

# LBAC's Family Calendar & Events

## Sunday, June 16 (Father's Day!)

- 9:00AM Morning Coffee
- 9:30AM Worship & Celebration

## Monday, June 17

- 6:00PM Compulsive Eaters Anonymous
- 7:00PM Pure Desire
- 7:00PM Survivors of Incest Anonymous

## Tuesday, June 18

- 10:00AM All Staff Team Meeting
- 7:00PM The Deep
- 7:00PM Women Connecting with Missions

## Thursday, June 20

- 10:00AM Youth Beach Days
- 5:00PM Lydia House Women's Outreach
- 6:30PM Summer Youth Group

## Friday, June 21

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

## Saturday, June 22

- 9:00AM Compulsive Eaters Anonymous
- 2:00PM Leon Frewin's Celebration of Life

## Sunday, June 23

- 9:30AM Morning Coffee & Donuts in the Park<sup>2nd</sup> Saturday of each month @ 10:00AM
- 10:00AM Church in the Park Worship
- 12:15PM Deacon Meeting
- 6:00PM VBS JH Leader Meeting

### MISSIONS

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

### GROWTH GROUPS

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

Mid-week Adult Bible Studies (on break)

### CHILDREN'S MINISTRIES

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

### Sunday Mornings

Gospel Project @ 9:30AM

### AWANA

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

Wednesday Nights through May

### YOUTH MINISTRIES

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

The Process High School ~ Tuesdays @ 7:00PM  
Junior High Live ~ Thursdays @ 7:00PM

### WOMEN'S MINISTRIES

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

Woman To Woman Mentoring  
Contact: sherylynnelbac@gmail.com

Lydia House Meals Ministry  
Contact: mcoliver789@msn.com

Women Connecting with Missions  
3<sup>rd</sup> Tuesday of each month @ 7:00PM

### Crafty Women

2<sup>nd</sup> Saturday of each month @ 10:00AM

### MEN'S MINISTRIES

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

Contact: mensministry@lbac.org

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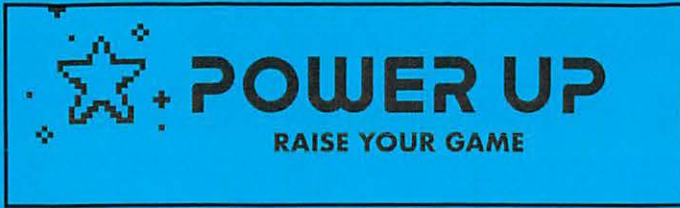
Weekly Schedule

Regular Ministry Schedule & Contacts





# REMINDER!



Today is the last day  
to register for VBS  
& guarantee the shirt size  
**REGISTER TODAY IF YOU HAVEN'T ALREADY!**

EL DORADO PARK  
2800 N STUDEBAKER RD LB

## CHURCH IN THE PARK

SUNDAY JUNE 23  
10:00AM-3:00PM

- LUNCH W/ "THE TACO LADY" (ONLY \$5.00)
- BOUNCE HOUSES (FOR KIDS)
- FACE PAINTING (ALL AGES)
- DESSERT (FREE)
- VOLLEYBALL TOURNAMENT (GOT GAME?)
- BRING A CHAIR OR BLANKET AND FOOD (WHO DOESN'T LOVE TACOS, THOUGH?)

**SIGN UP AT THE COURTYARD TABLE TODAY!**

▲ QUESTIONS? CONTACT [OFFICE@LBAC.ORG](mailto:OFFICE@LBAC.ORG) FOR MORE INFORMATION



### Leon Frewin's Celebration of Life

Saturday, June 22, 2019

2PM-4PM

2642 Woodstock

Los Alamitos

Please join us!

### LBAC Year-to-Date Financial Report

	<u>Budget</u>	<u>Received</u>	<u>Budget %</u>
Weekly:	\$11,977.03	\$6,455.30	53.9%
Month-to-Date:	\$23,954.06	\$14,960.30	62.5%
Year-to-Date:	\$491,058.23	\$520,918.85	106.1%
Disbursed YTD:	\$514,868.00	GOF Balance: \$6,050.85	



# 2019 CLASS OF

## CONGRATS graduates!

### COLLEGE

**Jeremy Blatchford**

Graduated from Talbot University with Master of Arts degree in science and religion.

**Gabe Schaub**

Graduating from University of California, San Diego with a Bachelor of Science degree in cognitive science

### HIGH SCHOOL

**John Bartlebaugh**

Graduating from Lakewood High School

Attending Long Beach City College to study business management.  
He is also taking time off from work this summer to do some traveling.

**Trey Bowers**

Graduating from Millikan High School

Attending University of Cal Maritime Academy to study marine transportation. Until then he'll be working and fishing.

**Aaron Guzman**

Graduating from Mayfair High School

Attending Cerritos City College to study theater arts

**Evan Coulter**

Graduating from Millikan High School

Attending University of California, Los Angeles in the Fall

**Mitchell Knight**

Graduating from Lakewood High School

Attending Long Beach City College in the Fall to study general education.

**Alexis Lavoie**

Graduating from Lakewood High School with honors

Attending Long Beach City College to study general education and plans to transfer to Cal State University, Long Beach to study criminal forensics and photography.

**Nathan Munoz**

Graduating from Millikan High School

Attending Long Beach City College to study kinesiology.

**Nathan Bonsteel**

Graduating from Millikan High School

### JUNIOR HIGH

**Asia Been**

Graduating from Stanford Middle School  
Attending Millikan High School in the Fall.

**Cosette Gerl**

Graduating from Keystone Academy  
Attending Calvary Chapel High School in the Fall.

**Jocelyn Gildart**

Graduating from Gildart Academy  
Attending Calvary Chapel High School in the Fall.

**Hannah Hooper**

Graduating from Oak Middle School  
Attending Los Alamitos High School in the Fall.

**Elijah Jason**

Graduating from McAuliffe Middle School  
Attending Los Alamitos High School in the Fall.

**Samantha Jump**

Graduating from Grace Christian School  
Attending Cypress High School in the Fall

**Wyatt Herzberg**

Graduating from Marshall Middle School  
Attending Millikan High School in the Fall

**Javan Ostermann**

Staying with Eastbrook Christian Academy

**Jonah Ostermann**

Staying with Eastbrook Christian Academy

**Kaden Posey**

Graduating from Marshall Middle School  
Attending Millikan High School in the Fall

**Carly Protzmann**

Graduating from Sky Mountain  
Attending Los Alamitos High School in the Fall





# 100 DAYS OF SUMMER

## JUNE

### *Movies in the Park*

How to Train Your Dragon Jun 17, 19, 21  
 Avengers: Infinity War Jun 18 & 20  
 Happy Feet Jun 24, 26, 28  
 Lego Movie 2 Jun 27

### *Movies on the Beach*

The Sand Lot Jun 18  
 Happy Gilmore Jun 20  
 The Goonies Jun 25

### *Concerts*

Long Beach Municipal Band  
 Jun 25, 26, 27, 28  
 El Dorado Nature Center: Steel Parade  
 Jun 27  
 Community Concert: Star 69 Band  
 Jun 29

### *Nature*

El Dorado Nature Center:  
 "A Night with the Stars" Jun 29

## JULY

### *Movies in the Park*

Bee Movie Jul 1, 3, 5  
 How to Train Your Dragon: Hidden World Jul 2  
 Bolt Jul 8, 10, 12  
 Captain Marvel Jul 11  
 Moana Jul 15, 17, 19  
 Ralph Breaks the Internet Jul 18  
 Frozen Jul 22, 24, 26  
 Cars Jul 29, 31

### *Movies on the Beach*

Jaws Jul 2  
 The Little Mermaid Jul 9  
 The Nightmare Before Christmas Jul 16  
 Coco Jul 18  
 Aquaman Jul 23  
 Ready Player One Jul 30

### *Concerts*

7th Annual Uptown Jazz Festival Jul 6  
 Community Concert: Gregg Young  
 and the Second Street Band Jul 6  
 El Dorado Nature Center: Corday Jul 11  
 The Gr8 Summer Blues Concert Jul 13  
 Community Concert: Boxcar 7 Jul 20  
 Community Concert: Midnight Ride Jul 27  
 Bernie Pearl Blues Band  
 with Barbara Morrison Jul 28

### *Nature*

El Dorado Nature Center:  
 Family Nightlife Walks Jul 2

## AUGUST

### *Movies in the Park*

Mary Poppins Returns Aug 1  
 Cars Aug 2  
 Wreck It Ralph Aug 5, 7, 9  
 Bumblebee Aug 8  
 Monsters Inc. Aug 12, 14, 16  
 Dumbo (2019) Aug 15  
 The Incredibles Aug 19, 21

### *Movies on the Beach*

ET Aug 1  
 Spiderman Into the Spider-Verse Aug 6  
 Incredibles 2 Aug 8, 23  
 Beetlejuice Aug 13  
 The Wizard of Oz Aug 15  
 Ferris Bueller's Day Off Aug 20

### *Concerts*

Community Concert: Susie Hansen Latin Band  
 Aug 3  
 Community Concert: Reel Steel Aug 4  
 El Dorado Nature Center: Big City Hillbillies  
 Aug 8  
 Elm Street Band Aug 9  
 El Dorado Nature Center: Sligo Rags Aug 22  
 100 Days of Summer Finale with Pop Vinyl  
 Aug 23

### *Nature*

El Dorado Nature Center: 50th Anniversary  
 of El Dorado Nature Center at  
 "A Night with the Stars" Aug 27

**FOR MORE EVENT INFO AND LOCATIONS, PLEASE GO TO: [WWW.100DAYSOFSUMMER.ORG](http://WWW.100DAYSOFSUMMER.ORG)**



# First Person Perks

Long Beach Alliance Church



June 16, 2019



Pastor Chris Lankford

## 1) Silencing the Voice of God

- A. Today is the second of five weeks studying the day-to-day themes for our 2019 Vacation Bible School "VBS 2019: Power Up!" Last week we answered the question, "Can God Be Known?" Power Up! Day #2 (Tuesday) asks us the question, "How Can God Be Known?"
- B. Since we know (from last week) that God is both relational and has created mankind for relationship with Him, it naturally leads us to ask, how has/does God reveal Himself?
- C. But, before we take a look at how God reveals Himself, let's first look at a time when God had been forgotten, when His voice was silent, and how it all happened. To do so, we will have to turn back the clock around 2,600 years to a small and weak southern kingdom of Judah, led by a 12-year old boy who became king for close to 55 years.

D. His father was King Hezekiah and his mother was Hephzibah, "the one in whom I delight" (2 Kings 20:21-21:1). His name was King Manasseh and he was one of the most evil kings in the history of God's people. The list of evil things in leading the southern kingdom of Judah are listed in detail in 2 Kings 21:2-9 until his equally evil son Amon took the throne for only two years, before he was killed by his own treasonous servants (2 Kings 21:23).

E. King Amon is hardly worth mentioning, except that he has a son named Josiah who became assumed the throne at only eight years old (2 Kings 22:1). King Josiah had two sons at 13/14 years old and 15/16 years old (2 Kings 23:31, 36) before taking the reigns of leadership at 18 years old (2 Kings 22:3).

F. King Josiah was a reforming monarch, repairing the Temple of God (2 Kings 22:3-7) and bringing radical reforms to most of the southern kingdom





of Judah which undid the evil of his grandfather King Manasseh, highlighted by the restoration of the Passover festival in Jerusalem (note 2 Kings 23:1-25).

- G. Shockingly though, Josiah did not read the Bible until he was 18 years old (2 Kings 22:8-10). Upon reading the Law in the "Book of the Covenant" (probably Deuteronomy, note 2 Kings 22:11, 23:21), Josiah repented before God for the people, and initiated all of his great reforms which distinguish him as one of God's few "righteous" kings (22:2).



- H. Because of the long-term evil leadership of King Manasseh, God's voice fell silent in Judah, to the point that the Law of God was lost, along with the good news of God's promises and all of the feasts which reminded God's people about how God had saved them, why they existed as a people, and where they were headed in eternity. It took just two generations, and all was lost, until King Josiah read God's Word and responded!

- I. Sadly, the High Priest Hilkiah's discovery from the Temple renovation and King Josiah's reforms could not stop what King Manasseh's evil leadership brought into Judah. King Josiah would be killed by an invading army from Egypt (2 Kings 23:29-30), which would eventually lead to the fall of Judah to the Babylonian King Nebuchadnezzar (2 Kings 25).

## 2) Learning to Hear the Voice of God

- A. What can we learn from all of this history? First, God speaks to mankind through His Word, the Bible (2 Peter 1:20-21, Matthew 4:4; 1 Peter 2:2).
- B. Second, the Word of God teaches us all we need for faith & practice (2 Timothy 3:16-17).
- C. The Word of God is truth (John 17:17) and reveals the truth (Hebrews 4:12-13). However, neglecting the truth leads to sin and the increasing influence of evil (2 Timothy 2:14-15).
- D. Make sure you know God's Word well enough to follow the wisdom of God, rather than wisdom which sounds good, but ultimately results in disobedience (James 3:13-18; Psalm 119:9-11). Remember, actions reveal your true loyalties (Galatians 5:16-24).
- E. Follow leaders who are dedicated followers of God's Word (Romans 10:17; 1 Corinthians 10:31-11:1; Titus 1:9; 1 Timothy 4:16; 2 Timothy 1:13-14, 4:1-2).



# VBS NEEDS

As VBS gets closer, there are a few things that we still need help with. That's where you come in...

## Volunteers

- Photographer/Videographer
- Help with game time for the elementary kids
- Classroom helpers for preschool through 4th grade

## Supplies from Costco no homemade snacks please

### Elementary Snacks

- 2 Country Time lemonades
- 4 Rice Krispie Treats
- 4 boxes of Goldfish
- 3 boxes of Kirkland fruit snacks
- 6 packs of Oreos
- 1 pretzel keg
- 4 bags of tortilla chips
- 3 boxes of squeezable applesauces

### Junior High Snacks (for approx 75 students each day)

- Juice boxes
- Cases of water
- Gatorade (small bottles)
- Assorted chip bags
- Assorted cookie bags
- Fruit by the Foot
- Granola bars

\*\*\*Please avoid purchasing any snacks with peanuts or dairy\*\*\*

## Decorating Supplies

- Large cardboard boxes

Thank you for considering helping make VBS so successful!

If you would like to help with anything on this list, please check the box and write your name and number below and drop this in the offering basket or in the main office.

Please DROP OFF all snacks in the kitchen BY JULY 1

Name

Phone Number