

Roman Roads



Welcome to Long Beach Alliance Church

Sunday, March 21, 2021

Worship Songs • Sunday, March 21, 2021

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Approach My Soul The Mercy Seat

Chorus

Approach my soul the mercy seat
Where Jesus answers prayer
There humbly fall before His feet
For none can perish there

V-1

Thy promise is my only plea
For this I venture nigh
Thou callest burdened souls to Thee
And such O Lord am I

Chorus

Approach my soul the mercy seat
Where Jesus answers prayer
There humbly fall before His feet
For none can perish there

V-2

Bowed down beneath a load of sin
By Satan sorely pressed
By wars without and fears within
I come to Thee for rest

Chorus

Approach my soul the mercy seat
Where Jesus answers prayer
There humbly fall before His feet
For none can perish there

V-3

O wondrous love to bleed and die
To bear the cross and shame
That guilty sinners such as I
Might plead Thy gracious name

Chorus

Approach my soul the mercy seat
Where Jesus answers prayer
There humbly fall before His feet
For none can perish there (2x)

Who You Say I Am

V-1

Who am I that the highest King
Would welcome me?
I was lost but He brought me in
Oh His love for me, Oh His love for me

Chorus 1

Who the Son sets free, Oh is free indeed
I'm a child of God, yes I am

V-2

Free at last, He has ransomed me,
His grace runs deep
While I was a slave to sin Jesus died for me
Yes He died for me

Chorus 2

Who the Son sets free, Oh is free indeed
I'm a child of God, yes I am
In my Father's house there's a place for me
I'm a child of God yes I am

Bridge

I am chosen not forsaken,
I am who You say I am
You are for me not against me,
I am who You say I am (2x)
I am who You say I am

Chorus 2

Who the Son sets free, Oh is free indeed
I'm a child of God, yes I am
In my Father's house there's a place for me
I'm a child of God yes I am

Prayer of Confession March 21, 2021

Lord Jesus Christ,
You came in order to serve, not to be served.
We confess how unlike You we are
In both our attitudes and actions.
We serve when it is convenient for us
Or when it furthers our own purposes and agenda.
We are reluctant to do so when it would be costly to us.
Forgive our failure to love You and be Your imitators.
Forgive our failure to love others.

How grateful we are that You have given
Your life as a ransom for many.
Now give us your strength
In order that we might pour our lives out for You
And for those You have placed in our lives.

We ask this for the glory of Your name
And for the glory of Your kingdom!
Amen.

Speak O Lord

Speak, O Lord, as we come to You
To receive the food of Your Holy Word.
Take Your truth, plant it deep in us;
Shape and fashion us in Your likeness,
That the light of Christ might be seen today
In our acts of love and our deeds of faith.
Speak, O Lord, and fulfill in us
All Your purposes for Your glory.

Give Me Jesus

V1

In the morning when I rise, (3x)
give me Jesus

Chorus

Give me Jesus, give me Jesus
You can have, all of this world, just give me Jesus

V2

When I am alone, When I am alone
Oh when I am alone, give me Jesus

Return to Chorus

V3

When I come to die, When I come to die
Oh when I come to die, give me Jesus

Chorus

Give me Jesus, give me Jesus
You can have all of this world,
You can have all of this world,
You can have all of this world, just give me Jesus

Baptisms Are Coming

NEXT WEEK! Sunday, March 28, Palm Sunday
During the Worship & Celebration Service

Are you interested in Baptism?

If you are ready or want to better
understand what it means to be baptized,
contact office@lbac.org
to sign up or for more information.

Easter Parking Lot Service

APRIL 4

10:30AM

Invite your friends and family!

HE IS RISEN

CELEBRATE THE RESURRECTION

Building Up His Church

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27 Now you are the body of Christ and individually members of it. 28 And God has appointed in the church first apostles, second prophets, third teachers, then miracles, then gifts of healing, helping, administrating, and various kinds of tongues. 29 Are all apostles? Are all prophets? Are all teachers? Do all work miracles? 30 Do all possess gifts of healing? Do all speak with tongues? Do all interpret? 31 But earnestly desire the higher gifts. And I will show you a still more excellent way.

~ 1 Corinthians 12:27-31

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1) Spiritually Empowered Individuals/Offices

APOSTLES:

PROPHETS:

EVANGELISTS:

PASTORS/SHEPHERDS:

TEACHERS:

2) Spiritually Empowered Functions

APOSTLESHIP/MISSIONARY:

EVANGELISM:

PROPHECY/WISDOM:

LEADERSHIP/ADMINISTRATIVE:

TEACHING/PREACHING/EXHORTATION:



GIVING/GENEROSITY:

HOSPITALITY:

PRAYER/INTERCESSION:

FAITH:

SERVICE:

MERCY:



WORD OF KNOWLEDGE:

PHYSICAL HEALING:

SIGN MIRACLES:

SPIRITUAL DISCERNMENT:

TONGUES/INTERPRETATION:



CELIBACY/SINGLENES:

MARTYRDOM:

Verses Sheet

(PLEASE DO YOUR BEST TO USE YOUR OWN BIBLE, IT IS GOOD PRACTICE FOR READING YOUR BIBLE THIS WEEK!)

Ephesians 4:11-13

¹¹And he gave the apostles, the prophets, the evangelists, the shepherds and teachers, ¹²to equip the saints for the work of ministry, for building up the body of Christ, ¹³until we all attain to the unity of the faith and of the knowledge of the Son of God, to mature manhood, to the measure of the stature of the fullness of Christ...

Romans 12:3-8

³For by the grace given to me I say to everyone among you not to think of himself more highly than he ought to think, but to think with sober judgment, each according to the measure of faith that God has assigned. ⁴For as in one body we have many members, and the members do not all have the same function, ⁵so we, though many, are one body in Christ, and individually members one of another. ⁶ Having gifts that differ according to the grace given to us, let us use them: if prophecy, in proportion to our faith; ⁷if service, in our serving; the one who teaches, in his teaching; ⁸the one who exhorts, in his exhortation; the one who contributes, in generosity; the one who leads, with zeal; the one who does acts of mercy, with cheerfulness.

1 Corinthians 12:4-11, 27-28

⁴Now there are varieties of gifts, but the same Spirit; ⁵and there are varieties of service, but the same Lord; ⁶and there are varieties of activities, but it is the same God who empowers them all in everyone. ⁷To each is given the manifestation of the Spirit for the common good. ⁸For to one is given through the Spirit the utterance of wisdom, and to another the utterance of knowledge according to the same Spirit, ⁹to another faith by the same Spirit, to another gifts of healing by the one Spirit, ¹⁰to another the working of miracles, to another prophecy, to another the ability to distinguish between spirits, to another various kinds of tongues, to another the interpretation of tongues. ¹¹All these are empowered by one and the same Spirit, who apportions to each one individually as he wills.

²⁷Now you are the body of Christ and individually members of it. ²⁸And God has appointed in the church first apostles, second prophets, third teachers, then miracles, then gifts of healing, helping, administrating, and various kinds of tongues.

Notes Page

(A PAGE FOR NOTES, OR IF YOU ARE UNDER 12 YEARS OLD, A PAGE FOR DOODLES ABOUT THE SERMON!)

EASTER SCAVENGER HUNT



**SATURDAY,
APRIL 3 @ 10AM**

COME TO LBAC AT 10AM TO RECEIVE
YOUR INSTRUCTIONS.

EACH FAMILY WILL REMAIN IN THEIR
OWN CAR AND DRIVE AROUND THE
COMMUNITY TO COMPLETE THE
SCAVENGER HUNT.

RETURN TO LBAC FOR A FUN EASTER
SURPRISE FOR KIDS (THRU 8TH GRADE).
INVITE YOUR FRIENDS!

RSVP TO MEGHAN 562.708.9261 OR
MEGHAN@LBAC.ORG

Red Cross Blood Drive

Sunday

April 18

8AM-2PM

Save the Date!

redcrossblood.org ♥ Sponsor Code: **LBAlliance**



LBAC Year-to-Date Financial Report

	<u>Budget</u>	<u>Received</u>	<u>Budget %</u>
Weekly:	\$12,803.78	\$10,117.34	79.0%
Month-to-Date:	\$25,607.56	\$19,749.73	77.1%
Year-to-Date:	\$358,505.84	\$359,814.57	100.4%
Disbursed YTD:	\$372,025.00	GF Balance: \$28,484.18*	

*Denotes General Fund (GF) balance after subtracting \$47,232.00 of Paycheck Protection Plan (PPP)

Small Business Loan funds. LBAC's application has been sub mitted for the promised complete loan forgiveness and is expected soon. Until then, we will report the GF balance with PPP funds subtracted.

LBAC's Family Calendar & Events

Weekly Schedule

Regular Ministry Schedule & Contacts

Sunday, March 21

- 9:30AM Gospel Project: Children's Ministry
- 10:30AM Parking Lot & **Livestream**
Worship & Celebration!
- 4:00PM Why on Earth Are a Christian?
Foundations Class

Monday, March 22

- 7:00PM Pure Desire Outdoor & **Zoom** Mtg
- 7:00PM SIA Outdoor & **Zoom** Mtg

Tuesday, March 23

- 10:00AM All Staff Team Meeting
- 7:00PM Elder Board Meeting
- 7:00PM HS In-Person Youth Group

Thursday, March 25

- 7:00PM JH In-Person Youth Group

Friday, March 26

- 8:00PM NA In-Person & **Zoom** Mtg.

Sunday, March 28

- Palm Sunday
- 9:30AM Gospel Project: Children's Ministry
- 10:30AM Parking Lot & **Livestream**
Worship & Celebration!

MISSIONS

[Link to LBAC Missions!](#)

GROWTH GROUPS

[Link to LBAC Growth Groups!](#)

Mid-week Adult Bible Studies

CHILDREN'S MINISTRIES

[Link to LBAC Children's Ministries!](#)

Sunday Mornings:

Gospel Project @ 9:30AM

Fun-N-Funky @ 11:15AM (on hold)

AWANA

[Link to LBAC AWANA](#)

Wednesday Nights September-May (on hold)

YOUTH MINISTRIES

[Link to LBAC Youth Ministries!](#)

[Click Here For Youth Group Live Stream Events](#)

Every Tuesday & Thursday Night @ 7:00PM

WOMEN'S MINISTRIES

[Link to LBAC Women's Ministry!](#)

Women's Ministry Event Information

Contact: deya@charter.net

Lydia House Meals Ministry

Contact: mcoliver789@msn.com

[Women Connecting with Missions](#)

3rd Tuesday each month @ 7:00PM (on hold)

[Crafty Women](#)

2nd Saturday each month @ 10:00AM (on hold)

MEN'S MINISTRIES

[Link to LBAC Men's Ministry!](#)

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