



# Jacob's Ladder Community Fellowship Church

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## Church Bulletin

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### 2014 Church Theme

*Prospering in and Enjoying the Benefits of Blood Covenant Fellowship*

**Romans 8:31-32**

**"What shall we then say to these things? If God be for us who can be against us?"**

**He that spared not his own Son, but delivered him up for us all, how shall he not with him also freely give us all things?"**

## What's Happening Between The Rungs

**June 14 - The Men's Ministry** monthly business meeting is held every 2nd Saturday from 10:00 am to 11:30 am in the Douglas Fellowship Hall. Elder (Elect) Vilas Atkins, III is the president.

**June 28 - The Women's Ministry** monthly business meeting is held every 4th Saturday from 10 am to 11:30 am in the Douglas Fellowship Hall. Mother Ruth Smith is the President.

### June Special Invitations to JLCF Church Members:

**June 1 @ 3:30 pm** - Carson Christian Outreach Apostolic Church **33rd Anniversary** located at 17705 Central Avenue in Carson.

**June 6, 7 & 8 @ 7pm** - **Pentecost Celebration: "Out Pour 2014"** locations

6/6 @ Church of Jesus Christ  
6/7 @ Greater Emmanuel Temple  
6/8 @ Church of Jesus Christ  
Contact: Sis. Layton, 310-946-5649



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### Commencement Announcement

The University of Phoenix will award our very own Sister Danette Myers with a Bachelors Degree in Human Services and Management on June 14, 2014.

Congratulations Sister Myers!

### Happy Fathers Day June 15, 2014

"F" aithful.  
"A" lways there.  
"T" rustworthy.  
"H" onoring.  
"E" ver-loving.  
"R" ighteous.

## Welcome

With an extended hand and a joyful spirit we welcome you today! We are blessed by your visit, and we believe that God has directed our paths to intersect. Our meeting is not an accident but a divine appointment, so we want to express Christ's love to you with genuine warmth.

We're delighted to know you, and we're excited to share

with you the marvelous ways in which God's hand is at work in our church. We believe you will discover that our fellowship is truly a family, rich in the relationships that matter most. Growing together, we worship, we serve, we laugh, we cry, we learn, and we reach out to our world with life-transforming truth. We reach out to you, as well. Our doors are

open. Our hearts are open, too. If you've been thinking, praying, searching and hoping for a place to belong, we say again, welcome.

**Bishop Robert T. Douglas, Sr.**

The Jacob's Ladder Church Family



**Jacob's Ladder Community Fellowship Apostolic Church**

**25th Church Anniversary and Reunion Celebration Dinner**

**IT'S A REUNION!**

*Calling Jacob's Ladder's current, former and affiliate members, friends and family*

**Friday, August 1, 2014**

Reception at 6:30 pm; Program at 7:30 pm

**\$65** Donation per Person

**WHERE:**  
Carson Community Center  
Carson Dominguez Hall  
3 Civic Plaza Drive, Carson, CA 90745

*To make a donation and ticket purchases, contact:  
Sister Brenda Tyler, Special Events Director @ (310) 429-0546  
Checks made payable to, Jacob's Ladder Community Fellowship Church  
Specify "JLCF 25th Year" in the memo section of the check*

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*You must Visit the Silent Auction*

Tickets will be on sale beginning Sunday, June 8, 2014.

See any member of the Church Anniversary/Reunion Planning Committee to purchase your ticket, or see Sister Ericka McAdoo to arrange for partial payments. Tickets must be paid by 7/20/2014.

## Sunday School Focal - June 2014

### JUNE 1

Topic: Obey the Lord  
Text: Haggai 1:1-11  
Focal Verse: Haggai 1:1-11

### JUNE 8

Topic: Trust God's Promises  
Text: Haggai 1:12, 2:1-9  
Focal Verse: Haggai 2:9

### JUNE 15

Topic: Live Pure Lives  
Text: Haggai 2:10-19  
Focal Verse: Haggai 2:19

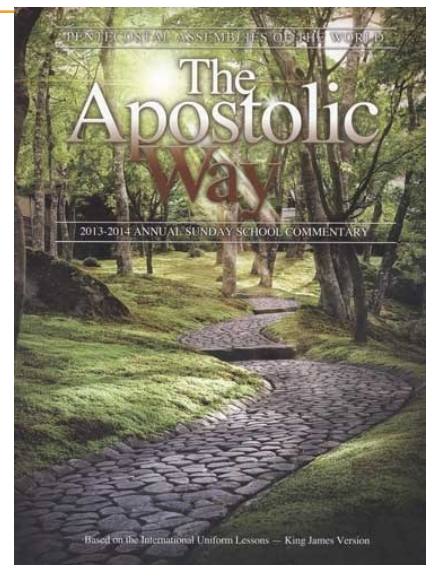
### JUNE 22

Topic: Hope for a New Day  
Text: Haggai 2:23; Zechariah 4:1-3, 6-14  
Focal Verse: Zechariah 4:6

### JUNE 29

Topic: A Call to Unity  
Text: I Corinthians 1:10-17  
Focal Verse: I Corinthians 1:10

**JLCF Church Sunday School begins at 10:00 am every Sunday for all age groups.**



# Pentecost Sunday - June 8



**Acts 2:1-13** <sup>1</sup>When the day of Pentecost came, they were all together in one place. <sup>2</sup>Suddenly a sound like the blowing of a violent wind came from heaven and filled the whole house where they were sitting. <sup>3</sup>They saw what seemed to be tongues of fire that separated and came to rest on each of them. <sup>4</sup>All of them were filled with the Holy Spirit and began to speak in other tongues as the Spirit enabled them.

### WHAT IS PENTECOST SUNDAY?

Pentecost Sunday is a commemoration and celebration of the receiving of the Holy Spirit by the early church. (Matthew 3:11, John 14:26, Acts 1:3-8)

### WHY CELEBRATE PENTECOST?

Pentecost Sunday is celebrated to recognize the gift of the Holy Spirit

- God’s very life, breath and energy live in believers.
- Core message: John 20:19-23 - our risen Savior supernaturally appeared to the disciples.
- Reassurance from God: Doubtful

disciples. Matthew 28:19-20 – “As the Father has sent me, I am sending you.”

- The 1st indwelling of the Holy Spirit: God breathed on the disciples, and they received the Holy Spirit (John 20:21-23).

### WE CELEBRATE BECAUSE

Pentecost Sunday reminds us of the reality that we all have the unifying Spirit that was poured out upon the first-century church in Acts 2:1-4. It is a reminder that we are co-heirs with Christ, to suffer with Him that we may also be glorified with Him; that the manifestation of the Spirit is given for the common good (1 Corinthians

in Acts 2:1-4. It is a reminder that we are co-heirs with Christ, to suffer with Him that we may also be glorified with Him; that the manifestation of the Spirit is given for the common good (1 Corinthians 12:7); that we are all baptized by one Spirit into one body (1 Corinthians 12:13); and that the Spirit which raised Jesus from the dead lives inside believers (Romans 8:9-11).

This gift of the Holy Spirit that was promised and given to all believers on the first Pentecost is promised for you and your children and for all who are far off whom the Lord our God will call (Acts 2:39).

California District Council  
**Expansion Celebration**  
 Banquet

featuring a tribute to our Interim Diocesan  
**Bishop Charles H. Ellis III**

*Theme*  
 “Embracing our Divine Appointment  
 with an Anointed Expansion”  
*1 Chronicles 4:10*

**Friday, July 11, 2014**  
**5:00pm-6:30pm**

**Torrance Marriott South Bay**  
 3635 Fashion Way  
 Torrance, CA 90503

**\$77.00 per person**  
 Make checks payable to  
 California District Council

*This event will be held during the  
 77th Annual Summer Conference.*

*Evening/Formal Attire*

*Please contact your  
 Region Secretary for tickets.*

Bishop Charles H. Ellis III, Diocesan  
 Suff. Bishop Dr. Robert T. Douglas, Sr., Chairman

*CDC Highlights*

**California District Council**  
 16th Episcopal District of the Pentecostal  
 Assemblies of the World, Inc.

**2014 SUMMER CONFERENCE**  
**July 9-12, 2014**  
**Torrance Marriott South Bay**  
**2635 Fashion Way**  
**Torrance, CA 9050**

*Pentecostal Assemblies of the World*  
**2014 Summer Convention**  
**The Power of Unity**  
**August 2–9, 2014**  
**Detroit, Michigan**

**Convention Hotels—\$129 per night**

**Marriott at the Renaissance**  
**Westin Book Cadillac**  
**Crowne Detroit Ponchartrain**  
**Covention@pawinc.org**

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sacrifice, obedience and commitment

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[www.Jacobsladderchurch.com](http://www.Jacobsladderchurch.com)

## THE WEEKLY

With Elder Michael Weaver  
Wednesdays and Thursdays  
From 12:00 a.m. to 12:30 a.m.



**Suffragan Bishop Robert T. Douglas, Sr.** can be seen on  
Wednesdays and Thursdays from 12:30 am to 1:00 am.

Available Southern California networks are: DirecTV, Dish  
Network, Time Warner, AT&T U-verse, Cox Communication,  
Verizon Fios and Charter

Bishop Douglas can also be heard every Sunday morning at  
11:30 at KTYM 1460 on your radio dial. You can also visit  
[www.KTYM.com](http://www.KTYM.com) to listen to the broadcast online.

### JLCF Church Weekly Services

#### SUNDAY

10:00 am ..... Sunday School

11:45 am ..... Morning Service

7:00 pm ..... Evening Worship

#### MONDAY

6:00 pm ..... Monday Night Prayer

#### WEDNESDAY

12 noon and 7:00 pm ..... Prayer Service

12:30 pm and 7:30 pm ..... Bible Study

#### THURSDAY

Evening ..... In-home Family Personal  
Devotional & Domestic Recreational Time



### JLCF Church Mission Statement

#### Sacrifice Obedience Commitment

I would like everyone at Jacob's Ladder to know that we are here in the State of California to promote the Kingdom of God and to recruit souls of men and women of all walks of life into this glorious Kingdom. With this truth established, our primary objective is saving the lost souls, the preservation of the saved soul, and the consecration of the new man in Christ. Our tools to reach our objectives are basically as follows:

- ✦ Repentance from a sinful Life;
- ✦ Water baptism in the name of Jesus'
- ✦ The baptism of the Holy Ghost;
- ✦ Educating the lost with the Word; and
- ✦ Referral resources for those that have special needs.

With this in mind, I would like for you all to know that I have sought the Lord for approval to expand the operation here at Jacob's Ladder. As your Pastor, it is my desire to acquire a church edifice with a seating capacity suitable for our membership.

This will require for us to take this present vision and organize it into a three million dollar project. In closing, I invite any ideas or suggestions to make the vision a reality.

*Bishop Robert T. Douglas, Sr.*

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