



How can we pray for you?

NAME _____

PHONE _____

E-MAIL _____

GENERAL PRAYER REQUESTS

**CONFIDENTIAL REQUESTS
(ministers only)**

WELCOME TO MADISON CHRISTIAN CHURCH

WELCOME GUESTS

Thank you for being our guest today at Madison. We invite you to check in at the Welcome Center in the lobby. The folks there would love to meet you and answer any questions you have.

CHILDREN'S MINISTRY

We have full ministry programming for children from birth through 6th grade at every service. Please stop by the Welcome Center in the lobby if you have questions. We would love to get your kids involved.

AS A COURTESY

Please turn off all cell phones prior to the beginning of the service. Thank you.

COMMUNION

Communion is a time for Christians to remember Jesus Christ. We do this each week. If you are a believer in Christ, you are welcome to participate when the communion is passed.

BAPTISM

Today you may witness a baptism. This act pictures the death, burial and resurrection of Christ in the person being baptized. If you wish to discuss your own baptism, please contact a staff member at 614-491-3232.

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**MADISON
CHRISTIAN CHURCH**

**REACHING PEOPLE FOR CHRIST AND
HELPING BELIEVERS GROW TO
BE MORE LIKE HIM**



May 12, 2019

Communion Meditation: Wilson Muinamia

Grow Strong in Prayer

Mark 1:35-39

John Stott: Why is it that the thing I know will bring me the greatest pleasure; to be unhurried in the presence of God, is the hardest thing for me to do?

Reasons for failure to pray:

Persistent, willful sin

Unresolved conflict and disrupted relationships

Pride

Busyness

“Seven prayerless days make one weak.”

Oswald Chambers: “Many people have no margin of body, mind, or spirit; consequently they become spent out and crushed. The only responsibility you have is to keep in living constant touch with God, and that you allow nothing to hinder your cooperation with Him.”

Jesus established a healthy rhythm - healthy for us to see and emulate:

- Disengaged from people
- Fully engaged with God
- Re-engaged with people

STAY CLOSE TO JESUS.

GIVE HIM THE FIRST PART OF THE DAY.

Jesus faced criticism from those with other agendas.

UPCOMING EVENTS AT MADISON

Mother’s Day Pictures

Mother’s Day pictures will be taken today. The photographers will be starting at 8:30 a.m. Depending on the weather, the pictures will be taken inside or outside.

JOY Potluck

The JOY potluck is Thursday, May 16 @ 6 p.m. in the Fireside Room. We will be having another silent auction of Longaberger baskets to support Missions. Anyone 50 or older is welcome. Please bring a side dish and/or dessert.

Ladies’ Day Trip to Tegucigalpa, Honduras

Recruiting is under way for the ladies’ trip to Honduras, October 5-13, 2019.

Cost: \$2,050 per person, which includes airfare; luggage charges; food & lodging; transportation within the country and other expenses that relate to the mission.

\$1200 is due by June 15 for airline ticketing; **\$850 balance by August 30**. Payments should be made to **Madison Christian Church**. If you have questions, contact Connie Heiberger. The full program for the entire trip is posted on our church website.

Family Fishing Night

Our Family Fishing Night will be on Friday, May 24, 6:00-8:00 p.m. Hot dogs, chips and water will be provided. Worms for fishing will be provided, as well.

Children’s Ministry and Youth Ministry

The Children’s Ministry and Youth Ministry will continue to register children and students for Round Lake Camp and CIY Mix and Move. These are tremendous opportunities that are offered to our young people.

Food Pantry Needs

The following canned products are needed: 24 oz spaghetti sauce, chicken, Sloppy Joe sauce, beef stew and tuna, as well as Jiffy muffin mix, Jello / pudding, gravy mix, saltine crackers, and 30 oz. jelly.

Statistics

Sunday’s attendance: 551

Decisions for the year: 20



Thanks for joining us today

NAME _____

ADDRESS _____

PHONE _____

E-MAIL _____

I AM

- SINGLE SINGLE AGAIN
- MARRIED WIDOW/WIDOWER

I AM

- MEMBER
- FIRST TIME GUEST
- SEARCHING FOR A CHURCH
- INTERESTED IN MEMBERSHIP
- VISITING FAMILY/ FRIENDS

GUEST OF _____



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Next Sunday’s Message:
“Lean on the Holy Spirit”