

Date 08/29/2021 Name _____

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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.

City _____

State _____

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Home Phone _____

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Visitation prayer at your specific location (in your home, at the hospital, or nursing facility, etc.) is available on request. All prayer requests are considered confidential, shared only between the prayer team members, unless requested otherwise.

Contact an MCC member, Prayer Team Coordinator, Rick Louché, Jr., or Pastor Curt Deming.

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



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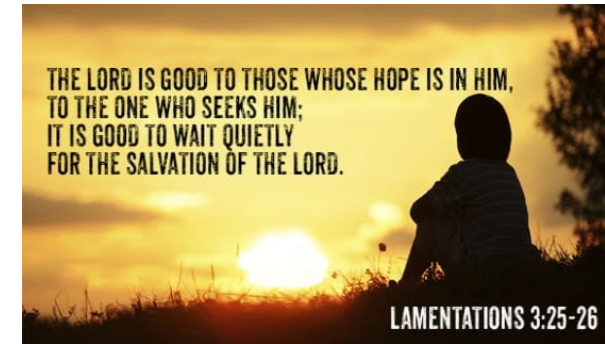
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August 29, 2021

MELBOURNE COMMUNITY CHURCH

REFLECTING CHRIST'S LOVE

Sunday Service beginning at **9:00 AM**

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New update to the COVID-19 (Delta variant) policy:

Masks are required for all meetings in the church.

YouTube live stream/recording QR code:



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ORDER OF SUNDAY SERVICE

Special video opens the service

Old Testament Reading,
[Lamentations 3:18-33](#)

Worship

Offering

Announcements of upcoming events

Pastoral prayer for the children before Sunday School classes.
The Nursery is available for infants at any time.

New Testament Reading, [Colossians 1:15-23](#)

“The Lord is My Portion”, [Lamentations 1-5](#)
by Jared Smith, Associate Pastor

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

Benediction & Closing Prayer

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We will begin two services on Sunday, **September 12**, at **9:00 AM** and a new time **10:45 AM**.

Both *Strunas* are back in position in Honduras, and they will be working at two different places. We intend to send another check for their second motorcycle around Labor Day. If you would like to contribute toward their motorcycle, August is the time to act. Please designate your offering for Honduras - *motorcycle*.

EVENTS THIS WEEK

08/29: Sunday Morning:

Children’s Church:

Pre-school—1st grade following appropriate COVID-19 precautions.

2nd—6th grade class both following appropriate COVID-19 precautions.

08/31: Tuesday Afternoon:

Memoirs Group, led by Ann Blaylock, **2:30-4:30 PM** in the church sanctuary every Tuesday this summer. Text Ann at [\(321\) 960-1946](tel:3219601946) for more information or just join us.

09/01: Wednesday Evening:

Youth Group, for grades 7—12, from **6:00 PM-8:00 PM** for girls and boys grades 7-12 at the MCC. Enjoy summer fun, outdoor games, good friends and biblical teaching led by Davis and Denice Hemenway.

Adult Bible Study, We continuing the four week study entitled “Who is the Holy Spirit?”, **6:30 PM—7:30 PM** led by Rick Krebs rsclrus@yahoo.com; and/or Susan Krebs skrebs@ccamelb.com online [Zoom meeting](#).

09/02: Thursday Afternoon:

Bible Art Journaling Group will be meeting in the church sanctuary, the morning group from **10:00 AM-Noon**, and the afternoon group meets from **2:00-4:00 PM**. For more information text Barbara Murgatroyd, [\(321\) 355-9705](tel:3213559705) or email, barbarajmurgatroyd@gmail.com.

09/03: Friday Afternoon:

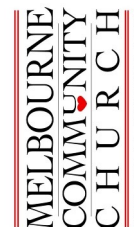
Women’s Prayer Group will be meeting at MCC, **1:30 PM—3:30 PM**, led by Jenny Reed and Laurie Wilson.

UPCOMING EVENTS

09/05: Sunday Morning: **Sunday Service at 9:00 AM**

Sunday’s Sermon: Curt Deming, Teaching Pastor, will address as a special topic, prayer, e.g., [Matthew 6:5-13](#); [Luke 11:1-11](#).

Date 08/29/2021 I have a Question Prayer Request 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 give to any MCC member.

(Optional) Name _____

Phone _____

eMail _____

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Sermon Notes: “The Lord is My Portion”, by Jared Smith, Associate Pastor, [Lamentations 1-5](#).
Old Testament Reading: [Lamentations 3:18-33](#); New Testament Reading: [Colossians 1:15-33](#).

What will we learn?

- Sin bears consequences
- God is our hope
- Jesus is our Rescuer.

Psalms of Lament: [Psalm 3](#), [13](#), [44](#), [60](#), [74](#), [77](#), [79](#), & [80](#).

Poetry of Lamentations:

- Unbalanced, limping meter
- 5 poems of 22 lines each
 - ⇒ Except chapter 3, which is 22 stanzas of 3 lines each for a total of 66 lines
- First 4 are acrostics, using all 22 letters of the Hebrew alphabet.

Who is the author of Lamentations? ([II Chronicles 35:25](#))

What are three reasons why Jerusalem fell? ([Deuteronomy 28:15](#); [Deuteronomy 28:49-50](#))

1. (See [Lamentations 1:18](#))
2. (See [Lamentations 2:8](#), [14](#), [17](#))
3. (See [Lamentations 4:13](#))

Did the Lord tell Judah/Israel what he would do if they rejected Him? ([Lamentations 2:18](#); [Leviticus 26:14-39](#); [Deuteronomy 28:64-68](#); [II Kings 17:7-23](#))

Who is the likely author of [Lamentations chapter 3](#)?

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There were multiple failed attacks on Jerusalem by Egypt, Israel, Assyria, and Babylon. ([Lamentations 4:12](#)) Why then was Jerusalem destroyed?

What is the basis for expecting that their request can be fulfilled? ([Lamentations 5:19-20](#))

For what do the people cry out in their lament? ([Lamentations 5:21-22](#))

What has the Lord already said to give them hope? ([Leviticus 26:44-45](#); [Deuteronomy 30:1-10](#); [Isaiah 57:14-21](#); [Hosea 11:1-9](#))

As Christians (both Jew and Gentile), what is our hope? ([Daniel 7:27](#); [Zechariah 14:9](#); [Colossians 2:13-15](#))

Additional Notes:

Internet Resources:

[The Bible Project: The Book of Lamentations](#); [The Book of Lamentations Poster](#)