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Welcome to Church

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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

[321-754-7566](tel:321-754-7566)

How can you get involved?

Connect with us on the Church Center App!



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November 5, 2023

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REFLECTING CHRIST'S LOVE

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

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ORDER OF SUNDAY SERVICE

Special video opens the service

Old Testament Reading: [Genesis 50:15-21](#)

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: [1 Corinthians 12:12-26](#)

“What Really Matters,” [Philemon](#),
by Davis Hemenway

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

Benediction & Closing Prayer



We are collecting items for the packing of shoeboxes for Operation Christmas Child. Pickup a flyer with recommended and prohibited items in the foyer. November 12 will be the final day for collections.

This Sunday Morning:

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

EVENTS THIS WEEK

11/05 This Sunday:

Young Adult Small Group, at **6:00 PM—7:30 PM**, at Nathan and Heather Eley’s home.

11/07 Tuesday:

Mommy and Me—Circle Time, **10:00 AM** at MCC.

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

The Chosen women’s group will start at **6:15 PM** at the church.

11/08 Wednesday Evening:

Under the Cross (UTX) ages 4—6th grade **6:00 PM—7:30 PM**.

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. Nursery available 6:00 PM—7:30 PM.

11/09 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**.

11/11 Saturday :

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

UPCOMING EVENTS

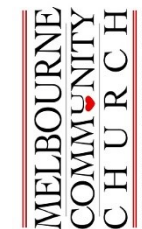
11/12 Next Sunday:

Sunday Service at **9:30 AM**. Brandon Harris, Teaching Pastor, will continue the series in [Hebrews chapter 8](#).

11/18 Saturday:

21st Anniversary Church Picnic at Max K. Rodes Park Pavilion, West Melbourne, FL.

Date 11/05/2023 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 _____

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Sermon Notes

Last Week: “God’s Perfect Priest to Perfect God’s People,” [Hebrews 7](#),

by Brandon Harris, Teaching Pastor

Old Testament Reading: [Psalm 110](#) ; New Testament Reading: [Romans 8:31-39](#)

- Jesus fulfilled the law of Moses, became the perfect sacrifice, ascended into heaven, and is the guarantor of a greater covenant. ([Hebrews 7:22-23](#))
- Jesus’ perfection as the perfect Priest assures our salvation is perfect.

This Week: “What Really Matters,” [Philemon](#), by Davis Hemenway

Old Testament Reading: [Genesis 50:15-21](#) ; New Testament Reading: [1 Corinthians 12:12-26](#)

Tools for reading the epistles (letters):

- Read it in one sitting
- Remember that it’s someone else’s mail
- Look for the occasion.

Broad overview of Philemon:

- Praise of Philemon, [vv. 1-7](#)
- Plea of Paul, [vv. 8-16](#)
- Pledge of Paul, [vv. 17-25](#).

What is Paul’s story?

- Who was he before belief in Jesus as Messiah?
- How was Paul called to the ministry?
- Where did Paul go as an ambassador for Jesus?

For what did Paul praise Philemon? ([Philemon 4-5](#))

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Ask yourself, “How am I encouraging growth in the body of Christ?” ([Ephesians 4:1-6](#))

Paul uses the term *partnership* (Greek: [koinonia](#)) in [verse 6](#) to describe the relationship Philemon and Paul have. Why might he have used this term?

For whom does Paul make a plea? What was his name?

What is the meaning of his name? What was the station of this man before?

What is his relationship with Paul at the time of the letter?

What is Paul asking Philemon to do for this man? ([Matthew 18:21](#); [Romans 5:8-11](#))

In what way did Paul want Philemon to consider this man going forward? ([2 Corinthians 5:19](#))

How confident is Paul that Philemon will do for Paul, and for Onesimus, what is asked? Why? ([Colossians 3:11](#))

Does Paul expect to return to Philemon and the local church?

Who else does Paul mention in his letter and why?

What have we learned?

- Regardless of who we were before, all believers are part of one body
- When life gives you lemons, ask God for wisdom
- We forgive because we have been forgiven.

Additional Notes:

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