

## SUNDAY SERVICE

Call to Worship  
*Psalm 145:1*

*From the Heights*

Scripture Reading & Prayer  
*Psalm 1*

*Yet Not I*

Announcements & Offering

*There is a Fountain*

*His Mercy is More*

Sermon: Controlled by Christ's Love  
*2 Corinthians 5:14-15*  
Bruce Blakey

Communion  
*In Christ Alone*



LESSON:  
GOD REQUIRES HOLY LIVING

PASSAGE:  
LEVITICUS 19:1-37

MAIN IDEA:  
GOD'S PEOPLE ARE TO BE HOLY.

# WELCOME TO COMPASS

## KIDS CHRISTMAS CHOIR

We are excited to announce our first Kids Christmas Choir! The choir will sing during the service on Sunday, December 14. Children in kindergarten through 5th grade are welcome to join. Scan the QR code to sign up!

Parents, join us for an info meeting on October 26th at 1:00 PM in Room 8103.



## EQUIPPING CLASS

Next week Pastor Bruce will begin a series on "The Christian and His Finances." Jesus spoke more about money and possessions than heaven and hell combined because this is what we must deal with everyday. How do Christians live with their eye on heaven and deal with the daily needs of life in this world? That is what we will be exploring in this series which will be both biblical and practical.

The Equipping Class meets in the gym at 9:00 AM on Sunday. Kids Ministry and Student Ministry is available at this time as well.

## MEN'S BREAKFAST

There is a lot of confusion these days on the roles of Men and Women in our culture and the church. The Bible speaks plainly to this issue and we will look at this carefully at the Men's Breakfast. Pastor Bruce will be speaking on the theme "Time to Act Like Men." All men are encouraged to make it a priority to be at this important and timely event.

We will also enjoy worshipping and fellowshiping together as well as have a delicious breakfast. You can sign up right now with the QR code or stop by the sign-up/information booth the next two Sundays. The event location is Long Beach Nazarene, 2280 Clark Avenue on November 8 at 8:00 AM.



## DAILY BIBLE READING PODCAST

We are excited to announce a new resource for our church's Bible reading plan!

Starting tomorrow, October 20, our church will begin the **Look & Live** podcast. Each episode will provide a short commentary by Pastor Josh on our church's reading from the Gospel of Luke.

The podcast is live now and can be located by searching "Look & Live" on Spotify or Apple Podcasts.

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## FAITHFUL FOLDERS

We are looking for faithful servants to help us fold our weekly church bulletin before the service every Sunday morning. The team will be meeting Sundays on Bancroft campus at 8:15 AM. If you're willing to serve in this way, please email [sabine@compasslb.com](mailto:sabine@compasslb.com)

## FELLOWSHIP GROUPS

Next women's groups:  
October 21, 22, 23

Next men's groups:  
October 28, 29, 30

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](mailto:Bruce@compasslb.com)



DOUGHNUTS & COFFEE

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



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14 For the love of Christ controls us, having concluded this, that one died for all, therefore all died.

15 And He died for all, so that they who live would no longer live for themselves, but for Him who died and rose again on their behalf.

#1 Meditate on Christ's Love (v.14a)

#2 Think About the Work of Christ (v.14b)

#3 Live Your Life for Christ (v.15)

**Application Questions:**

1. What amazes you most about Christ's love and why?

2. How has thinking about Christ's sacrifice affected your life?

3. How would you explain the love and work of Christ to an unbeliever or a struggling believer?

4. What difference should a believer's death with Christ (Romans 6:3, 5-7) make in their everyday life?

5. How did this passage and all the Scripture referenced in the sermon make you think about ways you can live more for Christ and less for yourself?

Personal Question: Do you need to be reconciled to God? If you have questions, please talk with your FG leader or a pastor.