

JULY 2025 — JUNE 2026

# IMPACT REPORT

**LIVING HOPE**

Engaging the church, community, and world with the living hope of Jesus Christ.

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# Welcome Home

A MESSAGE FROM PASTOR AL

**Hi Living Hope Family,**

Jesus declared with unwavering confidence, "I will build my church, and the gates of Hades will not overcome it" (Matthew 16:18)—a promise that the community He established would reshape the world. Today, God continues to move through His church to impact lives, and we see vibrant proof of that right here at Living Hope. This past ministry year stands as a testimony to how simple, steady faithfulness to Jesus' mission produces extraordinary fruit.

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| **CHURCH** | Growing together |
| **COMMUNITY** | Outreach & care for our neighbors |
| **WORLD** | The Gospel to the nations |

I am deeply encouraged and grateful for everything God is accomplishing in and through our church family. As you look through this 2025–2026 Impact Report, I know your faith will be stirred and your heart filled with that same gratitude. Thank you for your faithful prayers, generous financial support, and tireless service. Together, we are living out His promise.

**— Pastor Al**



**51**

New believer packets distributed

**3**

New guests per Sunday avg.

*"Praise be to the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ! In his great mercy he has given us new birth into a living hope through the resurrection of Jesus Christ from the dead,"*

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# This Year at a Glance

A snapshot of how God moved through Living Hope's church, community, and world this ministry year.

## SUNDAY MORNINGS

- **673** avg. attendance
- **101** avg. Sunday Kids
- **250+** came forward for prayer
- **30** baptized
- **51** believer packets
- **3** new guests per sunday avg.

## MIDWEEK: YOUTH & KIDS

- **41** avg. Sunday Night Youth
- **113** avg. Wednesday D6
- **158** 1st-time Sunday attendees
- **60** D6 leaders
- **180** kids at VBS
- **70** VBS volunteers

## GROUPS & SERVING

- **20** small groups
- **26** small group leaders
- **237** individuals serving
- **22** LH Serve teams

## WEE CARE

- **150** children enrolled
- **110** avg. daily attendance
- **36** staff (33 FT, 3 PT)

## MEN & WOMEN

- **60+** men growing together
- **80+** women meeting regularly

## LH CARES - FOOD PANTRY

- **50** families served weekly
- **150** Thanksgiving baskets

## LH COMPASSION

- **31** families helped financially
- **$32K** in financial assistance

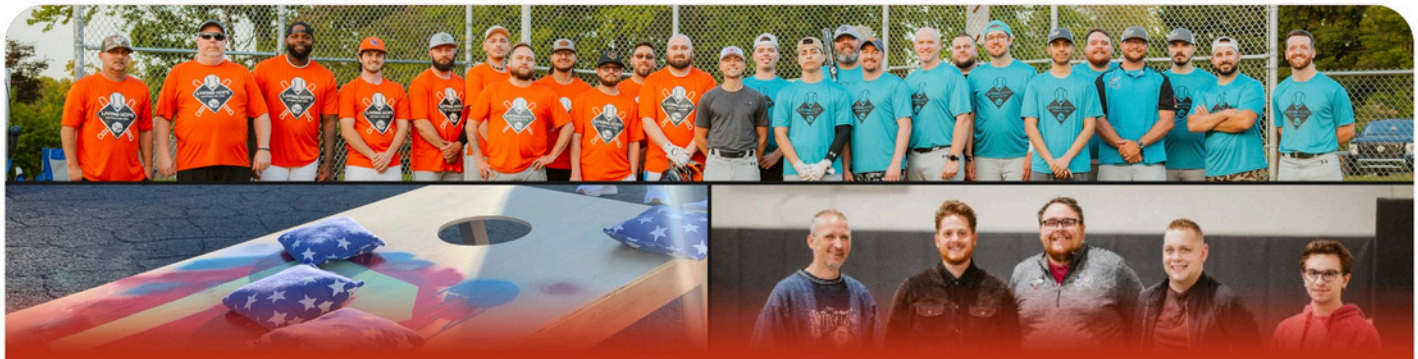
## EVENTS

- **59** ministry events
- **≈3,300** people attended events at Living Hope
- **53** honored guests at Night to Shine
- **400+** attended the Caleb Gordon concert

ENGAGING THE CHURCH

# Where Our Adults Grow

Discipling men and women through brotherhood, fellowship, and Biblical teaching.



## MEN

**75+ men growing together**

**The LH Men's Ministry exists to guide men into a thriving relationship with Jesus Christ through accountability, grace, and truth. Whether gathered at large events, sharing in small groups, or meeting one-on-one, over 75 men regularly prioritized growing together in faith and brotherhood this past year.**

Men's Breakfast · Men's Retreat · Cornhole Tournament · March Madness

*"Being a part of a men's small group has helped me get through some really dark times in my life. I am grateful for the men that God has led into my life, and now I get to see other men grow in their faith too."* **Gabe S.**



## WOMEN

**80+ women · 7 Bible studies**

**With prayer at the heart of everything they do, over 80 women met regularly in large and small settings to encourage and invest in one another. Through 7 Bible studies this past year, women gathered to discover the life-changing impact of experiencing Jesus' power in their everyday, moment-by-moment lives.**

*"Although I was intimidated by joining a prayer group for the first time, the women welcomed me with open arms. Often, I feel alone in my struggles, but the women instantly gave me a sense of belonging. I realize I am not alone, and I felt at peace, knowing that others were praying for me. Likewise, I was praying for others."* **Virginia P.**

ENGAGING THE CHURCH

# Life Together

Seasoned saints and small groups building friendship, purpose, and steady growth.



## SENIORS

**Meals, trips, and connection**

LH Seniors love to get together. Whether planned events or impromptu meetups after church services, they prioritize meals together, trips, and connection. More than 25 seniors connect on a regular basis.



## GROUPS

**32% of LH adults · 20 groups · 26 leaders**

LH small groups exist to foster authentic biblical community where believers grow in faith, support one another in love, and live out the gospel together. A person's spiritual growth happens best in community with others.

ENGAGING THE CHURCH

# The Next Generation

Every child hears about Jesus in a way they can understand.














## KIDS

**101 avg. Sundays · 158 first-timers · 113 avg. D6 · 180 at VBS**

We saw wonderful growth this year across all our kids' programming. On Sunday mornings, we averaged 101 children and welcomed 158 first-time attendees. On Wednesdays, D6 completed its third year, with an average of 113 kids using the Awana curriculum and 60 dedicated leaders. Illumination Station was the theme of VBS, with 180 kids and over 70 adults serving them. Other events, like Fall Fest, Awana Grand Prix, and Daddy-Daughter Date Night, kept families connected!

ENGAGING THE CHURCH

# Students and Young Adults

Students and young adults growing in faith, community, and mission.





## YOUTH

120 at Gametime Conference (8 churches, 40 leaders) · 35 at Fall Retreat (13 leaders) · 10 baptized · 22 avg. Jr. High Sundays · 41 avg. LH Youth

Over the past ministry year our vision for LH Youth has been to be unified in Christ. We've watched the Lord bring our ministry closer as students led worship, shared testimonies, were baptized, and preached the Word to their peers. As students buy in on prayer and using their spiritual gifts, momentum keeps building toward a healthy student ministry.





## YOUNG ADULTS

51 Young adults connected

Over the past ministry year, we've seen the faith of young adults in our church increase — from serving in ministries like children and youth to special events such as Night to Shine. Our monthly community nights have led to new connections, a hunger for the Word, and young adults seeking to get plugged in. Small groups for our YA men and women have fostered strong relationships through consistency in the Word and with one another.

ENGAGING THE COMMUNITY

# Our Community

Caring for our neighbors in Lower Bucks County — through early childhood education, practical needs, and everyday outreach.

WEE CARE
Early Learning Center



**At Wee Care, we serve the childcare needs of our diverse community. We have an enrollment of approximately 150 children aged 6 weeks to 12 years, with an average daily attendance of 110. We have 33 full-time staff and 3 part-time staff. Once again this year the state rated Wee Care as a PA Keystone 4-STAR Center.**

## IN PARTNERSHIP WITH LIVING HOPE

- Weekly Bible lessons
- Weekly preschool chapels
- School-age chapels
- Participation in VBS
- An annual Christmas concert
- Participation in church events

**150**
children enrolled

**110**
average daily attendance

**36**
staff members







ENGAGING THE COMMUNITY

# Welcoming In. Reaching Out.

Through events on our campus and service throughout our community, we cultivated opportunities to connect, care, and share the living hope of Jesus Christ.



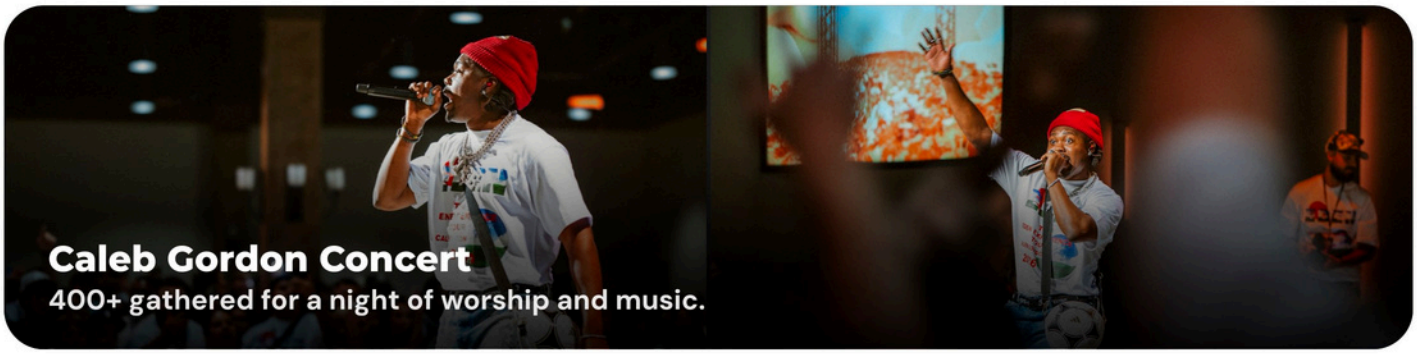

**Night to Shine**
53 honored guests and their parents celebrated at an unforgettable prom night.



**Langhorne Harvest Day**
Outreaching to the community of Langhorne.



**Philly Family Fun Day**
Sharing the love of Christ with our neighbors in Kensington.



**Caleb Gordon Concert**
400+ gathered for a night of worship and music.



**Fall Fest**
Free family event for the neighborhood.



**LH Cares Food Pantry**
60 fed weekly, 25 volunteers

Living Hope also seeks to meet the physical and spiritual needs of local families through counseling resources, a food pantry, an annual Christmas giving tree, and Thanksgiving baskets.

ENGAGING THE WORLD

# The World

$59,014 from our general fund to support missionaries and organizations spreading the Gospel to the uttermost parts of the earth.

**Crossing Cultures International**
Khup Thang & Matthew Tere · Myanmar
Equipping Christian leaders with biblical ministry training so they can multiply disciples and strengthen local churches.

**Cru FamilyLife**
Brad & Kim Daubenspeck · Bucks County, PA
Strengthening marriages and families through gospel-centered resources that help make every home a godly home.

**International Project**
Kevin King · New York City
Sharing the Gospel, making disciples, and planting churches among unreached people groups living outside their homelands.

**Crossworld**
Rich Vallette · Dominican Republic
Sending disciple-makers from every profession to bring the Gospel to the world's least-reached communities.

**Productive Lives**
Cam Garven · Philadelphia, PA
Empowering people and communities to meet physical and spiritual needs through servant living and leadership.

**Nuru Yake**
Geoff & Linda Simpson · Kenya
Discipling Kenyan youth, equipping local leaders, strengthening families, and helping break cycles of poverty.

**Fellowship International Mission**
Mona Kach · Grand Rapids, MI
Supporting missionaries through personalized care and ministry partnerships that advance the Great Commission.

**Resonate**
Dakota Coddington · Reading, England
Helping plant a church that reaches University of Reading students and equips them to follow Jesus and live on mission.

**InterVarsity**
Christine Loesser · Central/South New Jersey
Planting new witnessing communities and strengthening established ones on college campuses across Central and South New Jersey.

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STORIES OF HOPE

# Lives Made New



*"Living Hope is a sanctuary where I can authentically be myself. It is a place where I can safely learn to walk the pathway of peace as God continues His work of sanctification in me."*

— BRITT A.

*"Living Hope has been a refuge for me. I have been impacted by the sense of community and am grateful that, when I needed a safe place to heal, God provided Living Hope."*

— TAMMIE D.



*"Being confident of this, that he who began a good work in you will carry it on to completion until the day of Christ Jesus."*

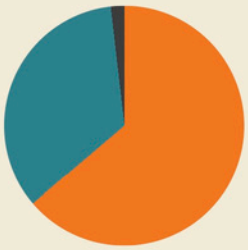
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JULY 2025 – JUNE 2026 FINANCIAL BREAKDOWN

# Your Generosity at Work

At Living Hope, we believe giving is an act of worship and a joyful response to God's generosity. We're grateful for the generosity that fuels all that God is doing through Living Hope.

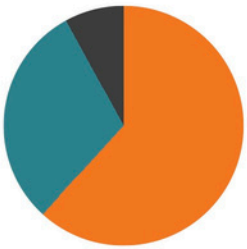
## WHERE OUR SUPPORT CAME FROM



**INCOME — $3,398,396 TOTAL**

- Wee Care — $2,167,034
- LH General Fund & Other Income — $1,169,670
- LH Designated Giving — $61,692

## HOW WE INVESTED IT



**EXPENSE — $3,337,975 TOTAL**

- WC Operations & Personnel — $2,061,586
- LH Operations & Personnel — $1,010,975
- LH Ministry & Missions — $265,414

## CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS

- Stormwater management improvements
- Community Center sound system upgrades
- Newly paved rear parking lot
- Increased space in auditorium with wall removal

As we look back on this past year, we are profoundly grateful for your faithful support and the incredible ways God has moved through your generosity. Every gift you gave became a tangible expression of grace—fueling vital ministries, supporting families in need, and creating space for people to encounter Jesus and experience real life transformation. Your partnership has made a direct impact on every story of redemption and hope written in our community this year. Thank you for faithfully giving, praying, and investing in God's kingdom work; we truly could not fulfill this vision without you.

**The Living Hope Leadership Team**

## Thank You for Partnering With Us

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