

CALENDAR

Sunday 8:45am Early Worship(FH) 9:30am Breakfast(FH) 10am Sunday School 11am Worship (Sanctuary)

Mon-Thur. 8:30am – 12 noon Preschool

Mon. 17th 6pm UMM

Tues. 18th 6:30pm Prayer Shawl Group

Wed. 19th 12 noon Lenten Luncheon 6pm IGNITE Band
6:15pm Bible Study 7pm Choir practice

Thur. 20th 12 noon Solomon's Porch @ Mayflower 4pm
6:30pm Finance Committee

Fri. 21st

Sat. 22nd

ANNOUNCEMENTS

MUMC is having an Easter Egg hunt here on the church grounds on Sunday, April 13th at 5:00pm for our community! We will have a cookout, hunt eggs, games, and an inflatable! We need your help with donations of lots of candy and lots of plastic Easter eggs. They can be placed in the marked tote in the front office hallway. Thank you for joining in the fun!

Our annual Lemma Apple Luncheon Series continues each Wednesday at noon with lunch (\$5) to follow in the fellowship hall at 12:30pm. Speaker for this Wednesday. **March 19th**: Rev. Jan Brittain, retired. Plan to come and invite a friend.

The **Congregational Care Committee** is gathering goodies to prepare treat boxes for our 4 college students to enjoy before testing this spring. You can help us create a fun and helpful package for each of our students. Some suggestions for donations are nuts, granola bars, dried fruit, chips, popcorn, individual packages of tea, hot chocolate, pencils, highlighters, and self-care items, such as lip balm and socks etc. Donations for postage and other items are greatly appreciated also. We will begin collecting items on Monday, March 17. A collection box will be placed in the lobby entrance of the office building. Thank you for all your help in making the box contents yummy and fun. Please help us show our love and support for these hardworking students again this year.

There will be a combined gathering of the 3 churches on Thursday, March 20th of the Wine, Women & Wisdom at 3:30pm at Madison Cork Supply. Come and join us for great fellowship laughter.

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MUMC TEAM

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2ND SUNDAY IN LENT
11 AM SUNDAY MARCH 16TH , 2025

GATHERING MUSIC

WELCOME

CALL TO WORSHIP Pat Saunders

Children of God, when you are surrounded on every side by shadows that frighten and voices that deride and confuse, what do you say?

God is our light and our salvation! Whom shall we fear?

When threats bombard you from every corner, stealing the security and peace you long for, what do you say?

God is the stronghold of our lives! Of whom shall we be afraid?

When anxiety and loneliness overwhelm and you do not know who or what to trust any more, what do you say?

Wait for the Lord; be strong, and let your heart take courage; wait for the Lord!

Because God knows our suffering. God makes a home among us, welcoming us to come home to God and one another.

Come! Let us worship God who hides us in the day of trouble and conceals us together under the cover of the tent of Love.

HYMN All Creatures of Our God and King UMH#62

THE APOSTLES' CREED UMH#881

GLORY BE TO THE FATHER UMH#71

PASTORAL PRAYER

THE LORD'S PRAYER

RESPONSIVE READING Judy Fowler Psalm 27 UMH#758

CHILDREN'S MOMENT

ANTHEM Just Beyond the Manger see insert

SCRIPTURE Luke 13:31-35

SERMON Courageously Vulnerable Rev. Alexis Coleman

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

DOXOLOGY UMH#94

HYMN His Eye is on the Sparrow TFWS#2146

MUSICAL BLESSING

PASTORAL BLESSING

POSTLUDE

NURSERY HELPER Alexis Adkins

COUNTERS Bill Sentelle & Curtis Howe

SPECIAL PERSON OF THE WEEK

Bill Williamson(birthday3/23)1610 Lindsey Bridge Rd. Madison NC 27025. Remember the Special Person of the Week with a card

STUDENT OF THE WEEK

Nathan Sackfield 2751 Cates Ave. Bowen 601 E-1 Raleigh NC 27607. Remember the Student of the Week with a card or letter

PRAYER REQUESTS

Bryce Richardson, Gary (Tex) Carter, Lewis & Betty Compton, Brian McCandless, 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, 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