

MADISON FREE WILL BAPTIST CHURCH

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Welcome to Madison Church! 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. All are invited.

Upcoming Events

SALAD	Today	Gym
R & D Group	Cancelled	Mitchell and Bethany's house
National Association Meetings	July 19–22	Columbus, OH
Wednesday Bible Study	July 22, 6:30 PM	Church

Sunday School – 9:30 AM

Children's Class (ages pre-K–1st grade)

Children's Class (6th grade–up) - By Copy Room

Adult I - Room 216 Adult II - Room 214

Ladies' Class - Conference Room

Children's Class (2^d–5th grade) - Room 212

Children's Church – 10:45 AM

Madison Catechism

WHAT HAPPENS TO A PERSON'S BODY WHEN HE DIES?

At death the body is left on earth. When Jesus returns, the bodies of the dead will be resurrected and reunited with their spirits (John 5:28–29).

Sundays

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

Wednesdays

Adults	6:30 PM
Youth	6:30 PM
Children	6:30 PM

Our SALAD (Sunday Afternoon Lunch and Devotion) today will **be held in the gym**. The menu is sandwiches and salads. Feel free to bring your favorite sandwiches, salads, sides, desserts, and drinks.

We extend our sincere **condolences to the Michael family**. Ken Michael's brother, Morris "Moose" Michael, passed away this past week. Please pray for Ken, Carolyn, and the Michael family as they mourn this loss.

Please mark your calendars for **Sunday, October 18**. That will be our **Homecoming** celebration!

The **Reading and Discussion Group (R & D Group)** will not meet **tomorrow night, July 20, because of the National Association of Free Will Baptists meeting. We are nearing the end of Randy Alcorn's Heaven**. We will soon select a new book. 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.

On August 1, 2026, **Matthew Puckett is scheduled to graduate from the University of Alabama with a Ph.D.** in Educational Leadership. The title of his dissertation is "Impact of High Stakes Testing in High Poverty, High Minority Socioeconomic Setting." Congratulations, soon-to-be Dr. Puckett!!!

Pastor Paul will soon be starting another round of his **Introduction to the Church class** that meets in his office during Sunday school each week. The class usually meets each week for around three months. If you are interested in signing up for this class, please let him know.

"VBS was a great success! We had **over fifty kids attending daily**. Thank you, church family, for being quick to help whether by collecting and donating supplies, decorating, volunteering, or praying. You jumped on the opportunity and have been so encouraging and supportive. Within our church there are also a few people that we'd especially like to thank. While many helped with decorating, the Wilson family and Ford boys had great creative input and big ideas for the decorations in the gym. Beth Rogers did an amazing job coordinating and making snacks. Our very own Pastor Paul taught Bible lessons to the kids. Rick Williams, Bethany Moody, and Mary Yerby all helped teach and supervise kids. Thank you also to the families of the VBS workers. VBS can be very draining and they have been super understanding and helpful over the past week. We couldn't have done this without our church family. Thank you!"—Michelle, Abigail, Emma, and Clara Morgan

The National Association of Free Will Baptists will meet this year in Columbus, Ohio, July 19–22. Thousands of Free Will Baptists will converge on that city for a variety of meetings, services, competition, and fellowship. Our own Ryne Puckett will be competing in Bible Memorization and in piano. Rodney Yerby will again serve as Convention Photographer. Please pray that God will bless in all the various aspects of the Convention.

Sunday School Refreshments—Michelle's class is providing refreshments for July.

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.