

CONNECT

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CHURCH OFFICE HOURS:

TUESDAY - FRIDAY 10:00 A.M. - 4:00 P.M.

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The *Equipping Class* meets in the gym at 9:00 a.m. on Sundays to equip adults to live the Christian Life and to minister to others. During the course of the year the Class will study books of the Bible, passages of the Bible, or various Biblical Topics with the emphasis on understanding the Bible and learning to practically apply the Bible to real life and ministry.

Next week, Pastor Brad Comstock will be teaching from Luke 18:35-43 regarding lessons we can learn from the crowd and the blind beggar.

Kids Ministry and Student Ministries are also available during this time.

LOOK
&
LIVE



The Look and Live Podcast is taking a break from the normal format during the summer and will be doing "Five Minute Introductions" to the books in our reading plan.

GIVE



NEWSLETTER



BUILT TO LAST



COMPASS
BIBLE CHURCH
LONG BEACH

August 9, 2026

SUNDAY SERVICE

Call to Worship
Hebrews 13:20-21

From the Heights

Praise His Name (Psalm 148)

Scripture Reading and Prayer
Hebrews 4

Before the Throne of God Above

Announcements and Offering

Speak O Lord

Sermon: Built to Last Pt. 1

Walk in Truth
3 John 1-4
Josh Petras

By Faith



LESSON:
Elijah and the Prophets of Baal

PASSAGE:
1 Kings 16:29-17:1; 18:1-2, 17-46

MAIN IDEA:
Yahweh alone is God, so follow Him alone.

WELCOME TO COMPASS

FELLOWSHIP GROUPS

Our Fellowship Groups begin meeting weekly again **this week**. Each group meets on a designated Tuesday, Wednesday or Thursday evening from 6:30-8:00 p.m.

If you have any questions about your Fellowship Group, please contact your group leader. **If you're interested in joining a Fellowship Group** or would like more information, please contact Pastor Brad by visiting the Connect Table after the service, contacting him directly, OR using the QR code below

Cell (562) 833-9467
Email Brad@compasslb.com



SCHEDULE A
MEETING TODAY!

WELCOME LUNCH

This lunch is for those who are new to Compass Bible Church or those who are looking to take the next step in connecting.

We want to invite you and your whole family to a FREE lunch with our pastors. This lunch is designed to help you get to know our church and to allow us to get to know you.



WELCOME LUNCH
DETAILS & REGISTRATION

FAMILY WEEKEND

Join us for a weekend of focused biblical teaching and a special time of fellowship as we gather together as a church family. Bruce and Roberta Blakey will be teaching on the topic: *Marks of a Mature Marriage*. We will conclude the weekend with a church picnic at Wardlow Park immediately following our regularly scheduled worship service at Bancroft Middle School.

Dates: Friday, August 28 –
Sunday, August 30

Teaching Location: Los Altos Grace Church
6565 E Stearns St., Long Beach, CA 90815



INDIVIDUAL REGISTRATION: \$5
FAMILY REGISTRATION: \$10

PARENT DEDICATION

If you're a member of our church and have a child **two years old or younger**, we'd like to pray for you at our upcoming parent dedication on September 13th.

For more information and to register, use the QR code below. A mandatory meeting will be held after church on Sunday, August 16th, for those who are interested.



PARENT DEDICATION
DETAILS & REGISTRATION



There are opportunities to serve with us in Set Up, Break Down, and Parking Ministries each week. If you are interested in serving, please scan the QR code for more details.



SIGN UP

the exchange
College Ministry

When: Sunday Nights
Time: 6:00-8:30pm
Where: 6565 E Stearns St.,
Long Beach, 90815



When: This Thursday
Time: 6:30-8:30pm
Where: 7122 E El Paseo St.,
Long Beach, 90815



August 9, 2026 – Pastor Josh Petras

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A) — _____

B) — _____

C) — _____

¹ The elder to the beloved Gaius, whom I love in truth.

² Beloved, I pray that in all respects you may prosper and be in good health, just as your soul prospers.

³ For I rejoiced greatly when brothers came and bore witness to your truth, *that is*, how you are walking in truth.

⁴ I have no greater joy than this, to hear that my children are walking in the truth.

APPLICATION QUESTIONS – Welcome back to Fellowship Groups!

1 – What stood out to you from our study of **3 John 1-4**?

2 – **Read Psalm 1, Romans 12:1-2, and John 17:17.** How important is truth for the Christian life? What steps are you taking to meditate on truth in a world that does not value truth?

3 – What is the difference between knowing the truth and walking in truth? Using Scripture, explain the importance of understanding this distinction.

4 – What role should a Fellowship Group have in helping each other walk in the truth? Support with Scripture.

5 – How does your Fellowship Group need to help you walk in truth?

6 – **Read 3 John 4.** Do you share the same joy as John? How are you currently working to help others walk in truth?

Bible Reading Plan (August 10-15)	
MON	Luke 21:1-19, Heb 4:12-16, Prov 9, Neh 6
TUE	Luke 21:20-38, Heb 5, Prov 10:1-16, Neh 7
WED	Luke 22:1-13, Heb 6:1-12, Prov 10:17-32, Neh 8
THU	Luke 22:14-23, Heb 6:13-20, Prov 11:1-15, Neh 9
FRI	Luke 22:24-38, Heb 7:1-10, Prov 11:16-31, Neh 10
SAT	Luke 22:39-46, Prov 12, Neh 11

Prayer Requests
Colossians 4:2 – Devote yourselves to prayer...
Pray for the upcoming Family Weekend event.
Pray that our church would walk in the truth.
Pray that we'd joyfully serve for the spiritual good of others.
Pray for the Lord to build a lasting witness at Compass LB.
Pray that God's name would be magnified in Long Beach.
Pray for God to provide a permanent 24/7 building.