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COMMUNITY CHURCH

May 9, 2021

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OUTDOOR WORSHIP SERVICES

9:30AM | 11:30AM

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PRELUDE

CALL TO WORSHIP

SONGS OF PRAISE

Amanda Ma

CONGREGATIONAL PRAYER

2nd service: Margie Clement

3rd service: Jay Ghil

MOTHER'S DAY VIDEO

MESSAGE

Exiles, Part 4

“Because Christ Also Suffered For You”

1 Peter 2:13-25

Pastor James Lee

SONGS OF REFLECTION AND OFFERING

CLOSING PRAYER

Pastor Steve Chang

EXILES

HOPE IN A WORLD THAT IS NOT OUR HOME

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MAY 9TH
MOTHER'S DAY
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ANNOUNCEMENTS

1. Mother's Day | Today

Being a mother is hard work. We want to celebrate you and recognize you this Sunday, May 9, on Mother's Day. Worship with us moms!

2. LHCC VBS 2021 Registration

VBS 2021 Registration is now open to all CURRENT K-5th grade students! In-person spaces are very limited and will be filled on a first-come, first-served basis. The online option for VBS 2021 is open to children of ALL ages and is unlimited! Join us this year as we put on GOD'S ARMOR! The link will be available on our website.

We are still in need of VOLUNTEERS. Please register to VOLUNTEER for our in-person and online event. Let's gather as a church body to serve together! Please contact Julie Pak at julie.pak@livinghopec.org with any questions.

<https://livinghopec.org/breezechms.com/form/792f1652>

3. Open Ministry Position: Director of Family Ministries

Living Hope Community Church is now hiring for a full time position of Director of Family Ministries. Please see the document below for a description of the position and information on how to apply.

<https://www.csmedia1.com/livinghopec.org/ministry-opening-director-of-family-ministry.pdf>

4. Teaching Series: Gospel Stories | May 19

Please join us on the third Wednesday of every month from 7:30-8:30 pm for our Teaching Series: Gospel Stories from the Old Testament. In each session, we will learn how the Gospel is alive and well in the Old Testament. If you would like to join us, please register:

<https://livinghopec.org/breezechms.com/form/cb1b7e8>

For more information, please visit our website at <https://www.livinghopec.org/announcements>.

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SERMON NOTES

Exiles, Part 3

“But You Are”

1 Peter 2:1-12

Pastor Steve Chang

1. What was the background of the letter of 1 Peter (who/what/where/why)?
2. Why/how does the text use the controversial examples of honoring the emperor and submitting to slave owners?
3. What two assumptions does the logic of Christ's suffering healing us?



TUESDAY, JUNE 22ND - FRIDAY, JUNE 25TH

WWW.LIVINGHOPECC.ORG/VBS

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CELL GROUP DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

GET-TO-KNOW

1. Take turns to give a brief life update – one good, one bad, and one ‘what I think God has been up to in my life.’

FROM THE SERMON

2. How is the letter of 1 Peter structured? What does this structure say about human suffering?

3. The speaker interpreted the text’s use of two controversial examples not as justifying suffering but of following Jesus in loving enemies. What verses in the text support this claim?

4. How does the fact that this message of “enemy love in suffering”, written by Peter, make a difference?

5. A problem of contemporary American life is that it is easy to rid enemies – by unfollowing on social media, ghosting (ignoring), changing cell groups, etc. How can we love like Jesus has loved us in our context? Who are our enemies and what are we doing to love (and perhaps even be near) them?



GOSPEL STORIES
WEDNESDAY NIGHT
TEACHING SERIES
CLASSES HELD VIA ZOOM

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