



# RESTORED & RENEWED

*Welcome to Long Beach Alliance Church*  
*Sunday, May 8, 2022*

# Happy MOTHER'S Day

Women, ages high school junior and older:  
Please join us on Monday nights for

## Salvation Stories from the Old Testament

At the home of Deya Slade: 3581 Halbrite Ave. Long Beach 90808

562-761-5464

Study starts at 7:00PM

All are welcome to arrive at 6:30PM to do your "pre-reading"



Week 4 (May 9) Pre-Reading: Numbers 21:4-9

**FREE MEN'S  
BREAKFAST**

**SATURDAY, MAY 14  
8:00 AM LBAC GYM**

To sign up visit the Men's Courtyard Table or email [mensministry@lbac.org](mailto:mensministry@lbac.org)

## LBAC Year-to-Date Financial Report

|                | <u>Budget</u> | <u>Received</u> | <u>Budget %</u>         |
|----------------|---------------|-----------------|-------------------------|
| Weekly:        | \$13,089.97   | \$8,860.00      | 67.7%                   |
| Month-to-Date: | \$13,089.97   | \$8,860.00      | 67.7%                   |
| Year-to-Date:  | \$458,148.95  | \$463,997.98    | 101.3%                  |
| Disbursed YTD: |               | \$422,348.94    | GF Balance: \$96,798.36 |

Offerings can be placed in the locked box in the Sanctuary Lobby or given to any usher





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**THANK YOU!**



**SOUTHEAST  
ASIAN  
COUNTRY**

# BECAUSE OF YOU,

## A MISSIONARY'S DREAM REACHES THE ENDS OF THE EARTH

In 1945 Alliance missionary Robert Jaffray was in a prison camp in Indonesia with a fellow missionary. While there, Jaffray had a vision from God. He told his friend that upon their release they would go to a special Southeast Asian country God revealed. Jaffray died in the camp several weeks later.

Fast forward 71 years when 60+ students attended a missions conference at the Jaffray School of Theology in Indonesia. After hearing of Jaffray's vision, one young woman, Mawar, knew God wanted her to take the gospel to Jaffray's special country. She took a vision trip in 2019 with Alliance workers you sent. Standing in the massive Buddhist temple watching a father teach his child how to give food to the giant Buddha statues, Mawar said, "They need to know about Jesus."

When COVID hit, Mawar was prevented from going into Southeast Asia. Then a military coup kept the country closed. Was this the end of Jaffray's vision? Through your faithful giving, God opened another way.

More than 300,000 people from the country of Jaffray's vision live in Bangkok, Thailand. The heads of the Indonesia and Thailand C&MA churches agreed to a partnership to send Mawar, the first cross-cultural, cross-language missionary in the history of the Indonesia C&MA, into Bangkok. When the Southeast Asian country reopens, she will go there—for now, she will be reaching the native people by way of Thailand.

Praise God for making a way for His message! And thank you for continuing to send and support workers like Mawar, fulfilling a dream to take the gospel to the ends of the earth.

04/2022



**83.4%**  
UNREACHED



**78.0%**  
BUDDHIST



**4.87%**  
EVANGELICAL

# CHOSEN FOR BETTER THINGS

LONG BEACH ALLIANCE CHURCH • MAY 8, 2022 • HAPPY MOTHER'S DAY! • PASTOR CHRIS LANKFORD

MATTHEW 4:18-22, 16:13-20; LUKE 5:1-11, 22:31-34, 54-62; JOHN 21:1-22:1 PETER 1:1-2

1) SIMON PETER BAR-JONAH

2) FISHERMAN, SPOKESMAN, & THE OG EVANGELIST

3) DEEP KNOWLEDGE OF GRACE & THEOLOGY IN CHRIST

# LOVE HAS NO LIMITS

A home  
for every child



## Join us to learn about Foster Care and Adoption

Hear from other foster families, learn about the process and receive answers to all your questions.

CASA, KidSave and others will be on hand for those who wish to volunteer their time to help children and families in need.

**Saturday, May 14, 2022**  
**10 am - 12 pm**

*Refreshments will be provided*  
**Family Church - Signal Hill**  
2094 Cherry Ave.

RSVP



Los Angeles County Department  
of Children and Family Services







**ALLIANCE YOUTH**  
CHARITY GOLF TOURNAMENT

# **Friday, May 13, 2022**

## **Shotgun Start begins at 1PM**

**WE NEED INDIVIDUAL GOLFERS AND FOURSOMES.  
SPONSORSHIPS ARE ALSO AVAILABLE.  
PLEASE HELP SEND THE YOUTH/CHILDREN TO CAMP.**

**To Register: [www.allianceyouthgolf.com](http://www.allianceyouthgolf.com)**

**Silent Auction**  
**May 1- May 15**

**WHETHER YOU GOLF OR NOT,  
THIS IS ANOTHER GREAT WAY TO HELP!**

**<https://app.galabid.com/lbac>**

**QUESTIONS?**

**JESSE DUCKETT 562.454.7122 OR  
MEGHAN BREARLEY 562.708.9261**

# LBAC's Family Calendar & Events

Weekly Schedule

Regular Ministry Schedule & Contacts

## Sunday, May 8

- 8:45AM Prayer Time
- 9:30AM Gospel Project: Children's Ministry
- 9:30AM Worship & Celebration Service

## Monday, May 9

- 6:30PM Women's Bible Study (offsite)
- 7:00PM Betrayal & Beyond Zoom Meeting
- 7:00PM Pure Desire Meeting
- 7:00PM SIA In-Person & Zoom Mtg

## Tuesday, May 10

- 2:00PM All Staff Team Meeting
- 6:00PM Pivot Young Adult Ministry
- 7:00PM Betrayal & Beyond Zoom Meeting
- 7:00PM Governing Board Meeting
- 7:00PM High School Youth Group
- 7:00PM Men's Bible Study (offsite)

## Wednesday, May 11

- 6:30PM AWANA
- 7:00PM Revelation Bible Study (offsite)

## Thursday, May 12

- 7:00PM Junior High Youth Group

## Friday, May 13

- 1:00PM Alliance Youth Golf Tournament
- 8:00PM NA In-Person Mtg

## Saturday, May 14

- 8:00AM Men's Zoom Bible Study
- 8:00AM Men's Fellowship Breakfast
- 9:00AM Deaconess Meeting

## Sunday, May 15

- 8:45AM Prayer Time
- 9:30AM Gospel Project: Children's Ministry
- 9:30AM Worship & Celebration Service

## MISSIONS

[Link to LBAC Missions!](#)

## GROWTH GROUPS

[Link to LBAC Growth Groups!](#)

Mid-week Adult Bible Studies (on hold)

## 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

## YOUTH MINISTRIES

[Link to LBAC Youth Ministries!](#)

[Link to LBAC Youth Instagram Page](#)

Every Tuesday & Thursday Night @ 7:00PM

## WOMEN'S MINISTRIES

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

Women's Ministry Event Information

Contact: [office@lbac.org](mailto:office@lbac.org)

Lydia House Meals Ministry

3<sup>rd</sup> Thursday each month

Women Connecting with Missions

3<sup>rd</sup> Tuesday each month @ 7:00PM (on hold)

Crafty Women

3<sup>rd</sup> Saturday each month @ 10:00AM

## MEN'S MINISTRIES

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

Contact: [mensministry@lbac.org](mailto:mensministry@lbac.org)

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For prayer requests: [prayer@lbac.org](mailto:prayer@lbac.org)

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