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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.)

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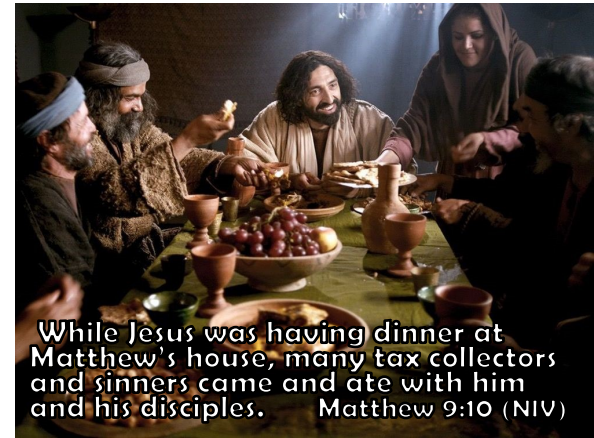
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While Jesus was having dinner at Matthew's house, many tax collectors and sinners came and ate with him and his disciples. Matthew 9:10 (NIV)

March 20, 2022

# MELBOURNE COMMUNITY CHURCH

REFLECTING CHRIST'S LOVE

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

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# Melbourne Community Church (MCC)

## Sunday Service — March 20, 2022

### ORDER OF SUNDAY SERVICE

Special video opens the service

Old Testament Reading, [Isaiah 35:3-6](#)

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, [Luke 5:17-20](#)

“Hostility to the Plan,” [Matthew 9:1-17](#),

by Rick Krebs

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

Benediction & Closing Prayer

### **This Sunday Morning:**

**Children’s Church:** Pre-school—1<sup>st</sup> grade class and 2<sup>nd</sup>—6<sup>th</sup> grade class.



**June 13-17:** MCC Vacation Bible School (VBS), “Spark Studio: Created in Christ, Designed for God’s purpose.” Sessions Monday-Friday, June 13-17, 2022.

### EVENTS THIS WEEK

#### **03/22 Tuesday Afternoon:**

*Memoirs Group*, led by Ann Blaylock, at the *new time*, **4:00 PM** in the church sanctuary every Tuesday. Text Ann at [\(321\) 960-1946](#) for more information or just join us.

*Prayer Meeting*, Wanda Appledoorn will be hosting a [Zoom](#) meeting at **6:30 PM—7:30 PM**. See the book, [Prayer Revolution](#).

*(New) The Chosen Women's Bible Study*, at **6:15 PM**, for a journey group Bible Study based on Season One of “The Chosen” TV series. All ladies are welcome. Contact Kim Judd, [\(321\) 212-9839](#), or Laurie Wilson, [\(321\) 961-3658](#), with questions.

#### **03/23: Wednesday Evening:**

*Youth Group*, For grades 7—12, from **6:00 PM—7:30 PM** for girls and boys grades 7-12 at the MCC led by Davis and Denice Hemenway [\(303\) 961-0010](#) or [davis.hemenway@gmail.com](mailto:davis.hemenway@gmail.com).

*Adult Bible Study*, We are studying the book of [Romans chapter 9](#), **6:30 PM—7:30 PM**, as an online [Zoom meeting](#) led by Rick Krebs [rickkrebs@cfl.rr.com](mailto:rickkrebs@cfl.rr.com); and/or Susan Krebs [teachkrebs@cfl.rr.com](mailto:teachkrebs@cfl.rr.com).

#### **03/24: Thursday Afternoon:**

*Bible Art Journaling Group* will be meeting in the church sanctuary, the morning group from **11:00 AM—1:00 PM**, and the afternoon group meets from **2:30 PM—4:00 PM**. For more information text Barbara Murgatroyd, [\(321\) 355-9705](#) or just join us.

*Women’s Prayer Group*, meeting at **1:30 PM—3:30 PM**, led by Jenny Reed and Laurie Wilson. For weekly meeting location, please contact Jenny or Laurie.

#### **03/26: Saturday Morning:**

*Saturday morning Prayer Group*, for ladies is open for new participants.. The group meets by [Zoom](#) @ **8:00 AM**, for an hour to worship and pray, and to take time with the Lord and each other. Contact leader Cindy Coleman: [vampirewoman16@yahoo.com](mailto:vampirewoman16@yahoo.com).

### UPCOMING EVENTS

#### **03/27: Sunday Morning: Sunday Service at 9:30 AM**

*Sunday’s Sermon*, Continuing the book of Matthew series next week. Read ahead [Matthew 9:18-38](#).

Date 03/20/2022 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:** “Hostility to the Plan” [Matthew 9:1-17](#), by Rick Krebs .

Old Testament Reading: [Isaiah 35:3-6](#).

New Testament Reading: [Luke 5:17-20](#).

**What we learned last week:** ([Matthew 8:18-34](#))

- The one ready to serve now.
- The one ready to serve later.
- The disciples themselves still have much to learn.
- The knowledge of the demons.

**What will we learn?** ([Matthew 9:1-17](#))

- Three stories of hostility towards Jesus.
- Four friends’ faith results in more than expected.
- One is called and reports to duty.
- Three examples about fasting.

Where was Jesus that He stepped in a boat to His own town? ([Matthew 9:1](#); [Matthew 8:28](#))

Whose faith did Jesus recognize when He encountered the paralyzed man on the mat? ([Matthew 9:2](#))

Instead of just healing the man, what did Jesus say that the ‘teachers of the law’ find so very troubling to them? ([Matthew 9:2-3](#))

Jesus directly spoke to the ‘teachers of the law’ to make even clearer his point. What was Jesus claiming while at the same time calling himself ‘the Son of Man?’ ([Matthew 9:5-6](#))

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Did the rest of the crowd react as the teachers of the law? What was their reaction? ([Matthew 9:8](#))

At what level of esteem did the people attribute to tax collectors? ([Matthew 9:9-11](#))

So, in this short span of time, Jesus has been accused of a religious crime by the teachers of the law, and now of associating with the blatant corrupt by the Pharisees. ([Matthew 9:10-11](#))

Dressing down (chastising) the teachers of the law and Pharisees, Jesus told them to ‘go and learn.’ ([Matthew 9:11-13](#))

What was it they were to learn? ([Matthew 9:13](#); [Matthew 12:7](#); [Hosea 6:6](#); [Micah 6:6-8](#))

John the Baptist’s disciples were concerned that Jesus’ disciples were not exhibiting the well established practice of fasting. Why did Jesus say they wouldn’t be expected to fast at that time? ([Matthew 9:14-16](#))

Jesus refers to his disciples as being guests of the bridegroom. Jesus makes this foreshadowing of the feast of the bride and bridegroom spoken here ([Matthew 9:14-15](#)), the Prophets ([Isaiah 62:5](#)), and later after Jesus has ascended to the heavenlies. ([Revelation 19:7](#); [Revelation 21:2](#))

**Additional Notes:**

**Internet Resources:** [The Bible Project: Matthew 1-13 Overview](#); [Matthew Overview Poster](#)