LIGHTHOUSE CHURCH FEBRUARY 21, 2016

# LIGHTHOUSE

LOVE GOD, LIVE CHANGE, LIGHT THE WAY.

#### This Month

**Weekly Sunday Services** 

9:30am (12:30pm Spanish)

Feb 21 New Christians Lunch

11:30am in the Kitchen

Feb 26 Night of Worship

8:30pm at Kingdom Kids Building

Mar 19 Father Daughter Dance

\$25 Couple | \$5 Additional Child

6:00pm at the Temple

Go to our website under calendar for a complete 4-month calendar

## **Prayer Requests**

Amira Angelo Severe pain in head/ neck. Economic challenges also Casandra Lombera Please keep praying for her health to improve. Juan Aguilar Healing from cancer after his surgery to remove tumors.

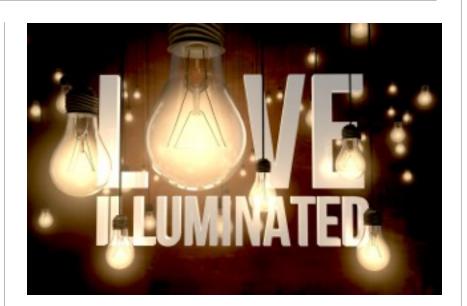
**Lori Campbell** Health challenges and spiritual encouragement.

Marissa Amazona Pray for Family. Shirley Moss Health challenges.

**Middle East Churches** The refugee situation is affecting our brothers and sisters in Christ.

**Prodigal Children** Pray that God will restore our children to himself.

World Leaders 1 Timothy 2:1-2 Unemployed Members



## **Lights Out**

February is the month where love is heavily marketed. "Give her something special this Valentines Day." In other words, buying her cards, flowers, jewelry or chocolate will do the trick. In a society with so many failed relationships, we need to ask the question...do these things really do the trick? Is this really love? We are going to explore God's love for each one of us and how He extends a covenant relationship to the world. Perhaps if we listen with our hearts, our Creator can help us truly understand what it means to say I love you.



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#### **Serve Others**

Opportunities to serve right now!

- Pomona Cold Winter Shelter
   Daily from 5:00pm-8:00pm
   600 S. Park Ave, Pomona, 91766
- Hope Youth Corp Applications
   Please note that Hope Youth Corp
   will start taking applications for
   opportunities to serve worldwide

#### **Contact Us**

#### **Elders and Wives**

Joe & Sandy Newfield 323.697.4610 Dave & Shirley Moss 909.896.9094

#### **Married Life**

Peter & Laura Garcia 909.450.1513 Anthony & Yvonne Tejeda 626.833.9685

#### Latinos

Joel & Rocio Serna 909.242.4970

#### **Singles**

Vince Lafarge & Juanita Wright 909.373.6391

#### Campus

David & Patty Molina 562.760.8938

#### **High School**

Mike & Ayumi Meade 626.482.8342

## **Discussion Questions**

- 1. Do you think the church is being affected by our society and its view of divorce? Can you think of any examples?
- 2. **Read Malachi 2:15-16 [Voice]**. Why do you think God feels so strongly about divorce? What is his ultimate purpose in commanding us to be true in our marriages? Why does our culture seem to be going in the opposite direction?
- 3. **Read Matthew 19:2-10**. What are the Pharisees trying to get Jesus to do? How does Jesus simplify the answer to this question? Why did Moses make an exception to God's original plan? What is Jesus' only exception for divorce? Do you see a connection when it comes to divorce during the time of Jesus and our culture today?
- 4. During the lesson, what did you think of Hector Torres' sharing about his parents divorce? Do you think being a part of the church alone will save you from getting divorced? Why is it so important to have teaching on divorce?
- 5. **Read 1 Corinthians 7:13,15**. According to the Apostle Paul, what is another exception to getting a divorce? Can you remember any key points from the letter the elders of the Los Angeles Church wrote? Have you read it?
- 6. What are some practical ways we can keep growing while making sure God is first in our marriages? Do you think our world needs some good examples of marriage? How can this group help each other build strong marriages and families?

### **Change Your Mind**

Give all credit to the Eternal, families of the world! Credit Him with glory, honor, and strength! Psalm 96:7

# **Lighthouse Giving Recap**

Average Weekly Attendance (Including the Latin Ministry) = 680

MonthActualBudgetDifferenceDecember\$ 17,376\$ 19,100-\$ 1,724



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