

ATTENDANCE
Sunday, 2/16/25
9 AM: 104
11 AM: 51

STEWARDSHIP
2/16/25
General Fund: \$23,411.00
February Mission Emphasis
Mission Trip: Total: \$2,090.00

Financial Giving: It is an honor to do God's ministry together. Please make checks payable to "Madison FUMC." Madison FUMC also offers online payment options through the church website - www.madisonfumc.com.

Happening this Week

Sunday, February 23 rd	Location
9 AM Contemporary Worship Service	Wesley Building
10 AM Sunday School	All Buildings
11 AM Traditional Worship Service	Asbury Building
5 PM First Kids for Children	Wesley Building
5 PM Youth Fellowship Meeting	Epworth Youth Center
Monday, February 24 th	
10:30 AM Women's Bible Study-- Truthfilled	Epworth Youth Center
5:30 PM New Testament Disciple w/ Pastor Zack	Asbury Gathering Room
6 PM Cub Scout Pack 91 Meeting	Epworth Youth Center
6 PM Cub Scout Pack 5391 Pack Meeting	Epworth Meeting Room
Wednesday, February 26 th	
10 AM New Testament Disciple w/ Pastor Zack	Asbury Gathering Room
1 PM Dominos	Epworth Youth Center
6 PM YogaFaith: Gentle Yoga	Wesley Building
6 PM Friends in Faith Bible Study	Epworth Youth Center
7 PM Chancel Choir practice	Asbury Building
7:30 PM Praise Band practice	Wesley Building
Thursday, February 27 th	
10 AM The Wisdom Seekers/Ladies Bible Study	Epworth Youth Center SS Class
12:30 PM Prime Timers Lunch Meeting	Wesley Building
Friday, February 28 th	
6 PM Cub Scouts Derby Check in	Wesley Building
Saturday, February 29 th	
12 PM Cub Scouts Pinewood Derby	Wesley Building

Madison FUMC Kitchens

A huge thank you to our volunteers who have cleaned, organized, and made needed repairs to our Epworth and Wesley kitchens!

Our task now is to support the work that has been accomplished. We will have a checklist in each kitchen to help us keep everything **clean and food safe**. When you use the kitchen, please refer to this checklist before and after you use the kitchen. And make notes if you find things so we can address anything that needs our attention.

We have the nicest church food service facilities around, and we want to keep them in top notch condition.

Carolyn Ainslie and Madison FUMC Board of Trustees

February 23, 2025

9 AM CONTEMPORARY WORSHIP SERVICE WESLEY WORSHIP CENTER

Greeting
Opening Song "This Is Amazing Grace"
Welcome and Announcements
Pastoral Prayer and Lord's Prayer
Children's Moment
Praise Set and Giving of Tithes and Offerings
"Reckless Love" "God Is Love"
Prayer
Scripture Reading: Luke 6:27-38
Sermon "Do These Things" by Rev. Zack Martin
Closing Song "Love Came Down"
Passing of the Peace
Benediction

Ash Wednesday Service | March 5th | 6 pm | Asbury



Join us for our Ash Wednesday Service on March 5th at 6 pm in the Asbury Sanctuary.

Sermon by Pastor Zack
"Passing It On" Psalm 51:1-17

"The Gospel According to Sam" Lenten Series March 9th - March 30th

Blessing of the Animals Service
March 30th | 2 pm | Asbury Lawn

Palm Sunday Service
April 13th | Community Procession | 10 am

Good Friday Service
April 18th | 6 pm | Bostwick UMC

Easter Sunday
April 20th
7 am | Pennington Lake
9 am | Wesley Sanctuary
10 am | Egg Hunt
11 am | Asbury Sanctuary



MADISON FIRST
UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

WELCOME

It is a joy to worship with you today. If this is one of your first visits to Madison First United Methodist Church, please fill out a Communication Card and place it in the Offering plate or give to staff person.

A nursery is available for small children and a Children's Church program for ages 3 years to 2nd Grade during worship; the greeters can direct you to these programs if you are interested. Children are equally welcome to stay with their parents during the worship service.

WORSHIP SERVICES

9 AM Contemporary ~ Wesley Building
11 AM Traditional ~ Asbury Building
Senior Pastor ~ Rev. Zack Martin

CHURCH OFFICE HOURS

9 AM - 4 PM
Monday-Thursday
Church Office: 706-342-3325

296 South Main Street
Madison, GA 30650

www.madisonfumc.com



For our guests, new members and current members— let us know how we can help you! Scan the QR code to complete a communication card today! This will help us connect and get you plugged into the life of the church! Or simply use this to let us know how we are doing, drop a song request or suggestion!

7th Sunday after the Epiphany ~ February 23, 2025

Pianist: Lenae Rose **Organist:** Alexandra Dunbar

Acolytes: Eliza Stewart and Coalson Hayes

**11 AM TRADITIONAL WORSHIP SERVICE
ASBURY SANCTUARY**

GATHERING MUSIC

CHIMING OF THE HOUR

PRELUDE

WELCOME, ANNOUNCEMENTS & PRAYER

*OPENING HYMN NUMBER 529 "How Firm a Foundation"

*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH NUMBER 881 "The Apostles' Creed"

*THE GLORIA PATRI NUMBER 70

OFFERING

As forgiven and reconciled people, let us offer ourselves and our gifts to God.

ANTHEM "Let There Be Peace on Earth"

*THE DOXOLOGY NUMBER 95

THE PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE AND THE LORD'S PRAYER

CHILDREN'S MOMENT

***CHILDREN'S CHURCH for children 3 years old through 2nd grade*

SCRIPTURE READING ~ Luke 6:27-38

*"The Word of God for the people of God."
Response— "Thanks be to God."*

SERMON "Do These Things" by Rev. Zack Martin

*CLOSING HYMN NUMBER 399 "Take My Life, and Let It Be"

*BENEDICTION

*PASSING OF THE PEACE

POSTLUDE

*Those that are able please stand.



Listen Devices Available

Listen Devices for hearing assistance are available in the Asbury building for worship services. Please see Brandon Rose on Sunday mornings in the sound booth to pick one up.

FIRST KIDS FOR CHILDREN

3 years old up to 5th graders

Jen Zappa, Director of Children's Ministry and Preschool

Jen@madisonfumc.com • 404-451-7380

First Kids | Sundays | 5 pm - 7 pm

Bible lessons, crafts, yoga/games and supper

YOUTH GROUP

Middle & High Schoolers

Jen Buzbee, Director of Youth Ministries

Jenb@madisonfumc.com • 404-434-3766

Youth Fellowship | TODAY | 5 pm - 7 pm

Supper, Activity, Bible Study, Recreational Games

Epworth Youth Center

FAT TUESDAY PANCAKE SUPPER

sponsored by the YOUTH

Drop In ~ Tuesday, March 4th ~ 5:30 pm—7:30 pm

Donations Only. All donations goes toward the Youth Summer Trip. We are trying to get a headcount, please use this QR Code to sign up if you and your family are planning to attend.



JOIN OUR CREW!

We're seeking a male youth assistant who is a Christian, energetic, and passionate about working with teens. While we prefer candidates over 25 to help drive the church vans, this is not a requirement. Youth meetings take place on Sunday evenings from 5 pm to 7 pm.

Attention all High School Seniors of the Class of 2025:

The **Asbury & Elizabeth Baldwin Scholarship** is available for YOU to apply. Email Debbie@madisonfumc.com or stop by the church office to pick up the application form.

Deadline is April 1, 2025!

Mommy & Sons Dance Party and Game Night ~ March 6th

The Preschool at Madison First UMC is hosting a mommy and sons dance & game night! Join us for a night of fun dancing and high energy games with the boys! Snacks, drinks and fun are all included in your ticket! Reserve your spot today! You can pay via Venmo or bring a cash or check to the church office! This event is for boys 12 year old or younger. Thursday, March 6th from 5:30 - 7:30 pm in the Wesley Building.



February Mission Emphasis:

SCORE Mission Trip to Hildale, Utah

Hildale, Utah is a community of people damaged by corrupt leadership in a fundamentalist sect of the Mormon church. Most people in the area have abandoned religion completely, while a few remain in the FLDS. A group of dancers, teachers, and parents from Pointe of Grace Dance Academy (including several members of Madison FUMC) will travel to Hildale, Utah with SCORE this summer for our third mission trip to this community. We hold a free dance camp each morning for boys and girls, many of whom are neglected and reside in impoverished homes. God has miraculously opened a door for us to teach square dancing to a few teens who are still part of the FLDS. Want to go with us to Utah? There are lots of service projects unrelated to dancing that this community needs, and we would love for you to join us if you are interested. Contact Katie Anderson (katiepanderson@gmail.com or 706-347-0454). To donate for this mission trip, memo your check "Score".

Takeout Spaghetti Lunch Fundraiser | March 9th For the Mission Trip to Hildale, Utah

\$10 per plate | Spaghetti, tossed salad, garlic bread and dessert!

Pick up at the Wesley Building between 11:30 am—1 pm.

For more information contact Katie Anderson:

katiepanderson@gmail.com or 706-347-0454.

New Women's Bible Study

Beginning February 24th, this is a 7 week community-wide study for women led by Ruth Bearden and Julie Speyer.

Join them as they dive into the book of Colossians through the study, Truthfilled, by Ruth Chou Simons. Scan the QR code to get the full details, to sign up and to purchase your book.



Prime Timers Lunch Meeting | February 27th

Prime Timers meets February 27th at 12:30 pm in the Wesley Building. Elsie Monk will present a musical program.

Meals are \$ 13.00. Please contact Kathy Edwards at 404- 925-7281 by Friday, Feb. 21st if you plan to attend.

Women's Book Club | March 2nd | 5 pm—7 pm Epworth Youth Center Rm 202

Next book - A Journey of Faith by Jimmy Carter

For more information contact Jami Yinger

at jnicole2911@msn.com

CASSEROLE MINISTRY

Thank you to everyone who filled the freezer with casseroles!!

If you know someone in need, please take one!

If you have questions about the Casserole Ministry please call Gwen Desselle at 229-873-3033.