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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, 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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- 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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ORDER OF SUNDAY SERVICE

Special video opens the service

Old Testament Reading: Zechariah 14:1-9

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: 2 Thessalonians 1:5-10

"For Them, Even Unto Me", <u>Matthew 25:31-46</u> by Brandon Harris, Teaching Pastor

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

Benediction & Closing Prayer



This Sunday Morning:

We need to retake your photo for the MCC directory. Please see Denice Hemenway in the *middle class room* after this or the following Sunday services.

This Sunday Morning:

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

EVENTS THIS WEEK

02/19: This Sunday Evening:

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

02/21: Tuesday:

Memoirs Group, led by Barbara Murgatroyd, at **4:00 PM** in the church sanctuary. Text Barbara at (321) 355-9705 for more information or just join us.

Girls Night Out, at Memaw's Bar-B-Q, 4916 Babcock St NE, Palm Bay, FL, 32905, beginning at **6:15 PM**. Contact Suzee Louché (321) 432-6214.

02/22: Wednesday Evening

Under the Cross (**UTX**), this week with pizza at **6:00 PM**, then a lesson from **6:30 PM—7:30 PM**. For ages pre-school through 6th grade.

Youth Group will be meeting 6:00 PM—7:30 PM at MCC.

Adult Gathering from **6:30 PM—7:30 PM** to pray, and discuss any questions regarding Sunday's teaching and other items of devotional interest. We also have a *Zoom* option available.

02/23: Thursday:

Bible Art Journaling Group from 10:30 AM—12:30 PM also from 2:30—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.

Beginners+ Guitar Lessons, We'll be going over the basics and continuing to work on chords, strumming and picking patterns. Alternating weeks with Beginners+ and Intermediate Guitar Lessons.

02/25: Saturday:

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

UPCOMING EVENTS

02/26: Next Sunday

Sunday Service at 9:30 AM. For next Sunday's sermon read ahead Matthew 26.

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Sermon Notes

Last week: : "While We Are Waiting", <u>Matthew 24:45-25:30</u>, by Brandon Harris, Teaching Pastor Old Testament Reading: <u>Isaiah 62:1-5</u>; New Testament Reading: <u>1 Peter 4:7-11</u>

Outline

- I. Encouragement to stay alert (24:36-25:30)
 - A. Only the Father knows (24:36)
 - B. Illustrative Encouragements (24:37-25:30)
 - 1. As in the Days of Noah (24:37-39)
 - 2. One taken, one left (24:40-42)
 - 3. The homeowner & the thief (24:43-44)
 - C. Parables on How to Wait (24:45-25:30)
 - 1. Parable of the Wise (not Wicked) Servant -24:45-51
 - 2. Parable of the Ten Bridesmaids (Virgins) -25:1-13
 - 3. **Parable of the Bags of Gold 25:14-30**
- II. The Final Judgment (25:31-46)
 - W. D. Davies and Dale C. Allison Jr., <u>A Critical and Exegetical Commentary on the Gospel according to Saint Matthew</u>, vol. 3, International Critical Commentary (London; New York: T&T Clark International, 2004), 374.

Encouragement for While We Wait

- We wait by expecting His unexpected (time of) return.
- We wait by staying awake and watchful.
- We wait by carrying on and carrying out our duties.
- We wait by preparing to play the long game.
- We wait by investing His investment in us.

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What does the Lord require of you? (Micah 6:8)

What does the Lord hate? (Proverbs 6:16-19)

What will happen to the "sheep"?

Why did the sheep claim they did not recognize the Lord in distress?

What will happen to the "goats?"

Why did the goats claim they would recognize the Lord, but did not recognize Him in distress?

Additional Notes:

Internet Resources: The Bible Project: Matthew 14-28; Matthew Overview Poster