

SUNDAY SERVICE

Call to Worship
Psalm 149:1-4

Sing

Holy Holy Holy

Scripture Reading & Prayer
1 Thessalonians 2:1-12

O Praise the Name

Announcements & Offering

There is One Gospel

Sermon: Shine - You are Salt & Light
Matthew 5:9-16
Shannon Hurley

All Glory be to Christ



LESSON:
GOD PREPARES ISRAEL FOR
THE COVENANT

PASSAGE:
EXODUS 19:1-25

MAIN IDEA:
THE HOLY LORD CHOOSES A
PEOPLE FOR HIMSELF.

WELCOME TO COMPASS



MEN'S EVENT

On Friday, September 12 at 7:00am we will have a time for men to worship, fellowship, and study God's Word. The topic will be "Living a Pure Life in a Pornographic World." We will meet at 2280 Clark Avenue (LB Nazarene). All men are encouraged to be there and feel free to invite a friend.

GOSPEL RUSH

Join us for our Gospel Rush events this week!

8/27 - WEDNESDAY NEIGHBORHOOD OUTREACH
@ 6:30pm Bancroft Middle School

8/28 - THURSDAY PRAYER NIGHT @ 6:30pm
Long Beach: 1927 Volk, 90815
Seal Beach: 409 Purdue Cir, 90740



EQUIPPING CLASS

Next week, Pastor Bruce will finish the series "Equipped to Fish for Men" with a training on how to use the resource Exploring the Gospel.

LABORERS ON LABOR DAY

On Monday September 1, join our final Neighborhood Outreach before the special event "Can I Really Trust Jesus." We will be meeting outside the Bancroft auditorium at 9am. We will have free T-shirts for all who come with us!

SAVE THE DATE
WOMEN'S EVENT
FRIDAY OCTOBER 3RD @ 7PM

August 24, 2025

FELLOWSHIP GROUPS

Next men's groups:
September 2, 3, 4

Next women's groups:
September 9, 10, 11

If you'd like to join a fellowship group at Compass, visit the Connect table after the service for more information OR email Bruce@compasslb.com

THERE WILL BE NO
FELLOWSHIP GROUPS THE
LAST WEEK OF AUGUST



DOUGHNUTS & COFFEE

Grab a doughnut or coffee (hot or iced) at the table near our Fellowship Field behind the auditorium.



August 24, 2025 - Shannon Hurley - Part 3 of the Gospel Rush series

FIVE KEY WORDS:

#1 - _____ v.9-10

#2 - _____ v.10-12

#3 - _____ v.13-15

#4 - _____ v.16

#5 - _____ v.12

⁹Blessed are the peacemakers, for they shall be called sons of God.

¹⁰Blessed are those who have been persecuted for the sake of righteousness, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven.

¹¹"Blessed are you when people insult you and persecute you, and falsely say all kinds of evil against you because of Me.

¹²"Rejoice and be glad, for your reward in heaven is great; for in the same way they persecuted the prophets who were before you.

¹³"You are the salt of the earth; but if the salt has become tasteless, how will it be made salty again? It is no longer good for anything, except to be thrown out to be trampled under foot by men.

¹⁴"You are the light of the world. A city set on a hill cannot be hidden;

¹⁵nor does anyone light a lamp and put it under a basket, but on the lampstand, and it gives light to all who are in the house.

¹⁶"Let your light shine before men in such a way that they may see your good works, and glorify your Father who is in heaven.

PERSONAL REFLECTION QUESTIONS

1. **Read Matthew 5:1-9.** Can you be characterized as someone who is poor in spirit, who mourns over your sin, is meek, hungry and thirsting for righteousness, is merciful, pure in heart, and a peacemaker?
2. Do you typically experience persecution for your faith?
3. Do you tend to be tempted to run from being salt and light due to fear of persecution? Is there an instance where you lacked boldness that you need to confess?
4. How is your community tangibly different because of your presence?
5. What can you do practically to let your light shine this week?

Bible Reading Plan

Monday 25 th	Tuesday 26 th	Wednesday 27 th	Thursday 28 ^h	Friday 29 th
Ephesians 6	Philippians 1	Philippians 2	Philippians 3	Philippians 4

Prayer Requests

- Pray for neighborhood outreach on August 27 and Laborers on Labor Day on September 1
- Pray for boldness even when threatened by persecution
- Pray that our light would shine so that people would be saved and God would be glorified
- Pray that we would rejoice in eternal reward more than we'd seek out the approval of the world