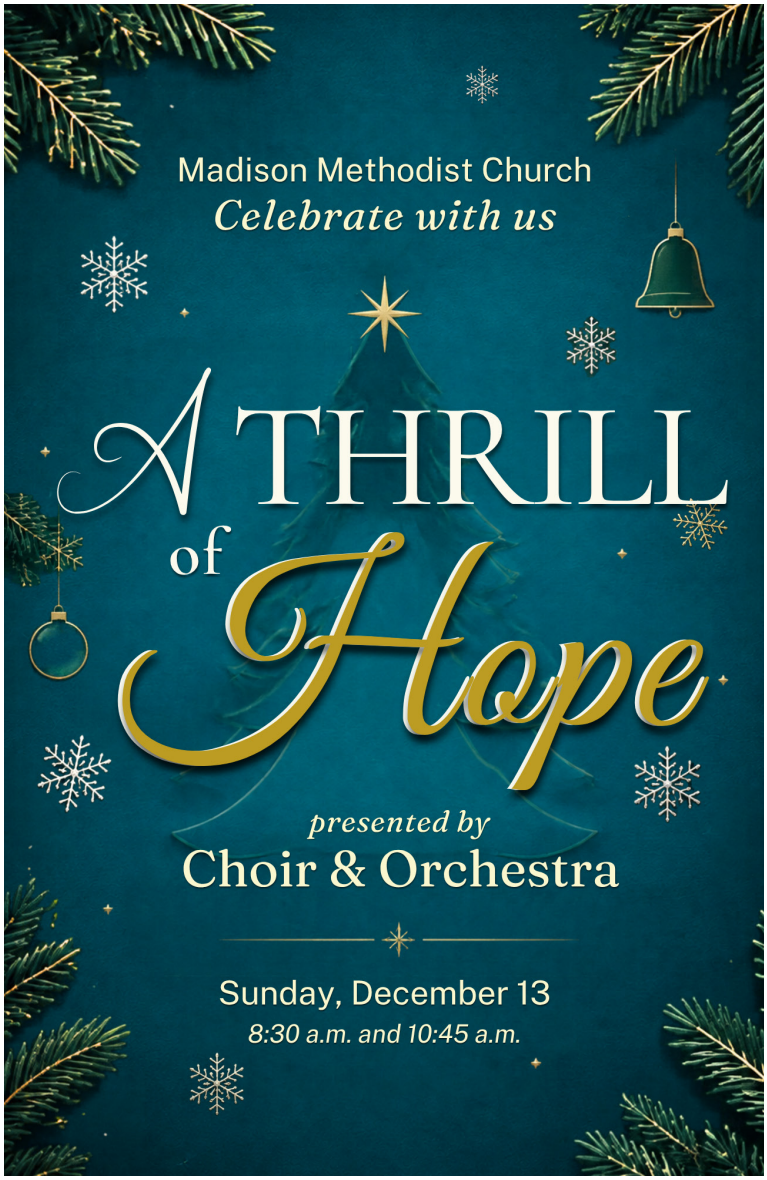
The Lord's Acre is on Sunday, November 22. We will have a special offering during the morning worship services. That afternoon, we will gather at 5:00 p.m. in the Christian Life Center for a brief service of thanksgiving and for a covered-dish supper. The church will provide turkey, dressing, and beverages. You bring a side or dessert of your choosing.



POINSETTIA ORDERS
The annual Christmas Poinsettias are now for sale. They are $20 each. Be sure to get yours soon!



BISHOP REV. DR. LUTHER OCONER
Our new bishop, Rev. Dr. Luther Oconer, will preach at our church on Tuesday, November 17, at 6:30 p.m. Join us for this special service, followed by a reception.



A THRILL OF HOPE
Mark you calendar for Sunday, December 13 when the choir and orchestra will present their Christmas program *A Thrill of Hope* at both morning worship services!



DECEMBER VIP LUNCHEON (55+)
Our next VIP luncheon for adults 55+ will be held in the Christian Life Center at noon on Tuesday, December 1. The menu will be Clara's orchard salad, shallot herb chicken, jeweled rice pilaf, garlic butter asparagus, herb-roasted cauliflower, yeast rolls, royal dessert assortment, and land of snow hot beverages. The program will be presented by Ballet Magnificat! Due to the Thanksgiving holiday, reservations must be made by Tuesday, November 24. You may reserve your meal by calling the church office at (601)856-6058 or emailing info@madisonmc.org. The latest Sunday to sign up on the pew pad is Sunday, November 18. Come join us for a delicious meal, great fellowship, and a fantastic program!



THANK YOU!
Thank you to everyone who donated to the craft sale this year! Thanks to you, we raised $9,135 for the Moody family, who serve as missionaries in Honduras.

CHURCH NEWS:

We rejoice at new births:
- Mary Michael Davis, daughter of Michael and Hannah Davis, was born on November 10 2026.

We welcome Parnell Stephenson to our staff as part of the Facility Management team. Please say hello to P.J. when you see him around. We also say goodbye to Jone McCollum who has served so wonderfully as the Church Receptionist. Blessings on Jone and her family in the days ahead.

MMC REPORT

WORSHIP ATTENDANCE:

11/01/26	858
11/08/26	953

Giving to date:
$3,170,001

WHAT IS OUR MISSION?

OUR PASSION: PEOPLE OF EVERY GENERATION BEING TRANSFORMED BY JESUS

OUR PURPOSE: TO LIVE OUT OUR UNIQUE ROLE IN GOD'S KINGDOM STORY

OUR PLATFORM: AT HOME, CHURCH, WORK, & PLAY.

Concerns of Our Church Family

Madison MC Prayer Ministry Team List:
Please send all prayer requests to:
prayer@madisonmc.org

PRAYER REQUESTS - MMC MEMBERS

Carol Ann Ables
Vicki Blake
Hayden Briscoe
Kathy Burns
Betsy Buffington
Connie Bush
Andy Dickie
Moody Family
David Goolsby
Vernon Hull
John Kirk
Barbara Martin
Margaret Mason
Frankie Mitchell
Mac Phillips
David Stanard
Janice Stenmark
Jeanne Tew
Al Watts

ASSISTED LIVING / NURSING HOMES / RETIREMENT HOMES

The Blake: Faye Montgomery; Bill Ellis
Beau Ridge: Frankie Mitchell; Joan Winstead; Martha Walton; Barrie McArthur
Brookdale: Babs Ellis
St. Catherine's Village: James Potts; Jerry Zoble; Lib Sistrunk; Maritta Mullet; Tom Stovall
Home Place: Evelyn Palmer; Margaret Mason
The Orchard: Beverly Harvey; Amy Loflin; Joyce Logue
Sunnybrook: Jim & Johnnie Miller
Nichols Center: Barbara Mapp
Pine Forest Health & Rehabilitation: Willie Moore
Ridgeland Place: Pat Bruce

PRAYER REQUESTS - FAMILY MEMBERS/FRIENDS

Peezie Allred	Marvel Allred's daughter-in-law
Mary Ann Odom	Mother to Elizabeth Carr
Jack Payne	Father of Jennifer Mayo
Dr. Ivan Parke	Friend of Larissa Saenz-Mason
Troy Stokes	Friend of Asa Barnes
Austin Nutt	Nephew of Buck Buchanan
Hall Peters	Family of Bam Magruder
Scott Byrd	Nephew of Linda Barker
Tucker Stafford	Grandson of John & Sharon Kirk
Robyn Clark	Family friend of Regina Brock
Helen Martin	Mother of Sara Male
Chris Mitchell	Mother of Mollie Sims'
Dick & Clare Harris	Brother and sister in law of Margaret Mason

Wednesday Nights At Madison

Join us for food and fellowship at 5:00 p.m. in the CLC. Please scan the 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 noon each week. We hope you'll join us for WAM!

NOVEMBER 18

Adult Meal:
Cranberry Brie Chicken
Baked Ham
Bean Bundles
Praline Sweet Potatoes
Creamed Spinach
Ambrosia Salad
Yeast Rolls
Super Salad Bar

Kids Meal:
(5th grade and under)
Baked Ham
Green Beans
Marshmallow Sweet Potatoes
Rolls
Cookies

Desserts:
Double Layer Pumpkin Pie, Italian Cream Cake, Pecan Pie Cobbler, Pumpkin Smores Cookies

NOVEMBER 25

No WAM due to Thanksgiving Break



KIDS MINISTRY
Casey Chamblee casey@madisonmc.org

A Special Confirmation Sunday!

What a wonderful Sunday as we celebrated 44 sixth graders taking the next step in their faith journey! After weeks of learning, growing, and exploring what it means to follow Jesus, these confirmands stood before their church family to profess their faith and celebrate God's love and grace. It was such a special morning filled with joy, proud families, supportive mentors, and a church family surrounding these young people with love and prayer.

Congratulations to our 2026 Confirmation Class! We are so proud of each of you and cannot wait to see how God continues to work in your lives.











STUDENT MINISTRY
Michael Davis michael@madisonmc.org

FALL EVENTS:

Our students have had a blast this month at Reverse Trick-Or-Treating and our Murder Mystery Dinner! Check Out some of the highlights below!















MISSIONS



SINGLE FRIENDS NOVEMBER DATES (55+):

(11-12) Thursday: Sal & Phil's
Ridgeland - 6:00 p.m.

(11-19) Thursday: Trace Grill
Ridgeland - 6:00 p.m.

(11-26) Thursday: Thanksgiving Off
Single Friends Enjoy Family and Friends.

To reserve your seat, please call Afton Pike at (720) 220-5171.



There will be an Interest Meeting for the Salt & Light Honduras mission trip this Sunday, November 15, at 2:00 p.m. in Room 118 (Fellowship Hall).



CHURCH MERCHANDISE

Church merchandise is available for sale again through November 15. All proceeds go to supporting the Moody Family and Legacy International Missions.

Scan the QR code to view all the Madison MC t-shirts, sweatshirts, hats, polos, and more!



SAVE THE DATE:

MadCAAP Pizza and Pack Party will be on Sunday, December 13, in the CLC at 4:30 p.m.

Madison Methodist Church
100 Post Oak Rd.
Madison, MS 39110
601- 856- 6058
madisonmc.org

Dated Material
Please deliver by: Saturday November 15, 2026

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Christmas Eve Services!

We hope you and your family will join us!



1:00-2:30 p.m. – Come & Go Communion (Chapel)
3:00 p.m. – Candlelight and Communion Service (Sanctuary/Multi-Purpose Room)
5:00 p.m. – Candlelight and Communion Service (Sanctuary/Multi-Purpose Room)
7:00 p.m. – Candlelight and Communion Service (Sanctuary)

This year, all our Christmas Eve locations will have fully live services!