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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.

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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March 31, 2024
Resurrection Sunday

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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www.melbournecommunitychurch.org

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ORDER OF SUNDAY SERVICE

Special video opens the service

1st Bible Reading:

[Luke 24:1-12](#)

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.

2nd Bible Reading:

[John 20:19-20](#)

“The Essential Resurrection,”

[1 Corinthians 15:1-8, 12-23, 50-58](#),

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.

EVENTS THIS WEEK

03/31 This Sunday:

Young Adult Small Group, will not be meeting this Easter Sunday.

04/02 Tuesday:

Memoirs Group at **4:00 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.

04/03 Wednesday:

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

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.

04/04 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 leader, Laurie Wilson [\(321\) 961-3658](#).

04/06 Saturday:

Ladies Morning Prayer, **8:00—9:00 AM** on Zoom. Contact Cindy Coleman.

UPCOMING EVENTS

04/07 Sunday:

Morning Service at **9:30 AM**, regular scheduled service.



Date 03/31/2024 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

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by Brandon Harris, Teaching Pastor

1st Bible Reading: [Luke 24:1-12](#); 2nd Bible Reading: [John 20:19-20](#)

- **Gospel = Good News**

- ◇ The Good News is what we receive (not invent), stand upon, and are saved so long as we continue to hold onto it with all our hearts. ([Romans 1:16a](#))
- ◇ The message is a historical claim—these things happened in real time and space.
- ◇ The resurrection was not a private event, nor was it a spiritual event. Jesus Christ bodily returned to life—a new life—and appeared to eye witnesses: the twelve apostles and 500 people at one time.

- **Christ’s resurrection** is essential to the *gospel*.

- ◇ Christ died for our sins.
- ◇ Christ’s message that through him we can have peace with God.
- ◇ Without the hope of the resurrection our Christian faith is useless and empty of any power.

- **Christ’s resurrection** is essential to the *faith*

- ◇ If Jesus did not rise from the dead, then the writer, Paul, the twelve apostles, and the 500 witnesses, including the skeptic James were all liars.
- ◇ If the resurrection of Christ is removed then the power to bring forgiveness of sin(s), peace with God, and inner transformation, its all a sham.
- ◇ “If the dead are not raised, ‘Let us eat and drink today, for tomorrow we die.’” ([v. 32b](#))

- **Christ’s resurrection** is essential to *ours*.

- **Christ’s resurrection** is essential to *hope*.

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Additional Notes

Internet Resources: [The Resurrection of Jesus: Luke 24](#);
[The Bible Project Video: 1 Corinthians](#); [Download 1 Corinthians Overview Poster](#)