ANNOUNCEMENTS

GIVING UPDATE: Giving through January of our fiscal 2017/18 budget was right on track. However, income in February and March was much less than projected. As of April 1, we are approximately $93,000 behind in our donations while expenses continue to be less than anticipated. Received Year to Date: $1,704,617
Budgeted Year to Date: $1,797,880
Shortfall Year to Date: $93,263

STORIES OF THE STAINED GLASS WINDOWS: TODAY, 10:15am; Join us for a short tour of our Sanctuary’s stained glass windows. Discover the secrets hidden in these incredible pieces of art. Meet at the front of the chancel. All tour participants receive a free gift.

LOVING AND SERVING SPECIAL NEEDS KIDS AND ADULTS: Monday, April 16th, Fellowship Hall from Dinner, 6:45pm; Tuesday, April 17th, LC1, 12pm

Referrals Served; Wednesday, April 18th, Fellowship Hall, 11am Program, 12pm Pizza Lunch. Join Rev. Stan Beard and author Nick Palermo for this three session inspirational series. Brookie Phelps, brookiep@ljpres.org.

SCIENCE & THEOLOGY FOR EMERGING ADULT MINISTRY (STEAM) PROJECT: Thursday, April 19th, Dinner, 7:00pm, LC-1 (for under 30’s); Lecture/discussion, 7:45pm (for everyone); FH. College and Post-Graduate Students. Please join us at Dr. Michael Lodahl, Professor of Theology and World Religions at Point Loma Nazarene University will discuss “What on Earth Are We Humans Here For? Answers to Genesis 1” Jennifer Godstein, jennifer.godstein@gmail.com

BEGIN FOR NEW MEMBERS: Saturday, April 21st, 8:30-11:30am, If you are interested in learning more about our church or becoming a member, we are hosting a class called BEGIN. If you would like to join La Jolla Pres., please stay for our membership luncheon from 11:30-12:30pm. Childcare provided for both events. RSVP is required for the class and/or childcare to Erika Hill, erikah@ljpres.org.

GOOD COMPANY GOES TO THE MOVIES: Wednesday, Apr. 25, 6pm Happy Hour, 7:30 the movie Overboard, at THE LOT on Fay. Purchase your tickets in person or online for $12.00/person by signing up for “The Club” at THE LOT’s website: https://thelotent.com. For information and to confirm your attendance, contact Melissa Markey. Melissa.markey@gmail.com.

TO PARKING TO PARKING TO PARKING

GIVING THROUGH PRAYER: the Church in the Courtyard before 12pm to carpool, or at First Pres. Downtown, 1001 Orange Ave. We invite you to set a time each day to pray for God’s protection on our students and staff. For more information, please email: contact@ljpres.org.

ONGOING EVENTS

THE LOT: located at 332 10th Ave, La Jolla, CA 92037 (858) 487-7200; For information and to confirm your attendance, contact Melissa Markey. Melissa.markey@gmail.com.

To receive our weekly electronic newsletter, send an email to: goodtimes@ljpres.org

We see Jesus transforming lives in three stories: as we share God’s story and hear your story, we discover our story.

SUNDAY SCHOOL

8:45 and 10:00 AM, in the Children’s Ed Building

Nursery
Age 0-2: CE-6
Age 3-3.5 CE-2
Age 4-5 CE-4

K-5th Check -in: CE 2nd Floor
K/1st - Room 24
2nd/3rd - Room 27
4th - 5th Room 26 (X-Zone)
Pick Up: Room 22

Middle School: 8:45am SunHouse
Middle School & High School: Sit together at 10am Worship in the front left seats

1100 AM Check In and Pick Up 0-2 years only: CE-6

WOMEN’S BIBLE STUDY: Wednesdays 9:30-11am, LC3. For women of all ages with Childcare Provided. Cynthia Blase, Cynthia.blase@ljpres.org.

GROWING TOGETHER IN FAITH: is hosting Bible Study on the Wednesdays, 11:00am, Fellowship Hall. Everyone Welcome!

COMMUNITY BIBLE STUDY (CBS): Thursdays, 10:00am-noon, Fellowship Hall. For more information, check online at ljla.jobsclass.com. org for registration information. Jennifer, CBSjennifer@gmail.com.

CIRCLE E: Thursdays, 10:00am-2:00pm, LC-3. Sewing, needlework, quilting. Amazing. New members are needed, and we are willing to teach. Bring a sack lunch. Ruth Prestlik, 858-415-0342.

BIBLE MEDITATION: Thursdays, 10:00am-7:00pm, LC-3. All are welcome! Jennifer Sedgwick, jennifer.sedgwick@ljla.global.net.

LA JOLLA BRASS: Thursdays, 7:00-9:00pm, Chancel. For more info, Colin Wied, cwied@gmail.com. For schedule and information.

CHANCEL CHORALE: Celebrate God’s gift of music! Thursdays 7:00-8:30pm. Keith Pedersen, kpedersen@pointloma.edu.

YOUNG WOMEN’S PRAYER NIGHT: 1st Thursday each month, rotating homes, 7:30-9:30pm An evening prayer group, designed for moms who can’t attend the morning groups, will focus on praying together and supporting each other. Cynthia Blase, Cynthia.blase@ljpres.org.

BIBLE STUDY: Fridays 9:15-10:45am, LC1 and support for those in their “Mom Life” stage. RSVP to Cynthia.blase@ljpres.org Childcare Provided!

MONDAY NIGHT MEN’S FELLOWSHIP: Apr 1st, Dinner, 6pm & program, 8:45pm, Fellowship Hall. All men and women are welcome for a topical program. Loving and Serve Specialty Needs Kids and Adults.

GROWING IN PRAYER: Every second Tuesday of the month at 6:30pm, in LC-4. Pastor Scott facilitates this class on prayer for anyone who wants to grow in prayer and more effectively. Scott Mitchell, scottm@ljpres.org.

BREAKFAST & BIBLE STUDY: Wednesdays, 7:00-8:00am, LC-5. A Men’s Bible study. Rob Langdorf, mtnroby@yahoo.com.

WORSHIP TEAM BAND: Instrumentalists and singers are welcome! Tim Wingert, wingertj@hotmail.com.

LIPC MARRIAGE RETREAT: Saturday, April 27-Sunday, April 29 at the Lakehouse Resort San Marcos. Guest speakers Casey and Meygan Caston from Marriage365 will be speaking on Trust and Intimacy. Register in the courtyard today or at ljpres.events/warriors. If you are interested in volunteering, contact Erika at erikah@ljpres.org.

MOTHER SON “WARRIOR NIGHT”: Friday, May 18, 5:30-8:00pm at LIPC. Moms of preschool thru middle school boys, please join us & invite your friends for a night with campfire activities, obstacle courses, crafts, pizza and ice cream sundae. We hope you and your son will absolutely love enjoying together! Information and registration at ljpres.events/warriors. If you are interested in volunteering, contact Erika at erikah@ljpres.org.

EXTRA ROOM?: June 8-August 16, Sunflower is looking for a host for one female summer staff. Please contact Susie Dhus at susie@ljpres.org.

CONCERT SERIES: Please consider joining the LIPC Concert Series Committee! This involves attending eight or nine meetings per year, approving concert artists, and assisting with concert receptions and ushering. Ron Bolles, rbolles@ljpres.org or 858-729-5511.

NEED A STEPHEN MINISTER?: If you or someone you know would benefit from a Stephen Ministry relationship, please call Leslie Evans at (858) 414-4758 or Rebecca Bradbury at (858) 337-4765 for more information.

SANCTUARY USHERS NEEDED: Join our amazing team of Sanctuary Usurers, greeting, seating, and passing the collection only, when you can, not every Sun. Be a part of “OUR La Jolla Pres. STORY.” Ron Bolles, ronb@ljpres.org or 858-729-5511.

GOT SOCKS?: We are collecting new socks to distribute to the La Jolla homeless community. These items can be dropped off at the Reception Desk. Contact Melissa Gucinici at melissa@ljpres.org.

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April 15, 2018

THE STORY.

WE SEE JESUS TRANSFORMING LIVES IN THREE STORIES: AS WE SHARE GOD’S STORY AND HEAR YOUR STORY, WE DISCOVER OUR STORY.

WEEK TWENTY-NINE: “FOLLOWING UP”

1 THESALONIANS 1
HYMNS & ANTHEM

†Opening Hymn #347 All Creatures of Our God And King

All creatures of our God and King,
Lift up your voice and with us sing, Alleluia! Alleluia! Thou burning sun with golden beam, Thou silver moon with softer gleam! O praise Him! O praise Him! Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia! Thou rushing wind that art so strong Ye clouds that sail in Heaven along, O praise Him! Alleluia!

†Closing Hymn #318 Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing

Come, Thou Fount of every blessing, tune my heart to sing Thy grace;
Streams of mercy, never ceasing, call for songs of loudest praise.
Teach me some melodious sonnet, sung by flaming tongues above;
Praise the mount! I’m fixed upon it, mount of Thy redeeming love.

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