



Newsletter

3508 E. Temple Way, West Covina, CA 91791

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Calendar

September 17 Regional Midweek Service 7:30 PM BE PRESENT!

Sept. 21 Divorce Care - 9:30-11:30 am
Children's Ministry Wing call **Mike Aceves**
@**(323)440-9944** or **Betsy Cisneros**
@**(626)715-3063**

Sept 22- Oct. 20 Sunday Services
9:30 AM & 5:30 PM Lesson Series -
'Follow'

Oct. 5 Women's Breakfast for
FamilyLife, Singles Impact and Teens
'Don't Stop Believing' - 9:00 AM

Nov. 8-10 Southwest Conference,
Long Beach, CA (see details below)



Prayer Requests

Anthony- Foster child we are praying for this month - Adoption

Dmitri Bystritski - Bren's son who is having serious health challenges.

David Lamb - Roger Lamb's who directs Disciples Today - his son has cancer and is receiving chemo.

Jamie Slobodnik - That his heart condition will normalize.

Lori Campbell - Health problems

Our Brothers & Sisters in the Middle East-Protection & opportunity

Amira Angulo - Her health - recovery

We want to follow Jesus, but where is he leading? What is the payoff for following him? Is it being a better person? Is it life in heaven after we die? Is it a pain-free life? If you follow Jesus, you will be a better person. If you follow him, you will go to heaven. If you follow him, you won't have a pain-free life. But that's okay, because Jesus offers much more—a faith so strong it frees us from fear.

With great anticipation, preparations have begun for the 2013 Southwest Christian Conference "BREAKTHROUGH" in Long Beach, California. The conference will begin at 1pm on Friday and we are asking everyone to take the day off of work and arrive early. Friday will be an important part of the conference that you won't want to miss. Register @ <https://swcc.laicc.net/>



The next Grief Recovery orientation & class will begin Sept. 15 from 5:30 - 7:30 PM. It is a 7 week program to repair emotional baggage using a

group dynamic. If you are interested please call Michelle Hollinshed for more information at (323)459-9265

Discussion Questions:

- 1.) Are you superstitious in any areas of your life? Explain.
- 2.) Do you tend to be a worrier or do you deal with circumstances as they come? How is that natural wiring a strength for you? How is it a weakness?
- 3.) What circumstances, consequences, or possibilities do you fear? How does that fear limit your choices in life?
- 4.) Think about a time when you felt close to God. Were your circumstances at that time good or bad? How did those circumstances, good or bad, influence your relationship with God?
- 5.) Have you ever met someone who was choosing to trust God through difficult circumstances? What impressed you about that person? Can you imagine yourself having a faith like that? Why or why not?
- 6.) What circumstances do you face right now that you need to entrust to God? What worries are you struggling with that you need to entrust to God? What can this group do to support you?

MOVING FORWARD

Have you ever met someone who is choosing to trust God through enormously difficult circumstances? Did you find yourself wanting some of that? That’s where following Jesus leads. Over and over in the gospels, that’s where he points people. The Sermon on the Mount is a picture of what a life of perfect faith looks like.

Can you imagine how liberating that would be?

CHANGING YOUR MIND

“I have told you these things, so that in me you may have peace. In this world you will have trouble. But take heart! I have overcome the world.”

John 16:33

Lighthouse Recap August

Average Weekly Attendance (including Latins) = 765
 Avg. Weekly Giving Actual Budget +/-
 August \$18,790 \$17,500 +1,290
 Special Missions \$168,000 (16k was raised via Fundraiser)

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