



Madison Street

United Methodist Church

Service for the Lord's Day ~ June 14, 2026 ~ 10:15 a.m.

Third Sunday after Pentecost

A professionally staffed **nursery** is located through the double doors on the west side (front left) of the sanctuary. Our nursery is available for children and infants through age 3. **Restrooms** are also located through the double doors on the west side (front left) of the sanctuary.

ENTRANCE

The Chiming of the Hour

The Words of Gathering & Invitation to Worship

The Rev. Harriet Bryan

The Prelude

“In the Garden”

C. Austin Miles

Andrew Knowles, Organist

+The Call to Worship (+Indicates stand as you're able)

Lucretia Campbell

Leader: God meets weary people with compassion and hope.

People: God's grace is greater than our fear and doubt.

Leader: Jesus sees the hurting and the helpless with mercy.

People: We worship the God who brings hope where hope feels lost.

+The Processional Hymn No. 100 “God, Whose Love is Reigning o'er Us” LAUDA ANIMA

The cross leads the procession as a reminder that Jesus Christ, the Word of God and savior of humanity, is at the center of our worship.

The acolytes light two candles on the altar to symbolize the dual nature of Jesus, fully human and fully divine.

+The Opening Prayer

Lucretia Campbell

**Gracious and loving God,
you meet your people with mercy
in moments of fear and uncertainty.**

**When hope feels distant
and the future unclear,
strengthen our trust in your promises
and renew us with your compassion and grace;
through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.**

Act of Praise

“Praise to the Lord of Hosts”

Camille Saint-Saens (1835-1921)

Madison Street Choir

Praise to the Lord of hosts, Sing God's salvation,
Bless His name and shout God's praise in this holy place.
Rejoice, O heavens, and be joyful on earth,
Rejoice in the house of the Lord, for He comes to us. Alleluia!
Rejoice, O angels, rejoice, all you nations.
Sing songs of praise to the Lord, for He comes to us! Alleluia

+The Hymn No. 462 (verse 1)

“'Tis So Sweet to Trust in Jesus”

TRUST IN JESUS

During the singing of the first verse, children are invited to come forward for the reading of the Old Testament story and lesson.

PROCLAMATION AND RESPONSE

The Old Testament Lesson
Genesis 18:1–15

Rev. Bryan

+The Gospel Lesson
Matthew 9:35–10:8

Rev. Bryan

This is the Word of God for the people of God.
Thanks be to God.

+The Hymn No. 462 (*verse 4*)

“’Tis So Sweet to Trust in Jesus”

TRUST IN JESUS

During the singing of the final verse, children ages Pre-K through Kindergarten will be dismissed to Kids Core to worship in an exciting, child-oriented way!

At the conclusion of worship, dismissal locations are: Pre-K: Rm. 308, Kindergarten Rm. 309, Grades 1-5: Rm. 307

*Pre-K–Kindergarten Topic: **Jacob & Esau** Grades 1–5 Topic: **Parable of the Leaven***

The Sermon

“Is Anything Too Hard for God?”

The Rev. Neil Hough

+The Affirmation of Faith No. 883 “The United Church of Canada” The Rev. Dr. Tim Sharp

The Prayers of the People & The Lord’s Prayer No. 895

Rev. Sharp

If you have a prayer request to share with our pastors, please email us at prayer@madisonstreetumc.org or fill out a prayer card found in the R.O.W. books and place in the offering plate.

The Offering of Our Gifts to God

Rev. Bryan

Your generosity enables us to make a difference in our community and world.

To give online, go to madisonstreetumc.org/giving or scan the QR code located on the green online giving card.

To give from your phone, text GIVE2MSUMC to 73256.

The Offertory

“Great Is Thy Faithfulness”

Andrew Knowles, Organist

William M. Runyan

+The Doxology No. 94

LASST UNS ERFREUEN

SENDING FORTH

+The Invitation to Christian Discipleship

Rev. Bryan

+The Departing Hymn No. 374 “Standing on the Promises”

PROMISES

+The Benediction

Rev. Hough

+The Postlude

“Are Ye Able/Because He Lives”

Andrew Knowles, Organist

Harry S. Mason/William J. Gaither

The acolytes lead us into the world carrying the light of Christ as a reminder that God sends each of us into the world to share Christ's light with others.

The flowers on the altar are given to the glory of God by the Priscilla Weathersby Flower Fund.

To donate flowers in June, contact Martha Elliot, (931) 216-9221 or elliotti@bellsouth.net.

Worship Leaders in Today's Service:

The Rev. Harriet Bryan ~ Senior Pastor

The Rev. Neil Hough ~ Guest Pastor

The Rev. Dr. Tim Sharp ~ Pastoral Associate of the Arts

Lucretia Campbell ~ Congregational Care

Ashley Menard & Brayden Meeks ~ Technical Team

AJ Fish & Ty Zang ~ Acolytes

Andrew Knowles ~ Organist

Madison Street Choir

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CONGREGATIONAL CARE & CONCERNS

We value privacy, and we believe in prayer. If you would like to add a name to the prayer list, please email prayer@madisonstreetumc.org or call the church office.

Ronnie Albright	Kristin Armistead Helms	Johnny Peay
Rev. Charles Becher	Megan Hutcherson	Carol Pring
Shirley Blanck	Emilia Isaacs	Ivan Scholle
Desi Burdick	Allan Irby	Karen Scholle
Lucretia Campbell	Nancy Irby	Judy Smith
Aleeta Christian	Joe Johnson	Morgen Smith
Rita Collett	Jeff Johnston	Chris Towe
Janice Cook	Mary Kidd	Rev. Cliff Wright
Christina Creech	Joanne Kroll	Elaine Yarzab
Rev. Dr. LeNoir Culbertson	Ken Kroll	
Doris Davenport	Griffin Myers	Military Families
Silas Fritts	Polly Wallace Parker	Suicide Epidemic
Sherri Harvill	Chris Patton	

We extend Christian sympathy to John Eskew & family following the death of John's mother.

Today's Guest Preacher: Rev. Neil Hough is a retired elder in full connection in the Virginia Conference of The United Methodist Church. During more than three decades of ministry, he served congregations across Virginia, most recently Trinity United Methodist Church in Northern Virginia. Following his retirement, Neil and his wife, Rev. Anne Hough, relocated to Clarksville and are active participants in the life of Madison Street United Methodist Church.

This Week at
Madison Street

Sunday, June 14

8:45 a.m. – 11:15 a.m. Nursery/Childcare Available (2nd Floor Sanctuary Hall)
9:00 a.m. – 10:00 a.m. Sunday Morning Small Groups (Various Locations)
10:00 a.m. – 11:15 a.m. Beyond Limits (Rm. 215 – Sanctuary Hall)
10:15 a.m. – 11:15 a.m. Worship (Sanctuary & Streaming)
1:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m. Vision Team Meeting (Room 120 – Conference Room)

Monday, June 15

10:00 a.m. – 11:30 a.m. Adult Fellowship (Fellowship Hall)

Tuesday, June 16

5:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m. SPRC Meeting (Rm. 120 – Conference Room)

Wednesday, June 17

8:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m. Music Work Day (Choir Room)

Thursday, June 18

1:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m. Prayer Shawl (Library)
3:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m. Ability Avengers (Sarah Mann Building)
5:00 p.m. – 6:30 p.m. Finance Committee (Rm. 120 – Conference Room)

Friday, June 19

ALL DAY Juneteenth – Church Offices Closed

Sunday, June 21

ALL DAY Father's Day
8:45 a.m. – 11:15 a.m. Nursery/Childcare Available (2nd Floor Sanctuary Hall)
9:00 a.m. – 10:00 a.m. Sunday Morning Small Groups (Various Locations)
10:00 a.m. – 11:15 a.m. Beyond Limits (Rm. 215 – Sanctuary Hall)
10:15 a.m. – 11:15 a.m. Worship (Sanctuary & Streaming)

Adult Fellowship

Monday, June 15

10:00 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.

Investing in the New AI Environment

Presented By:

Robin Davis



Coffee & Donuts



JOIN OUR MISSION

**VOLUNTEERS
NEEDED!**



Volunteer Opportunities

Reading to Students

June 15-18

<https://ptnational.my.site.com/VolunteerSignUp/s/>

Volunteer CODE: MSUMC

Volunteers will read from 9:15-12:15 at ForestSt. UMC with students in the Project Transformation Summer Program. No experience required. You can volunteer one day or all week! 😊

Sponsoring Meals June 15-17

Our church will sponsor four meals this summer for the Project Transformation Interns.

<https://ptnational.my.site.com/VolunteerSignUp/s/>

Volunteer Code: MSUMC

Family Fun Night June 18th

A celebration of the Project Transformation families. Our church sponsors the meal and we invite you to volunteer for the celebration.

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C0B44FAE2CABFCC34-64041085-family>



Register here!



MUSIC WORK DAY

Wednesday, June 17
8:00 AM to 1:00 PM

Meet in the Choir Room

Help us fix up and clean our music
library and rehearsal areas.

No registration required.