

COMMUNITY CHURCH

March 10, 2024

LIVING HOPE COMMUNITY CHURCH

WORSHIP SERVICES 8:00 AM | 9:30AM | 11:30AM

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PRELUDE

CALL TO WORSHIP

Pastor Chris Chi

SONGS OF PRAISE

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Scripture Reading

9:30AM: Michelle Kim 11:30AM: Michelle Kim

MESSAGE

In the Upper Room "Essential words to find joy" John 16:16-33 Pastor Ben Tabbal

SONGS OF REFLECTION AND OFFERING

CLOSING PRAYER

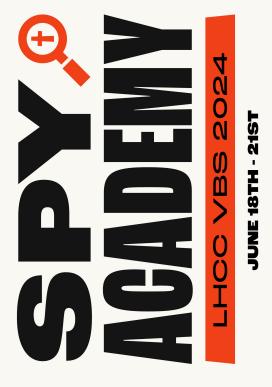
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ANNOUNCEMENTS

1. LH College Spring Retreat | Mar 22-24

Collegians! Join us for our Spring Retreat "STANDING FIRM" this coming March 22nd-24th!! Join us for an opportunity to grow stronger in our faith, deeper in our understanding of freedom, and build greater bonds with one another.

College Retreat Form

2. Baby Dedication | Mar 24

The next Baby dedication will be on March 24 during 9:30 service. There is a mandatory class one week before on Sunday, March 17 at 10:45am in the Living Room. For more information and for registration, please go the link below. Register no later than March 16. <u>Baby Dedication Registration Page</u>

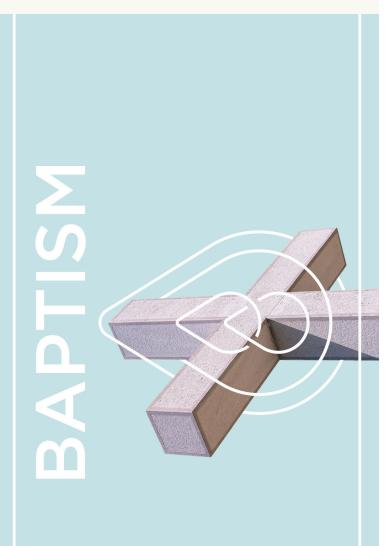
3. Passion Week Outreach Trip | Mar 28-29

Living Hope Community Church is hosting an outreach trip to LA on March 28-29 (Thursday -Friday of Passion Week) for Prime and Homebuilders. On Holy Thursday, we will go to the Union Rescue Mission (URM); and on Good Friday, we will go to the LA County jails. This is an opportunity to display the gospel through serving others . We encourage your participation, sign up through the link provided.

PASSION WEEK OUTREACH FORM

4. Baptism | Mar 31

If you are a believer but have never professed your faith publicly through baptism, we urge you to do so on Easter Sunday, March 31st. The required class will be on Sunday, March 17th from 10:45 - 11:30 am. Please visit our website to register for the class. The last day to sign up is March 16th.



BAPTISM SIGN UP

5. 2024 VBS | Jun 18-21

VBS 2024 is officially starting! This year our theme will be Spy Academy! We are currrently opening volunteer registration for our 2024 VBS. This is a church-wide event and we need every set of hands we can get!

VOLUNTEER REGISTRATION SIGN UP HERE

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SERMON NOTES

In the Upper Room "Essential words to find joy" John 16:16-33 Pastor Ben Tabbal

Things to keep in mind about this section:

1. We are jumping into the ______ of a conversation.

2. We know what happens when he leaves the

3. There is ______ among the disciples on what is Jesus saying.

Essential words to help you find joy.

_____•

I. You will be sorrowful but your sorrow will turn into joy. (V19-24)

- Sorrow is often the ______ that bears the fruit of joy.

- Pain is ______ but pales in comparison to the joy of holding new life v.21.

It's not temporary but one that is _____v.22

II. We have direct access to the Father's _____ (v25-28)

Joy that you experience through answered prayer.
V23-24

- Prayer is backed and supported by the of God v-24-25



_____of God.v-24-25 - Father himself ______you. V25-27

III. Peace comes through faith in Jesus(V28-33)

- What kind of peace was he talking about,.
- There are different kinds of faith.

Jesus promises to transform our sorrow into lasting joy, and our joy is secure because the victory is won.

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Cell Group Discussion Questions

Get to Know

1. Reflect on a time when you experienced joy after a period of sorrow or difficulty. How did that experience shape your understanding of joy?

From the Sermon

- 2. Read John 16:16-33 together and look for the Essential Words mentioned in the sermon. Which ones stand out to you and encourage you?
- 3. Jesus mentions sorrow turning into joy. How do you interpret this concept in the context of the passage?
- 4. Discuss the concept of praying in Jesus' name. How does the assurance that the Father loves us and hears our prayers impact your approach to prayer?
- 5. Consider the disciples' response when Jesus asks if they now believe. How does their understanding of Jesus align with your own beliefs? In what ways has your faith in Jesus evolved over time?

Beyond the Sermon

- 6. Reflect on the statement, "Peace comes through faith in Jesus." How does your faith impact the level of peace you experience in your daily life?
- 7. Discuss practical ways to deepen your faith and trust in Jesus during challenging times. How can your small group support and encourage one another in this journey?
- 8. Take a moment to pray together, thanking God for

PASSION WEEK OUTREACH TRIP UNION RESCUE MISSION & LA COUNTY JAIL MINISTRY PRIME & HOMEBUILDERS ARE ENCOURAGED TO APPLY BELOW



His promises of joy, love, and peace. Lift up any specific challenges or sorrows within the group, asking for God's guidance and presence in those situations.