

Madison Methodist Church

# MESSENGER

“Building faithful disciples, serving Jesus Christ.”

No. 08

April 14, 2024

Sunday Services, April 21, 2024

Worship Services in the Sanctuary at 8:30 a.m. & 10:45 a.m.

Sunday School classes at 9:30 a.m.



## THE “METHODISMALS” GLOBAL REUNION TOUR

The “Famed” Methodismals are coming back to Madison Methodist for a special concert on Wednesday, May 1st, to benefit the Student Mission Trip to Brazil. Come for dinner from 5:15-6pm and stay for an incredible display of raw musical talent. The students will be sharing their thoughts on serving others this summer. A love offering will be taken during the show for the Mission Trip to Brazil.



Delta Grace

MISSION DAY

SATURDAY, APRIL 27

Delta Grace mission trips are a great way to serve with your family or with your your Sunday School class or small group. Contact Matthew Thompson at [wmatthewt@gmail.com](mailto:wmatthewt@gmail.com) for more information about this upcoming mission trip.

# WEDNESDAYS AT MADISON (WAM)

5:15-6:00 p.m.—Supper

5:45 p.m.—KIDS Choir & KIDS Play

6:15 p.m.—KIDS Ministry activities (KIDS Check-in)

6:15 p.m.—Student Ministry study (Lounge, Student Hall)

6:00 p.m.—Small Groups (For specific groups & start dates, see [madisonmc.org/node/5899](http://madisonmc.org/node/5899))

6:15 p.m.—Pastor's Bible Study—(Sanctuary)

7:15 p.m.—Chancel Choir practice

Make sure to register for the meal **before TUESDAY** at noon by calling the church office or by filling out the online form at [www.madisonmc.org](http://www.madisonmc.org).

**Adult Meals \$8**

**Children's Meals \$5**

**Family Maximum \$26**

**APRIL 24**

**ADULT MENU**

Chicken Artichoke Lasagna

Dijon Citrus Pork Tenderloin

Cheddar Chile Corn Pudding

Carrot Souffle

Roasted Broccoli

Super Salad Bar

**DESSERT MENU**

Heavenly Hash Bars

Banana Split Pound Cake

Sugar Free Pound Cake

Fresh Strawberry Pie

Soft Serve Vanilla Ice Cream

**KIDS MENU**

Cheesy Chicken Pasta

Steamed Broccoli

Strawberries

Confetti Cookies

**MAY 1**

**Adult Menu**

Chicken Popper Bake

Grilled Smoked Sausage with Peppers & Onions

Tomato Pie

Mediterranean Chick Pea Salad

Spinach Rice

Super Salad Bar

**DESSERT MENU**

Lemon Lush

Sugar Free Lemon Lush

Chocolate Chip Cheesecake Bars

Hershey Bar Pie

**KIDS MENU**

Pigs in Blankets

Smiley Fries

Applesauce Pouches

S'mores Treat Bars

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## **MADISON** VIPS

Our VIP luncheon for May 7 will feature a program by LeAnn Henderson of Vintage Travelers. She was formerly with the New Directions for Seniors program at St. Dominic and started her own travel business after that program was discontinued. The menu is as follows:

Lemon Barbecued Meatloaf, Ranch Potatoes, Squash Casserole, Fried Okra, Cucumber & Tomato Salad, Cornbread and Fresh Strawberry Cake

NOTE: Reservations must be made by noon on Thurs. May 2.

NO TAKEOUTS. Please have exact cash or a check.



# Concerns of Our Church Family

## MADISON MC PRAYER MINISTRY TEAM LIST

Please continue to turn in names and addresses of family/friends needing prayer for the MMC Prayer Ministry Team.

**Please send all prayer requests to: [prayer@madisonmc.org](mailto:prayer@madisonmc.org)**

## PRAYER REQUESTS - MMC MEMBERS

Carol Ann Ables	Phil Hinton	Linda Rickman
Leona Bishop	Vernon Hull	Trey Russell
Vicki Blake	Brenda Johnson	Mollie Sims
Cathy Burns	Jana Manlove	Maris Stanard
Connie Bush	Barrie McArthur	Paul Verneuille
Rod Coleman	Judy McArthur	
Barbara Crews	Frankie Mitchell	
Merle Ellis	The Moody Family	
David Faulkner	Willie Moore	
Russ Hackman	Emily Morris	
Jamie Harris	Thames Pemberton	

## ASSISTED LIVING / NURSING HOMES/ RETIREMENT HOMES

**The Blake:** Fabia Smith

**Beau Ridge:** Frankie Mitchell; Joyce Logue; Joan Winstead; Tina Holliday;  
Ann Artmann

**St. Catherine's Village:** Lou Jennings; Rosalind Ross; Mary Salvatore;  
James Potts; Jerry Zoble

**Home Place:** Evelyn Palmer; Rosemary Taylor; Eddy Johnson

**The Orchard:** Maggie Hart; Beverly Harvey; Linda Howard

**Plain View:** John Mason

**The Waterford:** Margaret Mason

**Sunnybrook:** Jane Turnage; Jim & Johnnie Miller

**Nichols Center:** Barbara Mapp

**Ridgeland Place:** Jo Lynn Vaughan

## PRAYER REQUESTS - FAMILY MEMBERS/FRIENDS

Peezie Allred	Marvel Allred's daughter in law
Rachel "Granno" Baas	Campbell Clarke's great grandmother
Mary Catherine Carmichael	Debbie Hardee's friend
Tim Curtis	Libby Gillenwater's friend
Shirley Franklin	Ruth Elam's Friend
Kay Harrington	Kelly Brock's sister
Mandy Kimberly	Kelly Brock's sister
Ruby Love	Shauna Sansing's mother
Martha Manuel	Linda Williams' mother
Allen & Sheila Murphy	Debbie Hardee's friends
Mary Ann Odom	Elizabeth Carr's mother
Kelly Pope	Former MMC Pastor
Troy Rhodes	Jimmy & Brenda Johnson's friend
Gaynell Roundtree	MUMC regular visitor

**Expectant Parents:** Haley & Sam Gregory, Abbey & Cory Phillips;  
Lori Beth & Thomas House; Lindsey & Stephen Provenza.

**New Babies:** Emmie Laird Stubbs, daughter of Heather and Jacob Stubbs; sister to Chaney. Grandparents are Paula and Hugh Stubbs.



Therefore encourage one another and build each other up as you are already doing.

— 1 Thessalonians 5:11

## **MMC REPORT**

### Worship Attendance

4/7/24 654

4/14/24 777

### Finances

2024 Budget: \$ 2,600,000

Given to date: \$ 966,700

Education Building Mortgage

Balance: \$990,465

## **IN MEMORIAM**

Senith Tipton April 13, 2024

Mother of Chandler Tipton

## KIDS MINISTRY

Renee Scales 601-856-6058 or email [renee@madisonmc.org](mailto:renee@madisonmc.org)



### KIDS CHOIR SINGS ON APRIL 21st

On Sunday, April 21, the KIDS Choir (grades 1-5) will sing with the adult choir at both morning services. During the worship service, the song will come right after the Lord's Prayer and just before the Greeting / Kids Time. Children will be able to leave the service with you after they sing.

### KIDS CHOIR & SONBEAMS CHOIR SPRING PROGRAM ON APRIL 24

Both the KIDS Choir & the SonBeams Choir will present their Spring Program on Wednesday, April 24 at 6:15 p.m. in the Sanctuary. It is very important that the children attend the remaining Wednesday night rehearsals; the KIDS Choir should come to the choir room at 5:45 p.m.

### SONBEAMS CHOIR SINGS ON APRIL 28

The SonBeams Choir (2 ½ - K5 Wednesday Night Classes) will sing at the beginning of each worship service on Sunday, April 28.

Please help us with the following –

1. On Sunday morning, April 28, have your children in the Fellowship Hall at 8:20 a.m. and 10:35 a.m.
2. Make every effort to have your child sing at BOTH services. You will be able to slip out of the 10:45 a.m. service as soon as they are done!



### VBS 2024

VBS is June 17-21 from 8:30-11:30 a.m.

If you would like to help plan decorations, please email [renee@madisonmc.org](mailto:renee@madisonmc.org). Participant and volunteer registration/sign-up coming soon!



### KIDS MINISTRIES LEADERSHIP TEAM (KMLT) MEETING

Our KIDS Ministries Leadership Team will meet on Monday, April 22 at 6:00 p.m. in the ACR. If you have an interest or heart for helping our children grow in their faith in meaningful & real ways, please join us!

**MISSION/OUTREACH MINISTRY**  
Steve Potter 601-856-6058 or email [steve@madisonmc.org](mailto:steve@madisonmc.org)

**SINGLE FRIENDS GROUP**



We are a group of Christian Singles following Christ, growing our faith, building community, and supporting local churches and outreach. Ages 50 to 70+. We have weekly dinners at local restaurants, movie nights, potluck dinners, and more. We'd love for anyone interested to join us. If you have any questions, reach out to Afton Pike at (720) 220-5171 or Alison Richardson at (601) 842-3300.

**Activity:**

- (4-4) Thursday: Mojito's Cantina - Ridgeland - 6:00 pm.
- (4-7) Sunday: Mermaid Cafe - Madison - 12:30 pm (after church).
- (4-11) Thursday: YiaYia's - Ridgeland - 6:00 pm.
- (4-18) Thursday: Bulldog Burgers - Ridgeland - 6:00 pm.
- (4-21) Sunday: Jason's Deli - Madison - 12:30 pm (after church).
- (4-25) Thursday: Kristos Amerigreek - Ridgeland - 6:00 pm.

Please let us know if you're coming, so we have room at our Single Friends table.

**Missions and Outreach Celebrations  
& Upcoming Opportunities:**

**DELTA GRACE, APRIL 27th**

What: Delta Grace Mission Trip

When: Saturday, April 27

(6:00 am - 4:00 pm)

Project: Madison Methodist is sending a team to Sunflower, MS to construct and install a wheelchair ramp. The goal is to complete this project in one day, so all hands on deck are needed.

All skill levels are invited and all skills are needed. Whether you can use power tools, carry supplies, help clean up, make lunch or fellowship with the property residents, there is a place for all volunteers. The church will get you there and back.

Lunch provided.

For more information, contact:

Matthew Thompson [wmatthewt@gmail.com](mailto:wmatthewt@gmail.com) or

Steve Potter [steve@madisonmc.org](mailto:steve@madisonmc.org) or

visit <https://deltagrace.org>

**CENTER FOR PREGNANCY CHOICES**

"Center for Pregnancy Choices is hosting its annual Lifewalk Fundraiser May 4th at Trustmark Park. Enjoy a morning of walking, music, food trucks, and family-friendly activities! To learn more about the event or to register as a walker, contact Katie Williams (601) 540-3617 or [Williams.katie23@gmail.com](mailto:Williams.katie23@gmail.com). You will need to register under our church team through the CPC Lifewalk registration form.

Our church graciously gives annually to our local CPC. We're asking any church members interested in participating to reach outside of the church to family or friends for additional donations. The Lifewalk is a fun way to get plugged into helping the CPC be a great resource for helping new moms care for their newborns."

**Center for Pregnancy Choices**  
Metro Area

*Lifewalk*  
2024  
**SATURDAY, MAY 4TH**  
Trustmark Park  
Registration begins at 8 am | Walk begins at 9 am  
Must be a registered fundraising walker to attend.  
Register as a walker or create a team.  
[www.cpcmetrofriends.org/lifewalk](http://www.cpcmetrofriends.org/lifewalk)

## STUDENT MINISTRY

Cory Phillips 601-856-6058 or email [cory@madisonmc.org](mailto:cory@madisonmc.org)

Stay Connected with us! We post updates and changes regularly to our Instagram (@madisonmestudents) and via our text plan (text "mmcstudent" to 866.998.3838). Don't miss out on events by not connecting!



### STUDENT MISSION BRAZIL TRIP

The Envelope Wall supporting the Student Mission Trip to Brazil is available now in the Atrium! Swing by and pick up the envelope that represents the amount you wish to give. You can pay online through our give tab on the website, place your envelope in the offering plate, scan the QR code on the wall itself, or come to the church office with your envelope. Thanks for your support!!

BREAKFAST & FELLOWSHIP  
7:00 AM - CHRISTIAN LIFE CENTER  
THIRD SUNDAY OF THE MONTH

## Men's Club

April 21st - Guest Speaker  
Rev. Robert McCormick

MADISON  
MEN'S MINISTRY

On April 21 from 12:30-5,

Join us for...

MADISON METHODIST DAY OF SERVICE

## "NOT-TO" DAY



"Even as the son of man came **not to** be served but to serve, and to give his life as a ransom for many"

Matthew 20:28



**DISCIPLESHIP & MEN'S MINISTRY**  
Robert McCormick (601) 856-6058 or email: [robert@madisonmc.org](mailto:robert@madisonmc.org)



**MADISON TRUCK CLUB**

We had a great time of fellowship and study at our first meeting of the Madison Truck Club this past Thursday. All men (no truck required!) are invited to our next gathering on Thursday, April 25 from 7:30-9:00 p.m. at 224 Waterford Square, Madison. Bring a chair, a Bible and a friend!

**COME JOIN US FOR THE NEXT...**

**MADISON TRUCK CLUB**  
THURSDAY, APRIL 25 | 7:30-9:00 PM  
224 WATERFORD SQUARE • MADISON

**SPECIAL MINISTRY EVENT**  
Renee Scales (601) 856-6058 or email: [renee@madisonmc.org](mailto:renee@madisonmc.org)



**PARENTING SEMINAR RECAP**

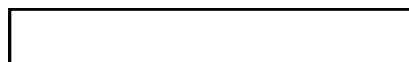
We had a great turnout for our "Parenting in a High-Tech World" seminar on April 14. Unfortunately, we were not permitted to record the session with Lisa Maher of Homeland Security Investigation. She has left several handouts with Renee Scales and Rev. Cory Phillips so please check with either of them to acquire those materials. Lisa did inform us that her department will produce a video soon and we will share that resource on our website.

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**RETURN SERVICE REQUESTED**



## WELCOME NEW MEMBERS



**Welcome to the MMC  
Church Family!**

Betty & Gary Arinder became  
part of the MMC family on  
April 7th!



**Welcome to the MMC Church Family!**

Billy Wayne, Joanne & Samantha Dixon  
and Ken & Karen Stubbs became part of  
the MMC family on April 14th!



Ivy & David Barber and their daughter,  
Amelia became part of the MMC  
family!