NEWSLETTER

Our passion is to lead you into a life that is *transformed* by Jesus Christ

This Month

FamilyLife Leaders Meeting Today in the cafeteria at 11:30 AM Feb 22 - Mar 22 Sunday Services 9:30am and 5:30pm at the Temple Feb 27 Prayer Night 8:30pm-10:30pm at KK Building Feb 28 Unleash Your Success 9am-11:30am at Pomona Fairplex Go to our website under <u>Calendar</u> for a complete 4-month calendar

Prayer Requests

Debbie Dominguez mother She suffered a possible aneurysm. Emergency surgery was performed. Santagati Family Pray for Laura's family as the recover from the loss. John Vu Kevin Vu's father who has been diagnosed with cancer.

Disciples in Middle East & Africa They are suffering a great persecution. National leaders are needed.

Churches in Ukraine Our brothers and sisters in the Kiev.

Contract with the Temple Wisdom for term and length.

World Leaders "That we may live peaceful and quiet lives in all godliness and holiness." 1 Tim. 2:1

Unemployed Members



Cage of Human Nature

In this last week of our series we are focusing on how our human nature pulls at us to do what we want instead of what God wants. It's a question we must ask each day: *Is this what I want or what God wants*? The desires outside the will of God can get us into all kinds of trouble. However, the good news is we have the Holy Spirit to help discern and overcome our sinful nature. The Wild Goose chase is what leads us to freedom and God's plan for our lives.



Did you miss last week's message? We got you covered. Just subscribe to our podcast, Lighthouse Church of Christ, and you can listen to any message from a past sermon series.

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Serving Opportunities

Tis the season to be generous and that is why we have the following opportunities to get involved. There will be a table set up outside after service every Sunday if you would like more information:

1. **Pomona Cold Winter Shelter** Please sign up to serve the homeless on any Thursday from either 5-7pm or 7-9pm.

2. Drivers Needed Help is needed bringing foster youth to church. If you're willing, call Will Neel (909) 305-0124

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Discussion Questions

1. Can you identify some desires that hurt your relationships with others and with God? What is the origin of that *desire*?

2. **Read James 4:1-2**. According to James, what causes all the conflict in our relationships? Where does God fit in? How can we overcome these desires?

3. **Read Genesis 25:31-33**. When you consider the story of Jacob and Esau, what kind of start did they have in following their sinful nature? What led Esau to sell his birthright? Why did Jacob take advantage of his brother?

4. **Read Genesis 28:13-15.** Did Jacob deserve this promise from God? Do we deserve His blessing in our lives after all the things we have done? What does this say about God's heart towards us?

5. **Read Genesis 32:9-12, 24-28.** What can we learn from Jacob's example as he returns to meet his brother Esau after 20 years? What can God change in our lives if we stay faithful in our walk with Him?

6. **Read Romans 8:12-17**. How significant are the changes that God wants to bring to our lives to our future and our family? Are you open to being led by the Holy Spirit on a daily bases?

Changing Your Mind

The Spirit himself testifies with our spirit that we are God's children. Now if we are children, then we are **heirs-heirs** of God and **co-heirs** with Christ, if indeed we share in his sufferings in order that we may also share in his glory.

Romans 8:16-17

Online

Giving

Lighthouse Giving Recap

Average Weekly Attendance (Including the Latin Ministry) = 745

<u>Month</u>	<u>Actual</u>	<u>Budget</u>	<u>Difference</u>
January	\$ 17,861	\$ 19,100	-(\$1,239)

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