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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.

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.)

Have a Question?

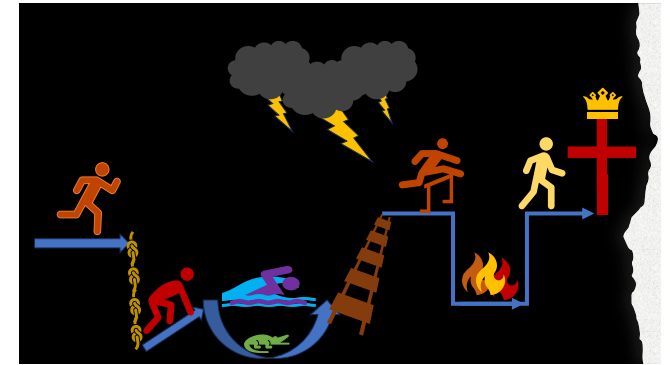
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[contactmelcc@gmail.com](mailto:contactmelcc@gmail.com)

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Connect with us on the Church Center App!



February 18, 2024

# MELBOURNE COMMUNITY CHURCH

REFLECTING CHRIST'S LOVE

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

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# Melbourne Community Church (MCC)

## Sunday Service — February 18, 2024

### ORDER OF SUNDAY SERVICE

Special video opens the service

Old Testament Reading:

[Proverbs 4:20-27](#)

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: [Hebrews 12:7-17](#)

“Final Warnings: Part 1,” [Hebrews 12:12-17](#),  
by Brandon Harris, Teaching Pastor.

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.

### EVENTS THIS WEEK

#### **02/18 This Sunday:**

*Young Adult Small Group*, at **6:00 PM—7:30 PM**, at Nathan and Heather Eley’s home.

#### **02/20 Tuesday:**

*Memoirs Group* at **4:00 PM** at MCC. Text Barbara Murgatroyd, [\(321\) 355-9705](tel:3213559705), for more information.

*Girls Night Out*, **6:15 PM** at the Olive Garden on New Haven Ave.

#### **02/21 Wednesday:**

*Mommy and Me—Circle Time*, **10:00 AM** at MCC.

*Under the Cross (UTX)* ages 4—6<sup>th</sup> grade **6:00 PM—7:30 PM**.

*Youth Group* at **6:00 PM—7:30 PM** with pizza, fellowship, games and Bible study in the book of James.

*Adult Discussion Group* will meet at **6:30 PM** at MCC. Adult Study will also be broadcast on-line by Zoom. Contact Brandon Harris for a digital invitation. Nursery available 6:00 PM—7:30 PM.

#### **02/22 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 leader, Laurie Wilson [\(321\) 961-3658](tel:3219613658).

#### **02/24 Saturday:**

*Ladies Morning Prayer*, **8:00—9:00 AM** on Zoom. Contact Cindy Coleman.

*Man2Man Men’s Breakfast*, **9:30 AM** at MCC. Men please RSVP via the Church Center App.

### UPCOMING EVENTS

#### **02/25 Sunday:**

*Morning Service* at **9:30 AM**, regular scheduled service continuing the series in [Hebrews chapter 12](#).

Date 02/18/2024 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

**Last Week:** “Great Difficulty: God’s Discipline,” [Hebrews 12:4-11](#), by Brandon Harris, Teaching Pastor.

Old Testament Reading: [Proverbs 3:5-12](#); New Testament Reading: [Hebrews 12:1-11](#)

- Consider *your* personal struggle against sin — in your life ... in the world ... but yet not to the point of death. ([Hebrews 12:4](#))
  - ◇ Be reminded of the encouragement God has already said. ([Proverbs 3:11-12](#))
  - ◇ Change your mindset. View difficulties in your life as God’s discipline. God is treating you as his children.
  - ◇ Endure and learn from God, the Father’s discipline is what a good father would do. ([Proverbs 13:24](#))
- But why me? ([1 Peter 1:13-16](#); [Leviticus 11:44, 45](#); [Leviticus 19:2](#))
- Jesus embraced his humanity and, therefore, learned obedience and was perfected by his suffering. ([Hebrews 5:8](#); [1 Peter 2:21](#))
- Each must face the reality of the pain of discipline, but embrace the eternal reward. ([Romans 8:18-29a](#))
- If it’s meaningless misery – then suffer and die. If it’s purposeful progress – entrust yourself to our good Creator that He’s bringing you somewhere better and making you into your best self.
- You have to make your mindset to view ALL THINGS in your life — the good, the bad, and the ugly — as part of the process.

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**This Week:** “Final Warnings: Part 1,” [Hebrews 12:12-17](#), by Brandon Harris, Teaching Pastor.

Old Testament Reading: [Proverbs 4:20-27](#); New Testament Reading: [Hebrews 12:7-17](#)

“**Therefore**” strengthen yourself by God’s discipline, and remove obstructions for the weakened that follow after you.

<sup>18</sup> If it is possible, as far as it depends on you, live at peace with everyone. ([Romans 12:18](#); see also from the Beatitudes— [Matthew 5:8-9](#))

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<sup>8</sup> Blessed are the pure in heart,  
for they will see God.

<sup>9</sup> Blessed are the peacemakers,  
for they will be called children of God.

[Matthew 5:8-9](#)

<sup>18</sup> If it is possible, as far as it depends on you,  
live at peace with everyone.

[Romans 12:18](#)

“See to it that no one fall short ... no bitter root grows up ...” ([Hebrews 12:12](#); [Deuteronomy 29:16-21](#); [1 Timothy 4:16](#))

Don’t fixate on or be tricked into satisfying the immediate desire(s) of the flesh in exchange for the inheritance of the life eternal. ([Genesis 25:29-34](#); [Philippians 3:19](#))

## Additional Notes

**Internet Resources:** [The Bible Project Video: Hebrews](#); [Download Hebrews Overview Poster](#)