

June 14, 2026

Melbourne Church of Christ

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

This is My Blood of the Covenant

by Rick Laing

Israel was in a covenant relationship with God, but as prophesied by Jeremiah 31:31-33, "Behold, days are coming," declares the Lord, "when I will make a new covenant with the house of Israel and with the house of Judah, not like the covenant which I made with their fathers in the day I took them by the hand to bring them out of the land of Egypt, My covenant which they broke, although I was a husband to them," declares the Lord. "But this is the covenant which I will make with the house of Israel after those days," declares the Lord, "I will put My law within them and on their heart I will write it; and I will be their God, and they shall be My people."

The old covenant was to be replaced in Hebrews 8:8, "Behold, days are coming, says the Lord, when I will effect a new covenant with the house of Israel and with the house of Judah."

It was replaced by the blood covenant Jesus initiated at His death and resurrection. He shared the fruit of the vine with the apostles and said, "For this is My blood of the covenant, which is poured out for many for forgiveness of sins" (Matthew 26:28).

When we believed on Jesus as our Savior, when we confessed Him as the Son of God, when we repented of sin, when we were united with Him in baptismal burial, we accepted the terms of His covenant.

We entered into a contractual agreement with God. It is far more binding than any other agreement/contract we may ever make, and the blessings are indescribably beautiful.

We are in a covenant relationship with God. Let us do our best to fulfill our part in it as we serve the Lord. We definitely got the very best part of the deal. Praise God for His mercy and kindness.

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

Sr. Citizens call Anthony Weston for mowing or home repairs (870) 919-3236

- Congratulations to Evan and Lexi Ballard! Luke Ballard was born on Friday, June 5th at 12:10p.m. He weighs 7 lbs., 14oz., and is 18 ½ inches long! Luke was sent to Children's Hospital in Little Rock for tests and they found a couple of small holes in his heart that should grow in with time. They're now back at home. Please keep Luke, Lexi, and Evan in prayer.
- Jasmine Hartgraves will have gall bladder surgery on Thursday. Please keep her and Robert in prayer.
- Doyne Robertson is scheduled for an open heart surgery. Please keep Doyne and Martha in prayer.

Opening Prayer.....Chipper Lamb
 Communion Reading.....Joe Cooper
 Closing Prayer.....Rusty Treat



JUNE

**Daylee Brightwell
 Alan Love**

**Brittan Treat
 Brad Sipe**

JULY

**Kelley Don Webb
 Shelby Qualls**

**Dalton Grigg
 Robert Hartgraves**

Sunday Morning Bible Classes at 9:15 am

2-4 Yr Old	Natalie in Toddler Classroom #1
K-3rd	Jasmine in Classroom #5 & #6
4th-8th	Sally in Classroom #3
9th-College	Ryan in Classroom #7
Adults	David in the Auditorium

Children's Bible Class During the Sermon for 2026

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

Revelation 1:5-6, "Jesus Christ loves us and released us from our sins by His blood and He has made us to be a kingdom, priests to His God and Father – to Him be the glory and the dominion forever and ever. Amen."

Prayer List

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

Nursing Home: Al Gillihan, Debbie Hoskinds, Sue Campbell, Barbara Watson, Bill Wiseman, Shirley Hill, Imogene James, Wilma Cooper

Boyde Martin	Deena Shipley	Phyllis Gilbreath	Dorothy Teague
Ruby Patillo	Joe Gultner	Cornelia Summers	Tim Smith
Asher Vickery	Wayne Crosby	Brooke Partin	Sanyia Austin
Charlotte Cooper	Regenia Gillihan	Regina Master	Tim Massey

June Birthdays

Brett Haney 2 nd	Sheilla Wammack 2 nd	Neal Treat 2 nd
Cash Fowler 7 th	Lisa Cooper 7 th	Natalie Brightwell 8 th
Charley Kelly 8 th	Dale Parish 8 th	Jeff Young 9 th
Melba Fulbright 11 th	Janice Estes 11 th	Sutton Morehead 11 th
Jim Cooper 14 th	Whitney Worlow 14 th	Wilma Cooper 16 th
Wyatt Fowler 16 th	Rhett Carter 18 th	Hayden Wyatt 19 th
Renee' Parnell 21 st	Stacy Dale 23 rd	Carter Cannon 25 th
Mary Hannah Bryant 26 th	Melba Bryant 26 th	Diana Wyatt 30 th

June Anniversaries

Aaron & Kimberly Hoskinds 3rd	Randy & Christie Haney 4th
Korey & ShayAnn Caraway 8 th	Doc & Linda Taylor 11 th
Roger & Trena Humphrey 11 th	Alan & Anita Love 16 th
Steve & Sherry Davidson 21 st	Al & Francis Gillihan 25 th
Anthony & Lacey Weston 27 th	

Dates to Remember

Ladies meet on Monday's at 6p.m.
 Men meet the 3rd Sunday of every month for breakfast @ 8 a.m.
 Potluck every 5th Sunday after services, please bring a dish.

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