

LBAC's Family Calendar & Events

Sunday, January 21

- 9:00AM Morning Coffee
- 9:30AM Worship & Celebration Service
- 11:15AM Foundations Hour Session #3
- 12:15PM Women's Titus 2 Discipleship Mtg
- 7:00PM Youth Leader Meeting

Monday, January 22

- 6:00PM Compulsive Eaters Anonymous

Tuesday, January 23

- 7:00PM Youth Group-High School

Wednesday, January 24

- 6:30PM AWANA

Thursday, January 25

- 7:00PM Youth Group-Junior High

Friday, January 26

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

Saturday, January 27

- 9:00AM Compulsive Eaters Anonymous

Sunday, January 28

- 9:00AM Morning Coffee
- 9:30AM Worship & Celebration Service
- 11:15AM Foundations Hour Session #3
- 12:30PM AWANA Leader's 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 @ 11:15AM (Resumes in Jan)

AWANA

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

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

YOUTH MINISTRIES

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

JH & HS Foundations ~ Sundays @ 11:15AM

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: sherylynnelbac@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

Regular Ministry Schedule & Contacts

Weekly Schedule



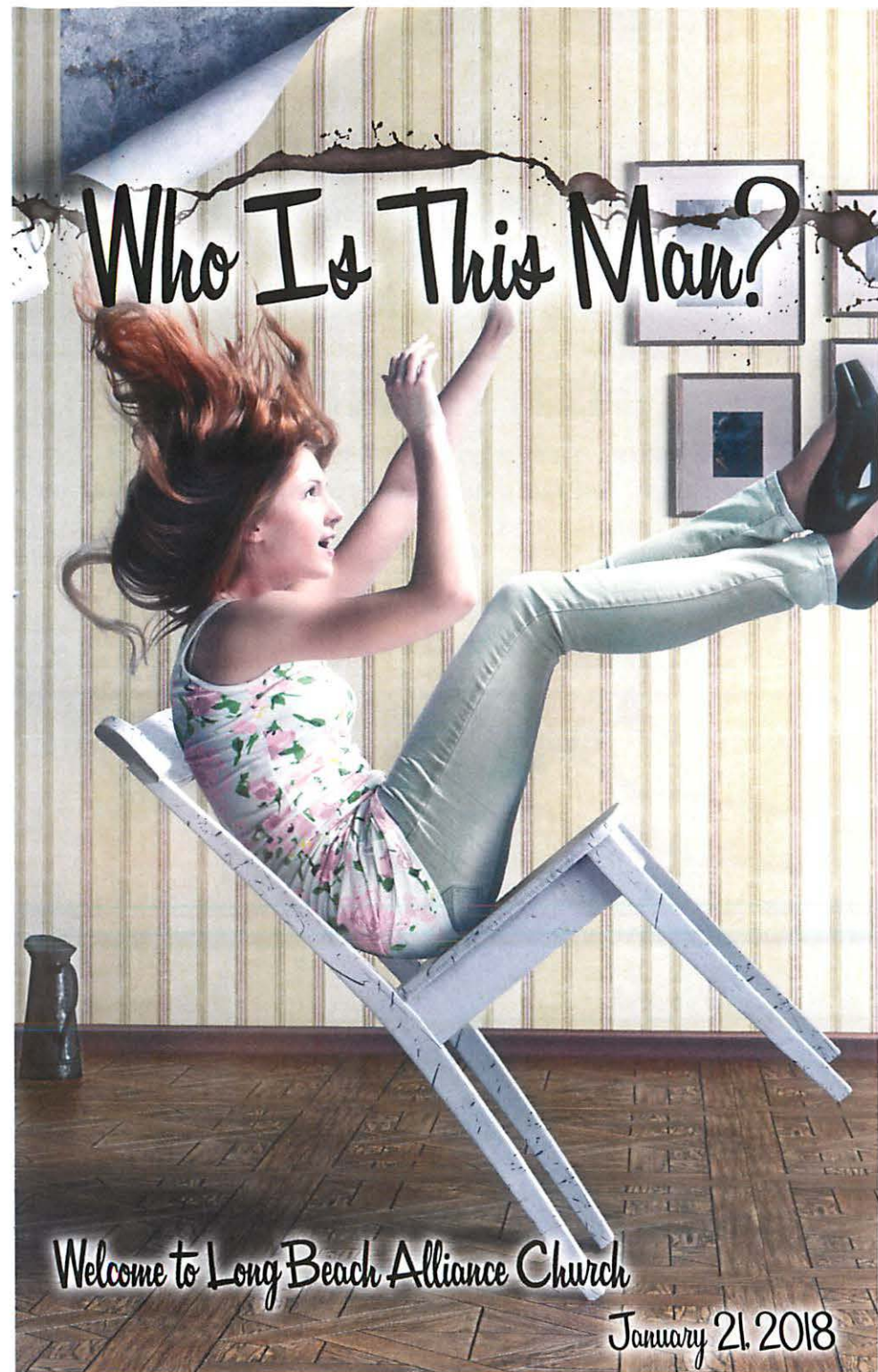
**THE
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church staff team

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welcome to long beach alliance church
a community of Jesus followers who
love God, love others, & serve the world

MEN WANTED

for hazardous journey, small wages, bitter cold, long months of complete darkness, constant danger. Safe return doubtful, honor and recognition in event of success.

OR

Come help at the
Women's Breakfast

It will be less dangerous, and the chances of your safe return are higher.



3RD ANNUAL

WOMEN'S BREAKFAST

WITH GUEST SPEAKERS: JOEY
AND LAURA GIANNONE

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 3, 2018 9:00AM

Help is still needed!

Preschool teachers

Nursery workers (during Worship service and Foundations hour)

AWANA Leaders (for Pre K-Grade 2)

Interested? Please notify our church office at office@lbac.org

FOUNDATIONS CLASSES

Crossing Borders Without Passports

Alan McMahan, Room 102

Learn to understand & minister to people from different cultures, religions, and backgrounds, whether you want to better relate to your neighbor or serve on a short-term missions team.

Parenting Fantastic Beasts

Pastor Matt Swaney, Room 203

Parenting is grey, not black & white. Our kids are growing up in an age that is changing moment by moment, with each child being different in personality and makeup. Connect with your children, while still maintaining the parental role, and help provide kids an atmosphere of grace and love where they can learn how to be responsible adults.

Griefshare

Meghan Brearley, Room 106

Walk alongside each other through one of life's most difficult experiences. You don't have to go through the grieving process alone.

Youth Foundations: The TEN

Pastor Jesse Duckett, Room 202

Explore deeper meanings and purposes of the Ten Commandments. Learning about them and adhering to them will actually be what frees us from a life of slavery.

Fun N Funky Hour

Laurel Swaney, Gym

A fun time for the kids (Age 6-Grade 5) while you're in your Foundations class. Nursery will also be provided for ages 0-5.

LBAC Year-to-Date Financial Report

<u>Budget</u>	<u>Required</u>	<u>Received</u>	<u>Budget %</u>
Weekly:	\$12,041.97	\$7,186.60	59.7%
Month-to-Date:	\$24,083.94	\$17,609.13	73.1%
Year-to-Date:	\$240,839.40	\$235,214.86	97.7%
Disbursed YTD:	\$229,500.00	GOF Balance:	\$5,714.86

Testimony

1) On-The-Job Training

- **Luke 9:1-6 (Matthew 10:1-14; Mark 6:7-13)**

Following Jesus Is Never A Spectator Sport

Discipleship Is A Universal Characteristic For All Christians

2) Gospel Testimony of Kingdom Healing

- **Luke 9:2-6 (also see Luke 22:35-36)**

Dependence On Christ's Provision Is A Central Discipleship Characteristic

Authority & Power Over Demons, Disease, and Death Authenticate The Kingdom Message

3) The Lidless Eye of Sauron (King Herod)

- **Luke 9:7-9 (Matthew 14:1-2; Mark 6:14-16)**

King Herod Asks, "Who Is Jesus?" A Foreshadowing Of Impending Darkness To Come

Growth Group Guide

Who Is This Man?

Week #3

Testimony

Luke 9:1-9

Ice Breaker

- Have you had a travel experience that was completely unexpected? How did it turn out?

In-Depth

- Read Luke 9:1-9
- Discuss what you learned from this week's sermon

1. Luke 9:1-2. What reasons could Jesus have had for sending the 12 out on their own?

1A. Has there been anything in your life equivalent to the disciples being sent out by Jesus? If so, what did you learn from it?

1B. Read Matthew 10:5-7. What was their message and why limit it to the Jews?

2. Luke 9:3. Read also Matthew 10:8-10. Why does Jesus tell them to take nothing on their missions trip?

2A. To what extent does this principle apply today? Should we send missionaries with no provisions?

3. Luke 9:4-5. Read also Matthew 10:11-15. What is Jesus' instruction about those who don't receive them? Why?

3A. To what extent does this principle apply today? What should our reaction be to those who reject the gospel?

4. Luke 9:6-9. Read also Matthew 10:16-23. How should Jesus' disciples expect to be received by the world? How should they (and we) react?

Making It Relevant

1. Are you comfortable relying on Jesus for your provision, rather than doing it on your own? How can you improve in this regard?

2. Do you have a heart for reaching the lost? What are you doing about it?