# ReCommissioned with Authority Matthew 28:18-20 Randy Roberts

"All authority in heaven and on earth has been given to me" (Matthew 28:18).

#### The Source of All Authority

"In the council of the holy ones God is greatly feared; he is more awesome than all who surround him" (Psalm 89:7).

In heaven and on earth

"there is no authority except that which God has established" (Romans 13:1).

"You would have no power over me if it were not given to you from above" (John 19:11).

#### The Path to All Authority

"has been given" (Matthew 28:18).

"he made himself nothing by taking the very nature of a servant, being made in human likeness. And being found in appearance as a man, he humbled himself by becoming obedient to death—even death on a cross!" (Philippians 2:7-8).

"And God placed all things under his feet and appointed him to be head over everything for the church" (Ephesians 1:22).

#### The Command from All Authority

"His intent was that now, through the church, the manifold wisdom of God should be made known to the rulers and authorities in the heavenly realms" (Ephesians 3:10).

Love God, Love People.

What is the best way to express love for a person?

Are you a soldier or a chocolate Christian?

## September 1, 2024



## **ReCommissioned with Authority**

## **Welcome to Living Creek!**

It's a joy to have you worshiping with us.

Helping people follow Jesus



This month, we would like to encourage you to lift up in prayer our ministry partner International Conference on Missions (ICOM) which serves as an extensive international conference connection point for global missions. To register for this year's conference in Lexington, KY from November 14-16 with a discount code, contact the Church Office.

## **LOOKING AHEAD**

The Church Office will be closed tomorrow, **September 4**, in observance of **Labor Day**.

Come join us for the next **Prayer Night** at The Well on **Tuesday**, **September 3** at **7 PM**.



Come and enjoy an afternoon of fellowship & food at the All Church Picnic at Firemens Park in Monee, after the 11 AM service on September 15. Chicken (fried & baked), desserts, coffee, water & paper products will be provided. Please bring a

side dish to share. **RSVP by September 8** on our website or your Communication Card with the number attending, side dish, names of those participating in Bean Bag Tournament, and if you can bring a bean bag set.

### **CHILDREN'S MINISTRY**

Beginning TODAY, there will be Children's Worship at 9:30 AM for K - 5th grade & 11 AM for Birth - 5th grade.

#### **YOUTH MINISTRY**

The Well will resume on September 15, 6-9 PM.

#### **SERVING OPPORTUNITY**

**Wanted: Children's Worship helpers/volunteers.** Contact Cole at cbone@livingcreek.org for more information.

**WANTED: Online hosts** for the **9:30** AM Worship Service. Hosting may be done onsite or from home. Contact Kat at kzimmerman@livingcreek.org.

#### **FINANCIAL UPDATES**

Our weekly budgeted need for the General Fund is \$9,560. The average weekly giving for August was \$9,145. The Greater Things fund balance is \$533,518.

#### **GENERAL ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**Smart Phone & Tablet Users** can follow today's message and scriptures on the **Bible** app. Click on More > Events and Search for Living Creek to follow along.

Have you joined our online directory: **Church Community Builder** (**CCB**)? Visit **livingcreek.ccbchurch.com** to take a look!

#### The Lord's Supper

If you are a Christian, we invite you to join us in receiving the Lord's Supper (gluten-free communion is available). There are two stations in the back of the room. We use a two-cup system. The bottom cup contains the bread and the top cup contains the juice.



#### **Giving**

We also invite you to continue in worship with your giving as a sign of support for our ministry. You may mail in or drop off your gifts at the Church Office. Online giving is available by scanning the QR code or via our website at livingcreek.org > Contribute.

#### What's your Next Step?

Find it at livingcreek.org > Welcome > Your Next Step.



Our Online Communication Card is now available!
Do you have a prayer request, praise or comment? Are you ready to take your next step? Would you like more information about baptism or membership? We'd love to hear from you! Scan the QR code to connect with us.

#### **Worship Service Experiences**

- Livestreaming at 9:30 AM on YouTube
- Online at livingcreek.org
- Children's Worship Service at 9:30 (K 5th grade) & 11 AM (Birth 5th grade) at The Wave, 4854 W Court ST, Monee Worship Service at 9:30 & 11 AM at The Well, 4840 W Court ST, Monee

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