



May Calendar

- May 06 Youth Zoom InTouch
- May 07 SAC Lunch
- May 08 Mother's Day
- May 10 Church Board
- May 13 Youth Zoom InTouch
- May 20 Youth Zoom InTouch
- May 22 Women's Tea & Brunch
- May 27 Youth Zoom InTouch
- May 30 Memorial Day

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SAC Lunch May 7



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Good News... Jesus Is Our Big TOE...

By Pastor Ken Studer

At the 87th Academy Awards, Eddie Redmayne won the Oscar for Best Actor for his role in "The Theory of Everything." The movie was about the life and times of the renowned theoretical-physicist Stephen Hawking.

In the movie Jane Hawking, Stephen Hawking's wife, asks the question, "What about you? What are you?" and Stephen Hawking replies, "Cosmologist, I'm a cosmologist." Mrs. Hawking is confused and asks, "What is that?" Stephen Hawking replies, "It is a kind of religion for intelligent atheists."

Wikipedia has this to say about a Theory of Everything: "The theory of everything (TOE) is a putative theory of theoretical physics that fully explains and links together all known physical phenomena..."

It's a cool concept that we could know all and make sense of everything. But the truth is that there are many questions that have no answers unless you believe in God and the Bible. For example, Where did I come from? What am I doing here and where am I going?

I suggest that Jesus is the summative Theory of Everything (TOE). Jesus is our big TOE. In Him, all of history comes together. Because of Jesus, our current reality makes sense. Because Jesus lives, life takes on meaning. Because Jesus is Lord of all, we have hope, even though we live in a fallen world.

We live in a world where knowledge is power. Yet, no one person can know everything there is to know, not even Stephen Hawking. But Scripture tells us the following about Jesus:

I am the Alpha and the Omega, says the Lord God, who is the same yesterday and today and forever, and who was and who is to come, the Almighty.

Revelation 1:8 NASB

Jesus Christ is the Beginning, He is the Ending. He is the Lord God. He is. He was. He is coming again. He is the Almighty.

Hebrews 13:8 NASB

The Good News is that Jesus is our Theory of Everything (TOE).

May Social Event

**Sunday
May 22
10 AM**

*Women's Tea
& Brunch*



This year's Women's Tea will be at the Rapp home, 12931 Flint Drive, North Tustin. Our 2022 tea will have a new feature—Brunch! Plan to attend this fun event. You must sign up for this event. Sorry guys, women only.

Monday, May 30th

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May Worship Schedule

This month Pastor Ken continues his sermon series on the Book of Ephesians. This sermon series concludes next month on June 4.

- 05-07 Ephesians, Part 2—God's Household**
- 05-14 Ephesians, Part 3—Mystery Unveiled**
- 05-21 Ephesians, Part 4—Renewed & Sealed**
- 05-28 Ephesians, Part 5—Imitators of God**

May Birthdays

Ricardo Graf	May 01	Margaret Lopez	May 17
Curtis Pai	May 01	Judy Chung	May 17
Jie Yu	May 01	Bryan Do	May 17
Jayantiti Ravindran	May 03	Stephanie Pelletier	May 20
Chris Cornforth	May 04	Andrew Clark	May 21
L. Allan Martin	May 04	Amy Evans	May 22
Scott Roberts	May 04	Samuel Giles	May 22
Gama Chavez	May 06	Ron Hebert	May 22
Janene Chrispens	May 06	Sydney Madolora	May 22
Ankita Nelsen	May 08	Gisela Riffel	May 22
Emma Varela	May 08	Cristina Clarke	May 23
Wanda Anderson	May 09	Susan Cowdrey	May 23
Brett Byfield	May 09	Larry Fleming	May 23
Ed Clark	May 09	Jeff Horne	May 23
Vanessa Clark	May 11	Sophia Chun	May 24
Scott Dinges	May 11	Harry Miller	May 24
Linda Moyer	May 11	Tony Moore	May 24
Eric Rangel	May 11	Stephanie Mensah	May 25
Maria L. Joya	May 12	Ian Thompson	May 26
Joo Lee	May 12	Nathan Buhrke	May 27
Nasser Nasralla	May 14	Susi Conner	May 29
Linda Astrero	May 15	Samuel Dompas	May 29
Nothani Bryant	May 15	Nicolas Dunn	May 29
Kimberly Ramos	May 15	Lindsay Moyer	May 29
Nicholas Vence	May 15	Laura Carrillo	May 30
Herawaty Dompas	May 16	Marinos Sideris	May 30