# **CREATION AND GOD'S CREATIVE POWER**

**HEBREWS 11:3** <sup>3</sup> By faith we understand that the universe was formed at God's command, so that what is seen was not made out of what was visible.

**GENESIS 1:2** <sup>2</sup> Now the earth was formless and empty, darkness was over the surface of the deep, and the Spirit of God was hovering over the waters.

**GENESIS 1:26** <sup>26</sup> Then God said, "Let us make mankind in our image, in our likeness, so that they may rule over the fish in the sea and the birds in the sky, over the livestock and all the wild animals, and over all the creatures that move along the ground."

**PROVERBS 6:2** <sup>2</sup> you have been trapped by what you said, ensnared by the words of your mouth.

**PROVERBS 18:21** <sup>21</sup> The tongue has the power of life and death, and those who love it will eat its fruit.

MARK 9:23 <sup>23</sup> "If you can'?" said Jesus. "Everything is possible for one who believes."

**MATTHEW 17:20** <sup>20</sup> He replied, "Because you have so little faith. Truly I tell you, if you have faith as small as a mustard seed, you can say to this mountain, 'Move from here to there,' and it will move. Nothing will be impossible for you."

**MARK 11:23** <sup>23</sup> "Truly I tell you, if anyone says to this mountain, 'Go, throw yourself into the sea,' and does not doubt in their heart but believes that what they say will happen, it will be done for them.

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# **HOW DOES ONE BECOME A MEMBER OF THE CHURCH?**

One does not "join" the church. The Lord adds to the church those who are being saved (Acts 2:47). To be saved, one must do the will of God (Matt. 7:21-23). The will of God as expressed by the New Testament, for the sinner outside the body of Christ must:

**HEAR THE GOSPEL** 

Romans 10:17

**BELIEVE** IN CHRIST

John 8:24 Hebrews 11:6

**REPENT OF THEIR SINS** 

Acts 17:30 & 26:20

**CONFESS FAITH IN CHRIST** 

Matt. 10:32 Rom. 10:10

BE BAPTIZED FOR THE REMISSION OF SINS

Mark 16:16 Acts 2:38 Acts 22:16

**BE FAITHFUL UNTO DEATH**Rev. 2:10

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### **WORSHIP SERVICES**

Sunday 11:00 A.M. and 6:00 P.M.

#### BIBLE STUDY

Sunday 10:00 A.M. Wednesday 7:00 P.M.

#### SPANISH SERVICES

Sunday Worship 2:00 P.M. Spanish Bible Study Sunday 1:00 P.M. Thursday 7:00 P.M.

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# WELCOME TO OUR VISITORS

You are our honored guests. We hope your visit with us today will be rewarding and spiritually uplifting. In order that we may serve you better, please fill out a yellow visitor's card located on the back of each pew and drop in the collection plate.

# **NEWS and PRAYER REQUESTS**

**ESTHER MARTINEZ** is scheduled to have surgery this Tuesday on October 30. The desired outcome is to correct the complications she's had with her esophagus. This will be a major surgery, as there are a few things going on with her that requires more than a "*standard*" procedure. Please keep her & her medical staff in prayer.

DUANE TOLBERTSON had a wonderful time at the Friday night singing, as did Lena and Kathy. It was definitely for the family, as they have been limited in their travels. Please continue to pray for him and his family.

JOHN SULLIVAN is looking at sometime in December when a second eye surgery will take place. Please keep both John & Eme in prayer.

MARILYN BURR needs our continued prayers. She has gone through a lot over the past few years. Please remember Marilyn steadfast in your prayers.

Please remember all of the people involved in **HURRICANE** MICHAEL.

#### **CONTINUE TO PRAY FOR:**

KATHY SMITH get relief from her pain due to the RA, Lupus and Scoliosis. LENA TOLBERTSON to be rid of the sciatica pain she's had for over a month. KEN & RUTH ALTOM to have improved health. Give them a call: 760-420-6279 BECKY GORMANY to bounce back from a nasty fall she had a few weeks ago. LOUISE, Tommy Thompson's sister, to recover from recent stroke BONNIE & TERRY NEWMAN to both overcome their long lasting health issues. SELENA, Mariela's granddaughter, to have her seizures kept to a minimum. ARIANA CAMPOS to regain strength as she moves on from scary bout with cancer ADA GAGEN,3 years old, to overcome the myriad of health issues she's enduring.

\*\*Send prayer requests, news & updates to: melcocbulletin@yahoo.com Call Lena T 760-940-0867 \* Jan T. 760-672-0342 \* Fred S. 760-439-6941

### **COMING EVENTS**

JOE GORMANY will deliver the morning sermon: "Creation and God's Creative Power".

**EVENING WORSHIP SERVICE:** Be back tonight @ 6:00 pm as **TOMMY THOMPSON** brings us a revealing message.

### COMMUNITY OUTREACH FOLLOW UP MEETING \* TUESDAY, OCT. 30

Starts @ 7:00 pm in Fellowship Hall with the discussion centered around best ways to follow up & reach people who attended the Outreach, which is one of the most important functions of the Outreach in order to meet our mission of bringing lost souls to Jesus. Everyone is invited. Bring ideas!

<u>WEDNESDAY BIBLE STUDY</u>: This week's study: 2 Kings 8:7-15 on page 707 in The One Year Chronological Bible. The Wednesday Night Class members would like to encourage all of our Brothers & Sisters to come & be a part of the class.

<u>LADIES BIBLE CLASS</u> resumes again on the 2nd Saturday in November.

<u>VETERANS RESOURCES WORKSHOP \* NOV. 7 from 5pm - 7pm.</u> The event will be held at 1617 Mission Ave. in Oceanside. Assistance is provided for food, career development and much more. The event is sponsored by Holiness Ministries Coalition. Former Melrose member **Jannett Banks** is associated with this group. For more info, please call (619) 251-6964

<u>THANKS TO ALL</u> who have mentioned possible ways to save the church money. <u>Just as important is to increase attendance with new folks. Ideas are welcome.</u>

STARLYN ECKERMAN WAS BAPTIZED ON SUNDAY, OCTOBER 14, 2018!

Please welcome her into our Melrose family with open arms, providing the support, knowledge and love needed as our newest "*Babe in Christ*".

#### OCTOBER BIRTHDAYS

28 Freddy Munoz

#### NOVEMBER ANNIVERSARIES

- Tommy & Jan Thompson 14 Franchot & Betty Randolph
- Guillermo & Irma Melendez 22 Duane & Lena Tolbertson

### **NOVEMBER BIRTHDAYS**

- 10 Glenna Mendoza 21 Giovanni Van Rosendale
- 12 Carlos Gallardo