

## February 2—February 8

**Sunday, February 2**, Bible Through the Year: Isaiah 32-33; Mark 8  
10:00 AM      Worship Service

**Monday, February 3**, Bible Through the Year: Isaiah 34-36; Mark 9:1-29

**Tuesday, February 4**, Bible Through the Year: Isaiah 37-38; Mark 9:30-50

**Wednesday, February 5**, Bible Through the Year: Isaiah 39-40; Mark 10:1-31  
5:30 PM      Children Activities (Fellowship Hall)  
6:30 PM      Wednesday Night Bible Study (Choir Room)  
7:30 PM      Wednesday Night Prayer

**Thursday, February 6**, Bible Through the Year: Isaiah 41-42; Mark 10:32-52

**Friday, February 7**, Bible Through the Year: Isaiah 43-44; Mark 11:1-19

**Saturday, February 8**, Bible Through the Year: Isaiah 45-46; Mark 11:20-33  
9:30 AM      Joy Cafe  
6:00 PM      Pastor Matt Growth Group

### Sunday in-person Bible studies

Median Adults class (Jennifer Watanabe leading) — 8:30 a.m. Choir room  
Middle School & High School Sermon Discussion — 8:30 a.m. Youth room  
Sunday School for Toddlers to 5th Grade — 8:30 a.m. Preschool Classrooms  
Childcare for the babies — 8:30 a.m. Nursery

### Sunday In-person/online Bible studies

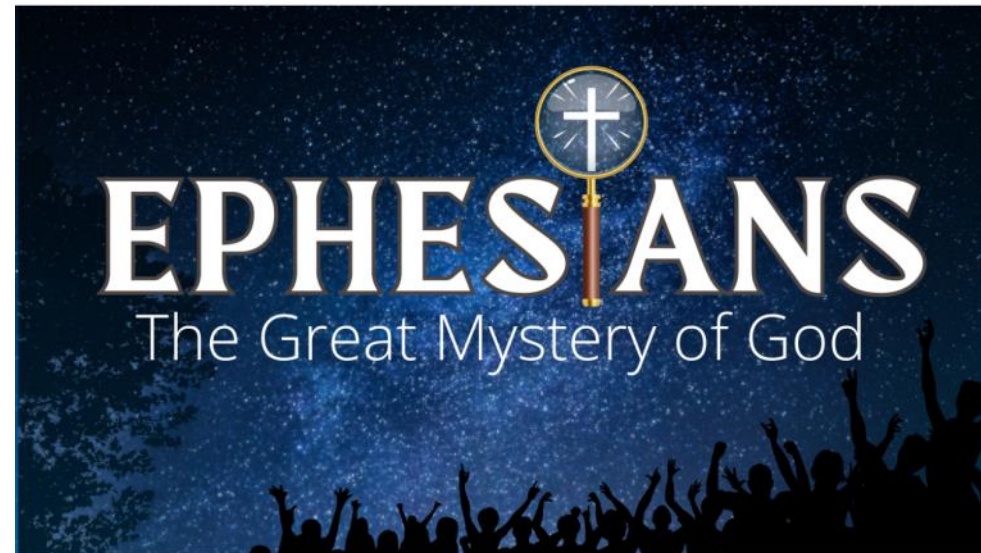
Mixed Adults Class (Pastor Matt leading) — 8:30 a.m. Fellowship Hall  
Young Adults — 6:30 p.m. Contact Gabby ([gabrielle@waialaebaptist.com](mailto:gabrielle@waialaebaptist.com)) for info

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February 2, 2025

# Walk as Grateful Children of Light



## Ephesians 5:6-20

## Wai'ālae Baptist Church | Sunday, February 2, 2025

We believe our church should be a reflection of the love and glory of God that is given to us from God through faith in Jesus Christ, the Son of God, who is our Savior and Lord, and by the indwelling of the Holy Spirit who unites as one body in Christ and empowers us to obey God and serve others.

### **THE MISSION OF OUR CHURCH IS TO:**

Fulfill the Great Commission | Share the gospel: Making disciples in all nations bringing glory to God (Mt. 28:18-20)

Obey the Greatest Commandment | Walk in Love: To love God and to love all people (Mt. 22:37-40)

Be United in the Spirit | Change The World: Reveal that Jesus is the Son of God sent by the Father to be the Lord and Savior of the world. (Jn. 17:20-21)

### **WELCOME GUESTS!**

Please connect with us by filling out a Welcome form located in the back of the pews and place it in the offering bowl. You may also fill out our online welcome form by scanning the QR code to the right:



### **WELCOME TEAM**

After the worship service, our welcome team serves refreshments in the breezeway. Please stay and get to know us.

### **KIDS WORSHIP**

Kids in grades 1-5 remain in service until they are excused just before the sermon to meet Kids Worship leaders at the back of the sanctuary. They will go downstairs for a Bible lesson and activities.

### **ALTAR FLOWERS**

If you are interested in donating flowers for the altar, please call or text Nora Galacia (808-222-1945). Thank you.

## Save the date!

**Joy Cafe** — Saturday, February 8, 2025 from 9:30 AM in the Fellowship Hall. See Char or Carol T. for more information.

**Keauhou Shelter Meal Prep** — February 9 at 3:30p.m. See Bill for more info.

**Church Work Day** — Saturday, February 15 at 8:30a.m. Contact Bill for more info.

**Donation Collection for Palolo Elementary** — Sunday, February 16th. We will be collecting gently used socks, covered shoes, unisex undergarment, unisex shirts, pants, as well as items for rummage sale & non perishable food items. See Sylvia for more info.

**ABWLS Marriage Conference "Refocus - Reconnect"** — February 21-22 at the Hawaii Prince Hotel. Registration now open online at <https://waialaebaptist.org/2025love/> or by scanning the QR code on the right.



Volunteers are needed for the Marriage Conference, March mini-conferences (3/1, 3/8, 3/15, and 3/22), and the Unshaken Conference on May 5. Please sign up in the foyer after the worship service or scan the lower QR code on the right to fill out the form online. Make sure to choose Alec & Belle Waterhouse Lecture Series Volunteers in the dropdown menu.



**Business Meeting** — Sunday, February 23, 2025 after service in the Fellowship Hall.

**Missions Involvement Meeting** — Sunday, March 2, 2025 after church in the Fellowship Hall. Lunch provided. New volunteers welcome! We will be planning for Easter outreach activities. See Stacy for more info.

## Ongoing Opportunities

**Children Wednesday Night Dinner & Activities from 5:30-7:30p.m. in the Fellowship Hall** — Volunteers are needed to assist with the activities and dinner setup/clean up. To volunteer or learn more, contact Gabby ([gabrielle@waialaebaptist.com](mailto:gabrielle@waialaebaptist.com)).

**Wednesday Night Bible Study & Prayer** — Choir room at 6:30p.m. or online via Zoom, with online/Zoom Prayer at 7:30p.m. Contact Pastor Matt or [info@waialaebaptist.com](mailto:info@waialaebaptist.com) for more info.

**Growth Groups** — Saturday nights at 6 p.m. Contact Pastor Matt before attending.

**Help with Los Angeles fire relief efforts thru SendRelief** — Visit <https://www.sendrelief.org/projects/los-angeles-fires> for info.

**Help with the Maui Relief Effort** — Visit [waialaebaptist.org](http://waialaebaptist.org) for resources.

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# WORSHIP CELEBRATION

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## A Romans 12 Church

*I appeal to you therefore, brothers, by the mercies of God, to present your bodies as a living sacrifice, holy and acceptable to God, which is your spiritual worship.*

**Surrendered ♥ Discipling ♥ Humble ♥ Diverse ♥ Serving  
♥ Loving ♥ Fruitful ♥ Relational ♥ Good**

## Why We Listen to Sermons

**To know God who is Trinity more**

*Knowledge that leads to a greater love for the Father, Son, and Spirit, and a deeper worship of God*

**To know more about what God has done and is doing through Jesus**

*Knowledge that leads to a greater understanding of God's kingdom and His church*

**To know more about God's plan to use us**

*Knowledge that leads to a greater understanding of and commitment to do God's will*

**To know our sin and understand the power of God's grace in Christ**

*Knowledge that leads to repentance and a saving faith in Christ.*

**Truly listening to God's Word leads to a greater hunger to know more about God and His Word**

Call To Worship

*I Believe (Hometown Edition)*

Welcome

Opening Prayer

*Blessed Be Your Name*

Scripture Reading —

*Ephesians 5:6-21*

Offering

*King Of Kings*

Ephesians: The Great Mystery of God -  
*Walk as Grateful Children of Light (Ephesians 5:6-20)*

Prayer and Transition

Prayer and Response

Lord's Supper

*In Christ Alone*

Announcements

Closing Prayer

Dismissal

***Our mission is to fulfill the Great Commission and obey  
the Great Commandment all for the glory of God.***



## Ephesians: The Great Mystery of God



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### Walk as Grateful Children of Light

Ephesian 5:6-20

#### Where we live

Many Christians lose focus on God's \_\_\_\_\_, which leads to \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_.

#### Where the text lives

Paul continues to teach the Ephesian church what it means to walk worthy of their calling.

#### What the text says

Walk together as children of \_\_\_\_\_ so that Christ can use us to \_\_\_\_\_ His light to people in darkness.

#### ACTION:

Walk in God's \_\_\_\_\_ taking care in how you express His love and communicate His truth.

#### ACTION:

Focus on God's \_\_\_\_\_ so that we might live according to His \_\_\_\_\_.

#### ACTION:

What gratefulness does

#### Our response

God, help us to be filled with \_\_\_\_\_ to You so that we might live as a Spirit-filled church overflowing with Your love.