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Welcome to Church
If you are a visitor to our service this morning, please provide your name and address so we can acknowledge your visit by sending you a welcome note.

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And what does the Lord require of you?
To act justly and to love mercy and to walk humbly with your God.

Micah 6:8

“Teacher, which is the great commandment in the Law?”
“And He said to him, ‘You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart,
And with all your soul, and with all your mind.’
This is the great and foremost commandment.

The second is like it,
‘You shall love your neighbor as yourself.’
On these commandments depend
The whole Law and the Prophets.”

THE GREAT COMMANDMENT
Matthew 22:36-40

And Jesus came up and spoke to them, saying,
“All authority has been given to Me in heaven and on earth.
Go, therefore and make disciples of all the nations, baptizing them
In the name of the Father and the Son, and the Holy Spirit,
Teaching them to observe all that I commanded you;

And lo, I am with you always, even to
The end of the age.”

THE GREAT COMMISSION
Matthew 28:18-20

You can use the tear off on the edge of the bulletin and drop it in the offering box or the box in the foyer. Alternatively, you can click [here](#) or use the contacts below if you would like to:

- Acknowledge your visit with us (physical or virtual) OR
- Contact us with prayer requests, questions, concerns, needs OR
- Request visitation prayer at your specific location (in your home, at the hospital, or nursing facility, etc.)

Have a Question?

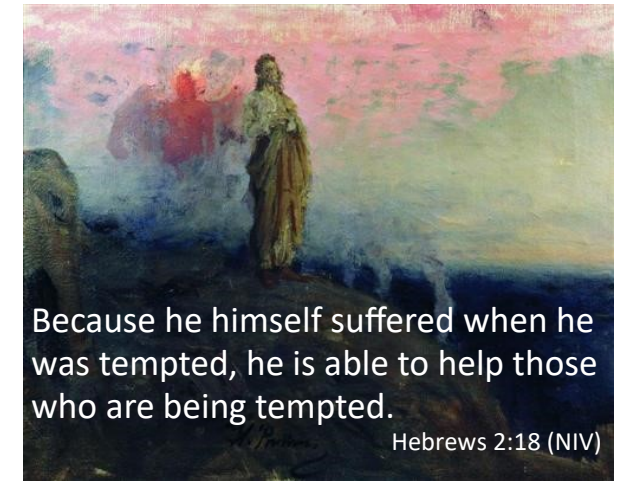
Contact Us!

contactmelcc@gmail.com

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Connect with us on the Church Center App!



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September 17, 2023

MELBOURNE COMMUNITY C H U R C H

REFLECTING CHRIST'S LOVE

Sunday Service beginning at **9:30 AM**

3030 West New Haven Avenue

Metro West Center

West Melbourne, Florida 32904-3566

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YouTube live stream/recording QR code:



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ORDER OF SUNDAY SERVICE

Special video opens the service

Old Testament Reading: [Isaiah 8:11-18](#)

Worship

Offering

Announcements of upcoming events

Pastoral prayer for the children before Sunday School classes.

The Nursery is available for infants & toddlers at any time.

New Testament Reading: [Colossians 2:13-15](#)

“Jesus Our Champion,” [Hebrews 2:10-18](#),
by Brandon Harris, Teaching Pastor

The Lord’s Supper is offered, along with prayer ministry
while worship continues.

Benediction & Closing Prayer

This Sunday Morning:

Children’s Church: Pre-school—1st grade class and 2nd—6th grade class.

09/30 Saturday:

MCC Baptism and Beach Day, 10:00 AM—2:00 PM at [Spessard Holland South Beach Park, Pavilion 2, 2525 S Hwy A1A, Melbourne Beach, FL 32951](#).

EVENTS THIS WEEK

09/17 This Sunday:

Young Adult Small Group, will **not** be meeting this week. See you next Sunday at **6:00 PM—7:30 PM**, when we will start a new study at Nathan and Heather Eley’s home.

09/19 Tuesday:

Memoirs Group is starting up at the church at **5:00 PM**. Text Barbara Murgatroyd, [\(321\) 355-9705](#), for more information.

Girls' Night Out, at **6:15 PM** at a new location, [Beef O Brady's at 3030 Lake Washington Road, Melbourne 32934](#).

09/20 Wednesday Evening:

Youth Group at **6:00 PM—7:30 PM** with pizza, fellowship, games and Bible study in the book of James.

Adult Discussion Group will meet at **6:30 PM** at MCC. Adult Study will also be broadcast on-line by Zoom. Contact Brandon Harris for a digital invitation.

09/21 Thursday:

Bible Art Journaling Group from **10:30 AM—12:30 PM** also from **2:30 PM—4:00 PM** in the MCC sanctuary. Text Barbara Murgatroyd [\(321\) 355-9705](#).

Women’s Prayer Group, meeting at **1:30 PM—3:30 PM**, For weekly meeting location, please contact the lead, Laurie Wilson [\(321\) 961-3658](#).

Intermediate Guitar Lessons, at **6:00 PM**.

09/23 Saturday :

Ladies’ Morning Prayer Group at **8:00 AM** on Zoom. See Cindy Coleman.

UPCOMING EVENTS

09/24 Next Sunday:

Sunday Service at **9:30 AM**. Brandon Harris, Teaching Pastor, will continue the new series on Hebrews. In preparation, read [Hebrews 2](#).

09/29 Friday Evening:

Post Abortion Healing group will meet at MCC **6:00 PM-8:00 PM**. This 8 week, interactive Bible study will help women find healing from the heartache of abortion. Contact Yumiko Kitazono [\(540\) 533-0726](#). Sign up is confidential.

Date 09/17/2023 I have a Prayer Request Questions Need



Prayer Requests or Questions for the Pastoral Team?

If you have questions or a prayer request, write in the space below and place in the offering basket or the box in the foyer.

(Optional) Name _____ Phone _____
eMail _____

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Sermon Notes

Last Week: Week: “The Son’s Solidarity with Humanity,” [Hebrews 2:5-9](#), by Brandon Harris, Teaching Pastor

Old Testament Reading: [Psalm 8](#); New Testament Reading: [Romans 5:12-17](#)

Jesus fulfills God’s true design for humanity and renews our partnership with God as co-rulers under God.

Have you become convinced of Jesus’ solidarity with you?

This Week: “Jesus Our Champion,” [Hebrews 2:10-18](#), by Brandon Harris, Teaching Pastor

Old Testament Reading: [Isaiah 8:11-18](#); New Testament Reading: [Colossians 2:13-15](#)

- [Jesus’ Superiority to Angels](#) — [Hebrews 1:5-14](#)
 - ◊ [Warning Against Drift](#) — [Hebrews 2:1-4](#)
- [Jesus’ Solidarity with Humanity](#) — [Hebrews 2:5-9](#)
- [Jesus as Champion of Humanity](#) — [Hebrews 2:10-18](#)

‘Hellenized’ Jews (Jews, now steeped in Greek culture) would recognize “for whom and through whom everything exists” as referring to whom?

In English, the word ‘pioneer’ is translated from the Greek word ‘[archegos](#).’ What kind of person was the author of Hebrews trying to describe to the original readers?

What was God’s goal and purpose for sending Jesus to earth, and specifically, as a human?

The heroes and ‘gods’ of Greece were self-glory seeking. How did Jesus live and die that was different from those Greek heroes of old? Whose glory did he seek and obtain?

How has Jesus made us part of His family?

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Who are Jesus’ brothers and sisters? ([Matthew 12:49](#))

The author of Hebrews bring to remembrance what God had spoken through the prophets concerning Jesus’ kinship with humanity, those God has given to Him. ([Psalm 22:22](#); [Isaiah 8:17-18](#))

Why is it important to us that Jesus became incarnate, i.e., in the flesh?

Why did Jesus share in death as is the fate of all of humanity?

Who had the power of death and what effect does it have over humanity? ([1 John 3:8b](#); [2 Timothy 1:10b](#); [1 Corinthians 15:54b-57](#))

Jesus did not come to earth to redeem angels, but who? ([Isaiah 41:8-10](#))

How do we as Gentiles become children of Abraham? ([Galatians 3:7-9](#))

In what ways was Jesus human, in some ways or in all ways?

In what position did Jesus also serve that will allow us to approach God? ([1 Samuel 2:35](#))

Additional Notes

Internet Resources: [The Bible Project Video: Hebrews](#); [Download Hebrews Overview Poster](#)