






# THE BETHANY BROADCAST

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## WE'RE HIRING A RECEPTIONIST FOR OUR LONG BEACH CAMPUS!

WE'RE LOOKING FOR A FRIENDLY, ORGANIZED, AND GOOD-HUMORED RECEPTIONIST TO BE THE SMILING FACE OF OUR CHURCH OFFICE. IN THIS ROLE, YOU'LL GREET VISITORS, ANSWER PHONES, AND ANSWER LIFE'S GREAT CHURCH QUESTIONS LIKE "IS THE PASTOR IN?", "WHERE'S THE MEETING TODAY?", AND "IS THERE MORE COFFEE?" IF YOU ENJOY HELPING PEOPLE, CAN JUGGLE A FEW THINGS AT ONCE, AND BRING A WELCOMING SPIRIT AND SENSE OF HUMOR TO THE DAY, YOU'LL FIT RIGHT IN KEEPING OUR OFFICE RUNNING SMOOTHLY AND OUR VISITORS FEELING AT HOME.

TO  
LEARN  
MORE &  
APPLY,  
SCAN  
HERE.



### PLEASE PRAY FOR:

- Sally Blevins
- Nora Borg-Breen
- Greg Busch
- David Gamble
- Dale Green
- Betty Greene
- Myrna Koenigsdorf
- Cristina LaSalvia
- Phyllis Lee
- Gary McDaniel
- Flory Melendez
- Keren Raquel-Melendez
- Mike Pierce
- Bob Radtke
- Suzanne Reed
- Jeff Rex
- Elias Rodas
- Joyce Rose
- Joel Melendez-Sarceno

# Worshipping Faithfully: Hebrews 10:25



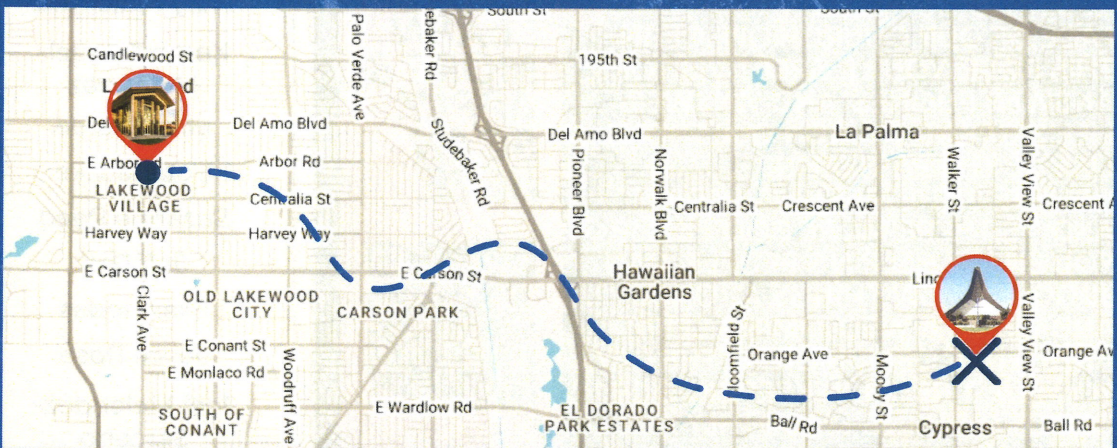
## FROM LENT TO PALMS TO A SEAT AT THE TABLE ...

# JOIN US IN CYPRESS!

WE'RE WRAPPING UP OUR **GARMENTS OF GRACE** LENTEN JOURNEY NEXT WEDNESDAY AT 6:30 PM—AND DON'T MISS **GLORY IN THE CROSS** ON APRIL 1 AT 6:30 PM. THEN GET READY —SUNDAY MORNING WORSHIP RETURNS TO CYPRESS ON **PALM SUNDAY** AT 11:10 AM 🌿

AND WE'RE JUST GETTING STARTED. . . BEGINNING APRIL 15, WE'RE LAUNCHING A BRAND-NEW WEDNESDAY NIGHT SERIES CALLED **COMMONTABLE**—WHERE WE GATHER AROUND THE SHARED TRUTHS OF OUR FAITH THROUGH WORSHIP, SCRIPTURE, TEACHING, PRAYER, AND CONVERSATION. GRAB A SEAT. WE'D LOVE TO HAVE YOU WITH US.

WHERE IS THIS BEAUTIFUL, NEWLY-REMODELED CYPRESS CAMPUS YOU ASK? CHECK OUT THE MAP BELOW!

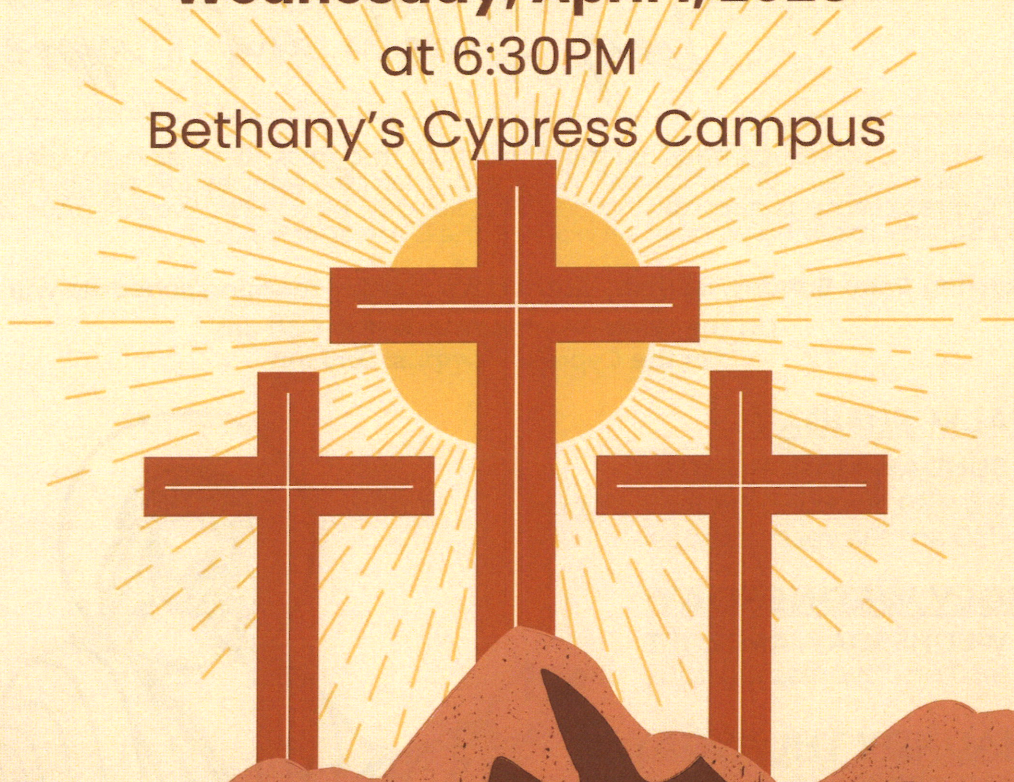


# GLORY IN THE CROSS

Wednesday, April 1, 2026

at 6:30PM

Bethany's Cypress Campus



We will move through the stations of the cross with music, prayer, readings, liturgy, and live art from painter Tom Clark, as we explore our theme, Glory in the Cross.

# HOLY WEEK WORSHIP SERVICES AT BETHANY LUTHERAN CHURCH

*Long Beach and Cypress*

While our Cypress campus is still a work in progress, it is able to welcome worshippers again! Our midweek Wednesday Lenten services are being held on the Cypress campus and starting on Palm Sunday, March 29<sup>th</sup>, we will once again hold Sunday morning worship services on the Cypress campus.

**Starting Palm Sunday, Bethany Lutheran's Sunday morning schedule will be:**

**On the Long Beach campus: 8 & 9:30 am**

**On the Cypress campus: 11:10 am**

## **PALM SUNDAY:**

**SUNDAY, MARCH 29TH**

8 & 9:30 am *Long Beach campus*

11:10 am *Cypress campus*

## **HOLY WEDNESDAY:**

**WEDNESDAY, APRIL 1ST**

6:30 pm *Cypress campus*

## **MAUNDY THURSDAY:**

**THURSDAY, APRIL 2ND**

6:30 pm *Long Beach campus*

## **GOOD FRIDAY:**

**FRIDAY, APRIL 3RD**

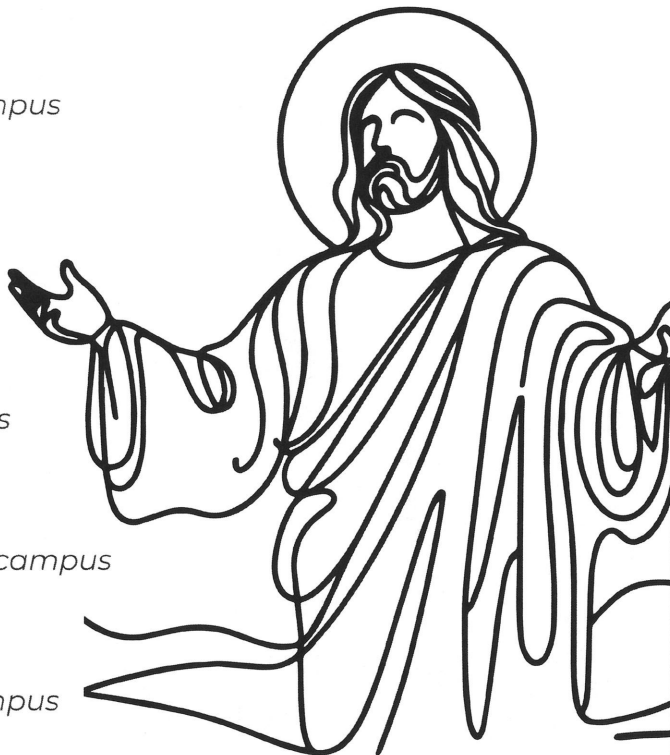
1 pm & 6:30 pm *Long Beach campus*

## **EASTER FESTIVAL:**

**SUNDAY, APRIL 5TH**

8 & 9:30 am *Long Beach campus*

11:10 am *Cypress campus*



# Serving Passionately: Ephesians 2:10

## UPDATES FROM OUR LCMS MISSIONARIES

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SCAN HERE TO READ MONTHLY UPDATES FROM OUR MISSIONARIES



### NEW VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITY: *Bulletin Folders!*



Help prepare the way for Sunday worship! Join our Bulletin Folding Team on Friday mornings as we gather to fold and staple bulletins for the weekend services. It's a simple but meaningful way to serve, with plenty of time for conversation, laughter, and fellowship along the way. All are welcome!

Interested in volunteering or learning more? Please contact Mara Widmann at [mwidmann@bethanylutheran.org](mailto:mwidmann@bethanylutheran.org).

# Giving Proportionately **Luke 21:1-4**

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Thrivent members - Don't forget to direct 2025 Choice Dollars®! If you're an eligible Thrivent member and have Choice Dollars available to direct, please keep our organization in mind. For more info or to direct Choice Dollars, call 800-847-4836 and say "Thrivent Choice." Or go to the following website: [thrivent.com/thriventchoice](http://thrivent.com/thriventchoice). You can also email Ben Koehlinger for more info at [Benjamin.Koehlinger@Thrivent.com](mailto:Benjamin.Koehlinger@Thrivent.com).

**Reminder... Your 2025 Choice Dollars must be directed by March 31.**

## WIN GIFT CARDS WITH RAISERIGHT!

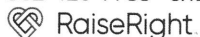
You have the chance every month to win a \$500 gift card of your choice by referring friends and family to join RaiseRight. Score extra entries for each referral who buys their first gift card in the same month they sign up. In March only, get more entries for every order you place that includes a \$25+ Instacart gift card. **March's winner will also receive a \$500 Instacart gift card!**

Check out the RaiseRight website for details on how you could win!



### TO LEARN MORE:

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## BETHANY'S ALTAR FLOWER FUND!



Flowers are used to decorate the altar every Sunday and you are able to make two types of donations to support this ministry: a general donation and a special request with recognition.

- **A SPECIAL REQUEST WITH RECOGNITION**  
This type of donation comes with a special message printed in the Weekly Broadcast and Sunday Bulletin.\* **Suggested donation of \$75.**
- **A GENERAL DONATION TO THE ALTAR FLOWER FUND**

\* If you are making a **Special Request with Recognition**, please let us know two weeks in advance and specify which Sunday as well as the message you would like printed.

# Community Connections: Acts 2:44



## DID YOU KNOW THAT YOU CAN HAVE THE BETHANY BROADCAST™ DELIVERED STRAIGHT TO YOUR INBOX?

The Chimes and Bullet now officially share one name: The Bethany Broadcast™. While you may continue to pick up a copy of the print edition as you leave worship each week, an expanded e-edition is also available! This weekly capsule includes worship highlights and big information that your brain may or may not have 'downloaded' from the prior Sunday. The purpose is to bolster you in faith, build you up in the key Biblical themes shared in worship, to bring to mind the important issues on Bethany's plate, and to broaden your awareness of opportunities of service to your Lord, your church, and community.



# BETHANY LUTHERAN ANGELS GAME

SAN DIEGO PADRES V.  
LOS ANGELES ANGELS OF ANAHEIM

**SUNDAY, APRIL 19, 2026**  
**1:07 P.M. GAME TIME**  
**AT ANGEL STADIUM**

**COST: \$20 PER TICKET**



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# EASTER EGGS-TRAVAGANZA

BETHANY LUTHERAN  
LONG BEACH CAMPUS

EGG HUNT, CRAFTS,  
SNACKS & DEVOTION

SUNDAY, MARCH 29  
11:00 A.M.

WE ARE MEETING IN THE GYM.

THIS IS A FREE EVENT.  
**PLEASE RSVP BY TUESDAY, 3/24**  
SO THAT WE CAN PREPARE FOR  
THE CORRECT AMOUNT  
OF PEOPLE.



QUESTIONS? REACH OUT TO ALISSA AT  
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DO YOU HAVE A PRAYER  
REQUEST OR DESIRE  
INFORMATION ABOUT A  
MINISTRY, MEMBERSHIP,  
OR ONLINE GIVING?



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HEAR TODAY'S OR A  
PREVIOUS SERMON  
AGAIN?

You can hear them  
as podcasts at  
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WANT TO SEE IT AGAIN?

Today's 9:30 am service will  
be live-streamed on our  
YouTube channel:

