

Living Hope Guest Card  
September 6, 2009

Welcome to Living Hope  
Community Church  
We are happy to have you here  
with us, and it is our prayer that  
you are blessed.

Circle: Mr. Mrs. Miss Ms

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

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LHC Prayer Request Card  
Sunday, September 6, 2009

Pray for each other...the prayer  
of a righteous person is  
powerful and effective.  
James 5:16

I would like my request to be  
prayed for by:

\_\_\_\_Pastor/Leadership of  
Living Hope Church  
\_\_\_\_Prayer Team members  
\_\_\_\_I would like to be  
contacted.

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TODAY AT LHC

Greeters: Mike & Gretchen Blish  
Roger & Kristel Wienberger  
Nursery: Terry & Shirley Jahn  
Steve & Donna Katsma  
C&W Helpers: Derek DeYoung/Hope Cupery  
Collect Offering: Grant Kemink/Elisabeth Shceuers/Gavin  
Kemink/Nathanael Scheuers/Sarah Schregardus  
Offering: New Church Fund  
Coffee Server: Donna Katsma

THIS WEEK AT LHC

Monday: 7:00-9:00pm Jr High Kick-Off  
Tuesday: 7:00pm Creative Worship Team meets  
with Steering Team and for planning  
Wednesday: 7:00-9:00pm High School Kick-Off  
Saturday: 8:00am-12:00pm American Red Cross Blood  
Drive at LHC

NEXT WEEK AT LHC

Greeters: Dan Cupery/Matt Eisenga  
Jeff & Abby Vree  
Nursery: Tony & Michelle Niemeyer  
Matt & Sarah Hofman  
C&W Helpers: Noah Van Ee/Laney Kemink  
Collect Offering: Paige Alsum/Conner Kemink/Kevin  
Winch/Mitchell Vree/Naoh Van Ee  
Offering: General Fund  
Coffee Server: Rose Stiemsma

Pastor Verlan.....home 928-6776..... [pastorvanee@yahoo.com](mailto:pastorvanee@yahoo.com)

Justin Douglas, Youth Pastor.....920-928-6610.....[jdouglas@lvnghp.org](mailto:jdouglas@lvnghp.org)

Steering Team-- President- Jim Kemink.....324-5058  
Kevin Haan-VP, Jason Kok-clerk, Stu Mulder, Lisa White, Dale Cupery

Interested in Small Groups?  
Contact Kevin and Angela Haan.....210-0514

For Bulletin Announcements/LHC Prayer List Requests?  
Contact Gretchen Blish....326-5381.....333 N 1<sup>st</sup> St, Randolph  
[lhc\\_foxlake@hotmail.com](mailto:lhc_foxlake@hotmail.com) by 8:00pmThursday evening

For Church Facility use contact Carrie Stiemsma.....382-5515  
the church office @ 928-6610 or online at our website at [www.lvnghp.org](http://www.lvnghp.org)

# Living Hope Community Church

740 W. State St. Fox Lake

920-928-6610

Pastor Verlan Van Ee

Youth Pastor Justin Douglas



Creating Community where lives are fulfilled by  
following Christ.

"I have come that they may have life, and have it to the full."

John 10:10

# LIVING HOPE COMMUNITY CHURCH

## September 6, 2009

Whatever you do, work at it with all your heart, as working for the Lord, not for men, since you know that you will receive an inheritance from the Lord as a reward. It is the Lord Christ you are serving.

Colossians 3:23 & 24

### Today at LHC

**Message: "How NOT to Deal with Death"**

**Scripture: I Kings 1:1-21, John 12:24-25**

**Offering: New Church Fund**

(Contributions to this fund help to repay the cost of the debt needed to build this beautiful facility we use to worship God, and to complete His ministry here in Fox Lake.)

Death is NOT:

1. A problem to be solved
2. An opportunity to be seized
3. A difficulty to be negotiated

The beautiful heroine of this story is the young maiden Abishag. She brings beauty and dignity to David's death, reminding us of Christ's hopeful words about preparing for death: Seeding and practicing for resurrection.

\*A well-staffed and monitored **nursery** is provided during our services.

\***Children ages 3-2<sup>nd</sup> grade** are invited to **Children and Worship** (worship designed especially for kids) held during the sermon in Rm#1.

\*If you are a **first-time guest** with us today, please fill out the attached guest card and place in the offering plate. Don't forget to stop at the Welcome Table in the gathering area for an information packet.

\*Do you have a **prayer request**? Fill out the attached prayer request card and put it in the offering plate or blue boxes on the tables in the fellowship hall. Your request will be prayed for, and kept in confidence.

\*If you would like a **tape/DVD of today's service/message**, please stop at the sound booth following the service, or check out the website at [lvnghp.org](http://lvnghp.org).

### LHC Prayer List

\*Continue to pray for **Greg Smits** for patience, endurance, and complete healing. He has had several surgeries and continues to show good progress. Remember his family too in their travels and diligent watch over him as he recuperates

\*Pray for **Augie and Marion Boorsma** at the Golden Living Center.

\*We extend our Christian sympathy to **Ken & Pam Schregardus** & family in the death of Pam's dad, **George Medema**. Pray for comfort and peace for the Medema family in the days and weeks ahead.

### LHC Events

**Junior High/High School Youth**- Don't miss your kick-off night this week. Jr. High- Monday night and HS- Wednesday night from **7-9pm**. Looking forward to a great year! Hope to see you there!

**Offering Update: Next week- General Fund** Contributions to this fund help cover all the operating costs of doing ministry at LHC. These costs include staff salaries, team ministry expenses, and facility expenses.

Notice to all Ladies: Our next 1<sup>st</sup> time moms **Baby Shower** will be this **Saturday, September 12, 9:30am** at Debbie Hubers home. Our guests of honor will be Kim & Charleigh Kirkendal and Brittany & Magnolia Douglas. Info in your mailboxes. Please sign up or let Debbie know if you will be attending

The American Red Cross **Blood Drive** is being held here at LHC this coming **Saturday, September 12, from 8am-12pm**. You can sign up for a time slot at the registration table in the gathering area.

On **Sunday, September 20** we will have the **Carpenters Tools Inc** here to lead our worship. They arrive at 6pm on Saturday and **need housing** for Sat, Sun & Mon nights. There will be 5 boys and 3 girls. If you can volunteer to house some of this CTI group, please let Brette Sterk (324-1519) know soon.

The **Prayer Team** is looking for one or more people to **pray** about once every 2 months **during our morning worship service**. This would be in the form of silent prayer for our pastor as he preaches and for the congregation as we worship, that God's Spirit and Word would have His way in our lives. If this kind of (behind the scenes) prayer ministry is for you, please contact Dave Wiersma or any member of the prayer team. (Prayer team members are Chris Scheuers, Dena Soodsma, Pastor Verlan & Becky Van Ee and Joe Zamojcin.)

Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Cell Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_ I am looking for more information about Living Hope

\_\_\_\_ I would welcome a call/visit.

*\*\*Please place this card in the offering plate\*\**

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My prayer request:

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(optional)

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

*\*\*Please place request card in offering plate or blue Prayer Box in the Gathering Area\*\**

## Community Events

Are you the mother of a preschooler? If so, we invite you to check out our **MOPS** group this year! Meet other moms, enjoy some time together, some fun activities, and some good food too! Meetings are held on the 2nd Thursday of every month. Our first meeting of the year will be held at Bethel CRC in Waupun (410 S. West St.) on **September 10, 6:30pm**. The theme we will focus on this year is **Together on Planet Mom**. *"For where two or three come together in my name, there I am with them."* **Matt 18:20**. Membership for the year is \$20--and due only after you have come to a meeting to see if MOPS is for you! If you have any questions or would like more information, call Sara at (920) 324-1086 or Rachelle at (920) 324-3580. Hope to see you there!

**Steppin' out for Dementia Awareness Walk** Sponsored by The Dementia Concerns Coalition of Dodge County **Saturday, Sept 12, 2009** At Golden Living Center Beaver Dam, 410 Roedl Court. Registration 8:30, Walk 10:00. Prizes, food, entertainment! For more information and pledge sheets call Diane Becker at 887-4282.

Are you a golfer? Did you know that Bethany Christian Services of WI has a golf marathon once a year? This event is our main fund-raiser & a fun way to raise awareness and funds for the children and families Bethany serves. **Bethany Christian Services 15th Annual "100 Hole Golf Marathon" Friday September 18, 2008** at The Golf Club at Camelot **Now Recruiting Golfers & Business Sponsors** Please contact Eleta for more details **262-547-6557** Registrations Forms available on line at: [www.bethanywisconsin.org](http://www.bethanywisconsin.org)

A unique retreat designed to glorify God through music and great speakers, and to renew and uplift all who attend is being planned for you on **September 22, 2009**, here at **LHC**. Check the table for brochures telling more about this event sponsored by the Bible League Volunteers. You can make an eternal difference in people's lives by taking part in this retreat and contributing to the special offering. Our goal is to provide Scriptures and training throughout Africa so that people will be brought into fellowship with Christ and His Church. Lynn Austin, well known author and speaker, is our featured presenter. The Siegmann Family reflects God's love on stage and off and will present our evening concert. (Please check brochure for retreat & banquet costs.) Any ?'s, contact Esther Vant Hoff- 326-3361 or Myrna Alsum -326-4462.

**Steve Green in concert** at the **Fond du Lac High School** Performing Arts Center, 801 Campus Drive, **Saturday, September 26, 7:00pm**. Doors open 6pm. Tickets in advance are \$12-adult, \$8- 12 & under, at

the door- \$15 adult, \$10- 12 and under. Contact 920-922-9044 ext 6 or [dleeds@trinityfdl.net](mailto:dleeds@trinityfdl.net).

The **Christian Homestead** is planning for the holidays! We are in need of winter-themed mugs, curling ribbon, decorations for winter, Easter, spring, also tea cups and saucers for the "Winter Tea". Thank you!! Donations can be dropped off at The Homestead (1001 W. Brown St.) or call 324-6560.

**OLD SEWING MACHINES NEEDED:** BETHANY CHRISTIAN SERVICES in conjunction with PARTNERS WORLDWIDE is looking for non electric sewing machines to be shipped overseas. For further information call or e-mail Scot Konings at 414-774-5191 or [thempo@sbcglobal.net](mailto:thempo@sbcglobal.net) or [koningssk@yahoo.com](mailto:koningssk@yahoo.com)

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## Christian School News

Plans are underway for an **Open House** at Randolph Christian School (457 N. 2<sup>nd</sup> Street, Randolph) on **Thursday** night, **September 17** from **6:30 – 8 PM**. This is the perfect way to introduce your friends and family to RCS, meet the teachers, check out your children's classroom and meet new parents. Students are also welcome and refreshments will be served. We are looking forward to seeing you.

When was the last time you gazed at skyscrapers, hailed a cab or ate at a deli? Fortunately for you the wait is over! Come join Central Wisconsin Christian in New York, New York at the **Harvest Auction, Saturday September 19th**. Silent Auction begins at 3pm, dinner is served from 4pm to 6:30pm with the live auction beginning at 6:30. Come join us at CWC as we celebrate God's gifts and work together to build His kingdom! Please call 324-4233 to reserve your spot!