

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
Amanda Corbin
Bill Ohlendorf

Mary Davee
Crystal Dashiell
Dan Smith

Crystal Bayne
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Staci Torres

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Rick la Cour

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Larry Crisafulli

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DIRECTOR OF MUSIC MINISTRY—Jonathan Stanley

CLERK OF THE SESSION—Susan Ohlendorf

YOUTH MINISTRIES DIRECTOR—Dave Adams

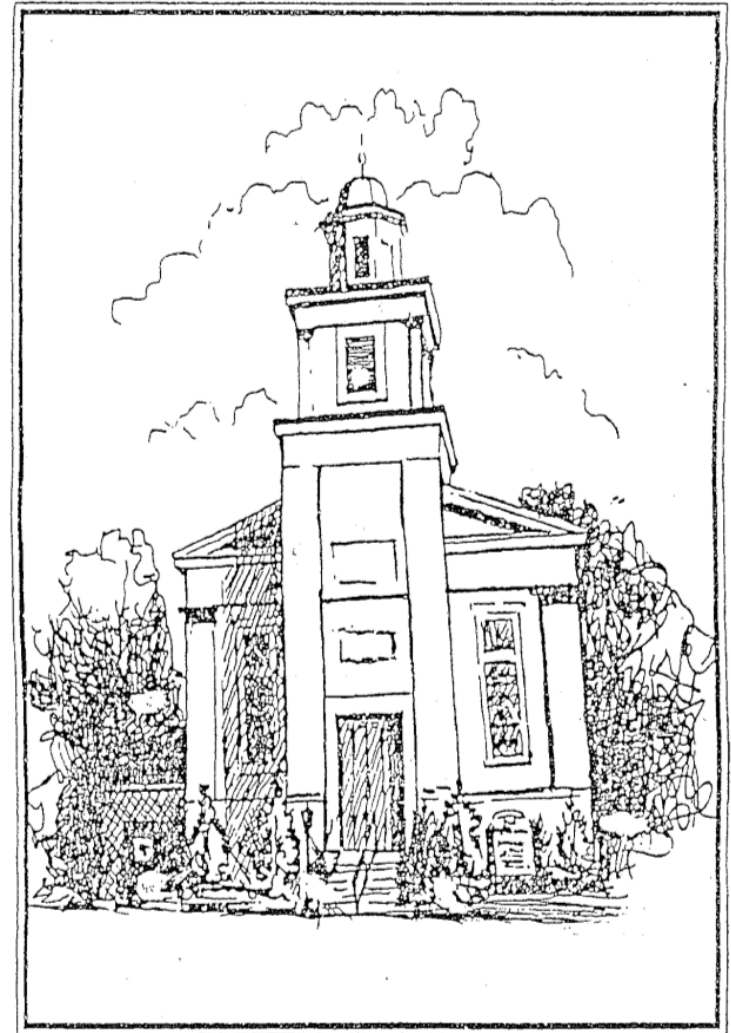
FINANCIAL SECRETARY—Shannon Glass

TREASURER—Sara Stetson

OFFICE MANAGER—Jonathan Stanley

SEXTON—Karen Ault

NURSERY ATTENDANT—



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Madison Presbyterian Church

SEPTEMBER 2, 2018 — 10:00 A.M.

15TH 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 "Kyrie en Taille" Couperin

WORDS OF WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

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

*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

Almighty God, in Jesus Christ you have shown us the Truth of your commandments. Give us sincere hearts that we may worship you with joy, obey you with love, and be faithful to you in the world through Christ and by the power of the Holy Spirit. Amen.

PRAYER LIST

Congregation: Sharon Auxier, Tim Boyer, Judith Glass, Mary Louise Grimes, Tony Harrell, Bob and Pat Hughes, Al Huntington, Beth Orrill, Harriette Parton, 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, 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, Helen Hunt, 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, Jeanine Hill Moran, Gary and Geneva Napier, Muriel Newcomb, Pam, Joy Parks, Wanda Payton, Frank Pearson, Nak Phok, Jennifer Poggel, Michelle Powers, Dr. Stephen Reen (Music Director at Trinity Methodist Church), Jim Render (brother of Judith Glass), Roberto, Jim Risk, 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, Doug Vaughn, Peggy Voris and family, Buddy Waller, Warren (friend of Bob and Judith Glass), Jaye Weaver, Tom Weber, Laurel Lyn Wiest, Sue Williams.

MPC Rotating Prayer Calendar for the Week of September 2

Ted and Donna Skrypak

C. Albert McKay

Michael Joyce

POSTLUDE

“Deo gratias”

Couperin

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— Jennifer Saroka

USHERS — Mike Dorsey and Crystal Dashiell

GREETERS —Connie Huntington and Dan Smith

COMMUNION ELDERS—Jennifer Saroka, Libby Sheppard,

Dave Adams, Katie Mathews, and Tim Busching

FELLOWSHIP HOUR HOSTS—Don and Jill Wiest,

Pam and Larry Newhouse

ATTENDANCE LAST WEEK— 73

INTROIT

“Come and Fill Our Hearts”

from Taize

Come and fill our hearts with your peace.
You alone, O Lord, are holy.
Come and fill our hearts with your peace.
Alleluia!

THE CALL TO WORSHIP

From Psalm 15

L: Who may abide in the presence of God?

R: All those who walk blamelessly and do what is right.

L: All those who speak truth from their heart.

R: Let us worship God with open and seeking hearts.

***HYMN**

“Come, Christians, Join to Sing”

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THE CALL TO CONFESSION

With sincere hearts and minds, let us confess our sins before God and the world, trusting in God’s mercy to forgive. Let us pray together.

THE UNISON PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Loving, righteous God, our hearts are too often filled with the wickedness you hate. Forgetting your living Word, we cling to dead traditions. Deceiving ourselves, we abandon your commandments. We honor you with our lips while our hearts are far from you.

Cleanse our hearts from evil intentions. Cleanse our tongues from any evil word so that our worship may be pure and undefiled and we may live with you in love for others.

(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: Our generous God has given us the perfect gift of forgiveness, Jesus Christ, our Lord, who has liberated us from our sins and made us new by the living Word, filling our hearts with God's love. This is the Good News of the Gospel.

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: Lord, by the power of your Spirit, open our hearts and minds to receive your Word that we neither forget the wonders you have done nor neglect to make them known to your world. Amen.

THE FIRST LESSON James 1:17-27 N.T. 229

L: This is the Word of the Lord.

R: Thanks be to God.

THE ANTHEM "Lord, I Want to Be a Christian" Spiritual

Lord, I want to be a Christian in my heart.
Lord, I want to be more loving in my heart.
Lord, I want to be more holy in my heart.
Lord, I want to be like Jesus in my heart.

THE TIME FOR YOUNG DISCIPLES

THE SECOND LESSON Mark 7: 1-8, 14-15, 21-23 N.T. 42

L: This is the Word of the Lord.

R: Thanks be to God.

SERMON

"What's in Your Heart?"

RESPONDING IN FAITH

*HYMN "Spirit, Open My Heart" 692

*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 "Fugue sur les jeux d'anches" Couperin

Offerings

*Doxology 606

*The Unison Prayer of Dedication

O God, receive these gifts for the work of your church. With these gifts, we dedicate ourselves to live in the Truth of your Word through Christ our Lord. Amen.

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 Talents and Tongues Employ" 526

*BENEDICTION

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