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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.

"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, saving. "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 fover. 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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"Here is MY SERVANT, whom I uphold, my CHOSEN ONE in whom I delight; I will put MY SPIRIT on him, and he will bring justice to the nations.

Isaiah 42:1(NIV)

July 3, 2022



Sunday Service beginning at 9:30 AM

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## **Melbourne Community Church (MCC)**

Sunday Service — July 3, 2022

#### **ORDER OF SUNDAY SERVICE**

Special video opens the service

Old Testament Reading, <u>Isaiah 42:1-2</u>

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, Hebrews 6:4-6

"The Messiah Strikes Back,"

Matthew 12:22-37,
by Brandon Harris

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.

#### **This Sunday Evening:**

Young Adult Summer Small Group, meeting at, **6:00 PM**, at Nathan and Heather Eley's home.

#### **EVENTS THIS WEEK**

#### 07/05: Tuesday:

Memoirs Group, led by Barbara Murgatroyd, at **4:00 PM** in the church sanctuary every Tuesday. Text Barbara at (321) 355-9705 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**.

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.

#### 07/13: Wednesday Evening



SALT, Students Actively Living Truth, youth group, For grades 7—12, from 6:00 PM—7:30 PM for girls and boys grades 7-12 this month at Andretti Park led by Davis and Denice Hemenway (303) 961-0010 or davis.hemenway@gmail.com.

#### 07/06: 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**, For weekly meeting location, please contact the leads, Jenny Reed or Laurie Wilson.

#### 07/09: 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.

#### **UPCOMING EVENTS**

07/10: Sunday Morning: Sunday Service at 9:30 AM

*Sunday Service* at **9:30 AM.** For Sunday's Sermon, continue reading ahead the book of <u>Matthew 12:38-45</u>.

# MELBOURNE COMMUNITY CHURCH

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Date

# Prayer Requests or Questions for the Pastoral Team?

If you have questions or a prayer request, write in the space below and

Optional) Name

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Sermon Notes: "The Messiah Strikes Back," Matthew 12:22-37,

by Brandon Harris.

Old Testament Reading: <u>Isaiah 42:1-2</u>
New Testament Reading: <u>Hebrews 6:4-6</u>

#### What we will learned last week: (Matthew 12:1-21, 46-50)

- Jesus' opposition by religious leaders
- Mercy over mere religious observance
- Jesus' identity affirmed
- The Kingdom is bigger than our families and demands our allegiance/obedience.

#### What we will learn this week: (Matthew 12:22-37)

- Jesus wields authority over evil spirits.
- Jesus knew their thoughts.
- Divided kingdoms don't last.
- There is no neutrality.
- Words matter.

Jesus heals a blind, mute, demon-possessed man. What was the people's response to this miraculous act? (Matthew 12:22-23)

What was the Pharisees' response? (Matthew 12:24)

Who is Beelzebul or Baal-Zebub and what is the meaning of this name? (<u>Smith's Bible Dictionary: BEELZEBUB</u>)

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What happens to a divided kingdom? (Matthew 12:25-29)

Is it possible to take a neutral position with respect to the person and mission of Jesus? (Matthew 12:30)

What is the consequence of heart-felt slander against the Holy Spirit? (Matthew 12:31-32)

What does this sin include:

- 1) Clear knowledge of who Jesus is and that God's Holy Spirit is working through Him,
- 2) Willfully rejecting that knowledge, and
- 3) Falsely attributing the power behind Jesus as being Evil (Satan) rather than God.

How can you recognize that something or someone has a regenerated heart from God? (Matthew 12:33)

How important are the words we speak to one another? (Matthew 12:34-37; Proverbs 18:21)

As each of us examines our own heart and actions, how would you answer each of these questions:

- 1) Do I care enough for people's souls to stand up again falsehoods like Jesus?
- 2) Do I trust the Holy Spirit enough to help me correct opponents with sound reason and gentleness like Jesus?
- 3) Do I take Jesus' warning serious enough to watch my words with care?

#### **Additional Notes:**

Internet Resources: The Bible Project: Matthew 1-13; Matthew Overview Poster