

UPCOMING EVENTS

NOVEMBER VIP LUNCHEON FOR ADULTS 55+

Join us in the Christian Life Center at noon on Tuesday, November 4, for our next VIP luncheon. The program will be given by Michael Watson, Mississippi Secretary of State. The meal will be the following: Chicken Marbella, wild rice, roasted Brussel sprouts, broccoli with cheese sauce, cranberry salad, roll, and chocolate chip bread pudding. The cost is \$7 per meal. Make reservations by calling Jone at the church office at 601-856-6058 by noon on Thursday, October 30.

CRAFT SALE

The New Spirit Craft and Bake Sale will be held next Sunday, November 2, Tuesday, November 4, and Wednesday, November 5. Come shop goods made by our congregation members. All proceeds go to the Moodys in Honduras. If you are interested in donating your crafts or baked goods, bring them to Room 127 during office hours or on November 1 from 9:00 a.m. to noon.

RED BEANS & RICE FUNDRAISER

Next Sunday, November 2, we will have To-Go meals of red beans, rice, sausage, garlic bread, and dessert available for pick up in the Christian Life Center. All proceeds go to the Moodys. Come grab a delicious meal and help a wonderful cause. Purchase tickets online, or at a table in the Atrium or Fellowship Hall today or on Wednesday night.

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WEDNESDAY'S AT MADISON

- 5:15 - Dinner (Christian Life Center)
- 5:45 - KIDS Choir & KIDS play (KIDS hall)
- 6:15 - KIDS Ministry activities (KIDS Check-in)
- 6:15 - Student Ministry study (Student Hall)
- 6:15 - Adult Studies



Adult Meal

Voodoo Chicken, Smothered Beef Tamale Pie, Mexican Skillet, Rice & Beans, Jalapeno Cheddar Corn Pudding, Nachos, Super Salad Bar

Kids Meal (5th grade and under)

Mini Chicken Tacos, Rice & Queso, Nachos, Boo Cups

Dessert

Strawberry Margarita Squares, Mexican Chocolate Cake, Tres Leche Cake, Mixed Fruit Cup

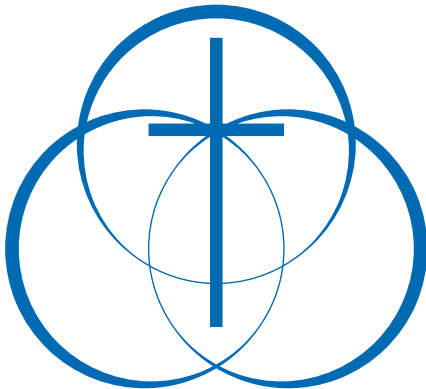
Adults \$8, Kids \$5, Family cap of \$26.

SERMON NOTES

I. _____ (13:3)

II. _____ (13:10)

III. _____ (28:20)



MADISON
METHODIST CHURCH

October 26, 2025

8:30 a.m. & 10:45 a.m.

*Building faithful disciples,
serving Jesus Christ*



Madison Methodist Church

A Global Methodist Congregation

100 Post Oak Road Madison, MS 39110

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SERVICE OF WORSHIP

October 26, 2025
20th Sunday after Pentecost

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

PRELUDE *Fantasia on Ein Feste Burg* arr. Westenkuehler

HYMN *Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee* 8

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 *Sing! Shout! Alleluia!* J. Martin

GREETING

A TIME MOSTLY FOR CHILDREN

*What a mighty God we serve
What a mighty God we serve
Angels bow before Him. Heaven and earth adore Him
What a mighty God we serve*

SHARING OF OUR TITHES AND OFFERING

OFFERTORY *There’s Something About That Name* arr. Larson
Cary Breedlove, 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 Matthew 13:1-9

HYMN OF PREPARATION *God Is So Good* 52

SERMON Rev. Barry Male

HYMN OF RESPONSE *Break Thou the Bread of Life* 430

BENEDICTION

PARTICIPANTS INTODAY’S SERVICE

ACOLYTES:
8:30 Hampton Howard & Mina Taheri
10:45 Louise Whittington & William Whittington

BIBLE TIME VOLUNTEERS:
8:30 Hannah & Jay Hogg and Britney & Chris Madison
10:45 Volunteers Needed

ACCOMPANISTS:
Rosemary McInnis and Dr. Donna Banks

FLOWERS:
The flowers in the Chancel Area are presented to the Glory of God by Cecil and Karen Harper in honor of their son, Chris Harper

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.
- Children’s Bulletins are available at the Sanctuary doors.

ENCOUNTER WORSHIP
Mark your calendar for our next Encounter night, November 9, at 6:15 p.m. We will gather to encounter the presence of Jesus through praise & worship, prayer, and testimony. We believe and pray our time in worship will be a healing, refreshing, and transformative encounter with the Holy Spirit. A nursery will be provided for children, ages 4 and under.

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.

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

MINISTRY UPDATES

KIDS: Renee Scales (renee@madisonmc.org)

CALENDAR
Sunday, Oct. 26 Confirmation will meet tonight
Sunday, Nov. 9 Confirmation Sunday 8:30 & 10:45 a.m.
Sunday, Nov. 16 Coutdown to Christmas 2:30-4:00 p.m.
Wednesday, Dec. 10 KIDS Choir & Sonbeam Choir
Christmas Music Program - 6:15 p.m.

COUNTDOWN TO CHRISTMAS
Join us Sunday, November 16, from 2:30-4:00 p.m. for a KIDS family event. This will be a special time of fellowship, snacks, and assembling your Advent ornament box. Spots are limited & registration is required! Scan the QR Code or visit www.madisonmc.org to register.



STUDENTS: Michael Davis (michael@madisonmc.org)

LEAP OF FAITH LOCKOUT:
We won’t tell you what we’re doing, but we can guarantee that this night will be full of fun and fellowship! All students in grades 7-12 can join us for a fun night, November 23-24.



TOGETHER WEEKEND:
Join us for this year’s Together Weekend, January 30-February 1! Students in grades 6-12 are invited!



MISSIONS
UPCOMING EVENTS:
Challengers Sunday School Class will be serving at Shower Power this Friday, October 31st. Cars will leave the church at 8:30 a.m. to help pack goodie bags and another group will leave about 10:15 a.m. to deliver lunch. For more information, contact Suzanne Parker at 601-497-4567 or Diane Goolsby at 601-214-3726.

SALT & LIGHT INTEREST MEETING
There will be an Interest Meeting for the 2026 Salt & Light Honduras Trip this Sunday, October 26, at 3:00 p.m. in the Conference Room (Church Office building). The mission trip dates are May 28th - June 4th.