LIGHTHOUSE CHURCH FEBRUARY 7, 2016

# LIGHTHOUSE

LOVE GOD, LIVE CHANGE, LIGHT THE WAY.

#### This Month

**Weekly Sunday Services** 

9:30am (12:30pm Spanish)

Feb 12-14 Teen Winter Retreat

\$90 | Student : \$75 | Siblings

Feb 16 Celebration Tuesday

7:30pm at the Temple

Feb 26 Night of Worship

8:30pm at Kingdom Kids Building

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

### **Prayer Requests**

**Casandra Lombera** - She is doing much better but needs prayer for health to improve.

**Juan Aguilar** Healing from cancer after his surgery to remove tumors.

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

**Elva Pullenayegam** Fighting an evasive form of cancer.

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



## I Got You

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**

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#### **Married Life**

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#### Campus

David & Patty Molina 562.760.8938

#### **High School**

Mike & Ayumi Meade 626.482.8342

# **Discussion Questions**

- 1. Describe the difference between a *love* for chocolate and other things verses a *love* for another person. How is love defined in our culture today? What are some signs that we need help redefining what love is?
- 2. **Read Genesis 5:21-24**. What do you think Enoch's relationship with God looked like? Why do you think God just took him? How can you imitate his example in our lives?
- 3. **Read Genesis 15:1-6, 8-18**. Why did God go to all this trouble with Abram? It's as if God is saying to Abram, "I love you and I've got you." How serious was the agreement God made with Abram? What did Abram do to guarantee his side of the covenant?
- 4. How did Abram trust God in the future when he was asked by God to sacrifice his one and only son Issac? Do you think the two events are connected?
- 5. **Read Matthew 26:26-28**. When Jesus celebrated the Last Supper with his disciples, do you think they were struggling with doubt? How did Jesus assure them of this New Covenant? Who did the *blood walk* in this case? What is Jesus saying to you and me?
- 6. **Read 1John 3:16**. What are some practical ways we can lay down our lives for each other in this group? Are there any gifts we have that we are holding back from God, His church or even people around us?

## **Change Your Mind**

This is how we know what **love is**: Jesus Christ laid down his life for us. And we ought to lay down our lives for our brothers and sisters. **1 John 3:16** 

# **Lighthouse Giving Recap**

Average Weekly Attendance (Including the Latin Ministry) = 681

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



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