LBAC's Family Calendar & Events

Sunday, August 11

9:00AM Morning Coffee

9:30AM Worship & Celebration

11:30AM Family Bay Day

Monday, August 12

6:00PM Compulsive Eaters Anonymous

7:00PM Pure Desire

7:00PM Survivors of Incest Anonymous

Tuesday, August 13

7:00PM Governing Board Meeting

7:00PM The Deep

Thursday, August 15

10:00AM Youth Beach Days

5:00PM Lydia House Women's Outreach

6:30PM Summer Youth Group

Friday, August 16

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

Saturday, August 17

9:00AM LBAC Sound Training 9:00AM Compulsive Eaters Anonymous

Sunday, August 18

9:00AM Morning Coffee

9:30AM Worship & Celebration

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 September through May

YOUTH MINISTRIES

http://www.lbac.org/youth

The Deep- Tuesdays @ 7:00PM Summer Youth Group ~ Thursdays @ 6:30PM

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 3rd Tuesday of each month @ 7:00PM

Crafty Women

2nd Saturday of each month @ 10:00AM

MEN'S MINISTRIES

11:30AM AWANA All Leaders Meeting

12:15PM Deacon Meeting

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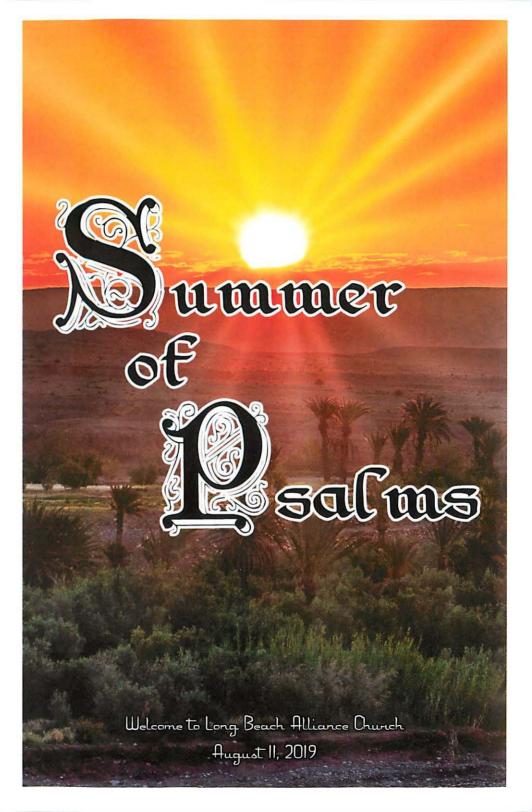
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All Volunteer Meeting

Sunday, August 18

Room 102 o 11:30AM

awana is almost upon us. Come meet with the new Commander, Tom Gerl, and see what this next year holds!





LBAC Year-to-Date Financial Report

	<u> buuget</u>	Received	buuget 16
Weekly:	\$11,977.03	\$21,650.80	180.8%
Month-to-Date:	\$11,977.03	\$21,650.80	180.8%
Year-to-Date:	\$586,874.47	\$619,931.62	105.6%

Disbursed YTD: \$610,423.00

GOF Balance: \$9,508.62

Summer of Psalms (S.O.P.'s)

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1) Psalm 91 - A Song for Dangerous Days

- A. Are you in trouble? Is there danger? Are you scared? Is life painful or difficult? How can we go through times such as these? Psalm 91 answers these questions with beauty and provides protection, security, and confidence in God! Like Psalm 23 (from last week), this Psalm is categorized among the "Songs of Trust."
- B. Psalm 91 is framed by two wonderful promises which are meant to help us remember how to go through troubling times. The first promise is from our intimate perspective (Psalm 91:1-2; note the first-person "I"), and the final promise is from the personal perspective of God (91:14-16; note the divine first-person "I").

2) God Is Our Shelter

A. The memorable words of Psalm 91:1-2 contain four descriptive names of God which provide the substance for "whom I trust." "Most High" (el-elyon; God is highest in authority and rulership); "Almighty" (el-shaddai; God is most powerful); "Lord" (Yahweh; God promises Himself to His people); and "my God" (elohim; the God in whom I hide as "my refuge and my fortress").

3) God Protects Us From What We Don't Know

A. God regularly protects/shields us from dangers we do not even know about (Psalm 91:3-6). God restrains the effects of sin in the lives of His people, even our own arrogant sin (cf. Psalm 32:7).

4) God Protects Us Personally

A. God is at work around us conquering wickedness, even when we don't see it (Psalm 91:7-8). Since this is the case, God is always at work protecting you from evil, even when it doesn't seem like it (cf. Luke 21:17-19; Romans 8:28). God's protection is personal. When you belong to God, He is on your side (Psalm 91:9-10).

5) God Protects Us Miraculously

- A. Not only does God provide His Spirit to guide and teach us (Ephesians 1:13-14), God also provides us with security and protection miraculously with powerful ministering angels (Psalm 91:11-13; cf. Hebrews 1:14).
- B. Further, this protection is so extraordinary that we can have confidence in engaging fearfully evil enemies (situations, people, demonic forces) with complete confidence that God will put them to shame ("trample underfoot").
- C. Satan himself attempted to use confidence in God's miraculous protection against Jesus Christ (Matthew 4:5-7) to test and see if Jesus would use this truth selfishly. Jesus gives us a practical example of how to respond to these verses, and how the quiet submission of Jesus was rewarded by God (note Matthew 4:11).

6) God Promises Protection For You!

- A. God Most High, Almighty, LORD, and our God now takes the stage and speaks to us personally (Psalm 91:14-16). God rewards the faithful with protection and deeper knowledge of God's character ("he knows my name").
- B. God is so personal, we can call out to Him during our times of danger, fear, pain, and difficulty and God answers our prayers with compassion and rescue.
- C. God promises long life (cf. Psalm 23:6) to the person who lives out the promise of abiding in the shelter of God's surrounding protection (Psalm 91:1-2 & 16). When our need is highest, even at times when we do not even realize the dire danger of our situation, God promises help to those who abide in Him!
- D. God invites us to come to Him with every possible situation, in every possible circumstance, and to trust ourselves completely to His protection. He will not let us down. He will reveal His salvation to all who trust themselves to Him!