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From The Pastor's Pen



Scripture uses the rock to portray different symbols.

The rock serves as a foundation. Jesus said "On this rock I will build my church" (Matthew 16:18). At the end of His famous Sermon on the Mount He compared those who listened to His Word "...to a wise man who built his house upon a

rock" (Matthew 7:24). The rock was also a source of provision. Paul highlights this when he wrote, "For they drank of that spiritual rock" (1 Corinthians 10:4). This of course harks back to the stories of Exodus 17 and Numbers 20 when God provided water for Israel from a rock in the desert. Then we see the rock as a place of refuge and security. It was David who recorded, "The Lord is my rock and my fortress and my deliverer" (Psalm 18:2).

Christ is our rock. He is our provider and protector. His Word is the foundation of our lives. Our ministry finds it's refuge in Christ and we remain steadfast upon the Word of God. His wisdom is the only foundation we have. It remains solidly fixed like a compass always pointing north.

God has been faithful as our provider. Just as the rock supplied an abundance of water, God has never failed to supply our needs. We are grateful always to our

Lord Jesus and His faithful loving care for our ministry.

Among all the ways God secures and sustains us, your prayers and generous support for our ministry is a wonderful act of grace. God uses you to enable us to carry out this ministry He has entrusted to us; to house, feed and care for people in need. May the grace of God truly multiply in your life for your loving kindness and generosity.

Pastor Peter J. Hilst

2022 L.A.B.T.S. Men's Conference



On January 29th, 2022 The Los Angeles Bible Training School held it's annual Men's conference.

This year's theme was The Fear of the Lord (Men who fear God).

This conference was to understand the biblical concept of the fear of the Lord and how to respond to the character and presence of God with the goal of being numbered among men who are God-fearers.

The keynote speaker was Dr. Alex Montoya (Fearing God). Other speakers included Pastor Anthony Kidd (Fearing God in light of His Omnipresence). Dr. Nam Park (Fearing God in light of His love). Dr. Walter Augustine (Fearing God in light of His wisdom).

We were able to send some of our own men from the ministry to be blessed, encouraged and to be spiritually enlightened. The fellowship was genuinely beautiful and uplifting. Just hearing from men whom God had transformed

into servants for His kingdom and purpose was amazing.



The message from the podium could not have been clearer and even though Covid protocols were still in place, our spirits remained high. We look forward to a new year and a new opportunities to share the Gospel and take a bolder stand for His kingdom.

May the Lord bless you., Michael Hughes

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Fellow Workers in God's Kingdom

Thank You!!

It is through your continued support and prayers that The Bible Tabernacle ministry is able to serve both the physical and spiritual needs, of those who come here seeking help.

Venice Beach Bible Ministry Update!



Happy new year from our Venice Beach Bible Ministry Team: Brother Eugene Charles, Brother Joe Reza & Pastor Michael Spencer.

Dear Brothers & Sisters! Great is the faithfulness of the Lord! By the grace of God we've just finished a wonderful 1st year of ministry on Venice Beach!

We've given out over 500 Bible, 1500 Bible tracts and prayed for and shared Christ with many, many people! We're excited to see what the Lord has in store for this coming year! We're reminded that the inspiration or vision for the ministry is rooted in the history of over 60 years of beach ministry started by Pastor Fred Hilst!

If you would like to know more about our beach Ministry or perhaps join our Beach Ministry team or be a prayer partner, or donate to the Beach Ministry, please contact the church office, or call Pastor Michael Spencer at (310) 264-0130.

We're praying this ministry will be "Like a tree planted by the rivers of water that brings fourth it's fruit in it's season, and whatsoever it does will prosper" (Ps 1:3).

By God's Grace, Brother Michael Spencer

Our Prayer Needs Pray Without Ceasing - 1 Thess 5:17

- All those impacted by the pandemic
- The Rancho San Juan Bosco Orphanage
- Restoration of our Men's Ministry
- All our families, friends and supporters
- Ministry activities: family restoration, bibles for outreach, food distribution, etc.
- Need of truck for pick ups
- Housing renovation and refurbishment
- Ministry resources and operations etc.

The Director's Desk



Happy New Year! A new year brings hope and as we move forward, we endeavor to do God's will more than ever. 1st Timothy 2:3-4 says "This is good and pleasing in the sight

of God our Savior, who wants everyone to be saved and to come to the knowledge of the truth." The Bible Tabernacle is dedicated to sharing the gospel with all our guests as we provide a haven for those in need. As our guest population gradually increases, please pray for complete resurgence of our women and children's ministry. Our desire is to serve as many families as we can providing, housing, food, clothing, community resources, spiritual guidance, counseling and most importantly the gospel.

March 8, 2022, marks the 63rd anniversary for The Bible Tabernacle, this would not have been possible without the prayers and support of people like you, of which we are tremendously grateful. As the state of the world grows more and more bleak the need for the light of Christ grows greater as well, therefore we pray that you will continue to stand in the gap with us and persevere until the Lords return. Scripture says... "Though one may be overpowered, two can defend themselves. A cord of three strands is not quickly broken" (Ecclesiastes 4:12). Thank you for being a part of our chain, indivisible through Christ.

God Bless you all,

Wesley A. Russell, II

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