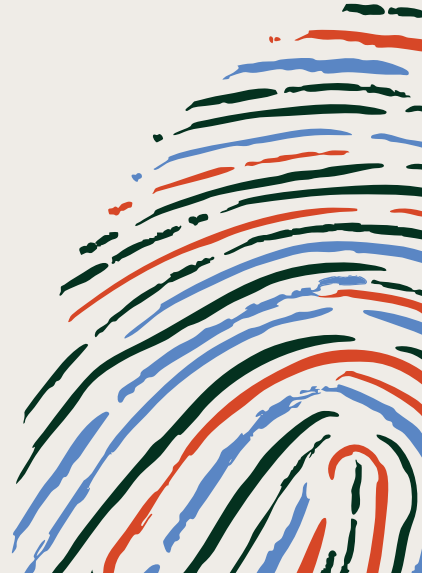




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WHAT DOES IT MEAN TO BE HUMAN?

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If you only listen to the daily news cycle it is easy to assume that being human means being destructive, selfish, and divided. We often go through life focusing on our differences instead of recognizing our common humanity. We have stopped seeing the image of God implanted in our neighbor and this dehumanization is, unfortunately, destroying our world.

Yet, the Bible tells a different story.

In our origin narrative in the book of Genesis, God created humanity and called us not just “good,” but “good, good.” And, unlike the rest of creation, God made humanity special, by implanting God’s own image in us; **not for division, but for diversity; not to destroy, but to empower; and not to hoard, but to multiply.**

The church theme for this school year is “We Are All **Divinely Designed.**”

Through this theme—explored in our sermon series and small groups

over the next year—we are looking inward at our own preciousness, outward at the beauty of others, and around us at the planet God has entrusted to our care.

We hope you will be inspired this year to remember God’s purpose for humanity—to be a reflection of God’s goodness in a fallen world.

Let us return to our true humanity.

Here are some ways we are living into our Divine Design at PLCPC:

God's original mandate for humanity laid out in Genesis 1:28 happened long before sin entered the world and it held within it three clear objections:

- The first was to multiply (be fruitful).
- The second was to become as diverse as possible (fill the earth).
- And, the third was to steward the rest of Creation well (subdue it).

BE FRUITFUL AND MULTIPLY

In addition to our regular offerings, in 2025 we intentionally focused on strengthening our community through groups aimed at growing together in unity.

- We partnered with Olive Branch Solutions and 153 people received training on how to have constructive conversation with those who have different opinions.
- During Lent, 173 individuals met in small groups to explore how a variety of spiritual practices can deepen our faith.
- On Good Friday we partnered with 7 other area churches and provided a pilgrimage to the cross on Ocean Beach's church row.

As a result of these and other efforts, this past year we have had a 10% growth in attendance at in-person worship services and 16% growth in our online worship service. 575 new people asked to be added to our database to receive communication.



FILL THE EARTH

The intention behind God's mandate to fill the earth was God's love of diversity. If you look around at any of our events you will see that God has brought to our church someone from every generation. Among these multiple ages, a wide variety of professions and expressions are represented. This year we have also experienced a noticeable increase in cultural diversity. On any given Sunday, 10-15% of our 10:30am Chapel service includes people who originated from a different country other than the United States. God is filling the earth through us one story at a time.



STORY FROM OUR COMMUNITY

Anna Middleton, originally from England, most recently in Connecticut for 15 years, followed God's calling to move to San Diego last year. She was looking for a church home, and one Sunday while taking a walk and praying, she heard music coming out of our Sanctuary and came in the doors.

Reflecting on that day, Anna said, **"Everything I heard felt like it was straight from God to me."** She ended up attending both worship services that day.

There were some things God laid on her heart that she knew she wanted to explore in this season of her life - helping the unhoused and deepening in a creative community - both of which she has found here. Point Loma Church has become a home for her where she has experienced kind, genuine people who do what they say - love people. She is so grateful to be a part of the community and will continue to engage here in meaningful ways.

STEWARD WELL

The Generation to Generation Renovation will conclude in the first quarter of 2026. As a result of this collective effort, our campus will feature all new Infant and Preschool classrooms, an elevator and new multi-purpose spaces. The conclusion of this project opens up exciting possibilities to serve the community into the future.

- The new education spaces have already enhanced the faith and learning of the youngest among us. We are stewarding the next generation and their families well.
- We anticipate our new flexible gathering spaces to be a hub for music, art, and other creative events. This will allow us to steward our imaginations in new ways.
- In the new cafe space there will be protected times for "digital detox" in an effort to steward our relationships with one another.





In order to multiply, fill the earth, and steward well it takes all of us-giving and serving together. Our financial needs continue to increase due to wages, utilities, and insurance costs. Will you prayerfully consider giving to PLCPC this year? And for those who have faithfully given in the past, might you consider increasing your gift by 6-7% or more to meet our needs and help grow the ministry at Point Loma Church?

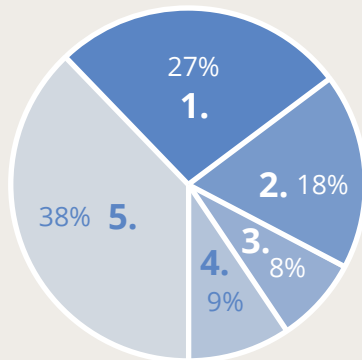
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OPERATING BUDGET BY MISSION GROUP



- 1. Experience Jesus** is the invitation to encounter the living Lord through worship services, music and the arts.
- 2. Journey into Deeper Faith** fosters the ongoing faith formation of people from seekers to committed Christ-followers and leaders at all stages of life.
- 3. Strengthen the Church** builds our community through gatherings of authentic fellowship and seeks to care for the needs of people through ministries of prayer and care.
- 4. Transform the World** reaches out to the world with the Gospel of Christ through mission, sheltering and service beyond our walls. *(When including special offerings, actual giving is 11-12%)*
- 5. Mission Support** tends to the needs of our staff, finances, property and operations in order to be good stewards of all that God has entrusted to our church.

**Total church operating
budget need for 2026**

not including preschool

\$1,746,038

**Total income from
sources outside of
tithes & offerings**

*rental income, preschool, special
offerings, and interest income*

\$382,500

**Total ask for tithes
& offerings:**

\$1,363,538



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