

# 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 worshipping 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

### 2018

Tim Busching  
Natalie Willis  
Mike Dorsey

### 2019

Jennifer Saroka  
Libby Sheppard  
Brett Corbin

### 2020

Katie Mathews  
Dianna Terry  
Shari Vaughn

## BOARD OF DEACONS

Ken Brunner  
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Crystal Bayne  
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Scott Hookey

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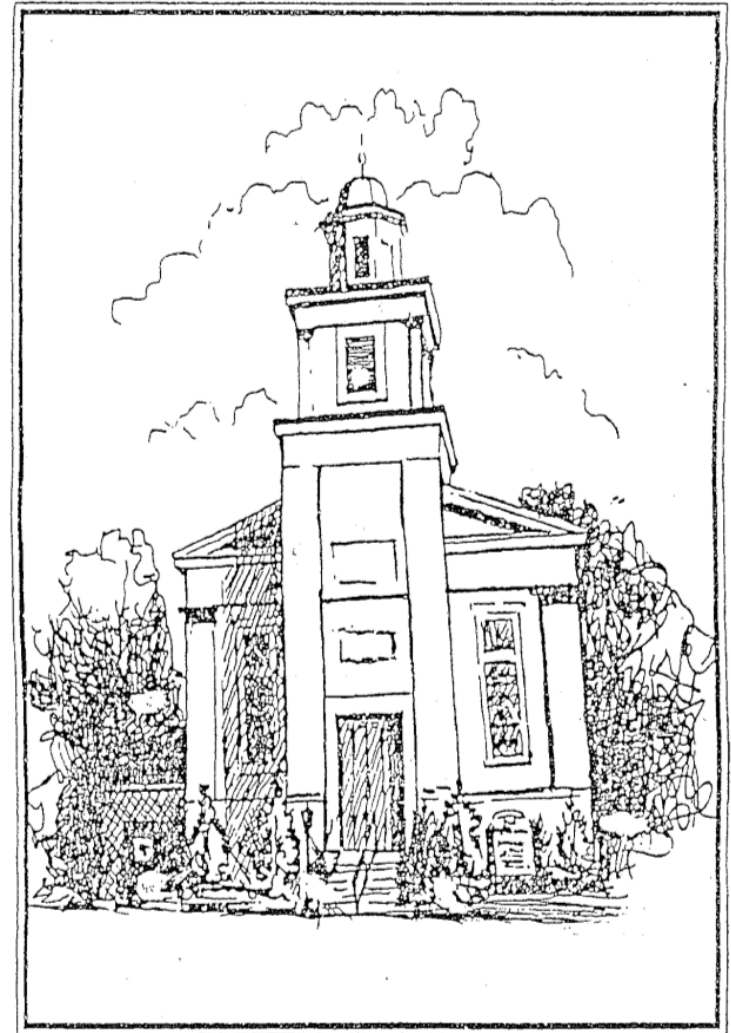
**FINANCIAL SECRETARY**—Shannon Glass

**TREASURER**—Sara Stetson

**OFFICE MANAGER**—Jonathan Stanley

**SEXTON**—Karen Ault

**NURSERY ATTENDANT**—Anna Kietzman



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NOVEMBER 4, 2018 — 10:00 A.M.  
24TH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

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

**Parents**, welcome to Madison Presbyterian Church! Please find a listing of optional accommodations that we can provide for you and your child printed in the announcements of this bulletin.

## 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.

**PRELUDE**                      “Blessed Are the Faithful”                      Brahms

### WORDS OF WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

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

### DEACONS' MINUTE

#### \*PASSING OF THE PEACE

L: Since Christ has extended to us the peace of God, let us, as his disciples, spread his peace to others. The peace of Christ be with you.

**R: And also with you.**

L: Let us greet one another in peace.

### THE UNISON PRAYER OF ADORATION

**God of all glory, we gather here today with the saints of every time and place to honor and praise your holy name. As you have revealed your mercy and might to your faithful people in every age, so let us glimpse the mystery of your life-giving grace and the love that even death cannot destroy. Through Jesus Christ, the Alpha and Omega, we pray. Amen.**

## PRAYER LIST

**Congregation:** Sharon Auxier, Ron Bateman, Tim Boyer, Judith Glass, Mary Louise Grimes, Tony Harrell, Bob and Pat Hughes, Al Huntington, Janet Rhodes, Alicia Ricketts, Jennifer Saroka, Staci Torres, Greg Ziesemer.

**Family and Friends:** Steve Aldridge, Mike Baker (Mary Davee's brother), Steve Baker, Michelle Barlow, Lloyd Bell, Robert Black, Carol Blasdel, Donna Bowman, Todd Bredenkamp, Connie Brink, Mike Brown, Chris Browning, Michael Busching, Becky Chase, children separated from their parents, Sherry Craddock, Marie Cross, Hilary Drake, Phillip Eades, Erik, Mary Estes, family of James Franklin, Trish Frye, Jessica Garvey and family, Pat Goley, Jo Gray, Shirley Griffith, Charles “Poogie” Grooms, Chuck Hale, Peggy Hans, Millie Harness, Brittany Henry, Bill Hughes, James Jackson, Lois Jackson, Curtis Jacobs, Brittney Johnson and family, Ruth Johnson, Vince Johnson and his wife Mary Jean Woodburn, Kaya Kabota, Candy Kahn and family, Cathy Kish, Michael Sean Kugler, Paul Limato, Jeff Lineburg (Janet Castor's brother), Steve Livingston, Terra Louis, Jason Mace, Madison Correctional Facility, Madison State Hospital, Mary McClure, Tabatha Melton, Gaye Mill, Brad Miller, John Mircheff (Mary Louise Grimes' son-in-law), Julie Monroe, Jeanine Hill Moran, Gary and Geneva Napier, Alicia Nay, Muriel Newcomb, Pam, Bill Parker, Joy Parks, Wanda Payton, Frank Pearson, Nak Phok, Jennifer Poggel, Michelle Powers, Jim Render (brother of Judith Glass), Jim Risk, Linda Roaks, Roberto, Randall Robertson, Cora Russell, Susan Ryan, Susan Schafer and family, Jeff, Janna and Rachel Schmidt, Donna and Travis Smith and family, Jessica Smith, Laryssa Smith, Therese Spence, Tiana Stockton and family, Roy Stone, Jody Sullivan, Mary Lynn Summerfeld, Denver Taylor, Trey Taylor, Jean Trillet (Jim Grant's sister), Doug Vaughn, Peggy Voris and family, Buddy Waller, Warren (friend of Bob and Judith Glass), Jaye Weaver, Tom Weber, Laurel Lyn Wiest, Sue Williams, Kyle Wilson.

### MPC Rotating Prayer Calendar for the Week of November 4

Percy and Mary Frances Snyder  
Dan and Sandra Smith  
Steve and Alice Matthews

## THE SACRAMENT OF HOLY COMMUNION

### The Invitation

The Prayers of the People and The Lord's Prayer 35

### The Words of Institution

### The Distribution of the Elements

### The Unison Prayer of Thanksgiving

**God of grace, you renew us at your table with the bread of life. May this food strengthen us in love and help us to serve you and each other. We ask this in the name of Jesus, the Lord. Amen.**

**\*HYMN "Let Us Build a House" 301**

### \*BENEDICTION

**\*BENEDICTION RESPONSE "Amen" Danish**

**POSTLUDE "O World, I Now Must Leave Thee" Brahms**

*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.



Liturgy taken and adapted from "Feasting on the Word Worship Companion," John Knox Press, Copyright 2014

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

**LITURGIST**— Dianna Terry

**USHERS** — Jennifer Saroka and Amanda Corbin

**GREETERS** — Sheri Hookey and Connie Huntington

**COMMUNION ELDERS** — Dianna Terry, Brett Corbin,

Jennifer Saroka, Mike Dorsey, and Shannon Glass

**FELLOWSHIP HOUR HOSTS** — Mike and Laurie Dorsey

**ATTENDANCE LAST WEEK— 89**

## INTROIT

from Psalm 146

Hallelujah!

Praise the Lord, O my soul!

I will praise the Lord as long as I live;

I will sing praises to my God while I have my being.

Put not your trust in rulers, nor in any child of earth,  
for there is no help in them.

## THE CALL TO WORSHIP

L: We gather this morning and remember the lives of persons we name as saints. For all your servants who have faithfully served you, who in life and death witnessed to your Truth,

**R: we praise you, O God.**

L: As a congregation, we give thanks for Barbara Walters-Dixon. We are grateful for others that come to mind this day—family, friends, all who have been a blessing to us and have joined the church triumphant.

(A moment of silence will be observed.)

L: Keep us grateful for them and for the love you have shown us through them. Amen.

**\*HYMN "For All the Saints" 326**

## THE CALL TO CONFESSION

Jesus, our great high priest, calls us to confess our sins, to hear God's Word of forgiveness, and to be renewed for lives of freedom and joy. In that spirit, let us pray together.

## THE UNISON PRAYER OF CONFESSION

**O God, you have been faithful; yet we have not loved you with our whole hearts. We are pulled in too many directions. We suffer from too many loyalties.**

**We also confess you have shown us how to love our fellow human beings, but that, too, creates a conflict in us. There is so much need and we have only so much time.**

**Forgive us, Lord, and turn us back to you so that we may follow your commandments. We pray this through Christ, our Lord.**

(A moment of silence is observed.)

## THE KYRIE

L: Lord, have mercy.

**R: Christ, have mercy.**

L. Lord, have mercy.

## THE ASSURANCE OF PARDON

L: Beloved, the Lord is loving, merciful, and just.

Therefore, in Jesus Christ we are reconciled to God and to one another that we might walk in peace and love.

**R: Thanks be to God!**

**\*RESPONSE OF PRAISE** Gloria Patri 581

**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

L: Let us pray together.

**R: Almighty God, your Word is life and your promise is trustworthy and true. By the power of your Holy Spirit, write your Word upon our hearts so that we may be your new creation. This we pray in the name of Jesus Christ, our Lord. Amen.**

**THE FIRST LESSON** Ruth 1:1-18 O. T. 241

L: This is the Word of the Lord.

**R: Thanks be to God.**

**THE ANTHEM** "Rejoice in God's Saints" Old 104th

Rejoice in God's saints, today and all days!  
A world without saints forgets how to praise.  
Their faith in acquiring the habit of prayer,  
their depth of adoring, Lord, help us to share.  
Some march with events to turn them God's way;  
some need to withdraw, the better to pray;  
some carry the gospel through fire and through flood:  
our world is their parish; their purpose is God.

Rejoice in those saints, unpraised and unknown,  
who bear someone's cross, or shoulder their own;  
they share our complaining, our comforts, our cares:  
what patience in caring, what courage is theirs!

Rejoice in God's saints, today and all days!

A world without saints forgets how to praise.

In loving, in living, they prove it is true:  
their way of self-giving, Lord, leads us to you.

## THE TIME FOR YOUNG DISCIPLES

**THE SECOND LESSON** Mark 12: 28-34 N. T. 49

L: This is the Word of the Lord.

**R: Thanks be to God.**

**SERMON** "Hearing the Heartbeat"

## RESPONDING IN FAITH

**\*HYMN** "The Church's One Foundation" 321

**\*THE APOSTLES' CREED** 35

**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.**

### OFFERING AND DEACONS' OFFERING

Offertory "O World, I Now Must Leave Thee" Brahms

Offerings

**\*Doxology** 606

### **\*The Unison Prayer of Dedication**

**Dear God, we offer you these gifts that they might build up the work  
of your Kingdom. Make us living witnesses to the way and work of  
righteousness. This we pray for the glory of your Son, Jesus Christ.  
Amen.**