

CALENDAR

Sun. 8:45am Early Service 9:30am Breakfast 10am Sunday School
11am Worship Service

Mon-Thurs. 8:30am -12 noon Preschool

Mon. 4th F.H. reserved

Tues. 5th 9:30am Service League

Wed. 6th 6pm IGNITE 7pm Choir Practice

Thur. 7th

Fri. 8th

Sat. 9th

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Meals on Wheels volunteers! Thank you for your service to the senior populations in the western end of Rockingham County. It is at that time of year that the schedule that begins in July is being prepared. I hope that each of you will return as a volunteer and if there is anybody that would like to join our group, this is the time to do it! Contact me, Judy Fowler, at 336-613-3776 or let the church office know.

On Sunday, May 31st we will be recognizing and celebrating this year's High School and College Graduates. If you have a special graduate that you would like to recognize, please let the church office know.

MUMC has been asked to be a pilot church for Rockingham County's Partnership for Children (PFC) by collecting new and gently used books. The program is called Pantries and Pages. The Partnership will sort the books and distribute them through Hands of God to families with children 0-5 years old. The collection bins will be on-site May 4 through May 21. If you have new or gently used books for 0-5-year-olds that you are ready to send to a new home, please consider bringing them between May 4 and May 21.

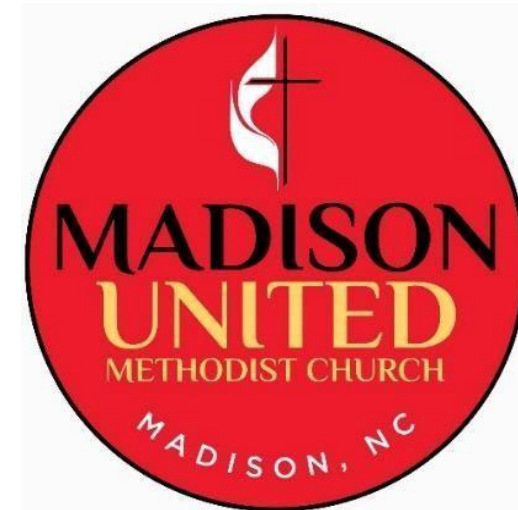
A new session of Grief Share will begin on Sunday, May 31st at 5:00 PM. Grief Share is self-,welcoming space to help everyone in the group share the difficult emotions of grief. It's for anyone experiencing the death of a loved-one, both recent and in the past. Everyone is invited to attend.

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**FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER
11AM SUNDAY MAY 3RD, 2026**

GATHERING MUSIC

WELCOME

PRESENTATION Jeneen Graves with Partnership for Children

CALL TO WORSHIP Ruth Williamson
Easter people, we gather today as people who spent the week inundated with news reports, social media posts, and reels that inundated us with information, worry, and stress.

Like the disciples on the road to Emmaus, we carry the weight of being overwhelmed and anxious, wondering who we can believe.

We gather as people who long for peace, for God to break through and bring us clarity and hope once again.

Like the disciples on the road to Emmaus, we don't always recognize when the Risen One comes alongside us, showing us the way where there seems to be no way.

We gather as people hoping to catch a glimmer of Resurrection, ready for our hearts to burn with the truth of the resurrected Christ.

Like the disciples on the road to Emmaus, we open our hearts to the possibility that God's Resurrection life is closer than we think
Easter people, God knows the burdens we carry, and God is faithful to meet us where we are with good news.

May the good news of the Resurrection astound us today as we come to worship God! Amen.

HYMN Come Share the Lord TFWS#2269

AFFIRMATION OF FAITH UMH#881

GLORY BE TO THE FATHER

PASTORAL PRAYER

CHILDREN'S MOMENT

ANTHEM Come to Me

SCRIPTURE Luke 24:13-35

SERMON Hearts on Fire Rev. Alexis Coleman

HYMN Here is Bread, Here is Wine TFWS# 2266

HOLY COMMUNION UMH#12
HYMN Let Us Break Bread Together UMH#618

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

DOXOLOGY

HYMN Now the Green Blade Riseth UMH#311

MUSICAL BLESSING

PASTORAL BLESSING

POSTLUDE

NURSERY HELPER

COUNTERS Tom Rogers & Grover Lowery

SPECIAL PERSON OF THE WEEK

Kim Piper (birthday 5-9) Stone Arbor Apt#3H 221 N. Franklin St. Madison NC 27025. Remember the Special Person with a card or letter this week.

PRAYER REQUESTS

Family of Glenda Foulks, Frances Byrum, Tim Isley, Lisa Roberts Dowell, Edith Bradshaw, Malone family, Campbell family, Council family, Gallimore family, Patti Crowder, Kevin Moore, Clay Warren, Amy Elizabeth Owens, Jimmy Hall, Jane Amos, Terry Shelton, Gloria Mooring, Norma Mitchell, Rita Hamm, Myra Almon, Danny McCollum, Anthony Corriher, Maxine Gibson, Wilma Reynolds, Kenny Hawkins, David Payne, Tamara Morton, Virginia Mitchell, Chris Richards, Jimmy Case, Pam Griffin Law, James Wilkinson, Shirley Roberts

Homebound: Jo Anne Yow, Evelyn Tsianicliides, Beth Carver, Lewis & Betty Compton, Ron Pompeo, Linda Tosto, Patti Goode, Paige Carlton, Chris Coltrane