

**When the Heat Is On**  
**Daniel 3**  
**Randy Roberts**

**How to Fight Fire with an Unshakable Faith**

**A Faith in the Unseen God**

*“King Nebuchadnezzar made an image of gold... and set it up on the plain of Dura” (Daniel 3:1).*

The King was proud. He could afford it. He was trying to be immortalized!

*“Then what god will be able to rescue you from my hand?” (Daniel 3:15).*

**A Faith in the Power of God**

*“we do not need to defend ourselves before you in this matter. If we are thrown into the blazing furnace, the God we serve is able to deliver us from it, and he will deliver us from Your Majesty’s hand” (Daniel 3:16-17).*

God is sovereign. His power and plans prevail.

A hill to die on.

*“But even if he does not...” (Daniel 3:18).*

**A Faith That Walks with God**

*“Look! I see four men walking around in the fire, unbound and unharmed, and the fourth looks like a son of the gods” (Daniel 3:25).*

*“When you pass through the waters, I will be with you; and when you pass through the rivers, they will not sweep over you. When you walk through the fire, you will not be burned; the flames will not set you ablaze” (Isaiah 43:2).*

**A Faith That Is Rewarded by God**

*“Praise be to the God of Shadrach, Meshach and Abednego, who has sent his angel and rescued his servants!” (Daniel 3:28).*

If God brings you to the fire, He will see you through the fire.

*“I know whom I have believed, and am convinced that he is able to guard what I have entrusted to him until that day” (2 Timothy 1:12).*

January 19, 2025



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**Welcome to Living Creek!**

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

Helping people follow Jesus

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**Living Creek**  
CHRISTIAN CHURCH

## TODAY

To offer financial assistance for **victims of the California wildfires**, we have partnered with IDES (International Disaster Emergency Service). Visit [ides.org](http://ides.org) to contribute.

This month, we would like to encourage you to lift up in prayer **Christian Student Fellowship**. Please pray specifically for students to come back with a mission and vision for taking the Gospel into where they are on campus; for current students to grow and mature in faith as they are equipped; and for openings to minister at Rose-Hulman and Ivy Tech this semester. Pray for their staff - including Adam and Erin (Wakeford) Caldwell student leaders, and board - to have extra wisdom and compassion for the rest of the year. More information about this ministry can be found on our website under the Ministries tab.

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 on **Tuesday, February 4** at **7 PM**.

## YOUTH MINISTRY

**The Well** meets **TONIGHT**, from **6-8 PM**. The current series is *Keep It Simple*. We will have our **Super Bowl Party** on **February 9**, from **5-9 PM**. Come for Loaded Nachos, Ice Cream Bar, Video/Board Games and the Big Game! The **MS Winter Retreat** is **February 14-16**. Cost is \$60. Pack a dinner to eat on the trip down. Leave The Well at 4 PM & return at 4 PM. Register at <https://littlegalilee.campbrainregistration.com>.

## PRAY FOR THE GRIEVING

Pray for the family of Dorothy Shaul, Carol Tiller's sister-in-law. Visitation is TODAY from 1:30-4:30 PM at River Valley Christian Fellowship.

## FINANCIAL UPDATES

Our weekly budgeted need for the General Fund is \$9,560. The average weekly giving for December was \$10,278. The Greater Things fund balance is \$545,444.

## 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

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