

**Treasure Hunt**  
**Matthew 13:44-46, 9:16-17**  
**Randy Roberts**

*“I will open my mouth in parables, I will utter things hidden since the creation of the world” (Matthew 13:35).*

Have you found the treasure of the Kingdom of Heaven?

**It Is Worth Everything You Have**

*“The kingdom of heaven is like treasure hidden in a field. When a man found it, he hid it again, and then in his joy went and sold all he had and bought that field” (Matthew 13:44).*

You gotta have it  
You obsess over ways to possess it  
Worth more than you have

Grace is not opposed to effort, it is opposed to earning.

*“Take hold of the eternal life” (1 Timothy 6:12).*

**It Will Stretch Your Capacity**

*“Neither do people pour new wine into old wineskins. If they do, the skins will burst” (Matthew 9:17).*

How is God stretching you?

*“I have much more to say to you, more than you can now bear” (John 16:12).*

**It Will Always Be New**

*“the kingdom of heaven is like the owner of a house who brings out of his storeroom new treasures as well as old” (Matthew 13:52).*

New Mercies  
New Revelation  
New Confirmation

*“See, I am doing a new thing! Now it springs up; do you not perceive it? I am making a way in the wilderness and streams in the wasteland” (Isaiah 43:19).*

**November 3, 2024**



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**Welcome to Living Creek!**

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

*Helping people follow Jesus*

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**Living Creek**  
CHRISTIAN CHURCH

**It's Coffee Corner Sunday!** Join us for fellowship at the Church Office between services. Janine Swanson with the Chile Mission will be here.

**Are you looking to connect with other people your age? TODAY,** after the 11 AM service, Josh & Jacki are hosting a free lunch for all those **18-30 years old.** Childcare will be provided.

This month, we would like to encourage you to lift up in prayer our ministry partner **LCCC Chile Mission.** Following God's calling to work with children and families in Chile, Jack and Janine Swanson (active members prior to going to serve in Chile) ask for you to partner in prayer with them for their mission and the continued development of their camp for children. More information about this ministry can be found on our website under the Ministries tab.

To help support victims from the **recent hurricanes,** we are partnering with **IDES** (International Disaster Emergency Relief). Please designate your giving to IDES online, on your check or giving envelope.

Remember, you can check out the **building parameters** for our next location at [livingcreek.org/our-future](http://livingcreek.org/our-future).

## LOOKING AHEAD

Come join us for the next **Prayer Night** at The Well this **Tuesday, November 5** at **7 PM.**



Men, join us for our **Brothers in Arms Men's Ministry** breakfast on **Saturday, November 9** from **8-9:45 AM** at The Well. RSVP on your Communication Card or call or text Dave Dell at 708.516.0814.

To register for this year's **International Conference on Missions (ICOM)** conference in Lexington, KY from **November 14-16** with a discount code, contact the Church Office.

## YOUTH MINISTRY

**The Well** meets **TONIGHT** from **6-8 PM.** Our new series is **Answering God's Call...Let's Go!**

## FINANCIAL UPDATES

Our weekly budgeted need for the General Fund is \$9,560. The average weekly giving for October was \$8,909. The Greater Things fund balance is \$538,493.

## STAY INFORMED

Get the latest information on upcoming events, news, and closings or cancellations. Make sure we have your current information.

- For text updates, text LIVINGCREEK to 833.814.7741 to join.
- Make sure we have your current email address.
- Like us on Facebook at [facebook.com/livingcreekchurch](https://facebook.com/livingcreekchurch).
- Go to our website at [livingcreek.org](http://livingcreek.org).

## 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](http://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](http://livingcreek.org) > Contribute.*

### What's your Next Step?

Find it at [livingcreek.org](http://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](http://livingcreek.org)
- **Children's Worship Service** at 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

#### Ministry Center/Office

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Monday - Thursday 8:30 AM - 4:30 PM

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