

Established 1987

MADISON FREE WILL BAPTIST CHURCH

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Welcome to Madison Church! We are glad you have joined us on this Lord's Day. We are here today to worship the great God and Savior Jesus Christ, who died for our sins that we may have forgiveness and 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 for today is that you will sense the love of God and the love of God's people. If the Lord especially speaks to you, please seek out our pastor or any of our people. We will be glad to pray with you.

Upcoming Events

Patrick McDaniel, Missionary France	Today	NO Live Streaming
North American Ministries Offering	Today	
Thanksgiving Bowl Service	Today (after morning service)	Paul and Diane's Home
NO Midweek Service	November 24	Due to Thanksgiving
Communion & Benevolent Offering	November 28	Morning Service
Senior Saints' Christmas Party	December 3, 6:00 pm	Mike and Beth's Home
Toy Run	December 4	Children's Home Eldridge, AL
WAC Christmas Party	December 13, 6:30 pm	Mary Yerby's Home
Choir Christmas Party	December 17, 6:30 pm	Rodney & Mary's Home

Sunday School—9:30 am

Children's Class (ages 3–10) - Upstairs
Adult I - Room 214
Adult II - Room 216

Children's Church—10:45 am

Children (ages 3–10) - Room 212

Madison Catechism

WHAT DOES THE FOURTH COMMANDMENT MEAN?

The fourth commandment instructs us to keep one day in seven as a special day of worship, set apart from the other six days. In the Christian era this day is Sunday in celebration of Jesus' resurrection on that day.

Sundays

Sunday School 9:30 am
Morning Worship 10:30 am
Evening Worship 5:00 pm

Wednesdays

Adults 6:30 pm
Youth 6:30 pm
Children 6:30 pm

Today, is our annual **North American Ministries offering and bowl service**. Our church exists as a direct result of the ministry of this denominational organization. You will have a **chance to give to the North American Ministries offering in our morning service or at our annual bowl service this afternoon** at the home of **Paul and Diane Harrison** (120 Pearle Cove Drive, Huntsville, 35806). **Thank you for giving** to this important work. At our bowl service, we will sing, share thoughts of gratitude, and enjoy a meal together. **Please bring anything that will fit in a bowl** (soups, salads, chili, desserts, etc.). If you would like to **participate in the cook-off**, just **let Diane know** and she will add your name to the list of participants. **We will be giving away prizes for 1st, 2d, and 3d places**. Secret ballots will be available. **Drinks will be provided**.

The **Toy Run benefit** for The Alabama Children's Home is **December 4**. If you would like to **donate baked goods** (cookies, bars, cake, etc.), please **wrap each individually**, and bring them to **Carolyn Michaels' home** (100 Spencer Green, Madison, 35758) **by December 3**. If you need her to pick them up, just let her know. If you have any questions, see Carolyn Michael.

Our **book study will meet tomorrow night at 6:00 pm** at the home of **Paul and Diane** (120 Pearle Cove Drive, Huntsville, 35806). Come and enjoy the meal, friends, and fellowship! We are discussing ***Miracles* by C. S. Lewis**. **Please email Pastor Paul** (paulvh57@gmail.com) **if you are interested** in participating, and he can order you a book. Also, **if you are already signed up and you cannot come**, please let Paul know as soon as possible. Thank you!

For those who would like to write Jenifer Frantz, her address is: **99 Calhoun Drive Anniston, AL 36201**. She would love to hear from you.

Last Sunday's "**Bonfire out Back**" was a **smashing success!** We all enjoyed the fire, the food, the fellowship. **Special thanks go to Sarah DeWitt** for the idea itself and for coordinating the event. **Thanks also to Terry Hamm** for helping with the fire, etc., and **thanks also to Ken Michael and Ray Ragsdale** for helping with the grilling. Various others also chipped in, so **thanks to all**.

Our church **collected 44 boxes** for Samaritan's Purse's **Operation Christmas Child**. **Thanks** to all who participated in this ministry. We give because we love and we love because of Christ.

There will be **no midweek service this week** because of Thanksgiving. Our midweek Bible study will resume December 1.

Bulletin Announcements - **If you have an announcement** that you need to put in the bulletin, please **email Diane Harrison** at **dh5657@gmail.com** **by Thursday at noon**. Thank you.

Sunday School Refreshment - **David's class** is providing refreshments for **November**.