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COMMUNITY CHURCH

August 4, 2024



Speaking at Living Hope
on August 4, 2024

Doug
Green

Senior Pastor
North Hills Church

LIVING HOPE COMMUNITY CHURCH

WORSHIP SERVICES

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

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PRELUDE

CALL TO WORSHIP

Ervin Liang

SONGS OF PRAISE

Robby Jung

OUTREACH FOCUS

Honduras Youth Trip

SCRIPTURE READING

Philip Han

MESSAGE

Until The End, Part 6

“Knowing the End of the Story”

1 Thessalonians 5:1-11

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SONGS OF REFLECTION AND OFFERING

CLOSING PRAYER

Pastor Steve Chang



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ANNOUNCEMENTS

1. Guest Speaker: Pastor Doug Green | Today

Doug Green is the founding pastor of North Hills Church (Brea, CA). Doug received his Bachelor of Arts (Biblical Studies/English) from Evangel College (Springfield, MO) in 1985. He received a Master of Divinity from the former California Theological Seminary (Fresno, CA) in 1990. He received a Doctor of Ministry degree from Gordon-Conwell Theological Seminary (Hamilton, MA) in 2003.

He is a narrative, expository preacher. (In other words, he explores and opens God’s Word while telling a lot of purposeful stories.) He has served in various capacities in denominational leadership with the Assemblies of God. He is a trustee for Vanguard University (Costa Mesa), currently serving as the chair of the Board of Trustees. He has served as the chaplain for the Brea Police Department, various Brea commission boards, the Brea Education Foundation, and the Brea Ministerial Association. Most importantly for us, Doug has been a friend of Living Hope since the day we arrived in Brea.

2. First Lunch | Today

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).

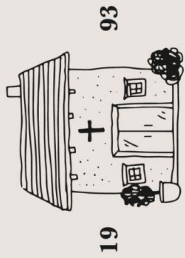
[FIRST LUNCH REGISTRATION](#)

3. Congregational Vote | Aug 11

We will have a congregational vote for the members of Living Hope Community Church on Sunday, August 11. The purpose of the vote is to bring our church bylaws into alignment with our current practice. The details of the changes will be emailed to the members during the week of August 4th.

4. Prayer Chapel | Aug 6

We will be gathering to pray for our cell groups on Tuesday, August 6 at 830pm in Chapel 1. Cell group is the primary way our church builds meaningful community, which we consider as a pillar of spiritual discipleship. We are so thankful for many who serve and participate to make our cell groups happen. Please come pray with us for them and for God to work in our cell groups to help people belong to His body.



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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 6

“Knowing the End of the Story”

1 Thessalonians 5:1-11

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I. Problem Explained (1-3)

II. Problem Solved (4-11)

A. Wake up! (4-6)

B. Sober up! (7-8)

C. Look up! (9-11)

Cell Group Discussion Questions

Get to Know

1. What are some of the things you were taught about the future and the afterlife when you were growing up?

From the Sermon

2. Why does every generation of believers want to know the time and date of Jesus’ return? Why do you think God hasn’t told us this information? (5:1-2)
3. Why do we work so hard for a life of “peace and safety”? Can such a life be had? (5:3)
4. As children of the day, not the night, how does the triad of faith, hope, and love help us “be awake and sober”? (5:5-8) See also: 1 Thes. 1:3 and 1 Cor. 13:13.
5. How do Paul’s commands to “encourage one another and build each other up” help establish healthy Christian community? Give an example of how it mattered to you? (5:11)

Beyond the Sermon

6. Spend time praying for the our church and the broader church that we could encourage and edify in the midst of changing culture and times.