



Radiant Church

A LUTHERAN CONGREGATION IN MISSION FOR CHRIST

Sunday, August 13, 2023

"Serve"

John 13:1-5, 12-17

Key Verse: *"Now that I, your Lord and Teacher, have washed your feet, you also should wash one another's feet. ¹⁵ I have set you an example that you should do as I have done for you."*
(John 13:14-15)

How we discover our mission (how God wants us to serve)

1. Think Little

Jesus knew that the Father had put all things under his power, and that he had come from God and was returning to God; ⁴ so he got up from the meal, took off his outer clothing, and wrapped a towel around his waist. ⁵ After that, he poured water into a basin and began to wash his disciples' feet, drying them with the towel that was wrapped around him. (John 13:3-5)

"Then the King will say to those on his right, 'Come, you who are blessed by my Father; take your inheritance, the kingdom prepared for you since the creation of the world. ³⁵ For I was hungry and you gave me something to eat, I was thirsty and you gave me something to drink, I was a stranger and you invited me in, ³⁶ I needed clothes and you clothed me, I was sick and you looked after me, I was in prison and you came to visit me.'
(Matthew 25:34-36)

Your attitude should be the same as that of Christ Jesus: ⁶ Who, being in very nature God, did not consider equality with God something to be grasped (Philippians 2:5-6)

2. Think Local

but made himself nothing, taking the very nature of a servant, being made in human likeness. (Philippians 2:7)

3. Think Laser

And being found in appearance as a man, he humbled himself and became obedient to death— even death on a cross! (Philippians 2:8)

Cursillo Ultreya

Today at 2:00pm

Lutheran Church of the Cross, Laguna Woods

Whether you have attended a Cursillo weekend or are considering attending, you are invited to come to the Open Ultreya on Sunday, August 13 at Lutheran Church of the Cross. Ultreya means “onward” and is what the Cursillo community calls the monthly gatherings after a Cursillo weekend. It includes a time of fellowship, worship, testimonies, and communion.

Learning Lab

Tuesday, August 15

6:00-8:00pm at Grace Lutheran Church

Join us for our next Learning Lab as we make our plans and preparations for our September Sunday Funday. This is when we celebrate the stories that have come out of Sunday Funday, and work with our teams on the logistics and details of the next few months. Even if you haven’t attended in the past, you are welcome and encouraged to come any time. Dinner is provided!

City Prayer

Wednesday, August 16

7:00am at Huntington Beach Civic Center

2000 Main St., HB

Join Radiant and other churches in Huntington Beach on the steps of City Hall to pray for our city and those who serve us. We meet every third Wednesday from 7:00-7:45am.

Pastor Mike’s Ordination and Installation

Saturday, August 19

2:00pm at Grace Lutheran Church

You are invited to attend the ordination and installation of Pastor Mike Jobst on Saturday, August 19, at Grace Lutheran Church. This day has been a long time coming for Mike and we are excited to launch him into his calling as a vocational pastor!

Oak View Back to School Festival

Saturday, August 26

9:00am – 1:00pm at Oak View Elementary

17241 Oak Ln, Huntington Beach, CA 92647

Join us for our annual backpack distribution and carnival at Oak View Elementary as we serve our neighbors and celebrate the school year starting! Volunteers are needed to help with the backpack distribution and assist with the games, food, and activities. For more information and to sign up, visit www.servcityhb.com/upcoming-events.

Worship with Activate

Sunday, August 27

10:00am at Ocean View High School

17071 Gothard St, HB

We’re excited to be worshipping again with our friends from Activate Church in the Ocean View High School auditorium. This is where Activate meets when they’re not in the park and it will give us an opportunity to experience their worship service while eliminating the concerns of comfort and accessibility. Fellowship begins at 9:30am and worship starts at 10:00am.