## **Pray**

- 1. Pray for God's powerful and ongoing work of growth and transformation in the men who are attending this weekend's Men's Retreat.
- 2. Pray for God to lead you with power and grace through trials that you are facing now, and in the future.

### **Giving Update**

Fiscal Year July 2018-June 2019 Total Budget: \$2,459,200

February March	Budget Goal \$191,240 \$220,221	Giving Received \$199,729 \$235,909	Over/Under \$8,489 \$15,688
Fiscal YTD	\$1,863,796	\$1,959,767	\$95,971

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Giving Received February \$6,175

March \$6,515

Fiscal YTD \$58,603

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We offer four convenient giving options:

• www.lbf.church/give

• LBF Church App (tap "give")

• Text "GIVE" to (909) 891-0115

• Offering boxes located at each exit

# **Current Series: Barriers to Belief**

Barriers to Belief is a 4-week series that tackles common obstacles to placing our faith in Jesus. These obstacles may keep people from believing in Jesus at all, or they may keep those who do believe from delving deeper into trust and love for Jesus.

As we walk through this series as a church family, our prayer is that we all will lean into trusting the infinitely wise God who sent his Son for us. Our hope is that digging into what the Bible says on these touch subjects will provide some help to overcome barriers that keep us from moving forward in our faith.



#### **Office Hours**

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# **Why Does God Allow Suffering?**

Barriers to Belief
Dan Franklin, Teaching Pastor
Job 40:6-14 • April 28, 2019

The Question of Suffering Seem	ns to Make Us Choose Between
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The Question: Is God?
<sup>6</sup> Then the LORD spoke to Job out of the storm: <sup>7</sup> "Brace yourself like a man; I will question you, and you shall answer me. <sup>8</sup> "Would you discredit my justice? Would you condemn me to justify yourself?

The Invitation:	Global Justice
<sup>9</sup> Do you have an arm like God's, and <sup>10</sup> Then adorn yourself with glory and honor and majesty. <sup>11</sup> Unleash the fur proud and bring them low, <sup>12</sup> look at crush the wicked where they stand. <sup>2</sup> shroud their faces in the grave.	I splendor, and clothe yourself in y of your wrath, look at all who are all who are proud and humble them,

The Implication: The Only Judge is the Only				
<sup>4</sup> The	n I myself will admit to you	that your own	right hand can sav	e you.