

# ADULT MINISTRY

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## END-OF-YEAR GIVING

- To receive credit for 2019 taxes, all donations must be dated on or before December 31, 2019
- Thank you for your support of the missions and ministry of Madison UMC!

## UNITED METHODIST WOMEN

- Monday, January 6, 9:45 a.m. in Fellowship Hall Room 122 (Downstairs, west side of Fellowship Hall)
- Speaker will be from Wingard Home, a ministry to homeless families in Jackson
- All women are invited to participate!

## JANUARY VIP LUNCHEON

- Tuesday, January 7, 12:00 noon, **Christian Life Center**
- \$5 per person (please make reservations by noon Monday)
- Special Guest will be Sarah Thomas, first female referee in the National Football League

## NEW CHURCH DIRECTORIES HAVE ARRIVED!!

- Pick up your copy in the Atrium
- One copy per household, please!

## 2020 ALTAR FLOWER SIGN-UP

- Dates still open are: 1/26; 5/31; 7/19; 10/25; 11/8; 11/15
- \$45 per arrangement
- For more information, contact Anne in the Church Office (601-856-6058)

## 2020 HONDURAS MISSION TEAM

- Interested in the Moody Honduras Mission Team 2020?
- Contact George Taylor: Georgetay@yahoo.com; 601-941-9767

## IF:MUMC COMING IN FEBRUARY

- Registration is open now!
- Register at <https://local.ifgathering.com/mumc2020/>  
Registration fee is \$20 per person
- February 7: 5:30 p.m. — 9:30 p.m.  
February 8: 9:00 a.m. — 3:00 p.m.
- Register by January 17 to receive a complimentary IF:MUMC t-shirt.
- Dinner will be provided on Friday evening. On Saturday, we will also provide breakfast and will break for a lunch on your own or with a group of friends from IF.
- For more info, email ifmumc@gmail.com

# WEDNESDAYS AT MADISON

FELLOWSHIP MEAL at 5:15 p.m. in the **FELLOWSHIP HALL**  
**NEW PRICES:** Adults \$7 Kids \$4 | Please make reservations by Tuesday, noon.  
Studies/Activities for all ages at 6:15 p.m. – 7:00 p.m.

**Fellowship meals and programming have concluded for the fall semester. The regular Wednesday night schedule will resume on January 15.**

## OUR CHURCH FAMILY

We welcome new members!

- Frank & Susan Hunt and Ryan Hunt
- Doug & Allison Smith and children Harrison & Grace

## SERMON NOTES

# MADISON UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

Madison, Mississippi



December 29, 2019

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[www.madisonumc.org](http://www.madisonumc.org)

*"Building faithful disciples, serving Jesus Christ"*

# SERVICE OF WORSHIP

December 29, 2019

# PARTICIPANTS IN TODAY'S SERVICES

# STUDENT MINISTRY

Contact Cory Phillips (cory@madisonumc.org)

## WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

**PRELUDE**                    *Angels We Have Heard on High*                    arr. Thygerson

**HYMN**                    *Once in Royal David's City*                    250

## 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.

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**SPECIAL MUSIC**                    *What Child Is This*                    arr. Kern  
Ashlynn Grissom, soloist

## GREETING

### A TIME MOSTLY FOR CHILDREN

*Away in a manger no crib for a bed, the little Lord Jesus lay down His sweet head. The stars in the sky looked down where He lay, the little Lord Jesus asleep on the hay.*

**OFFERTORY**                    *O Little Town of Bethlehem*                    arr. Varner

## 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**                    II Corinthians 12:1-10

**HYMN OF PREPARATION**   *What a Friend We Have in Jesus*                    526

**SERMON**                    Rev. Ben Butler

**HYMN OF RESPONSE**                    *Emmanuel, Emmanuel*                    204

## POSTLUDE

\*\*\* Seating of additional worshippers

- Senior Pastor    Rev. Barry Male
- Associate Pastor    Rev. Ben Butler
- Pastor of Congregational Care    Rev. Linda Rickman
- Director of Music Ministry    Lori Blount
- Director of Student Ministry    Rev. Cory Phillips
- Director of Kids Ministry    Renee Scales
- Organist    Rosemary McInnis
- Pianist    Donna Banks
- Acolytes (8:30 a.m.)    Caroline Thigpen & Campbell Breckenridge
- Acolytes (10:45 a.m.)    Mack McIntosh & Millicent McIntosh

Pinnacle Sunday nights will resume on January 5 for all students in grades 6 – 12 from 6:00 p.m. – 8:15 p.m. A full schedule of Student Ministry activities may be downloaded from the Student page of the MUMC website (www.madisonumc.org/students).

### ATTENTION 6TH GRADERS!

- 6th graders officially become part of Student Ministries on Sunday, January 5
- Meet upstairs in Room 402 for Sunday School
- Become part of Pinnacle Sunday nights at 6:00 p.m.



## HOLIDAY SCHEDULE

Church Offices will be closed December 31 and January 1.

### BIBLE TIME VOLUNTEERS

Bible Time Volunteers for December 29:

- 8:30 a.m.:    Emily & Russell Bowie; Paula & Jon Adkins
- 10:45 a.m.:    Lauren & Paul Younger; Missy & Chris White



### MADISON UMC WELCOMES ALL CHILDREN

- A **Nursery** (infants, crawlers, and toddlers) is available during both worship services as well as during the Sunday School hour. 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. On Communion Sundays, we request that children remain in the Sanctuary with their families and experience this special and meaningful Sacrament together.
- Children's Bulletins and Sermon Notes for Kids are available at the doors entering the Sanctuary.

