

In the Blink of an Eye
1 Corinthians 15:35-58
Randy Roberts

When Christ returns “in the twinkling of an eye,” it will be worth the wait.

Your Life Will Be Brand New

“So will it be with the resurrection of the dead. The body that is sown is perishable, it is raised imperishable” (1 Corinthians 15:42).

Imperishable, Glorious, Powerful, Spiritual

All Waiting Will Be Over

“We will not all sleep, but we will all be changed” (1 Corinthians 15:51).

Those of us still alive are waiting.

“But our citizenship is in heaven. And we eagerly await a Savior from there, the Lord Jesus Christ” (Philippians 3:20).

The Dead in Christ are waiting.

“the dead in Christ will rise first. After that, we who are still alive and are left will be caught up together with them in the clouds to meet the Lord in the air” (1 Thessalonians 4:16-17).

Eternity will replace time.

Death Will Be Defeated

“Death has been swallowed up in victory” (1 Corinthians 15:54).

We are appointed to death.

“For as in Adam all die, so in Christ all will be made alive” (1 Corinthians 15:22).

Death is separation.

“And so we will be with the Lord forever” (1 Thessalonians 4:17).

Your Work Will Be Rewarded

“stand firm. Let nothing move you. Always give yourselves fully to the work of the Lord, because you know that your labor in the Lord is not in vain” (1 Corinthians 15:58).

Be Immovable.

Give all of yourself to the Lord’s work.

There is a Reward!

“The Lord is not slow in keeping his promise, as some understand slowness. Instead he is patient with you, not wanting anyone to perish, but everyone to come to repentance” (2 Peter 3:9).

December 29, 2024



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Welcome to Living Creek!

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

Helping people follow Jesus

Living Creek
CHRISTIAN CHURCH

TODAY

Thank you for your generosity this Christmas season. Our partnership with the Village of Monee for their Holiday Giving Program has blessed many elementary children with new toys, hats, gloves, scarves, and socks. Your contributions to our Benevolence Fund have blessed families within our LCCC family. If you missed an opportunity to donate, you may make a contribution towards our ongoing Benevolence Fund by noting on your check or giving envelope, or choosing Benevolence Fund with your online giving.

Giving Envelopes have been printed and are available on the table at the entrance.

2025 Bible Reading Guides are available on the table at the entrance.

Remember, you can check out the **building parameters** for our next location at livingcreek.org/our-future.

LOOKING AHEAD

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

YOUTH MINISTRY

The Well does not meet tonight. We will resume on **January 12, 2025.**

FINANCIAL UPDATES

Our weekly budgeted need for the General Fund is \$9,560. The average weekly giving for November was \$11,422. The Greater Things fund balance is \$543,007.

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.
- Go to our website at livingcreek.org.



May you have a blessed New Year.

The Church Office will be closed on
Wednesday, January 1.

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 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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