



The Goodness Of God

Welcome to Long Beach Alliance • Sunday, June 28, 2026 • Church In The Park!

His Call To Worship

Let the whole earth shout joyfully to God!

**Sing about the glory of his name;
make his praise glorious.**

**Say to God, "How awe-inspiring
are your works!**

**Your enemies will cringe before you
because of your great strength.**

**The whole earth will worship you
and sing praise to you.**

They will sing praise to your name."

Selah (Pause To Breathe In God's Word)

**Come and see the wonders of God;
his acts for humanity are awe-inspiring.**

**He turned the sea into dry land,
and they crossed the river on foot.**

There we rejoiced in him.

**He rules forever by his might;
he keeps his eye on the nations.**

**The rebellious should not
exalt themselves.**

Selah (Pause To Breathe In God's Word)

**Bless our God, you peoples;
let the sound of his praise be heard.**

**He keeps us alive
and does not allow our feet to slip.**

Psalm 66:1-9

Our God Saves

Brenton Brown & Paul Baloche

(Verse)

**In the Name of the Father,
In the Name of the Son,
In the Name of the Spirit,
Lord we come.**

**We're gathered together,
To lift up Your Name,
To call on our Savior,
To fall on Your grace**

(Pre-Chorus)

**Hear the joyful sound of our offering,
As Your saints bow down,
As Your people sing,
We will rise with You lifted on our wings,
And the world will see that...**

(Chorus)

**Our God saves, our God saves
There is hope in Your Name
As mourning turns, to songs of praise
Our God saves, our God saves
(Return to Verse 1)**

For God So Loved

We The Kingdom

Verse 1

**Come all you weary,
come all you thirsty
Come to the well,
that never runs dry
Drink of the water,
come and thirst no more**

Verse 2

**Come all you sinners,
come find His mercy
Come to the table, He will satisfy
Taste of His goodness,
Find what you're looking for**

Chorus

**For God so loved the world
that He gave us
His one and only Son to save us
Whoever believes in Him
will live forever**

Verse 2

**Bring all your failures,
bring your addictions
Come lay them down
at the foot of the cross
Jesus is waiting there with open arms
See His open arms!**

Chorus 2

**For God so loved the world
that He gave us
His one and only Son to save us
Whoever believes in Him
Will live forever**

**The power of hell,
forever defeated
Now it is well,
I'm walking in freedom
For God so loved,
God so loved the world**

Bridge

**Praise God, Praise God
From whom all blessings flow
Praise Him, Praise Him
For the wonders of His love (2x)**

Chorus (Break)

**For God so loved the world
that He gave us
His one and only Son to save us**

**For God so loved the world
that He gave us
His one and only Son to save us
Whoever believes in Him
Will live forever**

Chorus Break Continued

**The power of hell, forever defeated
Now it is well, I'm walking in freedom
For God so loved,
God so loved the world**

Closing Tag

**Bring all your failures,
bring your addictions
Come lay them down
at the foot of the cross
Jesus is waiting there with open arms**

There Is One Gospel

CityAlight • Johnny Robinson & Rich Thompson

Verse 1

**There is one Gospel on which I stand
For all eternity
It is my story, my Father's plan
The Son has rescued me
Oh what a Gospel, Oh what a peace
My highest joy and my deepest need
Now and forever He is my light
I stand in the Gospel of Jesus Christ**

Verse 2

**There is one Gospel to which I cling
All else I count as loss
For there, where justice and mercy meet
He saved me on the cross**

Verse 2 Continued

**No more I boast in what I can bring
No more I carry the weight of sin
For He has brought me from death to life
I stand in the Gospel of Jesus Christ**

Verse 3

**There is one Gospel where hope is found
The empty tomb still speaks
For death could not keep
My Savior down
He lives and I am free
Now on my Savior, I fix my eyes
My life is His and His hope is mine!
For He has promised I, too, will rise
I stand in the Gospel of Jesus Christ**

Verse 4

**And in this Gospel the church is one
We do not walk alone
We have His Spirit as we press on
To lead us safely home**

Tag

**And when in glory still I will sing
Of this old story that rescued me
Praise to my Savior, the King of life
I stand in the Gospel of Jesus Christ (2x)**

Avalanche

Hillsong United

Verse 1

Beautiful God

Laying Your majesty aside

You reached out in love to show me life

Lifted from darkness into light

Verse 2

King for a slave

Trading Your righteous for shame

Despite all my pride and foolish ways

Caught in Your infinite embrace

Chorus

And I,

Find myself here on my knees again

Caught up in grace like an avalanche

Nothing compares to Your love,

Love, love, burning in my heart

Verse 3

Savior and friend

Breathing Your life into my heart

Your word is a lamp unto my path

Forever I'm humbled by Your love

Chorus

And I,

Find myself here on my knees again

Caught up in grace like an avalanche

Nothing compares to Your love,

Love, love burning in my heart

Bridge

**Take my life, take all that I am
with all that I am, I will Love You
Take my heart, take all that I have
Jesus how I adore You (2x)**

Chorus

**And I,
Find myself here on my knees again
Caught up in grace like an avalanche
Nothing compares to Your love,
Love, love burning in my heart**

Speak, O Lord

Verse 3

**Speak, O Lord, and renew our minds;
Help us grasp the heights
Of Your plans for us
Truths unchanged from the dawn of time
That will echo down through eternity.**

**And by grace we'll stand
On Your promises,
And by faith we'll walk
As You walk with us.**

**Speak, O Lord, 'till Your church is built
And the earth is filled with Your glory.**

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I am sure of this, that he who started a good work in you will carry it on to completion until the day of Christ Jesus.

~Philippians 1:6

1) A Good Father Seeks Out His Lost Children

A) Jesus tells a story about how a good shepherd seeks out one lost sheep from among a flock of one hundred sheep! A good father seeks out his lost kids (Luke 15:1-7).

2) A Good Father Believes His Children Are Valuable

A) In another story, Jesus tells about a woman searching for a valuable silver coin she lost. She searches and searches for her lost coin, and is overjoyed and celebrates with friends when she find it (Luke 15:8-10). A good father values his kids and celebrates their lives!

3) A Good Father Provides & Protects His Children

A) A good shepherd was a provider and protector. A good shepherd would lay down his own life to protect his sheep, and made sure his sheep were well fed and watered, so they could grow and flourish. A good father provides and protects his kids (Psalm 23, John 10:11-15).

Coming Up @ Long Beach Alliance Church

"Finding Joy In Our Nutty World"

July 5 • God's Good Work Isn't Done!

Philippians 1:1-6

July 12 • The Good Fruit Of Great Friendships

Philippians 1:7-11

July 19 • Joy In Spite Of Wacky Circumstances

Philippians 1:12-20

July 26 • Joy Because Of Wacky Circumstances

Philippians 1:21-26

Goodness Of God

Bethel Music

Verse 1

I love You, Lord
Oh Your mercy never fails me
All my days,
I've been held in Your hands
From the moment that I wake up
Until I lay my head
Oh, I will sing of the goodness of God

Chorus

'Cause all my life You have been faithful
And all my life You have been
So, so good
With every breath that I am able
Oh, I will sing of the goodness of God

Verse 2

I love Your voice
You have led me through the fire
In the darkest night
You are close like no other
I've known You as a Father
I've known You as a Friend
And I have lived in the goodness of God

Chorus

**And all my life You have been faithful
And all my life You have been
So, so good
With every breath that I am able
Oh, I will sing of the goodness of God**

Bridge

**'Cause Your goodness is running after
It's running after me
Your goodness is running after
It's running after me**

**With my life laid down
I'm surrendered now
I give You everything**

**'Cause Your goodness is running after
It's running after me (2x)**

Chorus

And I,

**And all my life You have been faithful
And all my life You have been
So, so good
With every breath that I am able
Oh, I will sing of the goodness of God
Oh, I will sing of the goodness of God**

Bible Studies

- ~Thursday Mornings
- ~Tuesday Nights will return in Fall

Book Club

"Theo of Golden" - July 28
"Rhythms of Renewal" - Aug. 25
Book Reviews @ Lankford Home

Retreat

Fall Women's Retreat
October 23-24 @LBAC
SAVE THE DATE!

Fun & Fellowship

Crafty Women-monthly
July 29 Movie @ Kathie Metz
August 13 Children's Day @
Rancho Los Alamitos

**Watch for announcements
and sign-ups on Sundays!**

Summer Happenings

Women's Ministry
Long Beach Alliance Church

Questions? Melinda 562-685-4131 or Deya 562-761-5464

Men's Ministry Events

MEN'S FELLOWSHIP BREAKFAST

**2ND SATURDAY OF EACH MONTH @ 8AM AT LBAC
JUNE 13, JULY 11, AUGUST 8**

CONTACT JOHN MOSES 562.755.1929

MEN'S WORKOUTS

**1ST AND 3RD SATURDAYS @ 8AM AT LBAC
JUNE 6 & 20, JULY 4 & 18, AUGUST 1 & 15**

CONTACT AARON STEELE 909.957.6333

TUESDAY BREAKFAST

**2ND TUESDAY OF EACH MONTH @ 8AM AT DENNY'S
JUNE 9, JULY 28, AUGUST 25**

CONTACT DAVE MILLER 562.773.9100




The Well

YOUTH GROUP!

Questions?

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Youth Director

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SUMMER HOUSE CHURCH

Starting June 16th!

6:30PM - 8:30PM

Summer House Church is regular youth group, however it is at a different backyard of a member of the church congregation each week. Most of the time these backyards have pools!



✓ **JUNE 16TH**
3611 Country Club Dr
Lakewood, CA 90712

✓ **JUNE 25TH**
5454 E Ocean Blvd
Long Beach, CA 90803

✓ **JUNE 30TH**
TBD

✓ **JULY 7TH**
7855 E. Garner St
Long Beach, CA 90808

✓ **JULY 14TH**
5454 E Ocean Blvd
Long Beach, CA 90803

✓ **JULY 21ST**
3611 Country Club Dr
Lakewood, CA 90712



BEACH BONFIRES

Every other week!

3:00PM - 10:00PM

Join us for a night at the beach full of community, worship, games, and bonfires!

Bring a swimsuit!

 EVERY BEACH BONFIRE
COSTS \$5 PER STUDENT.

✓ **JUNE 18TH**

✓ **JUNE 25TH**

✓ **JULY 9TH**

✓ **JULY 23RD**

✓ **AUGUST 6TH**



MIDDLE SCHOOL VBS

JUNE 22ND - JUNE 26TH

An awesome week filled with faith, fun, and unforgettable memories!

Activities include:
Raging Waters, SkyZone,
and other fun activities!



COST: \$120

(Includes all activities)

HUME LAKE

JULY 26TH - AUGUST 1ST

One of the best weeks of the summer!
Worship, teaching,
adventure, and time
with friends you
won't want to miss!



HUME LAKE UPDATE!



Luggage drop off is on

JULY 25TH

from 6-7 PM

Luggage drop includes
a health screening and
is **REQUIRED** for Hume!

FAITH
FRIENDS

INVITE A FRIEND.  BE REAL.  LIVE FOR JESUS.



UPCOMING EVENTS

JUNE 28

CHURCH IN THE PARK

Join us at El Dorado Park for a time full of food, worship, fellowship, bounce houses, and fun!

JULY 8

FAMILY MOVIE NIGHT

Bring your lawn chairs and your loved ones! Popcorn will be provided!

JULY 12

SCOTT'S RETIREMENT PARTY

Join us in celebrating Scott Trickett as he steps into retirement!

AUGUST 9

FAMILY BAY DAY

Grab your sunscreen and your snacks! Save the date for our family beach day!

AUGUST 30

MINISTRY FAIR

Come check out all of the amazing groups we have here at LBAC!

SEPTEMBER 2

AWANA BEGINS

AWANA CLUBS ARE BACK! Sign up online at www.lbac.org/awana

OCTOBER 2-4

ALL CHURCH FAMILY CAMP

Head up to Emma Wood State Beach with us, as we spend time in worship, fellowship, and making s'mores!

OCTOBER 23-24

FALL WOMEN'S RETREAT

Save the dates for an incredible Friday-Saturday Women's Retreat held right here in town at Long Beach Alliance Church!

**FEBRUARY 12-13
2027**

STRENGTHENING MARRIAGE CONF.

An unforgettable Valentine's weekend Friday to Saturday conference to strengthen your marriage! An epic & fun time @ LBAC!

JOIN US FOR CHURCH!
SUNDAY MORNINGS @ 9:30AM

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