

Date 06/18/2023 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.

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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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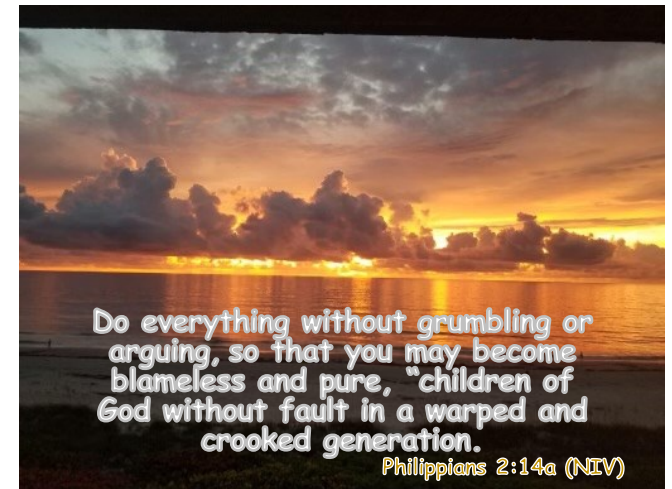
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June 18, 2023

MELBOURNE COMMUNITY CHURCH

REFLECTING CHRIST'S LOVE

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

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ORDER OF SUNDAY SERVICE

Special video opens the service

Old Testament Reading: [Isaiah 45:20-25](#)

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: [Philippians 2:5-11](#)

“Living as Citizens Worthy of the Gospel: A Study in Philippians —Week 2,”

[Philippians 2](#), by Dr. Brian D. Russell,

Professor Biblical Studies, Asbury Seminary

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.

Help purchase items for the **MCC Honduras Mission Project — Give Hope to Kids (GH2K)** with the Amazon registry using the link or the QR code below: <https://www.amazon.com/registries/custom/owner-view?registryId=2392Q327356UG>

You can bring your purchased items to MCC.

Designated donations of money to MCC are also accepted.



EVENTS THIS WEEK

06/18 This Sunday Evening:

Young Adult Small Group, on break for Fathers Day.

06/20 Tuesday:

Memoirs Group, will *not* be meeting this week. For more information text Barbara at [\(321\) 355-9705](tel:3213559705).

Girls Night Out, at Olive Garden at **6:15 PM**.

06/21 Wednesday Evening:

Activities on hiatus for the summer.

06/22 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](tel:3213559705).

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](tel:3219613658).

Beginners+ Guitar Lessons, at **6:00 PM**.

06/24 Saturday Morning:

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

UPCOMING EVENTS

06/25 Next Sunday:

Sunday Service at **9:30 AM**. Continuing the book of Philippians with Dr. Brian Russell, Professor of Biblical Studies, Asbury Seminary. In preparation, read [Philippians 3](#).

July 10-14:

Vacation Bible School (VBS), ages 4-12. Volunteers and/or participants) signup starting now. <https://vbspro.events/p/0700ee>.



Please download the MCC **Church Center app** for our church directory and information on events!

Date 06/18/2023 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.

Phone _____

(Optional) Name _____

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Sermon Notes

Last Week: “Living as Citizens Worthy of the Gospel: A Study in Philippians —Week 1,” [Philippians 1](#), by Dr. Brian D. Russell, Professor Biblical Studies, Asbury Seminary

Old Testament Reading [Psalm 145](#); New Testament Reading: [Philippians 1:27-30](#)

This Week: “Living as Citizens Worthy of the Gospel: A Study in Philippians —Week 2,” [Philippians 1](#), by Dr. Brian D. Russell, Professor Biblical Studies, Asbury Seminary

Old Testament Reading [Isaiah 45:20-25](#); New Testament Reading: [Philippians 2:5-11](#)

Study Questions for Philippians 2:1–11

- 1) Which experiences/benefits of being in Christ resonate most with you?
- 2) What is the basis for Paul’s present and future joy?
- 3) How does Jesus model living as a citizen of heaven? How does it contrast with our understandings of status, rights, and privilege?
- 4) What does it mean for you that “Jesus Christ is Lord”?

Study Questions for Philippians 2:12–18

- 1) What does it mean to “work out your own salvation with fear and trembling”? What are your holy habits?
- 2) What is your greatest challenge to living a holy life in today’s world?
- 3) What message(s) do others see/hear from us if they watched us in order to learn the teachings and practice of the Gospel?

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Study Questions for Philippians 2:19–30

- 1) What characteristics of Gospel citizenship do Timothy and Epaphroditus model for us?
- 2) What types of people do we tend to honor in our culture?
- 3) What are the marks of a person deserving of honor according to Paul? Who are persons in your life that model an authentic Christian life and witness for you?

Additional Notes:

Internet Resources:

The Bible Project: [New Testament Overviews: Philippians](#); [Download Philippians Overview Poster](#); Book Suggestion: [Thriving in Babylon, Larry Osborne](#)