



**Advent
Lutheran
Church**



January 14, 2018
A Stephen Ministry Congregation
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**Evangelical Lutheran
Church in America**
God's work. Our hands.

The Weekly Messenger

Our Mission Statement:

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

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WORSHIP SCHEDULE

SUNTREE

Saturday: 5:00 pm Informal Traditional
Sunday: 9:00 am Contemporary
Sunday: 11:00 am Traditional

MELBOURNE BEACH

Sunday: 9:00 am Traditional
6:00 pm Contemporary

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

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

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

**SECOND SUNDAY
AFTER EPIPHANY
JANUARY 14, 2018**
1 Samuel 3:1-20
Psalm 139:1-6, 13-18
1 Corinthians 6:12-20
John 1:43-51

**THIRD SUNDAY
AFTER EPIPHANY
JANUARY 21, 2018**
Jonah 3:1-5, 10
Psalm 62:5-12
1 Corinthians 7:29-31
Mark 1:14-20

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. Please check the service time you attended. 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. We hope that you will worship with us again!

FROM THE FINANCIAL SECRETARY:

Because we gave out so many new envelope numbers this year, it is important that you write your name and address on the envelope--ESPECIALLY if you use cash. We want to be sure our records are correct and that your contribution is properly entered under your name so that we can send you your tax statement at the end of the year.

ANNUAL CONGREGATIONAL MEETING

**Financial Meeting and Installation of
Call Committee Members
Sunday, January 28, 2018, 12:30 PM,
Suntree Campus.**

LOVE YOUR (MUSLIM) NEIGHBOR AS YOURSELF

Pastor Don Reiter is leading this study of Islam from Living the Questions each Wednesday in January at 6:00 pm **in the Knoedler Center**, Suntree campus.

THIS IS WELCA THANK OFFERING WEEKEND!

"Thank boxes" or envelopes with donations to support the mission of the national organization of the Women of the ELCA can be dropped in the baskets placed at the front of the sanctuary during Communion at services this weekend.

YOUTH GROUP:

Middle school and high school groups meet Sundays from 10:00-11:00 AM at our Suntree Campus! Middle Schoolers meet in the Landing (youth room) and High Schoolers meet in the Loft (education building). Questions? Contact Stefanie Canjar (youth@adventlutheranbrevard.org).

TOWN HALL MEETINGS

Jan 14, 10:15 am, Melbourne Beach
Jan 21, 12:30 pm, Suntree

WORSHIP ATTENDANCE 01/06 –01/07: 403

PRAYER REQUESTS & UPDATES

Please fill out the prayer request cards located in the pew pocket in front of you. Forward your prayer requests to HelenAnn Bower at 735-7424 or Carol Stanton: parishadmin@adventlutheranbrevard.org.

MELBOURNE BEACH MEN'S BREAKFAST &

BIBLE STUDY will meet Thursday, January 18th at 7:30 AM. The group will continue the study of select Psalms. All are welcome. If you have any questions, please call Bill at 951-2384.

ADVENT MEN'S GROUP will meet on Saturday, January 20th at 9:00 in the Knoedler Center.

This meeting is important because of a special guest speaker and our election of officers. If you are interested in a position as Secretary or Vice President, please contact Don Hagen or Rudy Pacarro. Our special guest speaker in January will be Michael Carey who will inform us about "Church in the Wild" and building a neighborhood focused Christian community.

CALLING VOLUNTEERS FOR THE FOOD BANK!

Advent has a weekly food bank on Thursday evening from 5:30-6:30 pm serving between 30-45 people per week. Serving at this ministry can involve as little as 1-1/2 hours per month, or more if willing, in various roles such as packing bags, escorting the customers, and entering names into the computer. The job can be active or sedentary depending on your needs and wants. Contact Helen Condry at 321-412-1813 or by email at helencondry@gmail.com.

General Operating Income & Expense

	Through	Budget for		
December	112,663	88,115		
	November Actual	November Budget	2017 YTD Actual	YTD Budget
Income	55,277	62,467	634,180	723,285
Expense	61,118	61,313	616,826	674,302
Difference	-5,840	1,154	17,354	48,984

Please note: Expenses only reported for prior month

THIS WEEK AT ADVENT LUTHERAN CHURCH

Sunday, Jan 14—Thank Box Collection

9:00 am	Contemporary Service	Suntree
	Traditional Worship	M Beach
9:30 am	Adult Bible Study/HelenAnn	Suntree
10:00 am	Confirmation Class	Suntree
10:10 am	Aloha Bible Study/Rudy	Suntree
11:00 am	Traditional Worship	Suntree
4:15 pm	Non-Fiction Practice	M Beach
5:00 pm	Sunday Supper	M Beach
6:00 pm	Contemporary Service	M Beach

Monday, Jan 15 — MLK Jr. Holiday

8:00 am	Quilting Chicks	M Beach
11:00 am	Monday Morning Bible Study	M Beach
7:00 pm	Council Meeting	Suntree
	Boy Scouts	M Beach

Tuesday, Jan 16

10:00 am	Staff Meeting	Suntree
	Tuesday's Travelers	Offsite

Wednesday, Jan 17

6:30 am	Covenant Men's Bible	M Beach
10:30 am	Preschool Chapel	Suntree
1:30 pm	Kids Club-after school	M Beach
4:45 pm	Hand Bell Rehearsal	Suntree
6:00 pm	Islam Study w/Pr. Reiter in KC	Suntree
7:15 pm	Choir Rehearsal	Suntree

Thursday, Jan 18

7:30 am	Men's Breakfast & Bible Study	M Beach
10:00 am	Grief Support Group	Suntree
5:30 pm	Food Pantry	Suntree
6:30 pm	Disciple 13 Band Practice	Suntree
	Brevard Youth Chorus	Suntree
7:00 pm	Choir Rehearsal	M Beach

Friday, Jan 19

8:30 am	Faithful Folders	Suntree
8:00 pm	AA Meeting	Suntree

Saturday, Jan 20—ADVOCATE Deadline

9:00 am	Men's Breakfast	Suntree
9:30 am	Hymn Planning Team	Suntree
11:00 am	Traditional Worship Planning	Suntree
4:00 pm	Covenant Presbyterian	M Beach
5:00 pm	Informal Traditional Worship	Suntree
6:00 pm	Youth Super Saturday	Suntree

ADVENT'S FOOD PANTRY

This week, Advent's Food Pantry served 13 families consisting of 38 individuals. We distributed 20 bags of food. Current needs: canned soup, canned fruit.