

Living Hope



And Jesus called a little child unto him,
and set him in the midst of them, and said,
Verily, I say unto you, Except ye be converted and become
as little children, ye shall not enter into the kingdom of heaven." Matthew 18:2

Living Hope Restoration Branch

2425 1/2 S. Crysler Ave.
Independence, MO 64052
October 13, 2024

Presiding	Elder Andrew Dunning
Deacon-in-Charge	Deacon Thomas McLean
Pianist	Joy Cain

Introit	Emily Cain
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Welcome and Call to Worship	Mosiah 5:81
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"Thus God has provided a means that man, through faith, might work mighty miracles; therefore, he becometh a great benefit to his fellow beings."

Opening Hymn	<i>"With Eyes of Faith"</i>	372
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Invocation	Elder Ben McLean
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Offertory	Elder Nathan Reed
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Scripture Reading	Elder Dayn Cederstrom
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Special Music	Emily Cain and Luke Jehle
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Sermon	Elder Dayn Cederstrom
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Closing Hymn	<i>"With a Steadfast Faith"</i>	368
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Benediction	Deacon Cullen Maday
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Next Sunday: Oct. 20, 2024
Presiding: Elder Michael Hood
Speaking: Priest Ed Mason

Prayer Service: October 16, 2024
Joint Service

ANNOUNCEMENTS

- ❖ **ON-LINE GIVING!** For your convenience we now can accept On-Line Giving! You can go Text our "Giving" phone number at (816) 688-3737 or go on-line to <https://www.livinghopebranch.org/online-giving/>

- ❖ **LIVE STREAM:** Living Hope is "Live Streaming" *Adult Sunday Classes at 9:00 a.m.* as well as morning services beginning with the song service at 10:00. Go to: <http://livinghopebranch.org>. Click on the link.

- ❖ **JUNIOR CHURCH & KINGDOM KIDS**
every 2nd and 4th Sunday

- ❖ **CONQUEROR SERIES:** Outreach Branch is hosting a 10-week recover program for sexual purity beginning this Tuesday, September 10th at 7:00 p.m.

- ❖ **JOINT BRANCH RETREAT:** Friday, October 25th through Sunday, October 27th. We will be joining in with Missionary and Outreach Branches for a joint branch retreat. More details to follow.

- ❖ **An Opportunity to Help the Needy:** This past summer at VCS, our children made up several packets of food and bottled water to hand out to the homeless. We discover 2 more boxes that never got set out. Please consider grabbing one or more to distribute to those in need. They are located on the back table by the library. Remember to remove the outer instructions before handing out. God bless you and thank you, Connie Smith



To Know God and to Make Him Known

Jesus has taught us to love the Lord our God. Matthew 22: 36-39

Jesus said unto him, Thou love the Lord thy God with all thy heart,
And with all thy soul, and with all thy mind? This is the first
And great commandment and the second is like unto it. Thou shalt
Love thy neighbor as thyself. On these two commandments hang all
The law and the prophets.

The mission of the Living Hope Restoration Branch of the Church
Of Jesus Christ is to come to know the Lord more fully through prayer
and fasting, worship and reading of the word. We are then Called to
spread the Gospel to all who do not know Him.

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For those that know
how to administrator.

There is a Narcan dosage
in the church 1st Aid Kit.

For an questions please contact
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Living Hope Prayer List

1. Darrell and Fran Webster - health issues
2. David Bradshaw - End of Life
3. David Morris (Sabrina Peterson's dad) - cancer
4. Bill Brown - Has pneumonia but is getting better
5. Hurricane Milton victims
6. Neta Cassara - recovery from surgery
7. Marie and Dale Wilson
8. Karen Abby (Shari Mason's aunt) - shoulder surgery
9. CPRS - soccer boys at state tournament
10. Joint Branch retreat later this month
11. Jonathan Worten - Housing and mental health
12. National and state elections
13. Schmidt Family - traveling
14. Lassen Family - spiritual increase



You're invited to a



PIE AND CHILI CONTEST with Square Dancing

NOVEMBER 1ST, 6PM-9PM

LIVING HOPE RESTORATION BRANCH

Come for an evening of fun for the whole family!

Bring your best chili and/or pie to enter into the competition. Winning categories will include Best Chili, Most Unique Chili, Best Pie, Most Unique Pie, Kid's Best Chili, Kid's Best Pie.

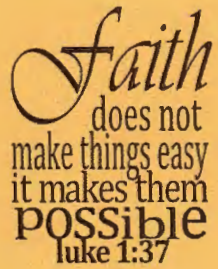
Don't want to bring an entry? Bring a side for chili (cornbread, veggie tray, cheese & crackers, desserts).

After the competition, we'll learn to square dance as a group- no experience needed!

Call or text Sarah Smith for questions 816-726-5056



Women's Ministry - Oct.- Nov. 7, 2024
October's Theme - Faith



Mark Your Calendars:

Oct. 3rd Meeting-Activity night @ 6:30

Refreshments by Pam Boehler,
Devotional on Faith by Verna & Shari.

Activity led by Connie "Write Your Own Psalm".

Please bring scriptures.

Oct. 17th Book Club @ 6:30

Refreshments by Janet Dickson. **33 Women of the Restoration:** Verna - Pearl Gardner, Jennifer - Lenoir Woodstock, Shelly - Nina G. Smith. Thank you ladies!!

Nov. 7 Meeting-Activity night @ 6:30

We will continue with "Write your own Psalm". If you missed Oct. 3rd's class, see Shari for the handouts. If you have "Your Psalm" written, please bring it to share. This class was fun, you won't want to miss it! It does involve some "homework".

Restoration Women's Council Activities:

RWC Fall Classes are held @ 10am on Tuesday's at the **Oak Grove Restoration Branch**. Please plan to attend, call Shari for carpool arrangements. If you cannot attend, they are live-streamed @ OGRB.org or check out the Restoration Women's Facebook page for class notes and links.

Meal Ministry

If you, or someone you know could benefit from our meal ministry, please call or text Shari or Connie.

On Going Visiting Ministry

If you, or someone you know would enjoy a visit during the day, evening or weekend, please call or text Shari and she'll set it up.

Thank you for supporting your branch & Women's Ministry!
Shari Mason 360-600-6807 & Connie Smith 816-204-8211

CLAIM HIS PROMISES...

Be Obedient & Endure to the End

Scripture: 1 Nephi 7:69, D&C 140:5d

Hymn: Never Be Discouraged - Blue 287

2024 Fall Retreats

Central Missouri Restoration Branches

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| JR | October 5-6, 2024
<i>Directors: Jared & Crystal Lind</i> | 9 a.m. Sat - 1 p.m. Sun
4th-6th Grade
\$48 per camper |
| JR
HIGH | October 18-20, 2024
<i>Directors: TBD</i> | 7 p.m. Fri - 1 p.m. Sun
7th-9th Grade
\$55 per camper |
| SR | November 8-10, 2024
<i>Directors: TBD</i> | 7 p.m. Fri - 1 p.m. Sun
10th-12th Grade
\$55 per camper |
| OY | October 11-13, 2024
<i>Directors: Robert & Amy Jo Gillam</i> | 7 p.m. Fri - 1 p.m. Sun
College, Unmarried
\$55 per camper |
| YM*
YA* | November 1-3, 2024
<i>Directors: Jeff & Shelley Morrison</i> | 7 p.m. Fri - 1 p.m. Sun
\$55 per camper |

*Note: this retreat is for couples married less than 5 years and singles over 23.

Visit odessahills.com to register today!

JOINT BRANCH RETREAT

Living Hope ~ Missionary ~ Outreach

Friday, October 25th – Sunday, October 27th

Odessa Hills Campgrounds

6505 Odessa Hills Rd., Odessa MO 64076

To register, fill out the form that each branch has provided and give them to Janet Dickson or download <https://www.outreachbranch.org/retreat-registration> Call or text Janet Dickson at (940) 783-7987 or email her at janet_e_dickson@yahoo.com. You may also contact your Pastor for additional details.

Please submit your registrations early so directors, cooks and teachers can plan sufficiently. Thank you!

Since this is a family retreat, we encourage participants to attend as families. An adult must stay in each cabin where children will be staying. Sponsors must be willing to ensure that campers under their care are supervised at all times and taking part in all scheduled activities.

