

Welcome to Living Hope

Welcome to Living Hope Community Church!
Thank you for worshipping with us this morning!

Order of Worship
January 31, 2021

Announcements

Missions Moment

Rod & Bonnie Abel

Holy Holy Holy

In Christ Alone

Scripture Reading

Pastor Art

John 5:39-47

(Page 1064 in NASB pew BIBLE)

Message

Pastor Art

“Choosing Spiritual Blindness”

Closing

Amazing Grace

Prayer/Benediction

Upcoming Living Hope Events...

- **Missionary Visit...** Rod & Bonnie Abel, from Kidz Heart Ministries, an LHCC missionary, are joining us this morning. Please stop by the display in the Welcome Center to see what’s happening in their ministry!
- Join our **Prayer Group** at the Youth Building on Tuesday Mornings at 9:30 a.m. If you are unable to attend in person, please pick up the Prayer Request sheet at the Welcome Center each week so that you can lift requests up in your own prayer time. This list is also located on our website under the “Get Engaged” tab; “Ministries”; “Prayer”—requires permission to access. See Elaine Walden or Trent Parrish for info!
- **Women’s Brunch...New Beginnings** is scheduled for Saturday, February 6th at 10:00 a.m. in the Youth Building. Secret Sisters from 2020 will be revealed along with plans for Women’s Ministries for 2021. Brunch will be provided. Please sign up in the Welcome Center TODAY. See Sheri Verardo or Terri Meyer for more info!
- Our **Annual Wild Game Feed** has been planned for Saturday, February 6th at 5:30 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall. Prepare your favorite WILD dishes to share (or just bring a side dish, doesn’t have to be “wild” or a dessert) as we gather for fellowship and a time of devotion. Bring a friend! Sign up in the Welcome Center TODAY!! See Drew Heisel for more info!
- **Jr/Sr High Youth Superbowl Party** at the Youth Building next Sunday, February 7th at 5:00 p.m. Please see Dan Archdale for more info.
- Unity Point is now scheduling for the **COVID19 vaccine** by calling 672-5719—appointments are scheduling 2 1/2 weeks out.
- **Attention college students & parents!** Studying online or in-person??? Women’s Ministry Council wants to send care packages throughout the school year! If interested, please contact Jill Masear @ 253-7274.

this Week at LHCC

Sunday

8:15 AM...Morning Worship

9:45 AM...Sanitizing of common surfaces

10:15 AM...Morning Worship

6:00 PM...Jr/Sr High Youth Group meets in Youth Bldg

Tuesday

6:30 AM...Men’s Bible Study in the Fellowship Hall

9:30 AM...Prayer Meeting in the Youth Bldg

Wednesday

6:00 PM...Men’s Bible Study at Victory Acres

Saturday

10:00 AM...Women’s Brunch at the Youth Building

5:30 PM...Men’s Wild Game Feed

In Service next month

Ushers: Drew Heisel, Todd Hudson, Trey Verardo,
Gary Verardo & Randy Nau

In Service next week

Nursery: Mike & Becky McClintock

2/3 yo: Rob & Bonnie Bauer

4/5 yo: Caitlyn Wendling & Kristie McGee

K-2nd Grade: Jill Masear & Trent Parrish

3rd/4th Grade: Jim & Tammy Miller

Pastor’s Prayer Partners: Jim & Jan George

Scripture Verse of the Week

“For my people have committed two evils; they have forsaken Me, the fountain of living waters, to hew for themselves cisterns, broken cisterns that can hold no water.”
(Jeremiah 2:13)

Missionary of the Week: Rod & Bonnie Abel

Rod is the founder and director of Kidz Heart Ministries. Kidz Heart is a local missionary staff ministry of the Bethany Fellowship of Churches whose goal is to introduce every girl and boy to the wonderful God of the Bible, and to partner with churches, Christian children's ministries, and families to raise spiritual champions. Rod will serve the Central Illinois



Christian community as a resource, catalyst, teacher/trainer, and leader in linking various Christian ministries with creative, effective new ways to reach children with the gospel of Christ, disciple them to serve God, and establish them in a nurturing Bible believing church. Pray for the Abels!

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Check out the Missions' Kiosk for more info or send them an email to receive their newsletters!

Pastor Art

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The Kingdom Arrives

"Choosing Spiritual Blindness"

Matthew 16:1-4

(Page 975 in NASB pew Bible)

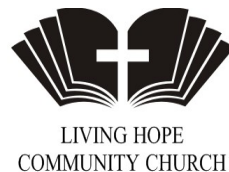
Main Idea: *While all unbelievers are said by Scripture to be spiritually blind, there are many who actually choose to remain blind despite the evidence that would cure their spiritual blindness.*

Jesus indicates that willful spiritual blindness...

- _____ *another sign despite the available evidence (16:1).*

- _____ *the powers of discernment except in spiritual matters (16:2-3).*

- _____ *other spiritual options and ignores the one true God who loves them (16:4).*



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