

## CALENDAR

**Sunday** 8:45am Early Worship(FH) 9:30am Breakfast(FH) 10am Sunday School 11am Worship (Sanctuary) 4:00pm Grief Share(Dean Knight)

**Mon-Thur.** 8:30am – 12 noon Preschool

**Mon. 13<sup>th</sup>** 1 pm United Women in Faith(FH) 6pm Book Club(FH)

**Tues. 14<sup>th</sup>** 6am Men cooking peanuts(Peanut kitchen)

**Wed. 15<sup>th</sup>** 6pm IGNITE Ban Practice 7pm Choir practice

**Thur. 16<sup>th</sup>**

**Fri. 17<sup>th</sup>**

**Sat. 18<sup>th</sup>**

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

**United Women in Faith** will meet tomorrow at 1pm in the fellowship hall. This will be our pledge to mission and the kickoff of our UMW reading program. All ladies of the church are welcome!

**The Book Club** will meet at 6pm tomorrow evening. All are welcome as we will be planning for the year.

**Our winter book study will be *Reckless Love*** by Bishop Tom Berlin. The study focuses on Jesus' call to love our neighbor as a way to more deeply love God. The study will begin on 1/22 and will end 2/26 (6 sessions). The Wednesday morning group will meet at 10:00 AM. The evening group will meet at 6:15 PM. Please call the church office to reserve your book. The books have already been ordered and you will be notified when they arrive. Book cost is \$15.

## PRAYER REQUESTS

Family of Al Osteen, Family of Matthew Knight, Greg Kerns, Terry Shelton, Donna Campbell, Pat Young, Gloria Mooring, Norma Mitchell, Rita Hamm, Annie Council, Myra Almon, Joe Malone, Anita Campbell, Freda Malone, Danny McCollum, Lewis Compton, Anthony Corriher, Kim Piper, Frances Byrum, Jenny Whitehurst, Maxine Gibson, Donna Vernon, Wilma Reynolds, Kenny Hawkins, David Payne, Tamara Morton, Cliff Lockhart, Virginia Mitchell, Jason White, Chris Richards, Jimmy Case, Pam Griffin Law, Tim Isley, James Wilkinson, Shirley Roberts **Homebound:** Tom Shelton, Beth Carver, Glenda Foulks, Ron Pompeo, Linda Tosto, Patty Goode, Bryan Fox, Paige Carlton, Chris Coltrane, Peggy McKee

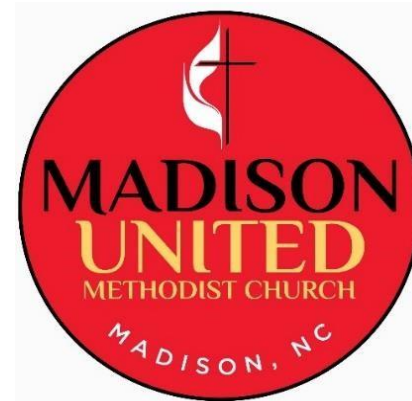
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Reach out to Serve**

## MUMC TEAM

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**Ministers** - The People

**BAPTISM OF OUR LORD**  
**11 AM SUNDAY JANUARY 12TH, 2025**

**GATHERING MUSIC**

**WELCOME**

**CALL TO WORSHIP**

When we pass through the cleansing waters of baptism and the troubled waters of our lives, God declares:

**I will be with you.**

When we go through the fires that refine us and the fires that threaten our livelihoods, God declares:

**I will be with you.**

Even when we travel to the far corners of the earth or down into the depths of our souls, God declares:

**I will be with you.**

So come, let us worship God whose love never fails, whose presence never leaves, whose mercies never end.

**Praise be to God who, in the form of Jesus, waded into the waters of baptism to prove God's solidarity with us! Amen.**

**HYMN** Praise to the Lord, the Almighty **UMH#139**

**PASTORAL PRAYER**

**THE LORD'S PRAYER**

**CHILDREN'S MOMENT**

**ANTHEM**

**SCRIPTURE** Isaiah 43:1-7, Luke 3:15-17, 21-22

**SERMON** Filled with Expectation **Rev. Alexis Coleman**

**REAFFIRMATION OF BAPTISM** see insert

**OFFERING** (To give online <http://www.mumcnc.com/giving.html>)

**DOXOLOGY** **UMH#94**

**RECOGNITION OF 2025 CHURCH LEADERSHIP** (to see a full list of leadership see the bulletin board outside of the church library or visit

<https://docs.google.com/document/d/1gLeE9pzQ1tenLNiuhKouBIyhdUXV6LngaoUlzUCKnc/edit?usp=sharing>

**WESLEY COVENANT PRAYER**

**I am no longer my own by yours. Put me to what you will, rank me with whom you will. Put me to doing, put me to suffering. Let me be employed for you or laid aside for you, exalted for you or brought low for you. Let me be full, let me be empty. Let me have all things, let me have nothing. I freely and wholeheartedly yield all things to your pleasure and disposal.**

**And now, glorious and blessed God, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, you are mine and I am yours. So be it. And the covenant now made on earth, let it be ratified in heaven. Amen.**

**HYMN** Spirit Song **UMH#347**

**MUSICAL BLESSING**

**PASTORAL BLESSING**

**POSTLUDE**

**NURSERY HELPER**

**COUNTERS** Joyce Wall & Sara Quate

**SPECIAL PERSON OF THE WEEK**

Janet Hennis; UNC Rockingham Nursing Center 205 E. Kings Hwy S Hall 103A Eden NC 27288. Remember the Special Person of the Week with a card or letter.

**STUDENT OF THE WEEK**

Anna Casto 111 Pickard Lane Chapel Hill NC 27514. Remember the Student of the Week with a card or letter this week.