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COMMUNITY CHURCH

February 8, 2026

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

Abigail Won

SCRIPTURE READING

Peter Park

MESSAGE

“God’s Design for Shared Leadership”

Exodus 18:13-26

Pastor Jeff Hyun

DEACONS/ELDERS INSTALLATION

CLOSING PRAYER

Pastor Jeff Hyun

5-8PM

FEBRUARY 14

LH COLLEGE

Parent's Night Out

\$35 first child | \$15 for siblings

POTTY TRAINED CHILDREN ONLY
DINNER & SNACKS PROVIDED



Union Rescue Mission

PASSION WEEK OUTREACH TRIP

APR 2ND - APR 3RD

Open to Prime & Homebuilders



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ANNOUNCEMENTS

1. Parent's Night Out | February 14

Parents, enjoy a night out while babysitting is provided by LH College. It's Valentines' day, your spouse expects it, this is a nice and easy way to have babysitting while supporting college students. [Click here](#) to register!

2. First Cell Launch | February 22

Spring 2026 Cell Groups has begun the week of February 2, 2026, and First Cell launches on February 22! If you're interested in helping lead a group or have questions, contact Pastor Ben Tabbal (ben.tabbal@livinghopecc.org). Let's grow in community and faith together!

3. LH College Spring Retreat | March 20-22

COLLEGIANS!!! Join us for our 2026 Spring Retreat "CONTENTMENT WITHOUT COMPLACENCY." We will be spending our time connecting with God, bonding with our community, and learning how to be confident that what God has provided is more than enough for us to be courageous for our future! [Click here](#) to register!

4. Child Dedication | March 29

Living Hope's first Child Dedication Ceremony for 2026 will be on Sunday, March 29, during 9:30am service. There is a mandatory class three weeks before on Sunday, March 8 at 10:45am in the Living Room. Please [click here](#) to register for the class and Child Dedication.

5. Passion Week Outreach Trip | April 2-3

Every year, we have an opportunity as a church to do an outreach during Passion Week. This year, we will be spending two days at Union Rescue Mission: helping out on Skid Row, and serving one of the recovery programs for men, women and children. The trip will be on April 2-3, from morning through afternoon, with no overnight stay. Please fill the form if you're interested. [Click here](#) to register!

6. Baptism | April 5

If you are a believer, but have never professed your faith publicly through baptism, we urge you to do so on Easter Sunday, April 5. The required class will be on Sunday, March 15 from 10:45-11:30am. The last day to sign up is March 13. [Click here](#) to register.

To learn more about more additional things happening in the life of our church, please visit <https://www.livinghopecc.org/>.

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SERMON NOTES

“God’s Design for Shared Leadership”

Exodus 18:13-26

Pastor Jeff Hyun

Point #1: God’s design for shared leadership is that the burden would be carried together

Exodus 18:17 – “Moses’ father-in-law said to him, “What you are doing is not good.”

Exodus 18:18 – “You and the people with you will certainly wear yourselves out, for the thing is too heavy for you. You are not able to do it alone.”

Point #2 – God’s design for shared leadership happens through delegation

#1 – Delegation requires that the leader first clarify and own his/her unique role
The leader must first clarify and own his/her unique role

Exodus 18:19-20 – “19 Now obey my voice; I will give you advice, and God be with you! You shall represent the people before God and bring their cases to God, 20 and you shall warn them about the statutes and the laws, and make them know the way in which they must walk and what they must do.”

#2 – Delegate authority (not just tasks)

Exodus 18:21-22 – “21 Moreover, look for able men from all the people...22 And let them judge the people at all times. Every great matter they shall bring to you, but any small matter they shall decide themselves. So it will be easier for you, and they will bear the burden with you.”

Three Lies that Sabotage Delegation:

Lie #1 - I have to do it myself

Lie #2 - I can do it better

Lie #3 - I don’t want to burden others so I’ll do it myself

3. God’s design for shared leadership requires entrusting the right authority to the right people

Exodus 18:21-22 – “21 Moreover, look for able men from all the people, men who fear God, who are trustworthy and hate a bribe, and place such men over the people as chiefs of thousands, of hundreds, of fifties, and of tens. 22 And let them judge the people at all times. Every great matter they shall bring to you, but any small matter they shall decide themselves. So it will be easier for you, and they will bear the burden with you.”

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Sp. Retreat | March 20-22 | Philipians 4:11-13

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A Prayer Shaped Life

CELL GROUP DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

Breaking the Ice:

- What is one activity that you prefer to do *with others* rather than doing *alone*? Why do you enjoy *sharing* it?

Digging Deeper:

Point #1: God's design for shared leadership is that the burden would be carried together

- Read Exodus 18:17-18. Why does Jethro rebuke Moses' leadership style? Why does he say this approach is "not good," and what consequences does he foresee for both Moses and the people if it continues?
- Where in your life right now do you feel the weight of trying to carry too much alone—at work, church, home, or relationships? What keeps you from sharing the burden with others?

Point #2 – God's design for shared leadership happens through delegation

- Read Exodus 18:21-22. What do you notice about the way in which Moses instructed to delegate to others around him? What kind of responsibility is Moses told to entrust to others?
- What tends to keep you from delegating to others—control, fear, perfectionism, habit, or not wanting to inconvenience people?

Point #3 - God's design for shared leadership requires entrusting the right authority to the right people

- Read Exodus 18:21. What specific qualities does Jethro tell Moses to look for in the people he appoints? How does this compare with how our culture or workplaces typically choose leaders or entrust authority?
- **For those currently in a formal leadership role:**
 - Where might God be inviting you to entrust someone else with greater responsibility or authority? What is one practical step you could take this week?
- **For those not currently in a formal leadership role:**
 - Who are the people God has placed around you that demonstrate character and trustworthiness?

Closing Application & Prayer:

Close your time by praying together for the newly installed elders and deacons of our church.

Ask God to:

- Give them wisdom, humility, and integrity as they carry spiritual responsibility
- Strengthen them to lead with character, faithfulness, and dependence on the Lord
- Help them carry the burden of leadership together in unity

Also pray for the staff at Living Hope, that God would:

- Sustain them spiritually, emotionally, and physically
- Build a healthy culture of shared leadership and trust
- Empower our church to grow as a community that carries the burden together

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