



**PACIFIC
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CHURCH**

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GOD WITH US

PacificCrossroads.org

Lives Transformed by God's Power
Renewing Los Angeles for Christ

Reflections

Spiritus Sanctus

O Holy Spirit,
As the sun is full of light,
 the ocean full of water,
 Heaven full of glory, so may my heart be full of thee.
Vain are all divine purposes of love
 and the redemption wrought by Jesus
 except thou work within, regenerating by thy power,
 giving me eyes to see Jesus,
 showing me the realities of the unseen world.
Give me thyself without measure,
 as an unimpair'd fountain, as inexhaustible riches.
I bewail my coldness, poverty, emptiness,
 imperfect vision, languid service,
 prayerless prayers, praiseless praises.
Suffer me not to grieve or resist thee.

Come as power,
 to expel every rebel lust, to reign supreme and keep me thine;
Come as teacher,
 leading me into all truth, filling me with all understanding;
Come as love,
 that I may adore the Father, and love him as my all;
Come as joy,
 to dwell in me, move in me, animate me;
Come as light,
 illuminating the Scripture, moulding me in its laws;
Come as sanctifier,
 body, soul and spirit wholly thine;
Come as helper,
 with strength to bless and keep, directing my every step;
Come as beautifier,
 bringing order out of confusion, loveliness out of chaos.
Magnify to me thy glory by being magnified in me,
 and make me redolent of thy fragrance.

-The Valley of Vision

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Scripture

John 14:15-17

¹⁵ “If you love me, you will keep my commandments. ¹⁶ And I will ask the Father, and he will give you another Helper, to be with you forever, ¹⁷ even the Spirit of truth, whom the world cannot receive, because it neither sees him nor knows him. You know him, for he dwells with you and will be in you.”

Sermon

God with Us: Life with God

José Nuñez

Events & News

Advent Readings - God with Us

We invite you to participate in daily Advent readings & meditations, including church leaders' responses to scripture and what it means for God to be with us, on our app and on our blog.

Christmas Eve Service

In lieu of our usual Sunday worship services on Christmas Day, we will celebrate on Christmas Eve together. Join us from 5:00-6:00 pm at Samohi and hear a message from pastor Josh Geiger. Also, please note that we will not host services on Sunday, December 25.

Christmas Day Services

If you are interested in attending a Christmas Day service, please visit our website, PacificCrossroads.org/Events, for a list of partner churches that will be gathering that day.

View all events on our app, at PacificCrossroads.org/Events, or in our events brochure available at the Connect Center.

Ministry Resources

Pastoral Care

Our pastoral care team is here to care for you if you are in a difficult place. Email pastoralcare@pacificcrossroads.org or call our office at 310.551.0081.

Celebrate Recovery

Join together weekly with others to celebrate God's healing power in our lives. Visit PacificCrossroads.org/CelebrateRecovery.

Community Groups

Community Groups meet all around LA to know and care for one another and grow as followers of Jesus. Learn more and sign up for a CG in your neighborhood at PacificCrossroads.org/Community.