

# LIVING HOPE CHURCH

Worship Service  
April 14, 2024

**Prelude – Charlene Goertzen**

**Greeting & Worship – Worship Team**

*Leaning on the Everlasting Arms*

**Announcements & Prayer – Loretta Jost**

**Worship Response – Worship Team**

*This is the Day*

*Graves Into Gardens*

**Message – Pastor Luke Haidle**

*Words of Comfort*

*John 14*

**Closing Song – Worship Team**

*I Will Trust My Saviour Jesus*

## PRAYER & PRAISE

- Praise for the teachers, youth leaders, helpers and other volunteers who have helped throughout the past year on Wednesday nights. Pray for the kids and youth to continue to develop a closer relationship to Jesus throughout the summer.
- Begin to pray for the team of volunteers for our Summer VBS (July 7-11) to come together and for the planning and organization of this fun, faith-filled week! Pray about how you might be able to help or offer creativity and ideas to this great outreach annual event.
- Pray for farmers as many are back out in the fields preparing and soon will be planting. Pray for safety on the country roads and working on and with equipment.
- Pray for our community and its local businesses that provide the goods and services convenient and necessary for a thriving community.

**OFFICE HOURS:** MWF 9:30am – 12:30pm

## WEDNESDAY SCHEDULE

9:00 – 11:00am Prayer Room Open  
9:30am Women's Bible Study

## TEAM MEETING DATES:

April 22 – Care Team Meeting 6:30pm  
April 22 – Team Leaders 7:30pm

## UPCOMING EVENTS

April 17 – WNL Teacher Appreciation BBQ 6pm  
April 21 – Living the Anabaptist Story MHP 6:30pm  
April 25 – Mom & Tots Playgroup 9:30am  
April 30 – Coffee Connect 9am  
May 5 - Celebrate Sunday Coffee time 9am  
July 7-11 – SCUBA VBS – Diving into Friendship w/ God  
July 23-27 – USMB National Convention Omaha  
July 29-31 – Central District Youth Camp Fosston, MN

## Upcoming Birthdays

Apr 14-Riley Quiring Apr 22-Abbie Rempel  
Apr 30-Andy Huebert

## Upcoming Anniversaries

Apr-26 Russell & Nancy Regier

*If you do not see your special day listed, please let the office know by email [office@livinghopehenderson.com](mailto:office@livinghopehenderson.com). Thank you!*

## **Henderson Heritage will Present a Reenactment of “Living the Anabaptist Story” on Sunday, April 21**

In celebration of the 150th anniversary of the first Mennonite immigrants' arrival in the Henderson area in 1874, Henderson Mennonite Heritage Park will feature a reenactment of the Anabaptist story.

**It will be held on Sunday, April 21, 6:30 p.m. at the Henderson Mennonite Heritage Park. "Living the Anabaptist Story" will be an event where history comes alive, featuring local performers playing various parts. The story will begin with the Reformation and end with the persecutions endured by the Anabaptists.**

Visitors will receive a card with the name and information about an actual Anabaptist from the 1500s. At the end of the program, it will be revealed whether the person on their card survived a martyr's death.

Dramatic scenes will be performed at different locations in the park, featuring Martin Luther, Menno Simons, and a staged debate between Conrad Grebel and Huldrych Zwingli, who were all involved in the Reformation movement.

**Come out for this unique event and enjoy a live presentation of "Living the Anabaptist Story." There is no charge for the event, although a traditional wicker basket offering will be taken.**

Golf carts are available to transport guests to the different locations at the park during the program. A closing back at the church will offer a time for questions and discussion. Cookies and coffee will be available.

## Teacher Appreciation BBQ –

Wednesday, April 17 at 6pm at Lakeview Park Shelter (in case of bad weather, it will be held at the church) This is for teachers, leaders, and helpers for both Sunday and Wednesday nights and their families. Table service, smoked pork loin, buns, and drinks will be provided. Please bring a side, salad or dessert to share. Thank you! Come celebrate all that God has done this year!

**Living Hope Church T-shirts** – there are a few free Living Hope T-shirts in the back of the sanctuary left from last week as our gift to you. We have run out of some sizes and if you find that we don't have what you need, talk to Joni in the office.

**Registration is now open for USMB Gathering 2024**, our biennial National Pastors' Conference and National Convention July 23-27 at the Doubletree in Downtown Omaha! Our theme is "Salt and Light: Faithful Living in a Secular Culture," with a focus on living unreservedly in the way of Jesus. We are encouraging members to attend.

### Nursery Helpers:

April 14 – Molly, Sydney, Lakyn  
April 21 – Abbie, Riley, Brinley

## Welcome to LIVING HOPE CHURCH

- Help yourself to coffee in the hospitality area at the back of the sanctuary.
- There are children's quiet activity bags available in the children's room in the southeast corner behind the hospitality area.
- Nursery care is available during the Sunday morning service for babies to age 3. The nursery is located on the north end of the education wing, down the hall from the northwest sanctuary door.
- Prayer Request cards as well as cash offering envelopes can be found in the pewback pockets. Your offering may be deposited in the slotted wooden box at the back of the sanctuary. Please post prayer requests on bulletin board in rear if you would like to share, or talk to Pastor Luke if you would prefer they remain private.
- Online giving is available at [livinghopehenderson.com/give](http://livinghopehenderson.com/give)

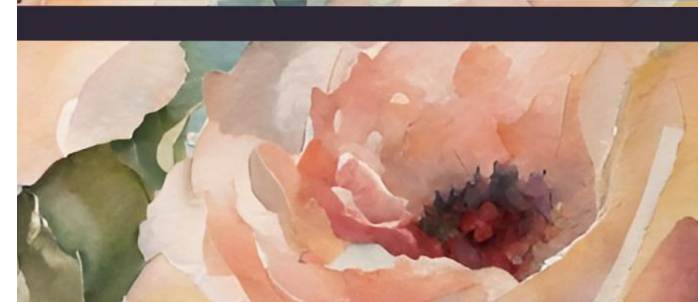


### VISITORS AND GUESTS

- Pick up a "Welcome to Worship" card as you come in so you know what to expect during worship. It also includes some basic info you might find helpful. Please, ask an usher if you have any questions.
- We also have a "Connection Card" that you may fill out, if you wish, and leave in the wooden box on the table in the back of the sanctuary as you leave.

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