

Melbourne Church of Christ

"A family of believers seeking to grow spiritually while sharing Jesus and serving others."

Bread is Good!
by Ryan Lloyd

The disciples had no bread (Mark 8:16)

Daily bread for the stomach is provided by the Great Provider when we ask Him to provide (Matthew 6:11)

God's blessing of physical bread is to be shared and that brings blessings to all involved (Proverbs 22:9)

Jesus was spiritual bread and spiritual drink for the Israelites under the old covenant (1 Corinthians 10:1-4)

Jesus is spiritual bread and spiritual drink for us today in the new covenant (Matthew 26:26-28; John 6:35; John 6:51)

Jesus is recognized in the breaking of bread (Luke 24:35)

Breaking bread is part of communion and fellowship with God and one another (Acts 2:42; Acts 2:46)

God's Word is bread for the soul and spirit of man (Matthew 4:4)

Breaking bread is about self-examination, repentance, and confession (1 Corinthians 11:28)

Jesus placed a high priority on satisfying His hunger by doing the will of God (John 4:34)

Overcomers in Christ will eat from the tree of life in the Paradise of God (Revelation 2:7)

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The Encouragement Group meets on Thursday's at 9 a.m. in the fellowship hall. Come serve with us as we reach into our community!

Sunday Classes 9:15 a.m.
Sunday Worship 10:10 a.m.
Wed. Services 6:00 p.m.



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Family News

- Jeff Young will have a knee replacement on April 22nd.
- Ruby Patillo, Jessica Friend's mother, has colon cancer. She will be in treatment for the next 3-6 months.
- Memorial contribution for Ronnie Adkisson: Shelby & Ramona Qualls, Bonnie Wyatt, Doyle & Diane Wyatt, Danny & Betty Brightwell, Joyce Clark, Harrison Gaston, Sue Barksdale, Lesa Barksdale, Becky Hames, Carla Edwards, Jane Lamb, Bryant Lamb. Memorial contribution for Ann Lawrence: Randy & Diane Zook.
- We have 4 seniors graduating from M.H.S. on May 5: Daylee Brightwell, Robert Langston, Ava Bolfa, & Hilton Wyatt. There is a table set up in the foyer for cards & gifts to honor them. We wish them well!
- Al Gillihan's phone number in the nursing home is 870-855-0035. He would love to hear from you, please give him a call!
- The Ladies Monday Night Bible Class will start back tomorrow night.
- Sermons and bulletins available at Melbournechurchofchrist.com

OPENING PRAYER David Brightwell

CLOSING PRAYER Chip Master



APRIL

**KELLY DON WEBB
DANNY BRIGHTWELL**

**DANNY RUNION
DAYLEE BRIGHTWELL**

MAY

**RUSTY TREAT
ALAN LOVE**

**BRITAN TREAT
DAVIS LOVE**

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Consuming the Father's spiritual bread increases the spiritual harvest of righteousness (2 Corinthians 9:10)

We are to ask the Lord of the harvest to send out more workers into the field of souls, which is the very world we live in (Luke 10:2)

Are you willing to be a worker for the Lord and share what He has done for you with others?

What do you intentionally feed your body and soul, and then share with others?

I encourage you to read the verses in this article and make the connections/applications in your private life during the week, as well as in your church life on Sundays.

Bread is good for the body, the soul, and for entire communities!

May we consistently eat plenty of God's bread and share plenty of God's bread, as we promote kingdom influence in the lives of souls we're around every single day.

Prayer List

Military: Derek Love **Officers:** Steve & Sherry Davidson, Jamie Irvin, Tyler Webb, Caeden Wolfe, Blake Johnson **Nursing Home:** Al Gillihan, Debbie Hoskinds, Imodean Webb, Troy Gaston, Sue Campbell, Barbara Watson, Bill Wiseman

Ted Kidd	Wilma Cooper	Peggy Hall	Dorothy Teague
Bill Roland	Treva Voyles	Hayden Phillips	Debbie Crow
Cornelia Summers	Christie Haney	Joanna Smith	Wayne Crosby
Brooke Partin	Gary Brown	Sanyia Austin	Charlotte Cooper
John Young	Regenia Gillihan	Robby Qualls	Regina Master
Shawna Teegarden	John Ward	Boyde Martin	Gage Barns
Joe Guiltner	Toby Weatherford	Ruby Patillo	

April Birthdays

Betty Brightwell 2 nd	Bill Younger 3 rd	Tyler Kelly 4 th
Donna Hill 7 th	Derek Love 8 th	Imodean Webb 9 th
Lacey Weston 9 th	Carly Webb 11 th	Cleve Weaver 12 th
Melissa Morrison 14 th	Nancy Richardson 15 th	Jack Hendrix 15 th
Rhett Morrison 17 th	Torrey Bishop 18 th	Francis Gillihan 22 nd
Doug Sipe 25 th	Michelle Smith 26 th	Kenya Wyatt 29 th
Dana Ingram 30 th		

April Anniversaries

Joe & Dana Ingram 17th

Dates to Remember

Ladies Bible Class 4th Monday of every month @ 6 p.m. bring a finger food.
Men meet 3rd Sunday of every month for breakfast @ 8 a.m.
Family game night every 4th Sunday from 5-7 p.m.
Potluck every 5th Sunday after services, please bring a dish.

**Psalm 51:10-13, "Create in me a clean heart,
O God, and renew a steadfast spirit within me.
Do not cast me away from Your presence and do not
take Your Holy Spirit from me. Restore to me the joy
of Your salvation and sustain me with a willing spirit.
Then I will teach transgressors Your ways,
and sinners will be converted to You."**