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Nov 27, 2022
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connecting people to Jesus, people, and God's mission

CURRENT CHURCH PLANTS

Pat & Julie Dirkse | Arnoldo & Viviana Escobar
City Church of Compton | Compton - est.2009

Larry & Carol Barber
Church of Grace Garden Grove - est.2011

Samuel Alvarado
Iglesia La Nueva Familia South LA - est.2012

Navin & Pabitra Bhandari
US Nepalese Christian Church Paramount - est.2012

Javier & Jenni Alcaraz
La Roca, Panorama City, CA- 2013

Cristobal & Virginia Caro
Iglesia Cristiana Evangelica Elohim, Mexico est.2007

Rudy & Edna Rubio
Reformed Church of Los Angeles Lynwood est.2018

Jonathan & Charrise Mathew
Compton est.2018

CHURCH PLANTS SUPPORTED

Tommy & Fatimah Forester
Epiphany Fellowship South LA - est.2016

NEW PLANTS OF OUR CLASSIS

Chris Marquez
Reformed Church Of LA, Wilmington est.2020

Additional Giving Opportunities
Stock, Real Estate, and other assets
IRA

Donor-Advised Fund
Estate Planning
If you are interested,
please contact Ruth Zymkowitz
at ruth.zymkowitz@erc.la



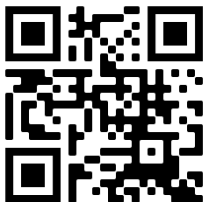
We are looking for Volunteers for the nursery for all our Christmas Services listed below. Friday December 23rd from 7pm to 8pm Saturday, December 24th from 4pm to 5pm, 5:30 to 6:30pm and 7pm to 8pm. If you are interested, please contact Cathy Lewis at Cathy.Lewis@erc.la or 562.272.4982. We appreciate your help! Merry Christmas!

Our Christian sympathy to Mary MacKenzie and family on the passing of her husband Lyle M MacKenzie on Saturday, Nov 5th, at the age of 90. Services will be held at 11am, Tuesday, Nov 22nd, at Rose Hills Memorial Park, 3888 Workman Mill Rd, Whittier, CA.

Congratulations to proud parents Anthony and Carly Roldan and family on the birth of Ria Laree Roldan on Monday, November 14th, weighing 7.7 lbs and 21 inches long.

English: 9am 10:30am 12pm 6pm | Spanish: 10:30am 12pm | Nepalese: 9:30am
(sanctuary) (activity center) (brick building)

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Additional Giving Opportunities

Church Planting offering Dec 4

Weekly Offering

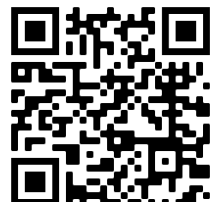
YTD Offering: \$2,752,247.06

YTD Budget: \$2,804,302.00

Last Week's Offering: \$136,874.39

2022 Weekly Budget: \$59,666.00

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WORSHIP WITH WHAT YOU HAVE



ADVENT

GOD WITH YOU

- Season of Advent

- 11/27 "Worship with What You Have"
- 12/4 "Spend Less"
- 12/11 "Give More"
- 12/18 "Love All"
- Christmas Eve "Blessed: God with Us"
- Christmas Day "Share Jesus"

- **Scripture Reading:** Isaiah 40:1-5

What is Advent?

- Awaiting the coming of Jesus

What is worship?

- Worship is when we give our love, attention, focus, energy, resources to _____

The World wants you to "Worship what you DON'T have"

"We buy things we don't need with money we don't have to impress people we don't like"

- Dave Ramsey

- Play the commercial game - what message is this really telling me?
- Our hearts are formed by what we worship

Worship with What You Have

The Magi worshiped through intentional gift giving and planning (Matthew 2:1-2, 10-11)
The Shepherds worshiped by simply coming (Luke 2:15, 20)

Mary's worship began by treasuring God's Word in her heart (Luke 1:46-47, 2:19)

"Mary Consoles Eve" by Sister Grace Remington

My mother, my daughter,
life-giving, Eve,
Do not be ashamed, do not grieve.
The former things have passed away,
Our God has brought us to a New Day.
See, I am with Child,
Through whom all will be reconciled.
O Eve! My sister, my friend,
We will rejoice together Forever
Life without end.



- Time of Reflection

Which of the biblical characters encouraged you to make worship a priority this Advent? How so? The characters were: the magi, the shepherds and Mary.

How is the Holy Spirit encouraging you with the artwork "Mary Consoles Eve"?
