

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.**

Visitors, please take a card from the back of the pew, fill it out, and put it in the offering tray. We are glad you're here and want you to know that you're welcome in the family of Christ that meets here!

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## Family News

- Gary Fulbright had eye surgery and his eyelid is still too short. He will have to have another eye surgery. Please keep him as prayer as his body heals from the car accident.
- Eula Fulbright has swelling in her legs. The doctors are running tests for possible connections to her heart. Please keep her in prayer.
- Jessica Wortham's mom, Ruby Patillo, had surgery and the doctors removed the tumor with no problems. She is at home recovering. Please keep Ruby and her family in prayer.
- Fred Lamb is still recovering well from a full knee replacement. Keep him and Janet in your prayers as he continues to fully recover.
- Melba Fulbright's sister, Evona Adkisson, passed away. She lived in West Plains, MO. Please keep Melba and all of the family in prayer.

February 1, 2026

# Melbourne Church of Christ

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

## Divine Titles of Jesus

by Jack Cottrell

Several of the titles ascribed to Jesus in the New Testament imply His deity. The most significant is "Lord," which is used almost 500 times. In most manuscripts of the Septuagint (the Greek Old Testament), "Lord" is the word which appears in place of Yahweh, the divine name itself, over 6,000 times.

Thus, any Jew who knew his Greek O.T. would have associated this title immediately with the one true God. This is certainly the case with the Apostle Paul and other N.T. writers. When the early Christians confessed "Jesus is Lord" (Rom. 10:9), they were confessing belief in Christ's deity (that Jesus is God).

Another title with divine content is "Son of God." In pagan circles this was a common title for deities, but again the most significant factor is the way the Jews themselves understood this expression. On two occasions when Jesus referred to God as His Father, the Jews accused Him of blasphemy and wanted to kill Him, because He "was calling God His own Father, making Himself equal with God" (John 5:18; 10:33,36).

In neither case did Jesus deny His identity as Son of God, nor did He object to equating this with a claim to deity. At His trial He was asked, "Are You the Son of God, then?" His answer was affirmative (Luke 22:70). Again He was accused of blasphemy and thought worthy of death (John 19:7). It is apparent from incidents such as these that Jesus' reference to Himself as the Son of God was taken to be a claim to deity. Such was the content of this title.

**Jesus is Lord; Jesus is the Son of God. Each of these titles in its own way testifies to the divine nature of Jesus Christ.**

**Opening Prayer**.....Chipper Lamb  
**Communion Reading**.....Joe Cooper  
**Closing Prayer**.....Alan Love

## THE LORD'S SUPPER

### FEBRUARY

**Sanders Lee Wyatt**  
**Brent Qualls**

**Shelby Qualls**  
**Robert Hartgrave**

### MARCH

### Sunday Morning Bible Classes at 9:15 am

<b>2-4 Yr Old</b>	<b>Sandra in Toddler Classroom #1</b>
<b>K-3<sup>rd</sup></b>	<b>Jasmine in Classroom #5 &amp; #6</b>
<b>4<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>Sally in Classroom #3</b>
<b>9<sup>th</sup>-College</b>	<b>Ryan in Classroom #7</b>
<b>Adults</b>	<b>David in the Auditorium</b>

### Children's Bible Class During the Sermon for 2026

<b>Month</b>	<b>2-5 Yr Old Rm #2</b>	<b>6-8 Yr Old Rm #5&amp;6</b>
<b>January</b>	<b>Lexi &amp; Shayann</b>	<b>Betty</b>
<b>February</b>	<b>Diana</b>	<b>Tamra</b>
<b>March</b>	<b>Rory &amp; Zori</b>	<b>Jamie</b>
<b>April</b>	<b>Zori &amp; Harris</b>	<b>Natalie</b>
<b>May</b>	<b>Brittany</b>	<b>Valerie</b>
<b>June</b>	<b>Brittany</b>	<b>Christie</b>
<b>July</b>	<b>Brittany</b>	<b>Lacey</b>
<b>August</b>	<b>Anita</b>	<b>Trena</b>
<b>September</b>	<b>Lacey</b>	
<b>October</b>	<b>Carly &amp; Tiffany</b>	<b>Abby</b>
<b>November</b>		
<b>December</b>	<b>Zori &amp; Harris</b>	<b>Diana</b>

**1 John 4:9-10,14-15, "By this the love of God was manifested in us, that God has sent His only begotten Son into the world so that we might live through Him. God loved us and sent His Son to be the propitiation for our sins. We have seen and testify that the Father has sent the Son to be the Savior of the world. Whoever confesses that Jesus is the Son of God, God abides in him, and he in God."**

### Prayer List

**Military:** Derek & Allison Love **Officers:** Steve & Sherry Davidson, Jamie Irvin, Tyler Webb, Caeden Wolfe, Blake Johnson

**Nursing Home:** Al Gillihan, Debbie Hoskinds, Imodean Webb, Sue Campbell, Barbara Watson, Bill Wiseman, Shirley Hill, Imogene James

Boyd Martin	Wilma Cooper	Phyllis Gilbreath	Dorothy Teague
Ruby Patillo	Joe Guiltner	Cornelia Summers	Tim Smith
Asher Vickery	Wayne Crosby	Brooke Partin	Joe Anne Hendrix
Sanya Austin	Charlotte Cooper	John Young	Regenia Gillihan
		Regina Master	

### February Birthdays

Frank Fowler 1 <sup>st</sup>	Brandi Watson 7 <sup>th</sup>	Megan Rush Purtle 7 <sup>th</sup>
Aaron Young 8 <sup>th</sup>	Dewey Brightwell 13 <sup>th</sup>	Ian Hammond 14 <sup>th</sup>
Davey Wyatt 14 <sup>th</sup>	Harris Wyatt 14 <sup>th</sup>	Kori Minick 18 <sup>th</sup>
David Lawrence 19 <sup>th</sup>	Brandy Treat 21 <sup>st</sup>	Chipper Lamb 27 <sup>th</sup>

### February Anniversaries

Ted & Sheilla Wammack 14<sup>th</sup>

### Dates to Remember

Ladies Bible Study will resume in the spring.  
Men meet the 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday of every month for breakfast @ 8 a.m.  
Potluck every 5<sup>th</sup> Sunday after services, please bring a dish.

### Manna House Items Needed Year Round

Canned Tuna and Canned Chicken

Items can be placed in the foyer in the green and blue plastic tubs.

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