

LBAC's Family Calendar & Events

Sunday, May 21

- 9:00AM Morning Coffee
9:30AM Worship & Celebration
11:00AM Foundations Classes
6:00PM Youth Leader Meeting

MISSIONS

<http://www.lbac.org/missions>

GROWTH GROUPS

<http://www.lbac.org/gg>

Mid-week Bible Studies for all Adults

CHILDREN'S MINISTRIES

<http://www.lbac.org/children>

Sunday Mornings

Gospel Project @ 9:30AM
Fun-N-Funky Hour @ 11:00AM

AWANA

<http://www.lbac.org/awana>

Wednesdays through May 6:30PM-8:30PM

YOUTH MINISTRIES

<http://www.lbac.org/youth>

JH & HS Foundations ~ Sundays @ 11:00AM

HS Core Groups ~ Tuesdays @ 7:00PM

JH Core Groups ~ Thursdays @ 7:00PM

WOMEN'S MINISTRIES

<http://www.lbac.org/women>

Woman To Woman Mentoring

Contact: sherylnnelbac@gmail.com

Lydia House Meals Ministry

Contact: robbi@apabrandu.com

Women Connecting with Missions

3rd Tuesday of each month @ 7:00PM

Crafty Women

2nd Saturday of each month @ 10:00AM

MEN'S MINISTRIES

<http://www.lbac.org/men>

Contact: mensministry@lbac.org

Monday, May 22

- 6:00PM Compulsive Eaters Anonymous

Tuesday, May 23

- 10:00AM All Staff Meeting
7:00PM Elder Board Meeting
7:00PM High School Youth Group

Wednesday, May 24

- 6:30PM AWANA

Thursday, May 25

- 7:00PM Junior High Youth Group

Friday, May 26

- 6:30AM Men's Bible Study
8:00PM Narcotics Anonymous

Saturday, May 27

- 9:00AM Compulsive Eaters Anonymous
6:00PM AWANA YM Event

Sunday, May 28

- 9:00AM Morning Coffee
9:30AM Worship & Celebration
11:00AM Foundations Classes



THE
ALLIANCE

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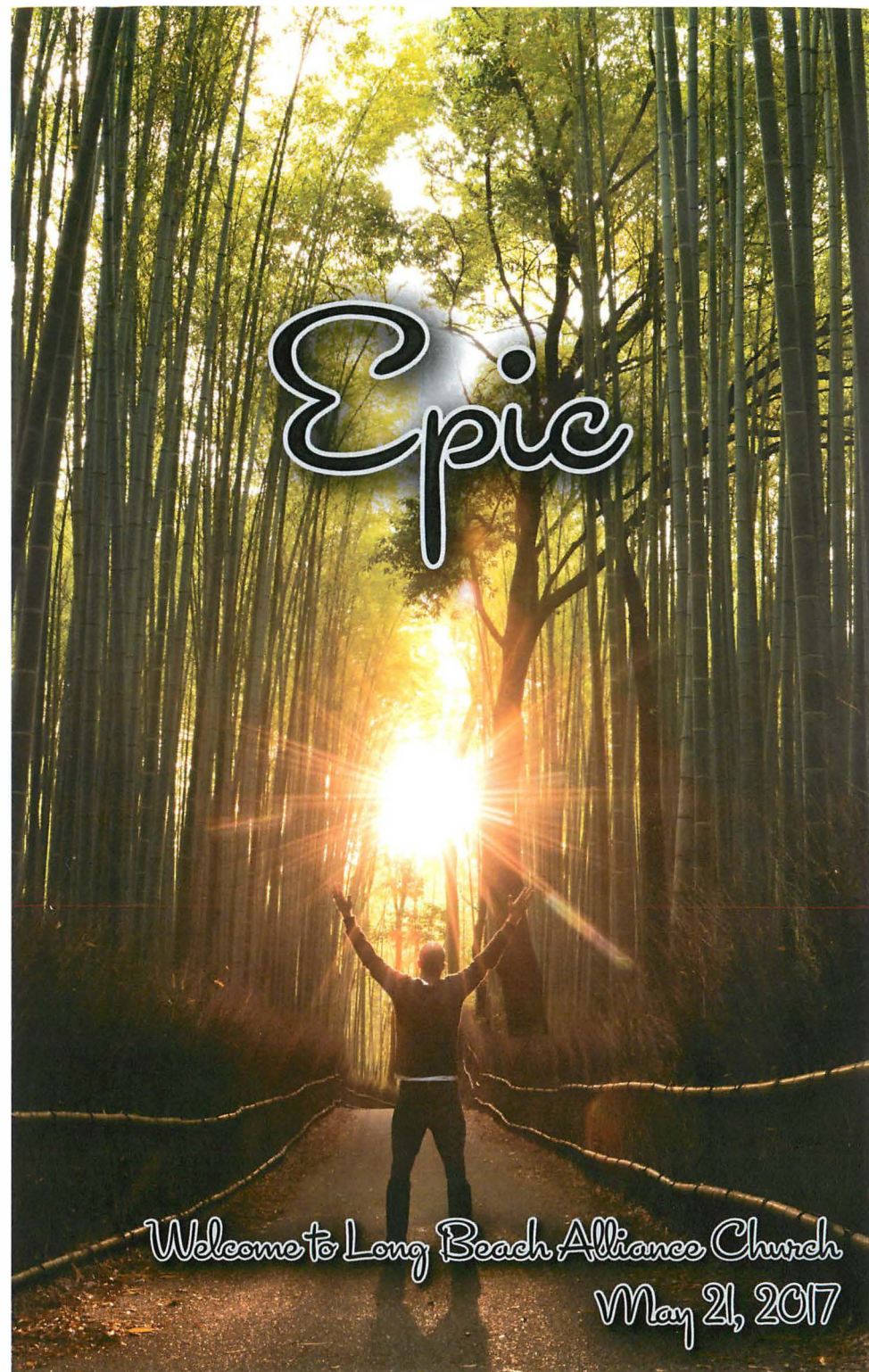
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Welcome to Long Beach Alliance Church
May 21, 2017

welcome to
**long beach
alliance church**

a community of Jesus followers who
love God, love others, & serve the world

HELPI HELPI

OUR LANDSCAPING NEEDS YOUR ASSISTANCE FOR
REGULAR WEEKLY/MONTHLY MAINTENANCE.
SIGN-UP AT OFFICE@LBAC.ORG FOR THE JOB DESCRIPTION
AND SCHEDULE FOR WATERING & WEEDING.
NEED MORE INFO? SEE MARGE CHARIS
MARGE.CHARIS@GMAIL.COM • 562.388.4148

HELPI! HELPI!

WE NEED SOMEONE WITH A HOSPITABLE HEART FOR
MAKING GOOD COFFEE ON SUNDAY MORNINGS!
SIGN-UP TODAY (PLEASE)!
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HELPI! HELPI!

WE NEED CHILDCARE WORKERS DURING FOUNDATIONS
HOUR FOR PRESCHOOL & NURSERY AGED CHILDREN.

SIGN-UP NOW!

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VBS
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**JULY
10-14**

Questions?
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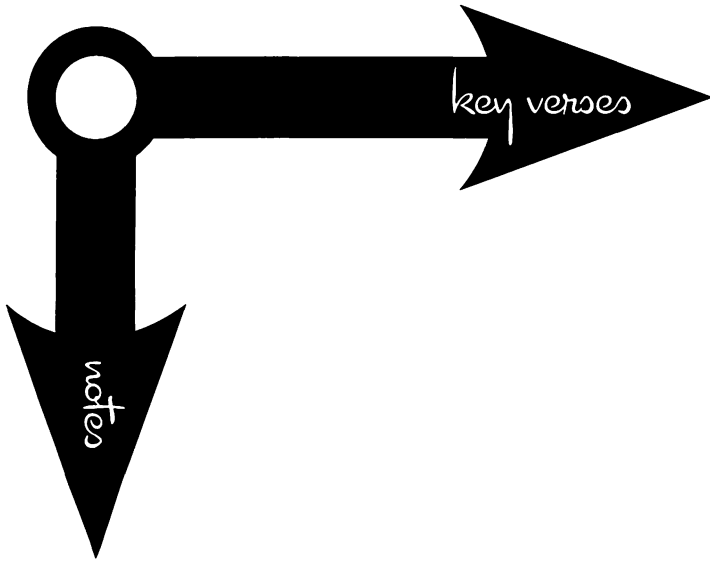
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NOW!**

LBAC Year-to-Date Financial Report

Budget	Required	Received	Budget %
Weekly:	\$12,236.37	\$11,876.26	97.1%
Month-to-Date:	\$24,472.74	\$24,082.79	98.4%
Year-to-Date:	\$464,982.06	\$425,736.62	91.6%
Disbursed YTD:		\$435,500.60	GOF Balance: -\$9,143.14

Epic: Judging Others

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*For if you forgive other people
when they sin against you,
your heavenly Father will also forgive you.
But if you do not forgive others their sins,
your Father will not forgive your sins.*

◆ *Matthew 6:14-15* ◆

1) Quit Judging Me!

- Luke 6:37-42

Attitudes of _____ & _____ Are Compatible With Our Prime Directive of _____

_____ The _____ Way God _____

- Colossians 3:14

When We _____ We Reveal The _____

2) Follow Good Leaders

- Luke 6:39-40

Follow _____

Jesus Followers _____ & _____

2) Your Log, My Splinter (Philip Graham Ryken)

- Luke 6:41-42

_____ On Your _____! Focus On The _____, Not the _____



Ice Breaker

- Have you ever sat on a jury? If so, how was the experience?

In-Depth

- Read Luke 6:37-42
 - Discuss what you learned from this week's sermon.
1. What does it mean to judge? What does it mean to be judgmental? Are these positive or negative terms?
 - A. Read John 12:47, Romans 14:4, and James 4:12. What is the common theme of these verses?
 - B. Read Matthew 23:29-33, Mark 6:11, Galatians 1:8, and Titus 3:10-11. Do these seem like judging?
 - C. Read 1 Corinthians 5:9-13. When is it okay to judge?

D. When is it not okay? Give specific examples.

- 2. Read Romans 2:1. Explain the relationship between judging and being judged in this and today's passages.**

- 3. Jesus describes a boomerang effect: what we do to others comes back to us ("...and you will not be judged, ...and you will not be condemned, ... and you will be forgiven, ... and it will be given to you.") In what ways is this referring to the reaction of men and of God?**

Making It Relevant

- 1. What are some examples you've seen of inappropriate judging?**

A. What lessons can we learn from those?

- 2. Have you ever been accused of being judgmental? Looking back, do you think the accusation was accurate?**

A. What can we do to better speak truth without it the appearance of judgmentalism?