



**Advent
Lutheran
Church**



April 14, 2019
A Stephen Ministry Congregation
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**Evangelical Lutheran
Church in America**
God's work. Our hands.

Our Mission Statement:

“We are followers of Jesus Christ for the sake of the world.”

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WORSHIP SCHEDULE

MELBOURNE BEACH
Sunday: 9 am Traditional
6 pm Contemporary

SUNTREE
Saturday: 5 pm Informal Traditional
Sunday: 9 am Contemporary
Sunday: 11 am Traditional

SUNTREE CHAPEL HOURS: Monday-Friday 9 am-2 pm
or call the church office

MELBOURNE BEACH CAMPUS
1805 Oak Street
Melbourne Beach, FL 32951
Phone: 321-727-1724
Fax: 321-385-7914
Preschool: 321-728-4709
Office Hours:
Monday - Friday
8:30 am - 1:30 pm

SUNTREE CAMPUS
7550 N. Wickham Road
Melbourne, FL 32940
Phone: 321-259-8515
Fax: 321-253-3030
Preschool: 321-254-7139
Office Hours:
Monday - Friday
9:00 am - 2:00 pm

SUNDAY OF THE PASSION

PALM SUNDAY

APRIL 14, 2019

Isaiah 50:4-9a

Psalms 31:9-16

Philippians 2:5-11

Luke 22:14-27

EASTER DAY

APRIL 21 2019

Acts 10:34-43

1 Corinthians 15:19-26

Luke 24:1-12

WELCOME, VISITORS!

We are glad you are here! Let us know how we may serve you. Please fill out a visitor card located in the pew pocket in front of you, check the service time you attended and drop the card in the prayer box as you walk out, or on the Welcome Center. Sign the Guest Book in the lobby before you leave. For further information on any notices you read here, please speak with one of our Pastors or check at the Welcome Center. We hope you will worship with us again!

HOLY WEEK WORSHIP

- **Maundy Thursday, April 18**
Suntree Campus in the Chapel
Traditional Worship: 1:00 & 7:00PM
- **Maundy Thursday, April 18**
Agape Feast & Worship: Melbourne Beach Campus
Dinner at 6:00PM & Worship at 7:00PM
Maundy Thursday our congregation will meet at our Melbourne Beach Campus for an Agape Feast, the most ancient form of Christian worship. The first followers of Jesus would meet in homes on “The Lord’s Day” (Sunday) and share a meal during which they told the stories and teachings of Jesus. Near the end of the meal they would share in Holy Communion as Jesus commanded them to do whenever they gathered. Our service begins with a full meal, surrounded by readings, Psalms, and responses. We then move into the worship space and continue the service with Holy Communion. This worship service does not actually end. After stripping the altar, we leave in silence to continue our journey to the cross on Good Friday.

HOLY WEEK WORSHIP - CONTINUED

- **Good Friday, April 19**
Worship & Drama: Suntree Campus
1:00 & 7:00PM
It is hard to get our minds and hearts around the idea that Jesus, the savior of the world, was arrested, put through a rigged mockery of a trial, tortured horribly, and then executed by a means that was the cruelest available in the Roman Empire. We are right to be shocked, appalled, and even repelled by the Good Friday story. It is an example of humanity at its very worst and God’s grace and love at its most powerful. This is a story that every believer in Jesus should know and embrace. It is good for us to allow the full impact of what God has done for us in Christ to wash over us like a tidal wave. It is important for us not to rush past this pivotal event in human history. Because of the intense nature of the dramatic interpretation children 5th grade and under will have the opportunity to go to a different location where they will be led in a Good Friday lesson that will be meaningful and engaging for them.
- **Good Friday, April 19**
Experiential stations for children
3:00PM: Melbourne Beach Campus
- **Good Friday, April 19**
Tenebrae Worship
7:00PM: Melbourne Beach Campus
- **Easter Vigil, April 20**
5:00PM: Suntree Campus

ELCA GOOD GIFTS FOR EASTER

Want to make a difference in someone’s life this Easter? ELCA Good Gifts provides more than 50 different gift-giving options that grow the church, fight hunger and transform lives. These gifts, starting at just \$10, provide direct support for the churchwide ministries of the ELCA. You can go to www.elca.org/goodgifts or pick up an order form in the lobby to donate.

If you would like to put a notice in the Messenger, please email your notice to:
WorshipMedia@AdventLutheranBrevard.org
by noon each Wednesday

WORSHIP ATTENDANCE 04/06 - 04/07: 401**PRAYER REQUESTS & UPDATES**

Submit any prayer requests by filling out a card in the pew pocket and putting it into the box at the door as you exit, or contact Eric Myers in the church office (pastorsasst@adventlutheranbrevard.org, or 321-259-8515) Requests will be forwarded to HelenAnn and her prayer team.

THE QUILTING CHICKS meet in the Melbourne Beach fellowship hall at 8:00AM Mondays for coffee and quilting. We need more clean, used sheets to continue our work in making quilts for missions around the world.

WELCA Advent Lutheran Church Women's group meets the first Monday of each month in the church conference room, Suntree campus, at 10:00 am, followed by Bible study at 11:00 am. Community and church service is our goal.

SUNTREE SINGLES meet the second Wednesday of each month at noon at a local restaurant to socialize. If you are interested contact Eric in the church office. Your name will be forwarded to the monthly hostess.

MELBOURNE BEACH MEN'S BREAKFAST & BIBLE STUDY will meet Thursday, April 18 at 7:30 AM. Gary Roverud will continue to facilitate the study & discussion of JESUS, the GREAT I AM. Please come and join us, all are welcome.

FOOD PANTRY

This week, Advent's Food Pantry saw 28 families consisting of 92 individual. We distributed 44 bags of food. Current needs: canned fruit, canned tuna. Thank you for supporting this important ministry!

LOTION DONATIONS FOR CHEMO CARE BAGS

Our Thrivent Financial representatives, Sam Lyons and Lauren Hutto along with Resurrection Lutheran Church are collecting items for 300 chemo care bags for Brevard residents fighting cancer. They are asking Advent to collect unscented lotion (any size). There is a basket in the lobby to drop off your donations through April 24.

RUTH CIRCLE

Advent Lutheran Melbourne Beach Woman's Book and Bible Study Group will meet Thursday April 25th at 1:00 in the conference room of the Melbourne Beach Campus. We will be reading the book "The Lost Girls of Paris" by Pam Jenoff. Georgia Van Housen will be our facilitator for discussion. The "The Lost Girls of Paris" is an emotional and powerful journey through friendship and courage centered around three women and a ring of spies during World War II. One of the women is rebuilding her life after losing her husband during the war. Please plan on joining us for learning, discussion and prayer.

ADVENT WOMEN

All women of both campuses are invited to get together for lunch at the Suntree Red Ginger at 12:00 noon on May 5, 2019. This will give us an opportunity for fellowship before our activities slow down over summer. We will go to the restaurant following the May meeting. We will order from the menu - separate checks. Please call the church office for reservations and make sure you give your name so we can know how many to expect.

CHURCH OFFICES CLOSED

Both church offices will be closed April 19th through the 23rd in celebration of Easter.

THIS WEEK AT ADVENT LUTHERAN CHURCH**Sunday, April 14 - Palm/Passion Sunday****Family Promise Week**

9:00 am	Contemporary Service	Suntree
	Traditional Worship	M Beach
10:00 am	4th & 5th Grades	Suntree
	Confirmation	Suntree
	Mid & High Schoolers	Suntree
10:10 am	Aloha Bible Study	Suntree
11:00 am	Traditional Worship	Suntree
12:00 pm	ACT Rehearsal	Suntree
4:15 pm	Non-Fiction Practice	M Beach
5:00 pm	Sunday Supper	M Beach
6:00 pm	Contemporary Service	M Beach

Monday, April 15

8:00 am	Quilting Chicks	M Beach
11:00 am	Mon. Morning Bible	M Beach
7:00 pm	Council Meeting	Suntree

Tuesday, April 16

10:00 am	Tuesday's Travelers	Offsite
6:00 pm	ACT Rehearsal	Suntree

Wednesday, April 17

2:30 pm	Grace Kids' Club	M Beach
4:00 pm	Children's Hand Chimes	Suntree
4:45 pm	Hand Bell Rehearsal	Suntree
7:15 pm	Choir Rehearsal	Suntree

Thursday, April 18 - Maundy Thursday

7:30 am	Men's B'fast & Bible Study	M Beach
10:00 am	Grief Support Group	Suntree
1:00 pm	Traditional Worship-Chapel	Suntree
5:30 pm	Food Pantry	Suntree
6:00 pm	Agape Dinner & Worship	M Beach
6:15 pm	Brevard Youth Chorus	Suntree
7:00 pm	Traditional Worship-Chapel	Suntree

Friday, April 19 - Good Friday - Church Offices Closed

8:30 am	Faithful Folders	Suntree
1:00 pm	Worship & Drama	Suntree
3:00 pm	Stations for Children	M Beach
7:00 pm	Worship & Drama	Suntree
	Tenebrae Worship	M Beach

Saturday, April 20 - Advocate Article Deadline

9:00 am	Men's Breakfast	Suntree
5:00 pm	Informal Trad. Worship	Suntree

A GRACE-FILLED FUTURE

We had a wonderful celebration/commitment weekend for our Grace-Filled Future journey. People responded to God's transforming Holy Spirit as they offered up their financial pledges for the next three years. If you are planning to pledge to our Grace-Filled Future it is not too late! You can turn in a commitment card to the church offices, at worship, or you can email/call/text Pastor Jeremy your pledge at pjadvent@gmail.com or 321-243-0356. We are asking for pledges to be made by Easter Sunday, April 21, so we can share the exciting news of how much has been pledged to our Grace-Filled Future.

SPACE COAST CONFERENCE ANNUAL GATHERING

Welcoming Children in Worship
Saturday, May 11, 2019, 10:00 a.m. till Noon
Advent Lutheran Church, Suntree Campus
Following a brief business meeting, our special guests, Dr. Dawn and Jonathan Rundman, will present a lively and engaging workshop about fresh thinking and practical tools to use in churches, including new musical ideas presented by Jonathan. Everyone is welcome, but this workshop will be especially useful for children's ministry leaders, Sunday school teachers, musicians, worship planners, and parents.