



St. Mary's Messenger



ST. MARY'S
Episcopal Church

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A Monthly Insight into St. Mary's Episcopal Church of Madison, FL

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*Jesus Christ the same yesterday, and
today and forever.*
Hebrew 13:8

REVEREND
Joe Boyles

SR. WARDEN

JR. WARDEN

**CHURCH
SECRETARY &
BOOKKEEPER**
Liz King

ORGANIST
Helen McCain

VESTRY
Dot Bacot
BJ Curtis
Brenda Newman
Kaye Ersch
Julie Pries

**DEACON IN
TRAINING**
Joanie Cruce

*We are looking for
photographs, please
send to:
liz@stmarysofmadison.org*

Due date: 23rd of month

Mission Board

On February 13, 2022 our congregation met for our annual meeting. During this meeting, our congregation voted for board member replacements.

Thank you!

Thank you to Melva Morfaw and Hart Cherp for your service the last two years.

Welcome!

New board members include our previous church secretary, Kaye Ersch; and Julie Pries.

Online Giving

St. Mary's now offers online giving for those that are unable to attend church services. Check it out on our website at:

<https://stmarysofmadison.org/giving>

**Online
Giving+**
NOW AVAILABLE

Zoom Zoom

Did you know we Zoom our church service every week?

If you can't make it, and want to watch it online just go to this link and you can see service every Sunday at 10am.

If you haven't ever zoomed, go to www.zoom.us and sign up, its FREE.

- 1) Sign in
- 2) Click on join a meeting
- 3) Type 3123393282
- 4) Click join meeting.
- 5) Launch meeting





March Birthday's & Anniversaries

CHOIR

If you would like to sing with the choir, they practice at 930a on Sunday morning before our 10a service

1st Sunday Brunch

March 6 we will have 1st Sunday brunch as a pancake supper to celebrate Shrove Tuesday.

ECW

Next meeting is March 20, 2022.

DOK

Next meeting is March 27, 2022.

SHEPHERDS HAND'S

Nexxt clinic at First Baptist Church is March 22 from 530-730pm.

The next clinic for Greenville United Methodist will be March 24 from 530-730p.

WEDNESDAY

530-630pm Bobbi Breo is leading "quiet" time, a time of spending with God in the sanctus



4	Kimberly Boyles-Naehring
	Steve Ersch
11	Cole Pfeil
19	Dot Bacot
24	Jeannette Norelius



10	John & Joanna Booth
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Annual Congregational Meeting February 13, 2022

1. ECW reported financial records. 2022 outreach needs to be the same as previous year to maintain what they have.
2. 2022 budget reviewed and approved
3. Pledge reported include in number of pledges and amounts since 2020.
4. Operation Christmas Child reported SMEC sent 17 boxes, the mission board paid for the shipping cost.



5. Diaconate training discussed there are currently 5 in training of which 2 are sponsored by SMEC. Joanie Cruce has been approved and enrolled in Diaconate training and moving forward she will preach the last Sundays of each month.
6. Music program continues to add hymns, thanks to Helen, Julie and Jean.
7. DOK meets September-June annually. In 2021 they paid for "door knockers" that are put out through-out the year to help bring new members.
8. Prayer shawl ministry has 4 ladies that knit, Joanna, Sally, Brenda and BJ. Shawls are available to those that are in need, please add to prayer shawl list.
9. Camp Weed, three campers were sent in 2021 for summer camp. Campers do not have to be members, grandchildren are welcome and financial assistance is available.
10. Consolidated Christian Ministries & Madison Ministerial Association
11. Altar Guild has 9 members
12. Memorial garden is growing, and the sitting area was revamped in 2021
13. Zoom broadcast has 121 visitors, average 2 per week. We will continue to zoom service.
14. Vicar reported 867 total Sunday attendance with 720 communions. There was 1 funeral and no confirmations, baptisms or marriages. SMEC had a Memorial Dedication on Oct 3 and a bagpipe concert in December. New initiatives include St. Mary's trust, Bishop's goal to send clergy to Holy Land; moved SMEC Shepherd's Hand to FBC; led National Prayer day; new BCP in pews.