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LOOK
&
LIVE



Look & Live is a podcast from our church designed to accompany our Bible reading plan. In each episode, Pastor Josh will provide a few insights into that day's passage. Our prayer is that this will enrich your time in God's Word and your walk with Him.



The Equipping Class meets in the gym at 9:00 a.m. on Sundays. On March 22, Bruce Blakey will teach on 1 Peter 1:22 "Love One Another". Kids Ministry and Student Ministry is available at this time as well.

GIVE



NEWSLETTER



WELCOME

March 15, 2026

SUNDAY SERVICE

Call to Worship
Psalm 55:22

From the Heights

Leaning On the Everlasting Arms

Scripture Reading & Prayer
Psalm 57

I Will Wait For You (Psalm 130)

Announcements and Offering

How Deep the Father's Love For Us

Sermon: Happy to Pray for You
Ephesians 1:15-18
Josh Petras

Be Thou My Vision



LESSON:
God is Rejected by Israel

PASSAGE:
Judges 1:1-3:6

MAIN IDEA:
God's anger burns against those who reject Him.

WELCOME TO COMPASS

Easter Outreach

Join us the next three Saturdays as we invite the community to our Easter Weekend services. This week, please join us at the office space at 9:00 a.m. as we head out into the neighborhoods.

March 21
March 28
April 4



Saturday, March 28 at 8:00 a.m.

Ladies, you are warmly invited to join us for a special women's breakfast centered on the encouraging truths of Psalm 37:1-8.

Stop by at the Women's Event table or scan the QR code on the right and sign up today!



If you are a college age student come join us Sundays at 6:00-8:30 p.m. for fellowship, teaching and small groups to discuss the Sunday morning's sermon. Contact Pastor Brad for more information.

When: Sunday Nights
Where: 6565 Stearns St., Long Beach, 90815

National Equipped Conference 2026

JUNE 12-13

Join other Compass Bible Churches this summer for the National Equipped Conference. This two-day conference will be held in Huntington Beach, with pastors and members present from seven other Compass Churches. The teaching theme this year will be prayer.

Register today for this encouraging and helpful event.



Easter AT COMPASS

GOOD FRIDAY COMMUNION SERVICE

Friday, April 3
5:00 p.m. & 7:00 p.m.
Kids Ministry ages 0-5

RESURRECTION SUNDAY SERVICE

Sunday, April 5
8:30 a.m. & 10:30 a.m.
Kids Ministry
for infants-5th grade



DOUGHNUTS & COFFEE

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



March 15, 2026 - Pastor Josh Petras - Sermon 6 in our study of Ephesians

#1 - _____ v.15-16a

¹⁵For this reason I too, having heard of the faith in the Lord Jesus which exists among you and your love for all the saints,

¹⁶do not cease giving thanks for you, while making mention of you in my prayers:

¹⁷that the God of our Lord Jesus Christ, the Father of glory, may give to you the Spirit of wisdom and of revelation in the full knowledge of Him,

#2 - _____ v.16b

¹⁸so that you—the eyes of your heart having been enlightened—will know what is the hope of His calling, what are the riches of the glory of His inheritance in the saints,

#3 - _____ v.17-18a

APPLICATION QUESTIONS

0 - Our Good Friday and Resurrection Sunday services are less than three weeks away. As our church seeks to invite visitors, who are some people you can specifically be praying for? Take time to pray for the salvation of the lost this season.

1 - What stood out to you in our study of **Ephesians 1:15-18**?

2 - What is faith? How would you differentiate the biblical definition of faith from the world's view of belief? Use verses. Why is it right to thank God for the faith of others?

3 - Read **Ephesians 1:15-16, Colossians 4:12, 1 Thessalonians 3:11-13, and Philippians 1:9-11**. Notice how often Paul and his team pray from fellow believers. Have you ever been encouraged to learn that someone was praying for you?

4 - Read **Isaiah 6:1-7, Exodus 14:26-31, Colossians 1:9-10, Romans 12:1-2**. How does an intimate knowledge of God shape the moment-by-moment decisions of a believer? How can you walk in this knowledge? How can you pray for others and their knowledge of God?

5 - In light of this study, how will you pray for the people of your church this week? Be specific about a plan and people.

Spend time praying.

Bible Reading Plan (March 16-21)	
MON	Matt 28:1-10, 2 Cor 1:12-24, Psalm 59, Num 26-27
TUE	Matt 28:11-20, 2 Cor 2, Psalm 60, Num 28-30
WED	John 1:1-18, 2 Cor 3, Psalm 61, Num 31-32
THU	John 1:19-34, 2 Cor 4, Psalm 62, Num 33-36
FRI	John 1:35-51, 2 Cor 5, Psalm 63, Deut 1-3
SAT	John 2:1-11, Psalm 64, Deut 4-5

Prayer Requests
Colossians 4:2 - Devote yourselves to prayer...
Praise God for the faith that exists at Compass Bible Church.
Pray for our gospel witness as Easter is 3 weeks away.
Pray for selfless hearts that commit to pray.
Pray for Spirit-empowered knowledge of God that leads to holiness and service.
Pray for a permanent facility for our church family.