

# MADISON FREE WILL BAPTIST CHURCH

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## May 10, 2026

*Welcome to Madison Church on this Mother's Day! We are glad you have joined us. We are here to worship the great God and Savior Jesus Christ, who died for our sins that we may have forgiveness, and who rose from the dead that we may have blessed lives here and eternal life hereafter!*

*If you are a guest, we are especially glad to have you. Make yourself at home! Our prayer is that you will sense the love of God and the love of God's people. If you have questions or concerns, please speak with any of us. After worship, we usually enjoy a meal together called a SALAD (Sunday Afternoon Lunch and Devotion) in our gymnasium downstairs. It is cancelled today so that we can celebrate Mother's Day with our families.*

### Upcoming Events

SALAD	Today	Cancelled
R & D Group	May 11, 6:00 PM	Mitchel and Bethany's
Wednesday Bible Study	May 13, 6:30 PM	Church
Daycare Dedication	May 17	Church

### Sunday School – 9:30 AM

### Children's Church – 10:45 AM

Children's Class (ages pre-K–1<sup>st</sup> grade)

Children's Class (6<sup>th</sup> grade–up) - By Copy Room

Adult I - Room 216      Adult II - Room 214

Ladies' Class - Conference Room

Children's Class (2<sup>d</sup>–5<sup>th</sup> grade) - Room 212

### Madison Catechism

#### CAN A SAVED PERSON EVER RETURN TO A STATE OF NOT BEING A CHRISTIAN?

Yes. Though a believer enjoys the keeping power of God (John 10:28), he can stray into sin and harden his heart against God's convicting power to the point that he could abandon his faith in Jesus. Such a person is lost forever and without hope (Hebrews 6:4–6).

#### Sundays

Sunday School	9:30 AM
Morning Worship	10:30 AM
Sunday Afternoon	Lunch Noon

#### Wednesdays

Adults	6:30 PM
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Children	6:30 PM

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**Our SALAD (Sunday Afternoon Lunch and Devotion)** today is **cancelled because it is Mother's Day**. The church will provide the food for SALAD next Sunday, May 17 (see below). If you plan to stay for SALAD on that day, please notify Beth Rogers at 256-508-6482 or bethbrogers@gmail.com

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The **Reading and Discussion Group (R & D Group)** will meet **tomorrow night, May 11, at 6:00, at Mitchell and Bethany's new home** (15375 Bees Street, Harvest, AL, 35749). **We are discussing Randy Alcorn's book *Heaven***. The church will provide all participants with a free copy. We usually gather at 6:00, eat together (BYOF), and then plunge into our discussion around 6:30. We finish up around 7:30. All are invited. If you are interested in being a part of this group, let Mitchell Moody (919-724-0070) know.

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**Next Sunday, May 17, we are planning a special Daycare Service to dedicate this ministry** and thank God for all the hard work put into renovating the facility. We have invited all the daycare staff and each child and his or her family. Following the service, we will all enjoy a wonderful meal in the gym and a tour of the facility. Please be ready to help out as needed on this special day. We are expecting perhaps two hundred people to be in attendance. In connection with that, those whose health will allow it, please park down the hill toward the back of the parking lot. Thanks for your cooperation.

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**Summer camp is just around the corner.** Four weeks for varying ages are scheduled for **Trinity Camp in Guin, Alabama**. The cost for the entire Monday through Friday experience is \$150. See the brochure on the church bulletin board or the Trinity Camp website ([www.trinityfwbcamp.org](http://www.trinityfwbcamp.org)) for details. Here's the schedule:

June 8–12: Junior Camp 1 (ages 8–12)

June 15–19: Junior Camp 2 (ages 8–12)

June 22–26: Teen Camp 1 (ages 12–18)

July 6–10: Teen Camp 2 (ages 12–18)

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**The Alabama State Meeting concluded May 2 in Birmingham, Alabama.** We enjoyed good preaching, fine singing, and uplifting fellowship. We also conducted important business and wrapped up with children's competition on Saturday morning. Seth Ford and Ryne Puckett did great! Both received medals! We are proud of these two young people!

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On **Sunday, May 31, Shane and Megan Brown**, appointees to France to work in the Hanna Project, **will be with us**. As a teen, Shane participated in ETEAM and then studied missions at Welch College in Tennessee. There he met Megan, who graduated from Welch. They were married in 2009. Please plan to attend this special day.

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**The National Association of Free Will Baptists will meet this year in Columbus, Ohio, July 19–22.** That's a Sunday through Wednesday night. Thousands of Free Will Baptists will converge on that city for a variety of meetings, services, competition, and fellowship. If you are interested in attending, speak with Pastor Paul, and he will provide more details.

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**Sunday School Refreshments—Rodney's class is providing refreshments for May.**

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**Don't forget your mailbox!** Your personal church mailbox is in the front office (Room 203), and we frequently put church announcements, cards, and other items in these boxes.