

COMMUNITY NEWS

Visitors: We are glad that you joined us this morning. Please fill out the Visitor's Sheet in this bulletin and place it in the black offering box up front and we will follow up with you.

Offerings: Be thankful for all that you have been given, and "honor the Lord with your wealth" (Proverbs 3:9). Please place your financial offerings to Living Hope in the black box, or give online, and let your giving be an act of worship.

Gathering Well: We are grateful that you are worshipping with us this morning! Thank you for following the guidance in our Gathering Plan, including allowing 4 seat widths between family groups, maintaining appropriate physical distancing, and wearing a face covering while inside the YMCA (except small children and those who are not able because of health or conscience). Please refer to our Gathering Plan on our homepage for specific details. Thanks for being sensitive to those around you!

Advent Series: As we study the birth of Jesus in Luke's Gospel, read chapter 2 to prepare for messages on 12/24 and 12/27 in our series "Son of the Most High."

Kid's Gingerbread House Kits: Hey kids, don't forget to pick up your gingerbread house kits this morning under the Christmas tree in the foyer or email office@findlivinghope.com if you want to pick one up this week. Take an extra to share with a friend!

Testimony Sunday: To close out 2020 and kick-off 2021, we'll be sharing testimonies on January 3 to acknowledge our struggles and give thanks for all that God has done. Please speak to one of the elders if you are feeling led to share.

Ministry Schedule: Thank you to all our Ministry Workers who faithfully serve our church family each week. The NEW January-February Ministry Schedule is available on the back table.

Children's Christmas Program Postponed: Unfortunately, because our volunteers and practice times have been impacted by the COVID-19 situation, we'll have to postpone sharing our program until January. Kids, thank you for all your hard work, and we look forward to seeing it soon!

Capital Campaign Pledge: We are grateful for all those that have contributed to our campaign to raise \$200,000 for the new audio, visual, light system, as well as chairs and design finishes in our new Worship Center. If you have not yet made a contribution, please grab a pledge form from the back table or on our website Giving Page and consider joining us.

Blog: Check-out our blog called "Growing in Grace"! Find weekly encouragement at: findlivinghope.com/blog and subscribe for weekly posts. Contact Laura Dibert with questions or input at blog@findlivinghope.com.

Prayer Needs: If you have specific prayer needs, please send them to the church community at: prayer@findlivinghope.com. If you would like to receive our weekly prayer email, contact: prayer@findlivinghope.com.



Week 4 — Good News to the Poor
Isaiah 61:1-3

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Join us in celebrating
CHRISTMAS

THUR, DEC 24th

Christmas Eve Service - 6:30 PM

SUN, DEC 27th

Worship Service - 10 AM



December 20, 2020

"...because of the tender mercy of our God, whereby the sunrise shall visit us from on high to give light to those who sit in darkness and in the shadow of death, to guide our feet into the way of peace."

— Luke 1:78-79

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ORDER OF WORSHIP

Welcome

Community News

Advent Reading

Opening Prayer

Praise Songs

Children's Dismissal

Message: **"The Tender Mercy of God"**
—*Luke 1:57-80*

Worship Songs

Closing

~ *Son of the Most High* ~

"The Tender Mercy of God"

Luke 1:57-80

- Mercy Brings Faith (vs. 57-66)

- Mercy Brings Service (vs. 67-75)

- Mercy Brings Light (vs. 76-79)

VISITOR'S SHEET

DATE: 12/20/20

We're glad that you came to check us out and spend some time with God this morning. If you don't mind, please take a minute and fill out the info below and drop it in the offering box. Thanks for being with us!

Name(s)

Mailing Address

Phone Numbers

Email Addresses

Children's Names

Age

Grade

How did you hear about our church?

If you attend another church, which one?

Questions, comments, or prayer needs?