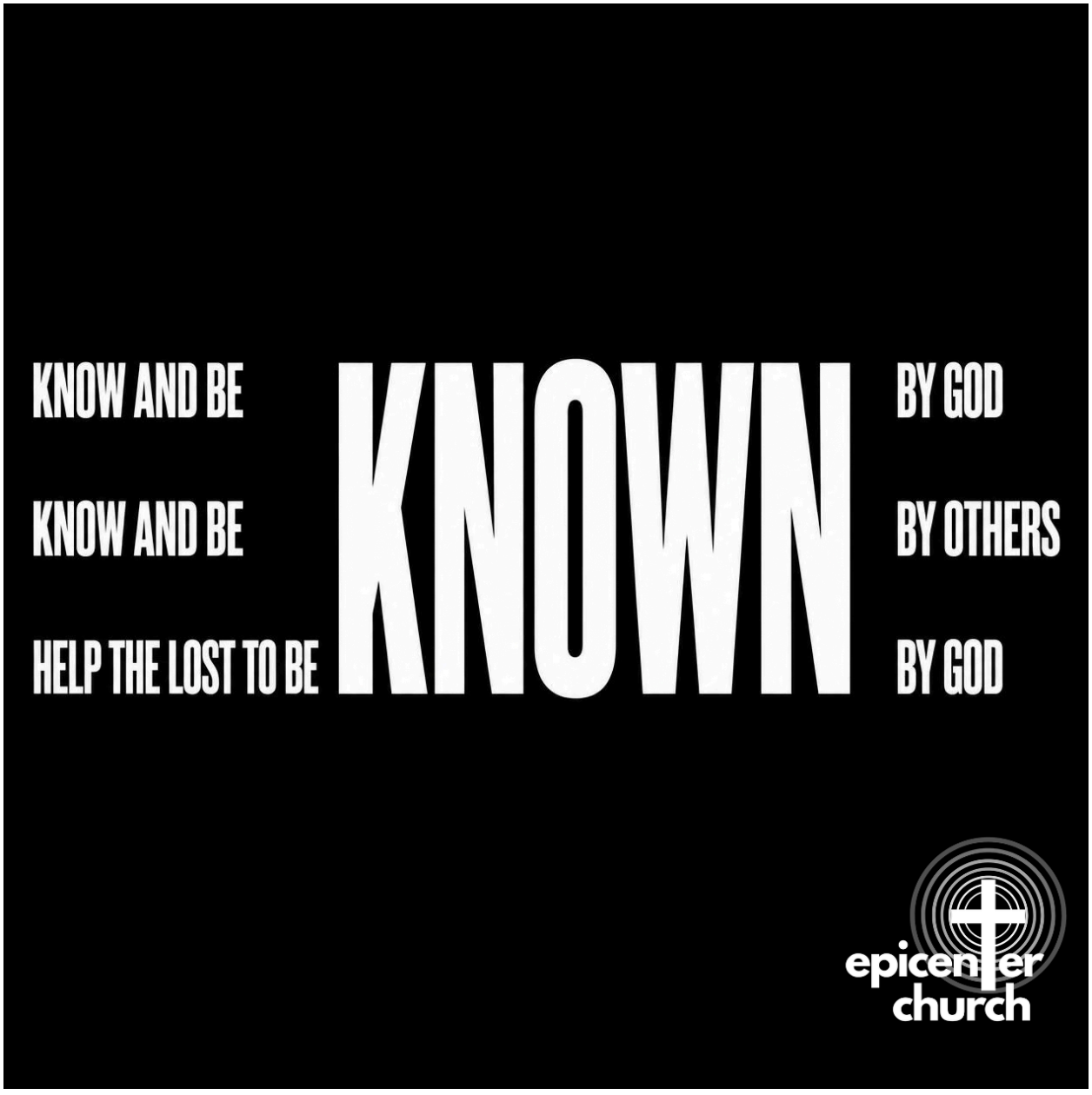
Epicenter Church OC 11/08/26



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Vision: We are a home for people who are making Jesus the epicenter of their lives.

Epicenter is an intentionally relational and impactful family of Jesus-loving and people-loving Christians committed to listening to God and to each other, helping each other heal and be free of sin's bondage, knowing and being known by each other, being equipped with God's Word to become who God designed us to be, and impacting others through love and good deeds to know Christ.

Mission: To help others make Jesus the epicenter of their lives

Repair broken lives
Prepare believers for spiritual maturity and leadership
Share love to people everywhere through prayer, caring for others, and sharing the gospel

Values: 1 Life-giving Listening, 2 Healing Freedom, 3 Intentional Community, 4 Huge Spiritual Growth, 5 Impactful and Courageous Mission

Values
1. Life-Giving Listening
We believe that we will become the people God made us to be when we listen to Him and help each other listen to Him. We are committed to listening to what is happening in each others' lives so that we can be comforted and exhorted to be who God made us to be
2. Healing Freedom
We believe that God loves to set captives free from the pain of our pasts and the bondage of our sin. We help each other heal with compassion that encourages and words of truth that removes lies.
3. Intentional Community
We gather as a welcoming group in a safe environment to worship and connect, believing that this is the best way for us to experience God and experience fruitful relationships.
4. Significant Spiritual Growth
We grow through the faithful preaching and teaching of God's Word and by creating spaces for prayer and sharing to change lives. We provide not just content, but our lives and shepherding as well to shape people's hearts.
5. Courageous Mission
We endeavor to change people's lives with courage and boldness. We provide an opportunity for each member to serve and give to be a blessing with their spiritual gifts

Prayer for Epicenter During Life Groups and Bible Studies:
-that we would help guard and protect each other in order for our relationships to thrive

Giving: Thank you! Your donations enable us to shepherd God's people and reach those who don't know Him yet! You will now be able to contribute in advance of official approval of the 501(c)(3) application for tax credit.

Our expected annual operating budget is $35,830
Annual expenses:
$18,688 Facility rentals
$1,230 Insurance and Licensing
$1,670 Website, online services
$11,692 Sunday Gathering and Outreach resources
$2,550 Children's ministry expenses

You can give cash, make a check to "Epicenter Church OC" or:

1. Zelle to our email epicenteroc@gmail.com

2. Online Breeze Giving (higher fees for credit cards) https://epicenterchurchoc.breezechms.com/give/online

3. Text Breeze Giving: Text an amount to (616) 730-8308

LITurgy



Song: Great are you Lord

Verse
You give life You are love
You bring light to the darkness
You give hope You restore ev'ry heart that is broken
And great are You Lord

Chorus
It's Your breath in our lungs
So we pour out our praise
We pour out our praise
It's Your breath in our lungs
So we pour out our praise to You only

Bridge
And all the earth will shout Your praise
Our hearts will cry these bones will sing
Great are You Lord

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Individual Prayer: Pause and reflect with God about your relationships with others. How are ways that He has grown you to be able to protect others? How does He want you to continue to grow?

Song: Marvelous

Verse
You're Marvelous Wonderful Counsellor Jesus
Almighty God the Prince of Peace
The King of Kings Jesus

Chorus
There is no one like You God
There is no one like You
No one

Bridge
Sing hallelujah the Lion of Judah has overcome
Sing hallelujah the Lion of Judah has overcome
Sing hallelujah the Lion of Judah has overcome
Hallelujah Hallelujah

Tag
Hallelujah Hallelujah
Hallelujah Hallelujah
Hallelujah Hallelujah

Vamp
Glory to our God who reigns
Glory to the King of Heaven
Who defeated death and grave
To the One who lives forever

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What A God

Bridge 1

If the highest place I reach is at Your feet
Then I've done it all
If the best thing that I've seen is Your glory
Then I've seen it all
Your love has changed my life forever satisfied
God You are my everything

Bridge 2

If one word is the only thing You speak
Then I've heard it all
If I feel Your heart and never see Your hand
I still have it all
No treasure of this life could ever satisfy
God You are my everything

Tag

God You are my everything
(God) You are my everything

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Song: Nothing Else

Chorus
I'm caught up in Your presence
I just want to sit here at Your feet
I'm caught up in this holy moment
I never want to leave
Oh I'm not here for blessings
Jesus You don't owe me anything
More than anything that You can do
I just want You

Verse 1
I'm sorry when I've just gone through the motions
I'm sorry when I just sang another song
Take me back to where we started
I open up my heart to You

Verse 2
I'm sorry when I've come with my agenda
I'm sorry when I forgot that You're enough
Take me back to where we started
I open up my heart to You

Bridge
I just want You
Nothing else
Nothing else (Jesus)
Nothing else will do

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Group Prayer: Get into groups of 3-4. Let's pray that our church would help guard and protect each other in order for our relationships to thrive.

If you would like to share and receive prayer: How do you want to grow in order to protect and fight for others?

LITURGY (Marvin)

ANNOUNCEMENTS (Jenna):

WELCOME: Need a Bible? We have one for you, keep it! It's our gift to you for joining us today

Haves and Needs: Have something to offer for free? Have a need? Fill out this form!
https://docs.google.com/forms/d/1meuVO3Ca-NsmLkBNIcbPrBRUQuAgHSpeo18PiKxu2fg/edit

COMMUNITY
-Lunch after church
-Irvine Life Group Tuesday 7:00PM
-Orange Life Group Wednesday 7:30PM
-Saturday 6PM 11/14 Men's and Women's Ministries

-UCI Outreach 11/20 10AM
-Sundays 10AM Gathering at Galaxy Arts

Prayer (?)

Sermon (David)

Exhortation (): Prayer, Care, and Share

Communion (Marvin): If you haven't been baptized as a believer yet we ask you do this first before regularly taking communion

Benediction ()

Life Group

1) Keep the conversations confidential! ☺
2) Listen with empathy and compassion. Don't give advice unless requested and continue to be gentle with someone who is sharing vulnerably.
3) Share and pray freely but be considerate of others' time and opportunities to share and pray. Also let's hold off on sharing about crimes committed that haven't been prosecuted yet as well as intention to harm oneself or others.
4) Continue to speak well of each other in the church, also being mindful to preserve unity by not using language that divides based on age, culture, gender, etc.
5) If you have a personal story that is similar to someone, be careful as you're sharing to not minimize the other person's experience or to correct them.

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This Week's Meditation Verse: Isaiah 1:17
"Learn to do right; seek justice. Defend the oppressed. Take up the cause of the fatherless; plead the case of the widow."