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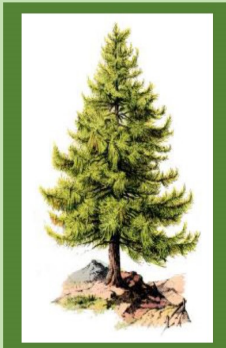
## 11th Annual Pastors' Retreat Southern California

### Save the Date Notification

This year's **THEME** will be: Transformation Through Preaching

**Date: September 13 – 15, 2021**

Location: Tahquitz Pines Conference Center,  
55251 S Circle Dr, Idyllwild, CA 92549



Prices include:

3 Days, 2 Nights, 5 meals

\$150 per person in Cabins

\$110.00 in Bunkhouse

(Scholarships Available: Call or text Bruce Hitchcock for details)

Payments must be received by **Friday, Sept. 3, 2021 @ 3:00 P.M.**

**RESERVE YOUR PLACE NOW!**

To Register: Contact Bruce Hitchcock

call or text (714) 420-1092 or email [brucehitch@msn.com](mailto:brucehitch@msn.com)

(if you are texting, please include your full name and church name)

Online registration will be available at [iesba.org](http://iesba.org) under the **EVENTS** tab.

If **paying by check**, make checks to **IESBA Pastors Retreat** and mail to:  
IESBA – Pastor's Retreat, 3210 E. Guasti Rd. #545, Ontario, CA 91761

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### Living the Transformed Life: Part 1

Psalms 139:33-37 contains a significant message from God. This section of scripture is so meaningful that the Psalmist is led by the Spirit to repeat its essential phrase, *"Teach me Your Truth"*. Truth, as God's Word, is used ten times in this psalm and nineteen times in the Old Testament. The knowledge, God's Truth, and the understanding of God's word, when combined with His wisdom, application, and repetition, will become habitual and result in spiritual transformation.

Transformation is the essential need for a continued relationship with God and the evidence of our salvation (1 John 1:7). The two phrases that serve as instruction in spiritual growth for us to grow spiritually are (2 Peter 1:5), *"make every effort to add to your faith"* and (2 Peter 5:8) *"...possess these qualities in increasing measure."* Faith brings about salvation. Salvation is the starting point in our relationship with God. It is by grace through God's gift of faith that we are justified. However, faith is only the ignition point of our salvation. God says we must add to our faith. Secondly, if we are to be effective and productive in the Christian life, we must continue to hone the actions that reinforce and strengthen our love of God and others.

### Spiritual Application:

We will never be perfect in this life. The title of Perfect belongs only to Jesus. However, we can live the abundant life that Jesus promised us. We see this promise when He contrasts the power of the world system and its leader Satan with His promise to those who believe and trust in Him. *The thief comes only to steal and kill and destroy. I came that they may have life and have it abundantly.* (John 10:10, ESV). We need to ask ourselves, "Are we experiencing the abundant life that Jesus promised?" He provides this life of peace and spiritual stability only to those who confess openly Jesus as Lord of their lives and believe that God raised Him from the dead (Romans 10:9-10).



## PASTOR'S BREAKFAST SCHEDULE:

**1st Wednesday of the month:** 8:00 am, The Original Pancake House, 1750 Hamner Ave., Norco

**1st Wednesday of the month:** 11:30 am, Hawk's Landing Golf Course, 55100 Martinez Trail, Yucca Valley

**2nd Monday of the month:** 8:00 am, The View, 26701 McCall Blvd, Sun City

**2nd Tuesday of the month:** 8 am, Chef's Country Café, 17039 Valley Blvd, Fontana

**Julio 17** - desayuno de pastores. Iglesia del pastor Juan Bautista. (9:00am)





## Spanish Pastors Breakfast



## WE ♥ OUR PASTORS

THANKS FOR MINISTERING TO OUR CHURCH

### Bendecidos para Bendecir, "Mas del pastor"

Isaias 52:7

Como cada año el mes de octubre es una maravillosa oportunidad para bendecir a tu pastor por todo su trabajo. Así que te animamos a que este año en Octubre hagas una diferenciz en la vida de tu pastor y fam.

### Blessed to Bless,

Isaiah 52: 7

Like every year, October is a wonderful opportunity to bless your pastor for all his work. So we encourage you to make a difference this year in October in the life of your pastor and family.

## UPCOMING SPANISH EVENTS

**Julio 17** desayuno de pastores. Iglesia del pastor Juan Bautista.  
(9:00am)

**Agosto 21** fiesta de verano (Tacos) iglesia del pastor Hector Medina.  
(5:00pm)

**13-15 de Septiembre** Retiro de pastores.

Tahquitz Pines conference center

55251S. Circle Dr, Idyllwild ca 92549.

cupo limitado solo para 30 pastores hispanos. Precio \$150 por persona en cabana (Solo) \$110 en Bunkhouse.

Registrarse con pastor Claudio Medinao [www.iesba.org](http://www.iesba.org).  
Se necesita dar un deposti para reservar su lugar.

(Conferencista pastor Oscar Cano)

**15,16 de Octubre** conferencia para pastor y hombres.

Lugar: Magnolia Church riverside Calf. (Conferencista invitado Pastor Erick Saldana)

Horario: viernes 15 de septiembre 7:30 -9:30 pm conferencia solo para pastores. Sabado 16 de septiembre 9am- 1pm  
Conferencia para hombres. (este evento es totalmente gratuito).

## UPCOMING SPANISH PASTOR'S WIVES EVENTS:

Desayuno de esposas de pastores

14 de Agosto 2021 @ 9am, Primera iglesia Bautista en Lakeview, 31197 Lakeview Avenue East Lakeview, CA 92567

Desayuno de esposas de pastores

2 de Octubre 2021 @ 9am, Iglesia plenitud en Cristo en Moreno Valley, 13027 Perris Blvd Moreno Valley Ca 92553

Para ser parte de las llamadas virtuales cada primer sábado del mes contacte a Leticia Ríos 1 (909) 809-7715 o Brenda Santos (714)350-1161

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