

Melbourne Church of Christ

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

**Wednesday Night's Welcome for the
Servant's Heart Banquet**
by Robert Langston

We want to welcome you this evening and say thank you for letting us serve you. We also want to welcome all of our visitors. And today we want to talk about why we love being servants of God.

At a young age, caring about the bible is something that isn't talked a lot about nor taken seriously. Not many teenagers care enough about showing up to church on Sunday's or Wednesdays to learn about the Lord. They would rather be out partying than studying the bible.

We want to say thank you for making us feel useful in preaching the word of God, leading songs, and being a part of what's going on at the Melbourne church. We are blessed to be in a church where everyone in the congregation is loved and cares for one another.

Our message that we would love to send out is our love and appreciation and gratitude for caring for all of us and making this church feel like a home. Not many teenagers get this opportunity to be apart of something like this.

This makes me think of Luke 22:27, "For who is greater, the one who reclines at the table or the one who serves? But I am among you as the one who serves."

The Melbourne youth group is here tonight to be among you with hearts that desire to serve!

Dates to Remember

- ★ Ladies meet the 4th Monday of every month @ 6 p.m. bring a finger food
- Men meet the 4th Sunday of every month for breakfast @ 8 a.m.

Sermons and bulletins available @
Melbournechurchofchrist.com

Sunday Bible Class 9:15 a.m.
Sunday Worship 10:15 a.m.
Wednesday Evening 6:00 p.m.



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A Place to Belong

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Family News

- Contribution in memory of Emma Jean Cooper from Randy and Diane Zook, Danny and Betty Brightwell, and Bonnie Wyatt.
- Contribution in memory of Hazel Loggains from Mary Bristow.
- Contribution in memory of JB Dill from Danny and Betty Brightwell, Ronnie and Sally Adkisson, and Shelby and Ramona Qualls
- Our annual cleaning of the fellowship building will be on Tuesday, May 23rd starting at 8:30am.
- Ladies Day will be June 3rd Registration is from 9-9:30am and the program ends with a salad luncheon. Kitty Smith is our speaker.
- * Communion is gluten-free and travel communion is available.

OPENING PRAYER Jim Usery

CLOSING PRAYER Brad Sipe



CHIP MASTER

Keep Serving
by Charles Box

One way to find joy in life, even through our own personal struggles, is to keep serving others.

“For you were called to freedom, brothers. Only do not use your freedom as an opportunity for the flesh, but through love serve one another” (Galatians 5:13).

Being one who serves is part of what it means to follow Christ. A life lived by faith is a powerful life of service. A life lived by hope is a positive life (Romans 8:24). Your serving can be improved through the power of love.

Genesis 29:20 tells us that love made Jacob’s seven years of service for Rachel seem like only a few days. Love makes service easy and burdens light. Service to God and others, love for God, love for others and love for good things make a person better.

Make your life what the Lord wants it to be. Love and serve like you have never loved and served before. Learn to serve now, so that you will be ready to serve around the throne of God for eternity. I love you.

Prayer List

Military: Derek Love, A.J. Talkington **Officers:** Steve & Sherry Davidson, Jamie Irvin, Tyler Webb, Caeden Wolfe, Blake Johnson

Nursing Home: Debbie Hoskinds

Health: Ted Kidd	Richard Gunter	Donnie Vest	Joanna Smith
Joe Guiltner	Dan Clark	Wilma Cooper	Wayne Crosby
Tracy Thomas	Brooke Pritchard	Troy Gaston	James Nicholson
Bill Roland	Hayden Phillips	Donny Smith	Joanne Weston
Bill Wiseman	Debbie Nicholson	Helen King	Phil Haagenon
Mary Kosmitis	Dorothy Teague	Jim Fowler	Shirley Lewis
Diane Owens	Ivy Jo Slade	Jeff Young	Lynn Hicks
Justin Teague	Charlotte Cooper	Cecilia Broughton	Sue Campbell
Arlene Davidson	Chip & Regina Master		Treva Voyles
Ted & Sanyia Austin	John Ward		Nevin Hart
Dwain Welch	Jerry Roland	Christie Haney	Gary Fulbright

May Birthdays

Carolyn Younger 3 rd	Peyton Love 5 th	Lydia Sipe 10 th
Levi Taylor 12 th	Kollin Hoskinds 12 th	Tristan Elms 15 th
Whitney Morehead 19 th	Ellie Fowler 22 nd	Doyle Wyatt 22 nd
Marty Webb 28 th	Will Ingram 28 th	Linda Taylor 31 st

May Anniversaries

David & Tamra Brightwell 10 th	Joe & Holly Cooper 17 th
Shelby & Ramona Qualls 25 th	Charles & Jeanette Everette 27 th
Billy & Peggy Beebe 30 th	

Matthew 20:25-28, “Jesus called them to Himself and said, “You know that the rulers of the Gentiles lord it over them, and *their* great men exercise authority over them. It is not this way among you, but whoever wishes to become great among you shall be your servant, and whoever wishes to be first among you shall be your slave; just as the Son of Man did not come to be served, but to serve, and to give His life a ransom for many.”