

Financial Update: Based on the closing of our books for 2011 we received 1.538M in contributions which exceeded our budget by \$18K. So far we have received \$46K in General Fund Contributions for January. Our budget for January is \$125K. We thank you for your generous support of La Jolla Community Church.

2012 Stewardship: As we begin this new year we prayerfully ask you to consider making a financial faith commitment to La Jolla Community Church. By making a financial faith commitment, we believe that you will discover the joy that comes from sharing what God has entrusted to you. This financial faith commitment will also help our Board of Trustees make sound financial decisions for 2012. You can make a financial faith commitment by either filling out a card in the seat pocket in front of you or by going to our website at <http://www.ljcommunitychurch.org/annual+commitment/>.

Calling Our Congregation Together for a Night of Prayer, Wednesday, February 1st, 7:00 to 8:00 pm — Join us Wednesday, February 1st, as we gather our congregation in Jesus' name for an hour of prayer. We believe that Jesus prays for us and wants us to pray for others. This will be an empowering night for those who are praying and being prayed for. Our goal is to pray with and for everyone in attendance. This is an event you won't want to miss and is essential for the health and impact of our church. We'll begin promptly at 7:00 pm. Soup and salad will be served at 6:30 pm for those coming straight from work, dropping off kids at SiFi or Peak & Launch, or those just wanting some fellowship. A suggested donation is \$3 for children and \$5 for adults. No need to prepay. Childcare is available for no charge. Contact krista@ljcommunitychurch.org with the names and ages of your children by Monday, January 30th.

"Full Access" LJCC Orientation Class, Saturday, February 11th — This class is designed to give you all the information you need to know about the church, including our history, what we believe, where we feel God is leading us, how you can play a part in our vision and how we can support you in taking the next steps to grow in your faith. Pastor Steve Murray and Community Life Director Michelle Le Beau lead the class, which includes opportunities for questions and open discussion. A reception follows at the Murray's home that evening. Those who desire to become a member of LJCC as a result of taking the class, will be welcomed into the church the next day during the worship service. If interested in registering, please contact Michelle at michelle@ljcommunitychurch.org.

Bakers Needed! — The Homeless Ministry is having their annual Valentine's Bake Sale on Sunday, February 12th after both services. Help out by contributing cookies, cakes, candies, or other treats. Share your heart this Valentine's season by supporting this wonderful ministry at LJCC. Please contact Cathy Webster with interest at (619) 501-6506 or catwebster@cox.net.



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Our mission is to help people grow in their personal relationship with Jesus Christ, with other Christians, and in practical love for all people.
Sunday services are at 9:00 and 10:30 am.

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THE STORY

DISCOVER THE BIBLE AS
ONE SEAMLESS STORY
FROM BEGINNING
TO END



Welcome to La Jolla Community Church! We are a diverse group of people from a wide variety of backgrounds who are discovering the love, joy, peace and power through knowing Jesus Christ. Together we are striving to become the kind of church described in the Bible — a church with relevant teaching, heartfelt worship, caring friendships, constant prayer and compassionate care for those in need. We are seeking to experience and express the kind of contagious Christianity that brings out the best in everyone it touches. We invite you to find a home here at La Jolla Community Church. We believe that growing together in Christ makes all the difference!



Help Us Get To Know You Better! - Please fill out a name tag as you enter church on Sundays. Also, be sure to fill out the Welcome pad located in the seat pockets so we can send/email you updates on events, classes and serving opportunities that match your interests.

Want to Get Connected? - If you are visiting with us today, we encourage you to stop by the Guest Information Table to learn about ways you can get involved here at LJCC!

We Have a Bible Waiting For You! - At LJCC, we encourage daily time in the Word to help you grow in your faith. We hand out Daily Bibles to our visitors due to the generosity of one of our members. Get yours at the Guest Info Table!

Can We Pray For You? - If you have a prayer request you'd like added to our prayer chain, please fill out a Prayer Request form located in the seat pockets. If you would like to pray with someone from our Prayer Team after the service today, please come to the Prayer Garden.

Pray With Us! - Join a group of people who gather every Wednesday from noon to 1 pm in our sanctuary for a time of intercessory prayer for our nation. All are welcome!

Get to Know LJCC! Join Steve Murray and Michelle Le Beau for a discussion of our core beliefs, vision, mission and values. You'll learn all you need to know to get connected in our church. Our next orientation is scheduled for February 11, 2012. E-mail Michelle Le Beau with interest or questions - michelle@ljcommunitychurch.org.

For more information on who we are and what we believe, please visit our church web site at www.ljcommunitychurch.org. We're glad you're here!

Children's Programs — We offer programs for children at both the 9:00 am and 10:30 am services. Children in grades one through six are dismissed after the first half of the service each week. Infants-K may be checked into Rooms 7-9 by the big blue flags before the service begins.

Youth Service — Current 7th -12th graders are encouraged to attend our special youth service in The Cove upstairs during the 10:30 service.

"A Look at David – His Life Through the Psalms" begins today — "I try to live my life one day at a time, but sometimes they gang up on me." If this describes your life then King David has something to share with you from his life experience. For six Sundays Mike Price will lead you on an exploration of the life of David in the Psalms around questions like "Why do things happen to me?"; "Why my family?"; and "What do I do with this blessing?" Through the Psalms and in the context of Samuel and Chronicles you'll explore God's record of his servant's struggles and triumphs. No need to register. See you in Room 2 today from 10:30 to 11:30 am.

ONGOING GROUPS:

Healthy Relationships, God's Way for Women — As women, we have an often unspoken, deeply held love for those close to us, yet we carry the burdens of life on our shoulders. When our burdens are too heavy and we become emotionally and spiritually depleted, we sometimes seek unhealthy methods for coping. Join Linday Seaman, LCSW and other women of LJCC in sharing hearts, discussing ideas, learning fresh perspectives, connecting to resources you may not be aware of and together we will grow. In sharing and learning we don't go it alone. To join the group or to learn more, contact Lindy Seaman at (858) 349-0729 or starrseaman@yahoo.com.

H.O.P.E. for Those in Career Transition on Mondays — Meet with H.O.P.E. on Monday mornings, from 10 - 11 am at Bristol Farms on Genesee Ave. If you are out of work, underemployed or in a career transition, join us for an hour of encouragement, helpful employment resources, support and prayer. Contact Calva for more info at (858) 279-9026.

Weekly Prayer For Our Nation on Wednesdays — Let's return to our forefathers' ways and revive our nation. Join members of LJCC and the community in prayer from 12 - 1 pm in the sanctuary. This is a non-political and non-denominational hour of prayer. Come for five minutes or stay the entire hour. Pray quietly or out loud. Contact Pat MacCracken for details at rmacca1@san.rr.com.

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CHILDREN

► **ACTION Bibles** — Parents, we still have a few Action Bibles available for purchase. These are great secondary Bibles to get the kids reading at home! When we handed out these Bibles at camp last summer no one (boys or girls) would put them down!! Amazingly illustrated by a Marvel and DC comics artist, these Action Bibles will appeal to boys and girls in 2nd-6th grade. Just \$15 at the Children's Ministry Check-in table or at the Books and CDs table.

► **Save the Date!** — We'll have our first Family Camp Out at LJCC the weekend of March 9th - 10th. We'll begin at 6:00 pm on Friday evening and end mid-morning on the 10th. It will not only be a fun time and a unique experience, but will give you a chance to worship Jesus as a family. Mark your calendars today!

► **SiFi** — SiFi is taking place this Wednesday evening from 6:30 - 7:45 at LJCC. SiFi is for 6th/5th graders and is a great place to discover God, learn about who He says we are and make new friends too! We can't wait to see you on Wednesday.

YOUTH

► **Peak & Launch this Wednesday** — Meet here at church up in The Cove from 6:30 - 8:00 pm. We'll have worship music from Matt and Haley's friends, snacks, games and life groups too! We've got it all, so don't miss out.

► **Winter Camp is Just Around the Corner** — Sign up now for Winter Camp. Grab registration forms out on the youth table or online at www.vert88.com. Jr. High Winter Camp is on February 3-5. High School Winter Camp is March 2-4.

► **Informational Meeting next Sunday, January 29th for Mexico Outreach** — We are going big this year and building a new sanctuary for Nueva Vida church in Mexicali. Everyone has a role to play in this project. Stay tuned for how you can help. We'll be going down to build from March 31 - April 6. If you are an adult who is interested in coming please talk to Chris Tardiff and attend the info meeting next Sunday at 11:45 am in The Cove.

► **Casual Coffee Break and Walk 'N' ROC on Saturday, Feb. 4th** — Join members of LJCC for a morning coffee break gathering on Saturday, February 4th at Caroline's Seaside Cafe from 8:30 - 9:30 am. Come out for some morning fellowship while sipping coffee and watching the waves of La Jolla Shores. For more information or to sign up, please contact Beth Jones at bethj@san.rr.com. After the coffee break you're invited to join the Women's Ministry on a walk around Mt. Soledad. Email Carolyn Scott for more info at carolyn.scott@lw.com.

