

Light of The World Church of Christ

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25th Anniversary Celebration

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Our theological mission has long been the same testimonial from the book of Matthew: *“Ye are the light of the world. A city that is set on a hill cannot be hid.”*

We uphold this truth by the mantra that has guided us to this milestone 25th anniversary. Here at Light of the World, we work to demonstrate His beacon of grace and mercy in every deed so others may see “Church and Community Cooperating to Bring Glory to Christ.” It is our duty to be the unwavering bridge that connects people to salvation.

Please join us in July 2024, every Sunday, for special worship services with guest speakers who will magnify the Lord and celebrate us home to the actual anniversary and a series of memorial events the first weekend in August 2024, when Light of the World welcomes the entire community to be lifted by fiery oratory, great tributes, guests, singing, witnessing, and a profound history lesson that will inspire all who join us. These are the dates to help plan your summer trips around:

- July 7, 2024, Dr. Leonardo Gilbert, 9:30, Sunday Morning
- July 14, 2024, Evangelist Justin Fielder, 10:00, Sunday Morning
- July 21, 2024, Dr. Stanley Talbert, 10:00, Sunday Morning
- July 28, 2024, Evangelist Darren Smith, 10:00, Sunday Morning

- Friday Night, 7:30 p.m., August 2, 2024, **Music up to Heaven.** Local Groups present an unforgettable musical at the congregation that humbly defined “Praise Teams” and the role those ministries have. Refreshments will be served.
- Saturday Night, 4:00 p.m., August 3, 2024, **Voices Lifted Higher.** Visiting Groups celebrate at Light, teams from across America, lifting their voices for all sisters and brothers to hear. The evening will share our history, heritage, and the journey that has brought LWCC to 25 years of outreach with singing you will not want to miss.
- Sunday Morning, 10:00 a.m., August 4, 2024, **Brick-Tent Revival.** Worship services are dedicated to past, present, and future Light of the World members. Especially to the original *Bronco Bowl Faithful*, our seed members who planted and nurtured Light to our 25th Anniversary. Bro. Randall Tucker will bring the special message.
- Sunday Afternoon Service, August 4, 2024, **Catered to Christ.** Seating is limited for the LWCC Fellowship Luncheon. Tickets will be sold on a first-to-reserve basis so hold your place now at \$25 or \$15 dollars for this grand ‘Catered to Christ’ feast. Preaching. Singing. Praying. Testifying. All this, and more, as we break bread

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together and celebrate bringing Christ to a precious community of humanity. You may text “ANNV25” to 469-567-8200 to purchase tickets for the luncheon.

How precious you are to me. There can be no doubt we made it through some challenging times and storms together. But we are here. **25 years later.** I wanted to stop, reflect, and send you a personal invitation and thank you for never giving up, for not ceasing, for your abundant faith in our mission. We began with just a handful of souls who believed in me, believed that we would not be long at the Bronco Bowl, which all of us were grateful for. Those were some threadbare days with a slew of critics who ridiculed everything—from our excellent name to our groundbreaking music ministry. Yet, we are here.

I Peter 2:7 reminds me of our humble beginnings: “Unto you therefore which believe he is precious but unto them which be disobedient, the stone which the builders disallowed, the same is made the head of the corner.” Thank you, from my heart, for your kind support, your unshakeable faith, that the cornerstone so many others chose to discard, you saw as *precious in His sight*. Verse 9 states we are “a chosen generation” by the praises of the Lord “who hath called you out of darkness into **his marvelous light.**”

My dear Light of the World Family, thank you for 25 incredible years. Thank you so much for the beautiful labor of love, your prayers, your total devotion to Christ and Community. I celebrate all of you and look forward to our special anniversary together, as we glorify God in July 2024, during our morning worship services with talented ministers who will bring us the word...leading right into August 2024, the anniversary memorial events and every joyous single hour beyond.

Love from your brother in Christ,

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