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connecting people to Jesus, people, and God's mission

CURRENT CHURCH PLANTS

Pat & Julie Dirkse I Amoldo & 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 Évangelica 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



ONLINE & IN PERSON

Join us in the Sanctuary or on YouTube & Facebook at 7pm every Wednesday.



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KINDER - 5TH GRADE / TUESDAYS 6-8 PM

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

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Additional Giving Opportunities

Deacon's Fund offering Oct 2

Weekly Offering

YTD Offering: \$2,413,547.07 YTD Budget: \$2,267,308.00

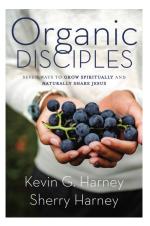
Last Week's Offering: \$32,746.80 2022 Weekly Budget: \$59,666.00

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Purchase your copy
of Organic Disciples
outside for a suggested
donation of \$11.
We'll be using this
book in our fall series
FOLLOWING JESUS
TOGETHER



WHO? YOU!

During the 8 week journey you can...

- Lead your group through this journey or
- You can add people to your existing group or
- You can begin a new group or
- You can lead one person or
- You can start a group of 3 or
- You can participate by stepping into the ERC opportunities listed below

Opportunities for:

- Children	Sundays School for Pre-K- 5 th Grade Contact Cathy Lewis <u>cathy.lewis@erc.la</u>
- Youth	Tuesdays – Edge - Jr High Contact Bailey Talsma <u>bailey.talsma@erc.la</u>
	$We dnesdays - Rock - High \ school \ \ Contact \ bailey \ Talsma \ \underline{bailey.talsma@erc.la}$
- Young Adults	Tuesdays Contact Pastor Klarc Korver klarc.korver@erc.la
- Women	Tuesdays, Wednesdays, Thursdays Contact Jody Gras jody.gras@erc.la
- Men	Thursdays & Sundays Contact Pastor Mike Kim mike.kim@erc.la
	Tuesdays Contact Jody Gras jody.gras@erc.la
- Couples	Sundays or Tuesdays Contact Christie Palmer christie.palmer@erc.la
- Care Team	Monday evenings Contact Pastor Mike Kim mike.kim@erc.la
- Keenagers	Tuesdays Contact Bonnie Ridenour bonita.bonnie@yahoo.com
- Spanish Ministry	Contact Alexa Caballero <u>alexa.caballero@erc.la</u>
- Nepalese Minisrty	Contact Pastor Navin Bhandari navin.bhandari@erc.la

THREE EPIC QUESTIONS

Sept 25, 2022

Welcome to Organic Disciples an eight-week journey of growing in Jesus and going with Jesus

Ephesians 4:13-14

...until we all reach unity in the faith and in the knowledge of the Son of God and become mature, attaining to the whole measure of the fullness of Christ. Then we will no longer be infants, tossed back and forth by the waves, and blown here and there by every wind of teaching and by the cunning and craftiness of people in their deceitful scheming.

Three Epic Questions about growing in Jesus (Discipleship) and going with Jesus (Organic Outreach/Evangelism)

Question 1- How can I **know** I am **growing** as a disciple (a follower of Jesus)?

Question 2- Is discipleship bigger than my relationship with Jesus?

Discipleship is always 4 Generations

2 Timothy 2:1-2

You then, my son, be strong in the grace that is in Christ Jesus. And the things you have heard me say in the presence of many witnesses entrust to reliable people who will also be qualified to teach others.

Do you see the four generations? Hands locked and climbing the hill of faith.



- Generation 1- Paul
- Generation 2- Timothy Generation 3- Reliable People
- Generation 4- Those they teach

Question 3- What is the relationship between Discipleship and Evangelism?

Matthew 28:19-20

Therefore go and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, 20 and teaching them to obey everything I have commanded you. And surely I am with you always, to the very end of the age."

The Relationship of Discipleship and Evangelism

- Evangelism and discipleship are not enemies
- Evangelism and discipleship are not just friends Evangelism and discipleship are marriage partners

Every time we help another person take a next step closer to Jesus, this is discipleship

This is the journey of a lifetime

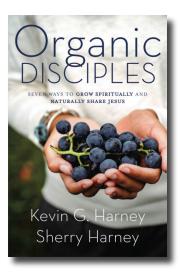
Self-assesment: www.erc.la/organicdisciples

WHAT?

Our Fall Series

FOLLOWING JESUS TOGETHER

Organic Disciples - Seven Ways to Grow-Spiritually and Naturally Share Jesus



Our 8 week series begins

Sept 25 ... 3 Epic Questions for would be Disciples of Jesus Christ

Oct 2 ... Bible Engagement

Oct 9 ... Passionate Prayer

Oct 16 ... Wholehearted Worship

Oct 23 ... Humble Service

Oct 30 ...Joyful Generosity

Nov 6 ... Consistent community

Nov 13 ... Organic Outreach

Books on sale - Sunday's

Price- \$11.00

In front of fellowship hall or in the front office during the week

HOW

Tools God Has Given Us...

- To help you grow spiritually in Christ
- To help you help one other person (or many) take a step (or steps) forward in Christ.
 - 1. Sunday Sermons Sept 18 (intro) Sept 25 Nov 13 8 week sermons
 - 2. Dailey Bible Reading you can read at www.erc.la/brp
 - 3. Weekly scripture you can memorize at erc.la
 - 4. A book you can read or listen (Audio available) "Organic Disciples"
 - 5. Small group videos at www.erc.la/organicdisciples
 - 6. 3 minute devotions at www.erc.la/organicdisciples
 - 7. Small group opportunities for Children, Youth, Young Adults, Couples, Men, Woman, English, Spanish, Nepales
 - 8. Take "Markers of Spiritual Growth" Self-assessment at www.erc.la/organicdisciples
 - 9. Meet with "Next Step Coach" to help you take your next step of maturity in Christ. Contact Jody Gras jody.gras@erc.la 562-272-4969