# NEWSLETTER

Leading you into a growing relationship with Jesus Christ

## This Month

FamilyLife Leaders Mtg today 11:30 AM Cafeteria

**Apr 6** Sunday Services 9:30am and 5:30pm

**Apr 13** Sunday Services 9:30am and 5:30pm

**Apr 12** Reality 14 Campus Event

**Apr 20** Special Easter Services 9:30am and 5:30pm

May 4 Special Mission Contribution

June 18 - July 30 VBS & Midweeks on Tuesday evenings

## **Prayer Requests**

**Paul Navarro** Comfort for the family at the passing of his father Tony.

**Helen Rosario** Her recovery from neck surgery.

**Sochi Andrade** Was recently diagnosed with Lupus.

**Chuck Santagati** Laura Garcia's father who has chronic pneumonia.

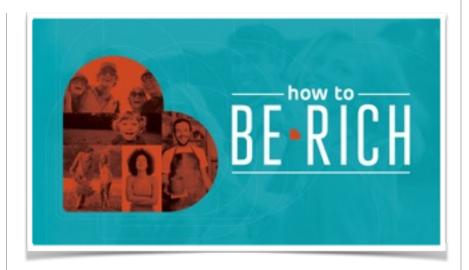
**Myra Moyal** Unknown blood sickness that cannot be diagnosed.

**Special Missions Contribution** 

Amy Pe Health recovery

Lori Campbell Health recovery

Amira Angulo Health recovery



# **Side Effects**

Rich people live in denial. They won't admit they're rich. No matter how much you have, someone always has more. But if you earn \$37,000 a year, you are in the top four percent of wage earners in the world. Most of us are rich. And one of the dangers of being rich is discontentment. The more you have, the more you want. Wealth has side effects. If you're rich, you're at risk. How do we avoid the pitfalls of wealth?

Every year, Lighthouse Church has the great privilege of giving Special Missions, which is an opportunity to financially support churches in Mexico and Central America. The truth is we are not only passionate about making a difference in our local community, but all over the world. So

please pick up some raffle tickets to begin raising money as we are asking for members to give *eleven times* their weekly giving. Stop by one of our tables after service for more information!





## Serve

Pomona Beautification Day: April 5 at 8:00am. Please sign up online at www.pomonaproud.org and specify the project at Palm Lakes Junior Golf Academy. We have been asked to provide 100 volunteers. All registered participants will receive a freeT-shirt, Free BBQ lunch and ticket to the Fair. The lunch will be served at the Pomona Fairgrounds. Also, a big thanks to all who served these last 3 months at the Pomona Winter Cold Shelter, we had over 600 volunteer hours served. Please be praying for a permanent solution to the homeless community in Pomona. If you have any questions, please call Will Neel 909.305.0124

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# **Discussion Questions**

- 1. How do you define "rich"? How much money does someone have to make in order to be considered wealthy?
- 2. When it comes to money and finances, what are your hopes, dreams, and goals?
- 3. In the message, Peter asked the question, "How much money would you need to secure your future against all imaginable eventualities?" What went through your mind?
- 4. Which of these statements creates more anxiety in you: "There is no God" or "There is no money"? Why?
- 5. **Read 1 Timothy 6:17** together as a group. How does this passage challenge your assumptions about wealth?
- 6. **Read Deuteronomy 8:10-18**. Wealth and God will always be in competition for your heart. How can you prevent your heart from leaving God?

## Moving Forward

If you're wealthy, don't be arrogant. Be grateful. Don't lean on your wealth, but on the One who gave you your wealth. That way, you can have peace in your heart as well as money in the bank. Make this daily declaration a part of your life: "I will not place my trust in riches, but in him who richly provides." What is one thing you can do this week to begin to put your hope in God instead of your wealth?

#### Changing Your Mind

No one can serve two masters. Either you will hate the one and love the other, or you will be devoted to the one and despise the other. You cannot serve both God and money.

Matthew 6:24

# **Lighthouse Giving Recap**

Average Weekly Attendance (Including the Latin Ministry) = 735

<u>Month</u>	<u>Actual</u>	<u>Budget</u>	<u>Difference</u>
February	\$ 18,277	\$ 19,100	(-823)



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