

How do you sign up?

Participants must call monthly to sign up by contacting the Faith office: 310.217.7000 or communications@faithsouthbay.org.





(JR HIGH) 6TH - 8TH



(HIGH SCHOOL) 9TH - 12TH

For more information contact Youth Director, Darrell Mark, via darrell.faithumc@gmail.com



Tuesday Morning Bible Study

We gather at 10:30am every Tuesday

Zoom Link: https://us02web.zoom.us/j/5883329633

If you've tried Bible studies before, but found them difficult to understand or irrelevant to your life, you should spend some time with us. Our conversations are engaging, honest, and practical. Come and enjoy!

If you're interested, please contact the church via email communications@faithsouthbay.org or call at (310) 217-7000.



MID-WEEK BIBLE STUDY

EVERY WEDNESDAY AT 7:00PM

IF YOU'RE INTERESTED: PLEASE CONTACT THE CHURCH VIA EMAIL: COMMUNICATIONS@FAITHSOUTHBAY.ORG OR CALL AT (310) 217-7000.



Blessed Are You WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY

EVERY 1ST AND 3RD THURSDAYS FROM 7:00PM - 9:00PM

Bible study group for women of all ages and stages in life. Women spend a special time with God in a tranquil and soothing environment, created especially for a spiritual experience that is comforting, supportive, accepting, and affirming to sisters in faith.

If you're interested, please contact the church via email communications@faithsouthbay.org or call at (310) 217-7000.

WORSHIP TIMES

IF YOU BLINKED AND MISSED IT... 8:30 AM FAITH WILL REBROADCAST THE PREVIOUS **WEEK'S SERVICE AT 8:30AM**

9:00AM

NIHONGOBU JAPANESE LANGUAGE **WORSHIP SERVICE**

10:30 AM RECARGO WORSHIP SERVICE AND **BROADCAST LIVE STREAM FB | YOUTUBE**







1ST & 3RD THURSDAYS AT 10:30AM LED BY REV. ALLISON

REV. ALLISON IS OUR INSPIRATIONAL LOGOS TEACHER. COME JOIN THIS GROUP IF YOU DESIRE TO GROW DEEPER IN CHRIST.

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YOU CAN FIND MORE INFORMATION ON THE CHURCH WEBSITE: WWW.FAITHSOUTHBAY.ORG



SMALL GROUPS

Can't find a Faith Bible
Study or Small Group that
fits your needs? Maybe
you're not the only one?



Please contact the Church
Office at:

(310) 217-7000 or email: communications@faithsouthbay.org,

so we can connect you with a group or help you launch a group of your own at Faith!

OHANA | FAMILY GROUPS WILL RETURN 2023!



Briefly elaborate on what you want to discuss. If you are interested or would like to share your wisdom from previous groups, please contact Rev. Allison.



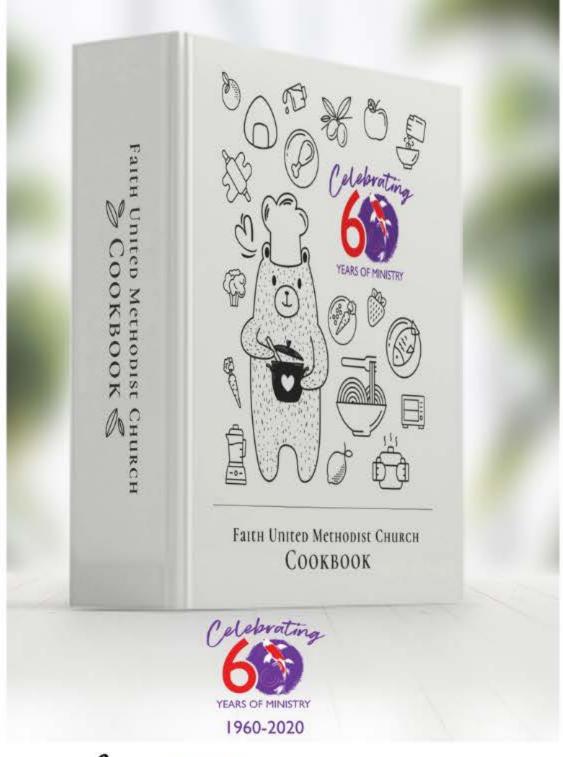


Faith Store still has items to purchase!

www.faithsouthbay.org



★Please send any cookbook corrections to www.faith.recipes@gmail.com.











SUNDAY SCHOOL IN-PERSON EVERY SUNDAY AT 10:30AM

Sunday School Classes:

Preschool - Kindergarten - 1st grade 2nd grade - 3rd grade 4th grade - 5th grade

Nursery Care is available at 10:30am:

If you or anyone in your ministries are able to help in 10am - 12pm Sunday rotation, please let Tam Kobayashi know.

*For class information, please email: faithumc.garden@gmail.com.



The Garden FAITH UMC CHILDREN'S MINISTRY

Growing Disciples for Jesus





COMMUNITY EVENTS THAT MIGHT INTEREST YOU

CONTACT THE CHURCH OFFICE FOR DETAILS

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[AT] GARDENA BUDDHIST

2-4PM

MAY 2023

AAPI & MENTAL HEALTH AWARENESS MONTH DETAILS TO COME

MAY 6 CENTENARY ARIGATO BAZAAR 10 AM - 4 PM

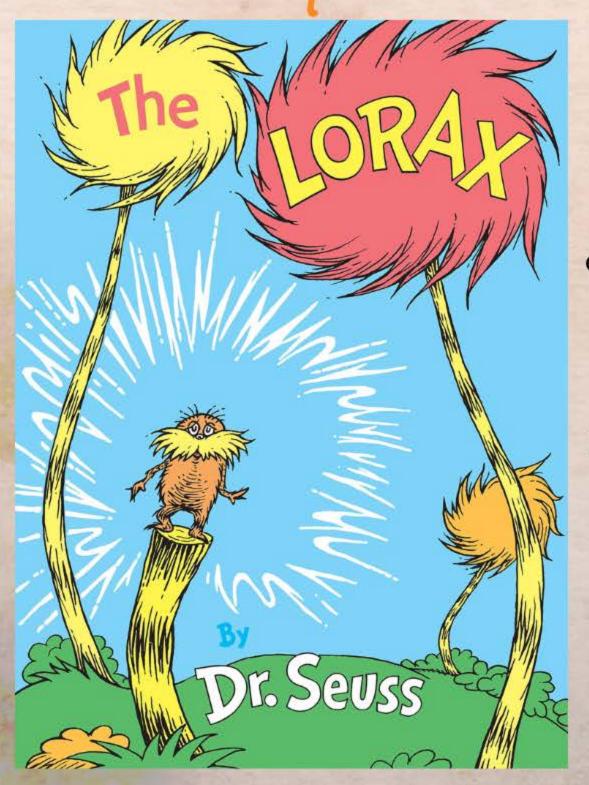
MAY 25 CLUE L.A. GIANTS FOR JUSTICE BREAKFAST (FOUR POINTS BY SHERATON)

7AM - 9:30 AM

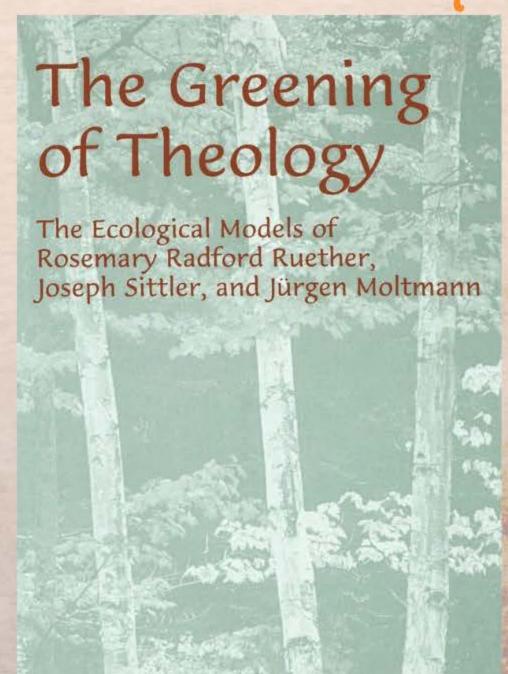
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EARTH DAY RECOMMENDATIONS



No Earth Day feels complete without a visit to Dr. Seuss's classic cautionary tale of environmental mismanagement. The Lorax is a powerfully sad lesson that resonates with kids and adults alike, inspiring a more thoughtful approach to our environment.



Steven Bouma-Prediger

Dr. Rosemary Radford Ruether was Rev. Allison's seminary professor and wrote much on eco-theology and eco-feminism in God's world. If you're getting into theology and want to do it with Creation Care in mind, try this read!

From your pastors & from the congregation



Come join us for our second "Linx" gathering! What is Linx? It is an opportunity to connect and join youth together from different churches for Fx3! FUN FELLOWSHIP and FAITH!

JOIN THE FUNI

April 22 (5:00 PM - 8:30 PM)
We will meet at:
Faith UMC
2115 W 182nd St
Torrance, Ca, 90504

Invite Your Friends! RSVP to your Youth Director by: Sunday, April 9, 2023

CONFIRMATION & MEMBERSHIP CLASSES

SPRING 2023 - POST-EASTER SUNDAY AFTERNOONS at 2:00pm

(2nd Sundays will join Methodism 101 + Soul Care Retreat)

Introductory Meeting: Sunday, April 16, 2pm Activity Room and Patio

For Youth, grades 8 and up and any adult interested in joining Faith UMC. One does not need to commit to membership to join class!

To register, please contact: communications@faithsouthbay.org

WESLEYAN GRACE

FAITH JOURNEY

METHODISM 101



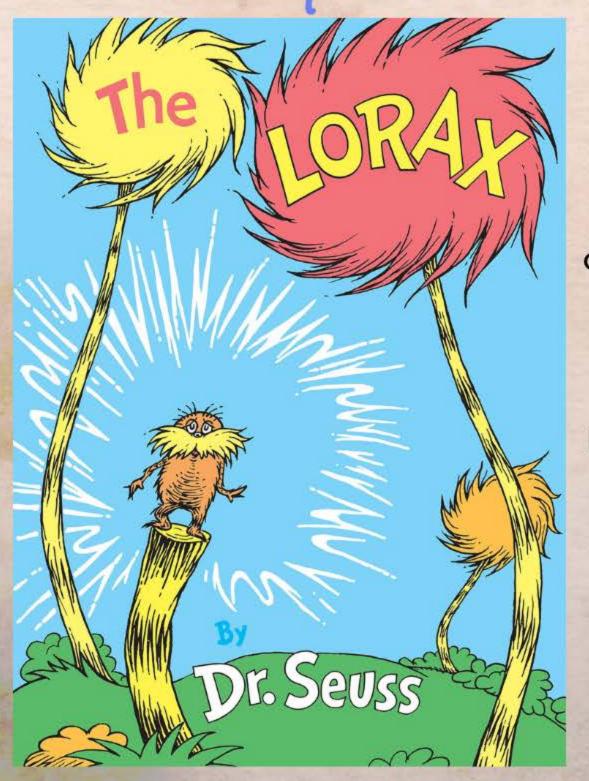
During her Installation Service, Bishop Dottie Escobedo-Frank put out a request to our California-Pacific Annual Conference to support the Monterey Park Lunar New Year Victims and their families.

An offering was taken during her service and a special call to our conference was made, if so moved to support the families of the victims of the January 21st tragic event. All proceeds will go directly to the families through Asian Americans Advancing Justice Los Angeles (AAAJ, LA)

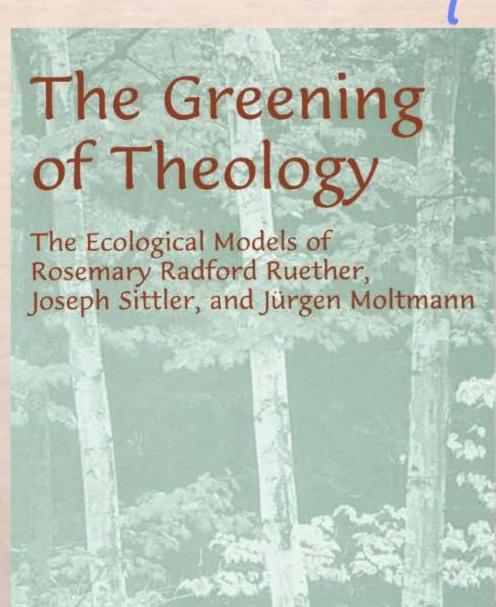
TO MAKE A DONATION TO SUPPORT THE MONTEREY PARK COMMUNITY, PLEASE USE YOUR PHONE CAMERA TO CAPTURE THE QR CODE TO THE RIGHT; OR GO TO THIS LINK: http://www.calpacumc.org/donate



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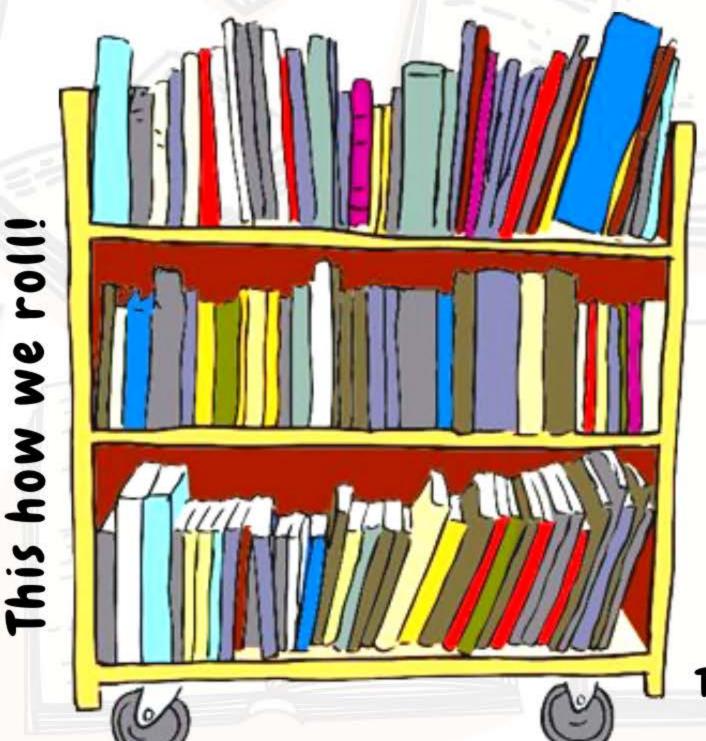
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United Women FREE LITTLE LIBRARY

HOW DOES IT WORK?



Take a Book.

If you see something you would like, take it!

Leave a Book.

If you have a book you would like to pass on, leave it here!

Keep a Book.

If you enjoy the book, keep it!

The library cart will be located in front of Church Office.

Presents

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EVERY THIRD SUNDAY OF THE MONTH

JAYANESE MOVIE NIGHT

JAPANESE AUDIO/ENGLISH SUBTITLES

MOVIE AT 3PM

FREE ADMISSION & POPCORN!

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SUNDAY, APRIL 16



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@ 3PM

Masks are required

MOVIE AT 3PM

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JAPANESE MOVIE NIGHT AT 3 PM

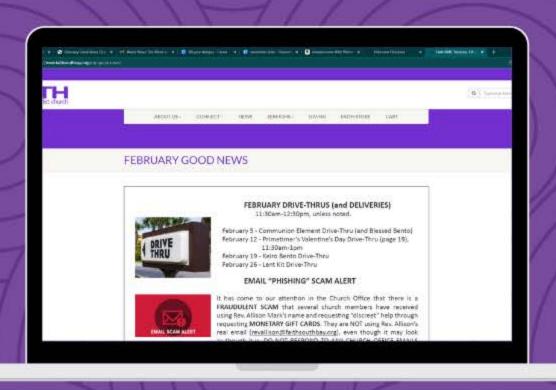
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FOR MORE INFORMATION: 310.217.7000 / FAITHSOUTHBAY.ORG

THERE WILL BE A SHORT REFLECTION AFTER THE MOVIES

Keep updated with the latest happenings at Faith!

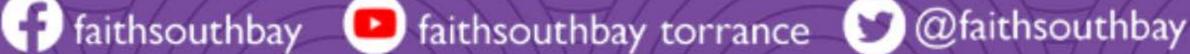














Join a weekly Bible Study or one of many Small Groups!















11:00am to 11:45am Saturday

July 29, 2023

September 30, 2023 December 30, 2023

40 lunch boxes and sack lunches to be handed out!

FALL 2023 MATSURIOFFAIFI S BACKS

Saturday, September 9, 2023 11:00 am to 3:00 pm

COME JOIN US FOR:

FOOD

BAKE SALE

GAMES

ENTERTAINMENT

LITTLE STORE

RUMMAGE SALE

LEAP OF FAITH OPPORTUNITY DRAWING & SO MUCH MORE!

LOCATION: Faith UMC Southbay 2115 W. 182nd Street

Torrance, CA 90504

For more info, please call (310) 217-7000 or email:communications@faithsouthbay.org



We will have the following booths: Kalua Bowls Gourmet Hotdogs Tamales and Chili Rice **Curry Rice** Spam Musubi and Hawaiian Won Ton Lau Lau plate Somen Corn Chinese Chicken Salad Shaved Ice Panikeke (Tongan Dongo) Drinks (not that kind) Bake Sake Little Store Rummage Sale

Leap of Faith Drawing Opportunity

Faith Music Kanani Kalama Hula Elemental Funk AsanoTaiko US

Vendor: Spacebites - Freeze Dried Candies

Plenty of ways to help:
We will have items to be donated
Workforce - prep, day of, clean up
Invite your family and friends
Purchase tickets



Holy Currency: Stewardship & Innovation for future of Faith A VISION, STRATEGY, & IMPLEMENTATION PROCESS FOR FAITH

As Faith re-emerges from the pandemic, new ideas, visions, and strategies are needed for us to continue on a trajectory of Faith growth for our congregation and greater community.

Using the language of "Holy Currencies" by Eric Law and through a Visioning process using the Cycle of Blessings, Rev. Allison will lead our Faith Congregation through a visioning process that will lead us to two tracts:

- 1.Stewardship 365 how do we use our gifts, talents, presence, witness, service, and prayers to enhance and enlighten the ministries and missions of Faith UMC
- 2.Incubation Ministry finding and resourcing community growth and neighborhood center (non-profit) by building upon the needs of the neighborhood and community and building upon the assets (gifts/skills/talents) of our leaders in our congregation and the greater community.

If you are interested in being a part of the Vision, Strategy, and Implementation Team and Process for Faith, please contact Rev. Allison Mark or Lay Leader Danny Hirata.



METHODISM 101 + MINI-SOUL CARE RETREATS

2nd SUNDAY AFTERNOONS at 2:00pm

TO RESUME IN MAY

With the learning that has come from refresher classes and our Mini-Soul Care Retreats, we will continue to introduce and reintroduce ministries of Faith as Spiritual Practices throughout the year. Stay tuned for our May gathering.

HOW IS IT WITH YOUR SOUL? WHY WE BELIEVE. | WHAT WE BELIEVE.



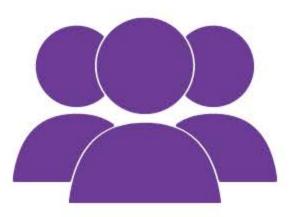


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MAIL

Mail your gift to: 2115 W. 182nd Street Torrance, CA 90504



IN-PERSON

Drop your gift off in the MAIL SLOT at Faith UMC



ONLINE GIVING

PLEDGE OFFERING ONLY! Make a one-time pledge contributions or set-up recurring giving here



VENMO @FaithUMC-SouthBay

Donate through Venmo! Add us to your Venmo friend list for non-pledge and special donations



PAYPAL @faithumcsouthbay

Donate through PayPal! For non-pledge and special donations

PLEDGE CARDS ARE AVAILABLE TO SUBMIT ONLINE



come Join us for Great Food with Great Friends

52nd Annual BSA

TROOP 719
TROOP 3106



at Gardena Valley JCI
1964 W. 162nd St., Gardena, CA 90247

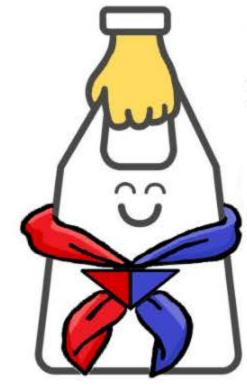
Sunday, April 23 7am-11am

PANCAKE BREAKFAST

Dine In or Take Out

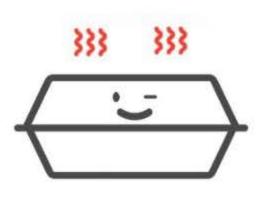
For More Information

Email: T719Fundraiser@gmail.com



\$10 per plate

includes: Pancakes, Ham, Eggs, Coffee, and Juice





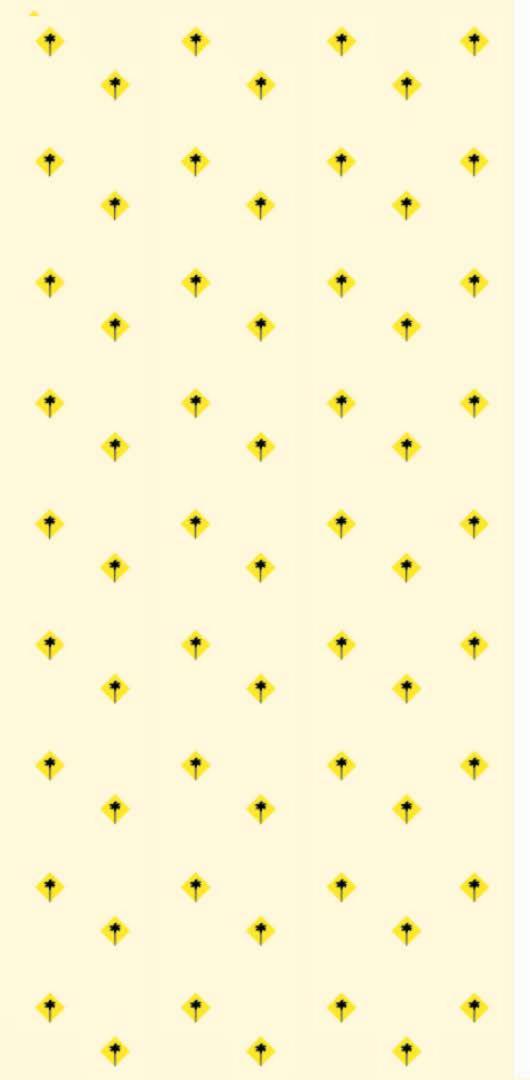


TORRANCE, CA





Order Online: https://givebutter.com/T719Pancakes2023





PIZZA WITH A DUSE

Fundraiser in support of:

Faith United Methodist Church 04/27/23 (All Day)

Show this flyer or mention the organization listed below on your visit, and California Pizza Kitchen will

DONATE 20% OF ALL FOOD & BEVERAGE SALES

on your check to the organization listed below. Purchases include dine-in, take-out, catering, and online orders at CPK.com when you enter BACK20% at checkout.

Valid at the following location

CALIFORNIA PIZZA KITCHEN

Rolling Hills#221

25306 Crenshaw Boulevard Torrance, CA 90505

cpk.com

Save As

Fundraiser valid only on the date(s) and at the CPK location(s) identified on this flyer. Only 50% organizations and non-profit achools are eligible to participate in CPK's fundraiser program. CPK will donate 20% (twenty percent) of all food and beverage sales to the organization. Tax, gratulty, gift card and retail sales are excluded from the donation. Valid for dine-in, takeout, online, catering, curbside or delivery orders placed directly with CPK. Not valid for orders placed or fulfilled through third-party delivery. Void if flyer is distributed in or near restaurant. For more information about the 50% organization participating in the fundraiser, please contact the organization directly. Not valid at franchise locations in Guarn, stadium, university, interesting the profit is not to be contact the organization directly. Not valid at franchise locations in Guarn, stadium, university, interesting the profit is not to be contact the organization directly.



"ALL OF YOU TOGETHER ARE CHRIST'S BODY, AND EACH OF YOU IS A PART OF IT." 1 CORINTHIANS 12: 27

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SIX KEY FINANCIAL PRINCIPLES

to Discovering Joy Through Simplicity and Generosity

- 1. Pay your tithe and offering first. (2 Corinthians 9:6-7)
- 2. Create a budget and track your expenses. (Proverbs 27:23-24
- 3. Simplify your lifestyle (live below your means.) (Matthew 6:19-33)
- 4. Establish an emergency fund. (1 Timothy 6:9-12)
- Pay off your credit cards, use cash/debit cards for purchases, and use credit wisely. (Proverbs 22:7)

6. Practice long-term savings and investing habits. (Luke 14:28)



WEEKLY GIVING IF THE PERCENTAGE IS:

GIVING CHART

Annuel Income	Monthly income	Weekly Income	2%	4%	6%	\$16	10%	15%
\$16,000	\$1,333	\$308	56	\$12	\$18	\$25	\$31	\$46
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25,000	2,063	481	10	19	29	29	46	72
30,000	2,500	577	12	28	35	46	58	87
35,000	2,917	673	13	27	40	54	67	101
40,000	3,933	769	15	31	46	62	77	115
45,000	3,750	865	17	35.	52	69	87	130
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YOU CAN SUBMIT YOUR PLEDGE CARDS 2023



DON'T FORGET TO PICK UP YOUR PLEDGE PACKETS!



Please save the date for 2023's Relay for Life:

MAY 6, 2023

Our Team, Ohana of Faith will par@cipate again as we have for more than 16 years. We would love your participation as a Survivor, Care Giver, Volunteer, Prayer Warrior and much more.

More details will follow. If you are interested in joining our team or if you would like more information, please contact Sandy at the church. You may join our team by clicking on this link:

https://secure.acsevents.org/site /STR?fr_id=104263&pg=team&team_id=2646597



CELEBRATE! REMEMBER! FIGHT!

Team Captain, Linda Sakurai



Sandwich Ministry has been continuing every 2nd Saturday of the month!



40 sack lunches are prepared in the Chen Annex (8-9 am) and delivered to the day laborers at Home Depot.



SIGN UPS ARE WELCOME!

If interested, call church office (310-217-7000) or notify Barbara Takumi.





& Ride Shares

We're restarting our Van Ministry for Sunday Mornings, but we need to know if you're interested, need a ride, and what kind of support you need!

For the month of April, we will be "test-driving" our return of pick-ups and drop-offs on the 1st and 3rd Sunday of the month:

> Sunday, April 2, 2023 Sunday, April 16, 2023

If you would like to arrange for a ride, please contact Glenn Sakurai at communications@faithsouthbay.org or by calling the Church Office, 310.217.7000.

If you would like to help DRIVE our seniors, please contact Glenn as well to be a part of the vanpool driver rotation or if you can help with pick ups of seniors in areas near you!