#### WHEN GOD FEELS FAR AWAY

I know the LORD is always with me. I will not be shaken, for he is right beside me. "No wonder my heart is glad, and I rejoice. ... "You will show me the way of life, granting me the joy of your presence and the pleasures of living with you forever. Psalm 16:8-9, 11 NLT

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<sup>14</sup> <u>Why</u> , LORD, <u>do you reject me</u> and <u>hide you</u>		
WHY DON'T WE ALWAYS FEEL GOD?		
1. Maybe you're	God's presence.	
So they asked [Jesus], "What sign then will you? What will you do?" John 6:30	you give that we may see it and believe	
If you always felt God, you wouldn't need _	·	
2. Maybe your heart has	·	
"You will be ever hearing but never understanding; you will be ever seeing but never perceiving. <sup>15</sup> For this people's <u>heart has become calloused</u> ; they hardly hear with their ears, and they have closed their eyes" Matthew 13:14-15 NIV		
3. Maybe God just wants to	·	
"From one man [God] made all the nations, that they should inhabit the whole earth; and he marked out their appointed times in history and the boundaries of their lands." God did this so that they would <u>seek him</u> and perhaps <u>reach out for him and find him</u> , though he is <u>not far from any one of us</u> ." Acts 17:26-27 NIV		
<i>"You will seek me and <u>find me</u> when you <u>set</u> <u>by you</u>," declares the LORD Jeremiah 29:</i>		
Just because God feels distant doesn't mean God is		
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...an angel of the Lord appeared to him in a dream and said, "Joseph son of David, do not be afraid to take Mary home as your wife, because what is conceived in her is from the Holy Spirit. "She will give birth to a son, and you are to give him the name Jesus, because he will save his people from their sins." 22 All this took place to fulfill what the Lord had said through the prophet. 23 "The virgin will conceive and give birth to a son, and they will call him Immanuel" (which means "God with us").

Matthew 1:20-23 NIV



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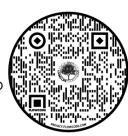
Thanks for joining us this weekend at Living Life Church!

**Mission:** "We are a gathering of imperfect people, connecting other imperfect people to the perfect love of God."

> We believe that ministry should be that simple. We exist to LOVE GOD & LOVE PEOPLE.

#### **NEW TO LIVING LIFE?**

New here? Simply scan the QR code to complete our Digital Connect Card. Stop by the Welcome Center afterward to pick up your gift! Have a question-we'd love to help email us at livinglife@livinglife.church



# This Weeks Worship Set

I NEED A GHOST-BRANDON LAKE **REST ON US** - UPPERROOM MADE FOR MORE- BETHEL MUSIC I SPEAK JESUS- CHARITY GAYLE



Stay connected with everything happening at Living Life Church — from groups to events and more! Visit www.livinglife.church for details.

TEXT "JOINLLC" to 970-00

to stay up to date on all events and notifications!

# Happening this week:

#### **Bible Studies & Events**

Sunday-11am-Journey through the Word-Mat Miller | LGR

Monday -6-7:30pm LifeStudents | Grades 6-12th

#### **Tuesday**

- -2:00pm Ladies Bible Study at LLC | LGR
- -6-7:30pm 4 FIVE 6 | Grades 4,5,& 6th
- -6:30pm- The Art of Marriage- Heather & Tyler Cooley

#### Wednesday

- -2:00pm Healing Circle at Jude Tony's.
- -6pm Men's Group at LLC this week

#### Thursday

- 6:30pm- Ladies Group at LLC | LGR
- 6:30pm- Life in the Word Bible Study -Scott N. | 1-3rd rm

#### **Friday**

- -5:00pm- L.I.F.E Recovery Group at LLC | LGR
- -6:30pm- Prayer Group at LLC | Prayer Room

\*LGR=Large Group Room

For all the Love you have shown our Pastors & Staff during the month of October.

### Annual Trunk or Treat

THANK YOU THANK YOU THANK YOU!!!!

We collected over 30,000 pieces of candy and had an amazing turn out, and all the trunks were amazing!! Can't wait to do it again next year!

### Mark your calendars:

## Chili Cook-Off at Living Life Church! Saturday, November 8<sup>th</sup> 6pm

Get your best recipe ready! Join us for food, fun, and fellowship at our Chili Cook-Off. Signs up are happening at the Welcome Center!!





### Sip & Shop Holiday Event 🦙

Get in the holiday spirit at our annual Sip & Shop! 
Enjoy shopping local vendors with crafts, gifts, jewelry, food, and more—all while sipping hot cocoa or coffee and enjoying sweet treats. Lunch will also be available for purchase.

All proceeds support

**Hand2Hand**, providing weekend meals for local students.

**Vendors:** Interested in a table? Contact

Samantha Prescott at

samprescott.llc325@gmail.com or text 231-215-

### Gingerbread Bash Saturday, December 6<sup>th</sup> | 10am

Attention all LifeKids Families Save the date for our fun new family event this Christmas Season!





#### How to Tithe at LLC:

- 1) Give in person, drop in offering baskets or in giving box  $\,$
- 2) Scan the QR code
- 3) Visit our church website <u>livinglife.church</u> and click 'Give Now'.

#### Last week's Numbers

Attendance	Worship	LifeKids	Total
9:30am	132	23	155
11:00am	209	16	225
TOTALS	341	39	380

Offerings	\$5592.25	
<b>Building Fund</b>	\$1380.00	

Hand2Hand \$35.00 Café/Donuts \$69.05 Total Amount **\$7076.30** 

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