



Prime Retreat 2024

inner peace

7/26 (Fri) - 28 (Sun) @ Oak Glen
\$160 until 5/27, \$200 regular

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COMMUNITY CHURCH

July 21, 2024

LIVING HOPE COMMUNITY CHURCH

WORSHIP SERVICES

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

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PRELUDE

CALL TO WORSHIP

Jin Ahn

SONGS OF PRAISE

Abigail Won

SCRIPTURE READING

Jin Ahn

MESSAGE

Until The End, Part 4

“The Predator and the Parent”

1 Thessalonians 4:1-12

Pastor Steve Chang

SONGS OF REFLECTION AND OFFERING

ELDERS’ REPORT

CLOSING PRAYER

Pastor Steve Chang

Philippines Mission Trip

January 7-20, 2025

R28, Prime, and Homebuilders

Activities include:

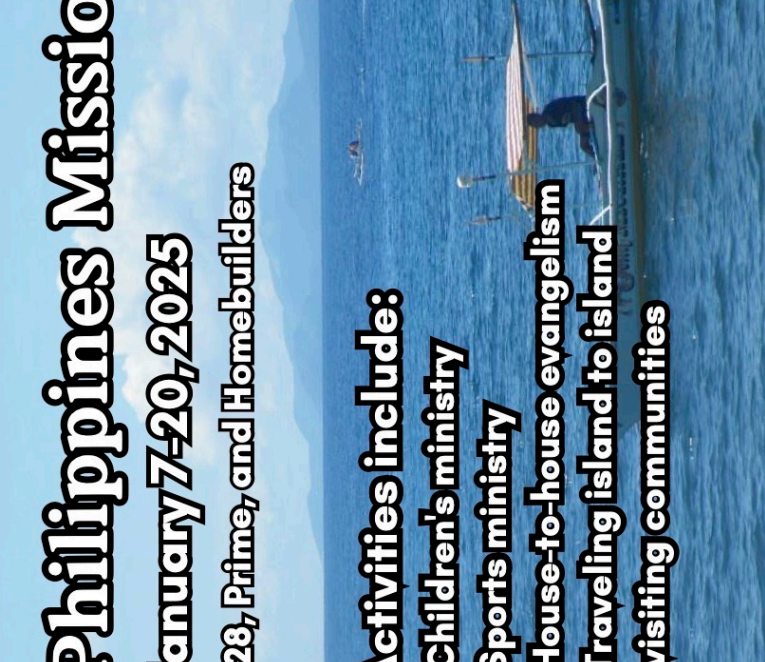
Children's ministry

Sports ministry

House-to-house evangelism

Traveling island to island

visiting communities






Info/Apply Here

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

1. Prime Retreat | Jul 26-28

Our bi-annual single adults retreat is finally here! July 26 (Fri) - 28 (Sun) at Oak Glen Christian Conference Center. The theme this year is INNER PEACE. Modern life may be convenient and comfortable, but we are all constantly suffering from anxieties and insecurities. What would it be like if we have inner peace, a true sense of joy and contentment in Jesus? Come experience and learn! Regular rate of \$200 through 7/7. Financial aid is available for those in need. Please contact Pastor James Lee (james.lee@livinghopecc.org) for assistance. [PRIME RETREAT WEBPAGE](#)

2. Women’s Self-Defense Class | Aug 3

Ladies of Living Hope, come join us on August 3, 2024 for an informative and interactive morning learning about self defense. Space is limited to only 50 participants so please sign up early. Deadline for registration is July 21, 2024.

[SELF DEFENSE REGISTRATION FORM](#)

3. Volunteer Appreciation | Aug 4

There will be a volunteer appreciation right after 11:30 am service on 8/4 . The theme will be Olympics! All of the volunteers are invited to this event, and they can bring their family as well. Tacos will be provided, and there will be gifts and raffle prizes. The Evite has been sent out, so please RVSP as soon as possible. For those who have not gotten the Evite yet, please reach out to your ministry leads.

4. First Lunch | Aug 4

Are you new to Living Hope? Have you been with us for a while and would like to get to know us more? Please come to First Lunch! Sunday, August 4 at 11am in the upstairs Common Room. First Lunch is a casual hangout over food - you get to meet some church leaders and hear of what we are really like as a local church. Walk-ins are welcome, but please help us prepare adequately by registering. Any questions can be sent to Pastor James Lee (james.lee@livinghopecc.org).

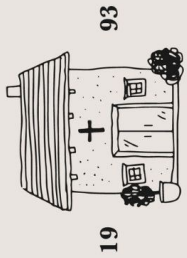
[FIRST LUNCH REGISTRATION](#)

5. Membership | Aug 4, 11, 18, Sep 1

We are offering a round of church membership starting 8/4. We believe that church membership is good for individual members as well as our entire church. You will get to learn our theology, philosophy, history, ministries, etc. in interactive teaching sessions! You will also get to meet others who want to join the church and share your Jesus story with them. Members receive intentional pastoral care, voting rights on financial and leadership matters, and ongoing serving opportunities. Register for classes today! For questions, please contact Pastor James Lee (james.lee@livinghopecc.org).

6. Philippines Mission Trip | Jan 7-20, 2025

Living Hope is sending a team to Samar, Philippines. Activities include: children's ministry, basketball with the locals, house-to-house evangelism, visiting a smaller islands via boat, and enjoying Ruth's amazing cooking. Cost will be approximately \$2600 per person. We are now taking applications for members in R28, Prime, and Homebuilders. For any questions, please talk to Noah Dennis or Ruth Kim, who will be tabling outside.



join our family

membership at living hope

A CHURCH TO CALL HOME



FIRST LUNCH

AUGUST 4 (SUN)

11AM @ COMMON ROOM

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SERMON NOTES

Until The End, Part 4

“The Predator and the Parent”

1 Thessalonians 4:1-12

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1. Not doing what you want to do (3-8)

A. The fall has corrupted the desires of our flesh

B. The fall has corrupted the influences of the world

2. Doing what you don’t want to do (9-12)

SELF DEFENSE CLASS

SATURDAY, AUG 3rd
Limit 25 Per Session
1st Session: 8am -10am
2nd Session: 10:30am -12:30pm



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Cell Group Discussion Questions

Get to Know

1. What do you believe is God’s clear will for your life?

From the Sermon

2. Read 1 Thessalonians 4:1-12. What are some things from the sermon that you found surprising, insightful, or questionable?
3. What is one of the primary reasons why we are called to abstain from sexual immorality?
4. The speaker talked about two reasons why abstaining from sexual immorality is hard. What are they and do you agree?
5. How would you define loving one another? How have you seen someone near you do this?

Beyond the Sermon

6. Divided into men and women group, discuss what practical things you need to do in order to honor God’s design for your marriage and abstain from sexual immorality.