

Church at Study

SANCTUARY **10:30 A.M.**

Congregational Singing	The Elias and Magakat family	
Opening Hymn	<i>Praise to the Lord</i>	No. 1
Prayer, Welcome, and Introductions	Sheila Hodgkin	
Musical Selection	<i>Arabesque No. 1</i> Julianne Magakat, piano	<i>Claude Debussy</i>
Special Feature	Mission in China	Janine Benner
Prayer for the Offering	Janine Benner	
Offering	Sabbath School Expense <i>(Place mission offering in envelope.)</i>	
Offertory	<i>Christ the Lord Is Risen Today</i> with W. A. Mozart's "Alleluia" from <i>Exsultate, jubilate</i> Jorel Magakat, piano	arr. Marilyn Ham
Lesson	Babylon and Armageddon	Mike Ciprian Manea
Closing Prayer	Mike Ciprian Manea	
Postlude	<i>Selected</i>	<i>Various</i>
Superintendent: Sheila Hodgkin Organ: Donna Samson Producer: Michael Weismeyer		

Adult Sabbath School Classes

Young Adult	
Praxis / 10:00 a.m., rm 101	Advent Hope / 9:00 a.m., Centennial Complex/ Damazo Amphitheater
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Rooted / 10:00 a.m., Griggs Hall rm 138	
Adults	
Adult Sabbath School / 10:30 a.m., Sanctuary	IN Light / 10:30 a.m., rm 102
Bernard Taylor / 10:30 a.m., LLU Hospital, Barnes A-level Amphitheater	Ken Hart / 10:30 a.m., West Hall (School of Nursing), rm 1105
The Bible Lab / 10:30 a.m., Randall Amphitheater	Sabbath Seminar / 10:30 a.m., Centennial Complex, rm 3208
Branson Legacy Sabbath School / 10:30 a.m., Centennial Complex, rm 3111	
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Language Based	
The Connecting Place / 10:30 a.m., LLUC rm 103	Spanish Sabbath School / 10:15 a.m., Centennial Complex, rm 3232
Faith & Science / 10:25 a.m., Mortensen Hall	
Gathering Place / 10:20 a.m., Prince Hall break room	Hungarian Worship Group / 4 p.m., LLUC rm 103 1st and 3rd Saturdays
Gary Chartier / 9:45 a.m., Griggs Hall, rm 2A	Southern Asia Fellowship Worship Group / 6 p.m. rm 108

Calendar

Sunday, June 24 10:00 a.m.	Sunday Morning Prayer Group, room 102
Tuesday, June 26 6:30 p.m.	Experiencing God Bible Study, room 105
Wednesday, June 27 6:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m.	Open Prayer Circle, "Prayer, Praise, and Petitions," room 103 Intercessory Prayer Meeting, "After the Disappointments, Joy in the LORD!" Wade Saint Martin, Room 105
Thursday, June 28 12:00 noon	Sandwiches and Salvation, Miguel Mendez, room 105
Sabbath, June 30 9:00 & 11:45 a.m. 10:30 a.m.	"The Courage of the Called," <i>Ekklesia: The Called Community</i> (part 3 of 7), Randy Roberts, sanctuary LLUC Sabbath School, "The Return of the Lord Jesus," Moses Estrada, sanctuary

Sunset Today - 8:04 p.m. Sunset Next Week - 8:04 p.m.

Sermon Introduction

The situation was simple: the fledgling church of Jesus was just getting its start. They were small in number, in danger from the dominant religious community of their day, and in even deeper danger from the power of the Roman empire—an empire that did not take kindly to any elements within its boundaries which it considered could gather enough momentum to mount an even small challenge to its power. Thus, if this young church began to grow, it could face deadly consequences.

At the same time, the members of this community single-mindedly affirmed that their crucified founder was *alive!* And what *that* meant was also simple: it meant that they lived and worked in the light of their Redeemer's command to "go and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, and teaching them to obey everything I have commanded you" (Matthew 28:19–20, TNIV). In other words, they were to bear witness to this living Lord in such a way that hearers would be compelled to respond—many of whom would *join* their community, and thus the community would grow.

These realities converged to mean that the directive that Jesus had given them was dangerous, that the circumstances in which they lived mitigated *against* their fulfilling His command, and that they were small *anyway*, so a command to "make disciples of *all nations*" was simply out of reach.

What, then, were they to do? Was there any hope of successfully carrying out Jesus' mandate? Or was it all pie in the-sky and doomed to fail anyway?

The truth is that they could *absolutely* fulfill the command of Jesus. And in Acts 2, we come face to face with exactly what it was that would empower them to do so. In other words, here we discover *how* they could live with courage in the face of their daunting circumstances while at the same time experiencing the power to carry out Jesus' command.

How could that happen? And can we experience the same thing today? Our study of Acts 2 answers our questions. Join me!

Randy Roberts, Senior Pastor

Together in Prayer

If you have ever wondered why, how, or when to intercede in prayer for the church, this is for you. Jesus invites us to do so. Join us this morning from 9:00 a.m. to 10:00 a.m., from 10:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m., or from 12:00 p.m. to 2:00 p.m. in room 104.

Questions or Comments: www.lluc.org

DVD copies of LLUC worship services are available for purchase online at www.llucstore.com

Church Office Hours: M.–Th., 8am – 5pm ; F., 8am–noon. Closed Tu., 8:30–9:30am

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Church at Worship

June 23

SANCTUARY

9:00 & 11:45 A.M.

Out of respect for worshippers around you, please silence all electronic devices.

Video Announcements

Prelude *Variations on "Jesus Loves Me"* Grace Chung

Pastoral Welcome Miguel and Micah Mendez

Children's Hymn Medley

Prayer Jonathan Osorio

Prayer Response *O How He Loves You and Me* arr. Dick Kaiser
Sanctuary Choir

Vacation Bible School Feature Shawna Campbell

Tithes and Offerings LLUC Building Fund
(Loose offerings go to church budget.)

Offertory *Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing* Robert Robinson
Liam Thomas, violin; Lara Albano, piano

Baptism Myondy Richard-Duvel² Miguel Mendez²
Morgan Walls Ron Carter²
Katrina Barringer Doug Mace²

Anthem *This Little Light of Mine* arr. Moses Hogan
Sanctuary Choir; Homer Mendoza, Tenor

Meditation²

Scripture Reading Acts 2:14-21, TNIV Gracie Bahri
(Pew Bible, p. 1621)

Sermon **Called by the Spirit** Randy Roberts
Ekklesia: The Called Community (part 2 of 7)

Song of Response *Here as in Heaven* Elevation
Leah Botimer, solo; Allen Botimer, guitar;
Greg Batla, piano; Phil Hivale, djembe

Closing Prayer Randy Roberts

Postlude *Toccata Brevis* Daniel E. Gawthrop

(Please maintain reverence during the postlude.)

Ariel Quintana, conductor, Sanctuary Choir
Karis Boling, Gilbert Hernandez, producers

Grace Chung, organist

¹First Service

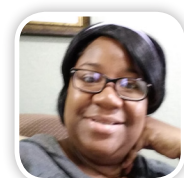
²Second Service

JUNE 16 - JULY 30
New Sermon Series
Sabbaths, 9 & 11:45AM
At LLUC

EKKLESIA
"THE CALLED COMMUNITY"

6/16: Miguel Mendez, "Called to Create" 7/14: Stew Harty, "Consider The Calling"
6/23: Randy Roberts, "Called by the Spirit" 7/21: Roy Ice, "Called to Agree"
6/30: Randy Roberts, "The Courage of the Called" 7/28: Miguel Mendez, "Called to Convince"
7/7: Gilda Roddy, "Called to Remember"

BAPTISMS



Myondy Richard-Duvel loves God and is the mother of two children. In her spare time she likes to read and listen to good music.



Morgan Walls will be in the 8th grade this fall at Loma Linda Academy. He enjoys water and snow sports, music, and spending time with family and friends.



Katrina Barringer will be entering 8th grade in the fall. She is an active member of the LLUC Junior High Leadership team and enjoys gymnastics, art, and spending time with her friends.

Church & Community Life

Offering today: LLUC building fund. Next week: local church budget. All loose and undesignated offerings are applied to church budget. You may give online by visiting lluc.org.

The center floral arrangement is dedicated to Morgan Walls on his 13th birthday and in celebration of his baptism today. Your family loves you and supports your decision to follow Jesus.

LLUC Members: Cherub and Junior Choir 2018-2019 begins soon. LLUC members whose children wish to join need to fill out the interest form available at lluc.org. For questions, call Velda at (909)558-4570, x47079.

Have you thought about designating your 2018 IRA required minimum distribution (RMD) as a Qualified Charitable Distribution (QCD) to LLUC? Up to \$100,000 may be excluded from income. For more information, contact Betsy Matthews at the church office.

Transit Ministry is looking for volunteers to drive our clients to different appointments. We need people who are able to help with our morning and afternoon shifts. If you are looking to serve your community, consider if this is the ministry for you. Please contact Simone Dennis (909)645-2719.

Loma Linda Academy Is Accepting Applications Now: Help your child fall in love with Jesus and learn to be His disciple. LLA's caring teachers nurture strong values. LLA's hard-working students are involved in award-winning music, robotics, athletics, computer-programming and other unique programs. You are invited to visit the campus and ask about the financial aid program. Apply now to the school voted Inland Empire's Favorite Private School. Call (909)796-0161, option 1, or visit lla.org/learnmore.

Loma Linda University Church Children's Sabbath Schools will transition all children by age or grade levels on Sabbath, July 7. Leaders and parents should prepare so that all children will be in their new rooms on July 7.

Thank you for remembering the church budget in your regular giving. All ministries and operations of our church are sustained by the budget. Join our pastoral staff in praying for a balanced budget.

RelGen High School Family: If you are a high school student or a high school student's parent, learn what God has been doing through our ministry in the community. Please go to the LLUC website and sign up for RelGen's summer plans or for the parent newsletter. If you have any questions, please contact Pastor Jonathan Osorio at jaosorio@lluc.org or (281)467-7676.

Land of the Bible Tour: Visit Israel and Egypt and walk and live the story March 14 to April 4, 2019. Spend 10 days exploring the life of Christ and 10 days exploring Biblical history with Senior Pastor Randy Roberts, LLUC; archaeologist Dr. Larry Geraty, La Sierra University; and Egyptologist Dr. Kent Bramlett, La Sierra University. For an information packet, go to lluc.org or contact Shirley Gregg at (951)205-7016.

The Living Whole Wellness Program will host a free live-streamed presentation on Wednesday, June 27, from 5:30 to 6 p.m. This presentation will provide answers to questions on the timing of birth. Viewers will be able to ask questions and interact live with featured speaker Steven Yellon, MD. Olivia Moses, DrPH, CWHC, director of corporate health and wellness, will host the live presentation. The live streaming will be available at LLUH's Facebook page or on myllu.llu.edu/livingwhole/wellnesslive. For more information, call (909)651-4007.

HIGH SCHOOL SUMMER CAMP MONTH

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Beach Day

JULY 15
Six Flags

JULY 25
Family Fun Night Hangout

JULY 27
Raging Waters

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