

Madison Street

United Methodist Church

Service for the Lord's Day ~ May 3, 2026 ~ 10:15 a.m.

Fifth Sunday of Easter

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

“Arioso”
G.F. Handel

Jeffrey Thomas, Organist

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

Lucretia Campbell

Leader: The risen Christ calls us into life together—

People: A life shaped by teaching, fellowship, and prayer.

Leader: We are not gathered alone,

People: But as a people formed for one another.

Leader: We come to receive the gift of life,

People: And to share it with joy.

All: Let us worship the risen Christ.

The Introit

“God Gifted Me”

Cherub Choir

Joyce Brown

Melody Fish, Director

God gifted me with eyes to see. Thanks be to God.
God gifted me with ears to hear. Thanks be to God.
God gifted me with hands to help. Thanks be to God.
God gifted me with you to love. Thanks be to God.

+The Processional Hymn No. 158 “Come, Christians, Join to Sing”

SPANISH HYMN

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

**Generous God,
you gather us into a community of grace
and form us through shared life and service;
free us from isolation and self-sufficiency,
that we may receive with gratitude
and serve with joy,
through Jesus Christ, the Good Shepherd
who gives us abundant life. Amen.**

Act of Praise

“If You Search with All Your Heart”

Madison Street Choir

Craig Courtney

When you seek me, you shall find me if you search with all your heart.
For I know the plans I have for you: plans of welfare, not of evil.
For I know the plans I have for you: plans of hope and a future.
I will bring you out of bondage to the land I have prepared.
I will bring you out of bondage; I will bring you home to me.

PROCLAMATION AND RESPONSE

The New Testament Lesson

Acts 2:42-47

The Rev. Bo Myers

+The Gospel Lesson

Luke 10:1-10

Rev. Myers

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

*During the next hymn, 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
Pre-K–Kindergarten Topic: **Jesus is Alive** Grades 1–5: **Remain in Worship***

Senior Recognition

Rev. Bo Myers

Leader: God of truth and knowledge, by your wisdom we are taught the way and the truth.
Bless these graduates as they now finish their course of study and look forward to what
comes next.

**All: We thank you for those who taught and worked beside these graduates, and all
who have supported them along the way. Walk with them as they move forward in
life. Take away their anxiety and confusion of purpose. Strengthen their many talents
and skills, instill in them a confidence in the future you lead them into, where
energies may be gathered up and used for the good of all people; for the sake of Jesus
Christ. Amen.**

+Hymn No. 381

“Savior, Like a Shepherd Lead Us”

BRADBURY

The Sermon

“Power in Numbers”

The Rev. Mary Kate Myers

The Prayers of the People

Rev. Bryan

*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.*

Mission Moment

Madison Frank

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

“The Love of God”
arr. Mark Hayes

Jeffrey Thomas, Organist

+The Doxology No. 94

LASST UNS ERFREUEN

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

The Prayer of Great Thanksgiving

Revs. Bo & Mary Kate Myers

The Lord be with you

And also with you.

Lift up your hearts

We lift them up to the Lord.

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

It is right to give our thanks and praise.

The pastor gives thanks, remembering God's acts of salvation.

And so, with your people on earth and all the company of heaven

We praise your name and join their unending hymn.

Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and might.

Heaven and earth are full of your glory.

Hosanna in the highest.

Blessed is the one who comes in the name of the Lord.

Hosanna in the highest.

The prayer continues, and the institution of the Lord's Supper is recalled.

In union with Christ's offering for us, as we proclaim the mystery of faith.

Christ had died; Christ is risen; Christ will come again.

The pastor invokes the Holy Spirit and then praises the Trinity.

The people respond; Amen.

The Lord's Prayer No. 895

The Sharing of the Bread and Cup

Our ushers will direct you to come down the center aisle and return to your seat by the outer aisles.

Gluten free elements are available at the station in the center. Waste stations are located at the base of the columns.

If you would like to be served where you are seated, please let an usher know as they pass by.

Today's communion offering supports United Methodist Student Day. One of six churchwide Special Sundays designated to support ministries and causes important to the entire United Methodist Church. On this day, we come together to invest in the future of our church by supporting students' education and their journey of faith.

Education opens doors and creates opportunities for leadership, service, and faith development. By supporting United Methodist Student Day, we celebrate the power of learning and the important role education plays in developing faithful, thoughtful Christian leaders. This special Sunday reminds us that education is not only a personal achievement—it's a ministry we share together.

Music During Communion

"Claire de Lune"

Claire Debussy (1862-1918)

Dr. Bora Lee, Pianist

SENDING FORTH

Staff-Parish Relations Update

Vivian King, Chair

The Invitation to Christian Discipleship

Rev. Bryan

+The Hymn No. 89

“Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee”

HYMN TO JOY

+The Benediction

Rev. Mary Kate Myers

+The Postlude

“Love Divine, all Loves Excelling”
arr. Sam Ellson

Jeffrey Thomas, Organist

*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 in loving memory of Bradley N. Johnson by his wife, Lynda Johnson.

The flowers in the narthex are given to the glory of God by the family of Marion Gossett following her funeral this week.

To donate flowers in May, contact Charlsie Halliburton (931) 801-4063 or misscharlsie@yahoo.com.

Worship Leaders in Today's Service:

The Rev. Harriet Bryan ~ Senior Pastor

Jeffrey Thomas ~ Organist

The Rev. Bo Myers ~ Associate Pastor

Madison Street Choir

Lucretia Campbell ~ Congregational Care

Madison Frank ~ Choir Director & Mission Moment

Ashley Menard & Bruce Anderson ~ Technical Team

Cherub Choir

Theo Drake & Emmett Greenfield ~ Acolytes

Melody Fish ~ Cherub Choir Director

CCLI License Number 1364598 | Streaming: 20143986 | CVLI: 504362200 | ©2026 Madison Street United Methodist Church, Inc.

STAY CONNECTED

Stay informed about all our events through our Friday email “This Week at Madison Street.”

To subscribe, go to madisonstreetumc.org, scroll to the bottom of the page and fill out the form.

Follow us on Facebook; facebook.com/madisonstreetumc, on Instagram; instagram.com/madisonstreetumc/ and by email; info@madisonstreetumc.org.

To contact a staff member, please email firstname@madisonstreetumc.org
(ex. darlena@madisonstreetumc.org).



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.

Rev. Dr. LeNoir Culbertson

Alecta Christian

Carol Pring

Chris Patton

Chris Towe

Christina Creech

David Rose

Desi Burdick

Doris Davenport

Elaine Yarza

Emilia Isaacs

Griffin Myers

Ivan Scholle

Jake West & Family

Jeff Johnston

Johnny Peay

Judy Smith

Karen Scholle

Kay Martin

Ken Kroll

Kristin Armistead Helms

Lucretia Campbell

Mary Kidd

Morgen Smith

Polly Wallace Parker

Rev. Charles Becher

Rev. Cliff Wright

Rita Collett

Ronnie Albright

Silas Fritts

Sherri Harvill

Suicide Epidemic

Military Families

This Week at *Madison Street*

Sunday, May 3

8:45 a.m. – 11:15 a.m.	Nursery/Childcare Available (2 nd 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.	Visioning Team Meeting (Conference Room)
4:00 p.m. – 5:30 p.m.	UMYF (MSUMC)

Tuesday, May 5

10:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.	Altar Guild Meeting (Rm. 107)
-------------------------	-------------------------------

Wednesday, May 6

10:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.	Bible Study (Rm. 107)
1:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.	Bridge Club (CLC Activity Room)
5:30 p.m. – 5:55 p.m.	Midweek Meal (Fellowship Hall)
6:00 p.m. – 6:50 p.m.	Preschool Choir (2 nd Floor Classrooms)
6:00 p.m. – 6:50 p.m.	Younger Children's Choir (2 nd Floor Classrooms)
6:00 p.m. – 6:50 p.m.	Youth Choir (Youth Room)
7:00 p.m. – 8:30 p.m.	Madison Street Choir (Sanctuary)

Thursday, May 7

1:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.	Prayer Shawl Group (Library)
-----------------------	------------------------------

Sunday, May 10

All Day	Mother's Day
8:45 a.m. – 11:15 a.m.	Nursery/Childcare Available (2 nd 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)
4:00 p.m. – 5:30 p.m.	UMYF (Hilldale UMC)

Bible Study
Wednesdays @ 10 a.m.

The Apocrypha

Everyone Welcome!

Growing in faith, together.



Email Pastor Bo
bo@madisonstreetumc.org
for more information.

Adult Fellowship

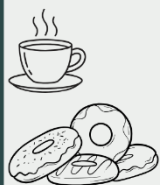
Monday, May 18
10:00 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.

Tips & Tricks for your
Phone & Tablet

Presented By:

CDE Lightband

Coffee & Donuts



Spring Celebration
Wednesday May 13
Dinner - 5:30 p.m.
Show - 6 p.m.

Welcomes Miss Patty Cake!



VBS 2026

GALAXY

Launching Kids on a Mission of God's Love

PREK - RISING 6TH GRADERS

SESSION DATES

FRIDAY, MAY 29:

6:00 P.M. - 8:00 P.M.

SATURDAY, MAY 30:

10:00 A.M. - 12:00 P.M.

SUNDAY, MAY 31:

9:00 A.M. - 11:30 A.M.



KIDS REGISTRATION



VOLUNTEER REGISTRATION

Senior Recognition



Kathryn Allison Crane is graduating from West Creek High School. In the fall, she will attend Austin Peay State University to study Elementary Education.

Sarah Eskew is graduating from Clarksville Academy. In the fall, she will attend the University of Memphis to study American Sign Language and Deaf Studies.