



Blessed to Bless

Welcome!

April 26, 2026

SONGS & PRAYER

GOD'S WORD

John 17:1-5

“From the Depths to the Glory Above”

PARTING

Song

Prayer Pointer

*But if we walk in the light,
as he is in the light,
we have fellowship with one another,
and the blood of Jesus, his Son, purifies
us from all sin.*

1 John 1:7

Outline

1. The Glory of the Triune God
2. The Authority of Jesus
3. The Glory of Jesus

Announcements

Thank you for your prayers, notes of encouragement and support during our recent loss. We are so grateful for Long Beach CRC.

The Plasier Family

Our **second offering on May 3, GEMS Sunday**, will be received for GEMS Service Center.(Girls Everywhere Meeting the Savior). GEMS is a non-profit club for girls which relies on the gifts of local churches and faithful individuals. GEMS invites you to share in our mission! Through your prayers and continued financial support more girls will meet the Savior.

Vacation Bible School Needs

YOU! - VBS is around the corner and we have volunteer opportunities for everyone!

1. Set Build Day - Saturday May 16th 8:30 AM - Noon - help set the stage with backdrops, posters and more - from building waterfalls to crafting tropical vines, we have opportunities for all skill levels. Please text or email Rebecca to let her know you will be there at vbs@lbcrc.org or 562-712-6969

2. Week of VBS

leaders - we still need crew leaders to experience VBS with the kids as



well as a few station leaders. Help needed Monday June 15- Friday June 19 from 8:45 AM - Noon. Ages entering 7th grade through retired. Be a part of the fun!

3. Register your kids!

We have over 50 community kids registered so far for VBS, but there



is room for more! Share our info with your neighbors and friends, post on social media, and make sure to register your kids!



We want to celebrate with you!
All those who will be graduating from Middle School, High School, or

College: Let us know your name, what school you will be graduating from, and, if from college, your degree. Please include what your plans are for the future. Email Kathy at kpowell@lbcrc.org by May 5.

Camp Dunamis

June 14 – June 19

Camp Dunamis is a Christian middle school camp in the San Bernardino Mountains focused on providing space for racial reconciliation and lots of fun! Camp is for boys and girls going into 7th, 8th and 9th grade in the Fall of 2026. Go to

<https://campdunamis.org/>
to register.

You are invited!

Kidshine 2026

A Musical/Drama under the Direction of
Kay VanWeethuisen



Presents

“Celebration”

May 3 at 6:00 p.m.

LBCRC

5559 E. Wardlow Rd

Long Beach, Ca. 90808

Call 562-421-1721 for more
info.

This summer, **our missionaries to Mexico, the Lee family** are planning to be in our area to connect with partnering churches and supporters. James and Barbarita and their two daughters will be here from August 3rd through August 25th. Their son, Joshua, will be away at a Christian camp. The Lee's are requesting accommodations for the four of them during their visit.

If you can help by providing a place for the Lee family to stay, please contact the church office.

Serving This Sunday

(April 26, 2026)

Greeters – Julie Hecox

Ushers – Rob Thompson,
Andy Lewis, Bruce Hecox

Prayer Leader – Art Broadhurst

Children's Message –
Abby Van Hofwegen

Nursery – Jennifer Trujillo,
Eden Sprik

Helper – Faith Anema

Children's Church – Nicole Cecil
Greeter – Abby Schoonover

Campus Safety –
Jonathan De Vries

Serving Next Sunday

(May 3, 2026)

Greeters – Larry Vander Schaff,
Ron Oldham

Ushers – John Bakker,
Bill Cullison, Bruce Hecox

Prayer Leader –
Louisa Bakker - DeVries

Children's Message –
Abby Van Hofwegen

Nursery – Alice De Bruin,

Helper – Raelynn Minnema

Children's Church – Claudia Bakker
Greeter – Deanne Grasmeyer

Campus Safety –
Jeff Struiksma

Calendar

This Week

Sunday –

Sunday Service 9:30 a.m.
Sunday School 10:45 a.m.
KidShine Rehearsal 4:30 p.m.

Tuesday

Men's Bible Study 8:00 a.m.
KidShine Rehearsal 6:00 p.m.

Wednesday

Coffee Break 9:30 a.m.
All Church Night 6:00 p.m.

Friday

GEMS Rehearsal & Award Night

Sunday – GEMS Sunday

Sunday Service 9:30 a.m.
Sunday School 10:45 a.m.
Kidshine Presents *"Celebration"*
6:00 p.m.

Upcoming

May 10 – Mission Sunday

May 18 – Congregational Meeting

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**Tree-mendous
adventure awaits!**

Join us for VBS!

June 15-19

9 AM - NOON

ages 4 -6th grade

Register
students here



Volunteers
Register here



Questions? Contact Rebecca Corona
562-712-6969 or vbs@lbcrc.org

