

**Hearing God**  
**Acts 8:26-42**  
**Lance Hurley**

God has given us five senses that impact our lives: Hearing, Sight, Touch, Taste, and Smell. We sense the Father's presence around us in many different ways. Today, we will focus on what it means to hear and respond to God's voice.

**Key Idea:** The Father is always speaking to us.

**Our Job:** Having ears open to hearing His voice.

**What happened to Philip?**

*"Now an angel of the Lord said to Philip, 'Go south to the road--the desert road--that goes down from Jerusalem to Gaza'"*  
(Acts 8:29).

**It is one thing to hear God's voice and another to respond.**

How does God speak to us?

1. From the Bible
2. From the Spirit inside
3. From Others

**What has God been saying to you?**

**Challenge:** Read the Bible for direction. Take a step to follow.  
Share what you hear.

**Other passages to consider:** Exodus 2:23-24, Judges 6-7,  
John 10:1-18

**September 13, 2026**



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**Welcome to Living Creek!**

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



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**Living Creek**  
CHRISTIAN CHURCH

## TODAY

Join us for **Pre-Service Prayer**, **15 minutes before each service**, in the Church Office Conference Room.

This month, lift up the **SpireConference** (September 29-October 1 in Indianapolis), which equips ministry leaders to foster healthy, growing churches, and **IDES** that seeks to meet physical and spiritual needs worldwide in Jesus' name. Learn more under the Ministries tab on our website.

We have purchased 300 new chairs for the worship area of our new building. To date we have received donations to purchase **142 chairs**. Would you like to help with a donation to the **Chair Fund** to welcome **"someone new"**? A suggested donation is \$70 for each chair. Be sure to choose "Chair Fund" when giving online or write "Chair Fund" in the memo of your check or next to "Other" on your giving envelope.

## SERVING OPPORTUNITIES

**Building Prep Volunteers are needed!** Many hands make light work. Sign up at the table by the window.

The carpet removal/remediation has begun at 227 Monee RD and we've been informed that no work can be done there until the middle of next week. No work days until further announced.

## CELEBRATE RECENT DECISIONS

Jabin Balan was baptized on September 7, 2026.

## YOUTH MINISTRY

**The Well** resumes **TONIGHT** from **6-8 PM** at 4840 W court ST, in Monee.

## STAY INFORMED

We have a **New Number for Announcements!** Text **JOIN** to **708.300.1404** to receive the latest updates on upcoming events, news, and closings or cancellations.

## FINANCIAL UPDATES

Our weekly budgeted need for the General Fund is \$9,576. The average weekly giving for August was \$7,581. The Welcome Home fund balance is \$252,119.

## 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 or by texting **GIVE** to 833.245.8300.

### **What's your Next Step?**

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



### **Communication Link**

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 - 5<sup>th</sup> 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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