



LIVING HOPE BAPTIST
CHURCH

NEWSLETTER

AUGUST 2026

ANNOUNCEMENTS

- SERVE SUNDAY WILL BE ON AUGUST 2ND. WE WILL MEET AT WALMART ON CLINIC DRIVE TO PURCHASE BACKPACKS AND FILL WITH SCHOOL SUPPLIES FOR THE UPCOMING SCHOOL YEAR.
- JOIN US FOR THE KICKOFF OF H.O.P.E. (HOPKINSVILLE OUTREACH THROUGH PRAYER AND EVANGELISM) ON AUGUST 9TH AT 6 PM AT OUR CALVARY CAMPUS.
- ALL YOUTH (6TH - 12TH GRADES) ARE INVITED TO ATTEND A BACK-TO-SCHOOL CELEBRATION ON SATURDAY, AUGUST 15TH AT 5:30PM AT THE TRIPP'S HOME. PLEASE SEE PASTOR THOMAS FOR MORE DETAILS.
- DURING SERVICES ON SUNDAY, AUGUST 16TH, WE WILL HAVE A SPECIAL TIME OF PRAYER FOR TEACHERS AND STUDENTS AS THEY PREPARE FOR THE UPCOMING SCHOOL YEAR.
- SUNDAY SCHOOL PROMOTION DAY IS AUGUST 23RD.
- AWANA WILL KICKOFF WITH A BACK-TO-SCHOOL PARTY ON AUGUST 26TH AT 5:30 PM IN OUR EAGLE WAY FELLOWSHIP HALL. ONLINE REGISTRATION IS OPEN. VOLUNTEERS ARE NEEDED!

CHURCH EVENTS

- AUG 2ND - SERVE SUNDAY
- AUG 9TH - HOPE TEAM KICKOFF
- AUG 15TH - YOUTH BACK-TO-SCHOOL BASH
- AUG 16TH - TIME OF PRAYER FOR UPCOMING SCHOOL YEAR
- AUG 23RD - SUNDAY SCHOOL PROMOTION DAY
- AUG 26TH - AWANA BACK TO SCHOOL PARTY

Happy August!

From Pastor Darrell Crawford

As you know, we have begun a new sermon series through the book of Nehemiah. I sure pray and hope that you are challenged and encouraged to believe that God can and will use you to make a difference in the lives of others around you. I pray you are believing and making decisions with the thought in mind that what you do matters for the glory of God. We, as a staff, have been praying about ways that we can encourage each other and all of our church family to serve in our community. We are looking forward to future conversations about possible outreach type ministries starting.

As for August, we are really excited about starting our HOPE ministry on Sunday evenings. We will have different teams each week, that will go out and make gospel centered visits in the community. Some will go see visitors who have attended church service with us. Others will visit with church members that we have missed seeing more regularly, or go visit with shut in members, and members unable to attend for health reasons. Still others will visit door to door in various communities - taking the gospel of Jesus Christ to our city. We are convinced that God will be glorified in our efforts, we will see Him move in the lives of many, and we will be used by God to make a difference. As we have said, "this is going to work, and it will be fun!"

We will be contacting Sunday School classes, Lifegroups, and other small groups to take a team night so be on the lookout for which night you will be serving! If you are not in a Sunday School or Lifegroup, we would encourage you to get connected with one, but until then, you are encouraged to join in with any team. You can talk to any of the elders or deacons about your desire to serve in taking the gospel to our community.

Please be praying for this ministry and others that will be coming up!

In Christ,
Darrell Crawford