John the Forerunner: He knew _______________; he knew ______________; and he knew his ________________ role in ministry (service).

How do we discover what our particular limits are?
- Through ______________ & ______________
- Through ______________ relationships
- Through developing ______________

Humility is best understood and lived out in the context of believing in and following Christ:
- Knowing who we are, with all our ________________
- Knowing who we are ________________, who is without ________________
- Using the ________________ God gives us to his glory and the good of our ________________

I am dust, but I am ________________ dust!
Two extremes: Just say no! and Just do it!
True humility is ________________, and it is ________________ – but only at the ________________.

The mark of a faithful disciple is to humbly embrace who we are, with our ________________
and to boldly live in ________________
on the Spirit without ________________.

Welcome to LifeSpring Covenant Church

We are so glad you’ve chosen to visit LifeSpring today! Feel free to reach out to our Pastor of Connections & Formation for more info about our church. Elyse Aguirre: elysea@lifespringchurch.org

If you’re new, whether in person or online, please fill out a Connection Card at the Welcome Center or fill it out online (www.lifespringchurch.org/im-new) to let us know you’re here! This just gives us a chance to say hi and welcome you here.

If you would like to give an offering today to support the ministries of the church, there are offering boxes in the lobby and back of the sanctuary. You can also scan the QR code and give online or go to our website and click GIVE. Venmo is another way to give: @LifeSpringCovChurch Thank you!

We invite you to check in your kids in the Children’s Ministry area at the south end of the building. Check in before service. Nursery age kids can be dropped off anytime; elementary age kids will join us in service for music and will be dismissed before the sermon to head to crew252.
Babies, Kids, Students

Sundays: Nursery & Children’s Programming
Please check in your kids before service at the south end. Drop off to nursery anytime; grades K-5 will begin with us in service then be dismissed before the sermon.

Sundays: Middle School
The Old Testament, by The BibleProject
Sept 10th - December 17th | First Hour 8:45 | rm 208 | facilitated by Julie Smith & Tom Dierenfeld

Sundays: High School
Everybody Always: Becoming Love in a World Full of Setbacks and Difficult People by Bob Goff
Sept 10th - October 15th | First Hour 8:45 | rm 207 | facilitated by Scott Firestone & Bob Graham
Coming Next: The Book of James | October 22nd - November 19th

Wednesdays: Youth Night!
Students grades 6-8 are invited to Fusion, 6:30 to 8pm. Students grades 9-12 are invited to Pulse, 7 to 9pm. Invite a friend!

Find the youth calendar on the website (www.LifeSpringChurch.org) under Connect > Students to see what’s coming up! For text updates, text @lifespri to 81010.

Upcoming Events

Today | Coffee Team Interest Meeting
Purposeful Coffee + People = meaningful and fulfilling connections on Sunday morning! Our Coffee Team is a fantastic opportunity to sustain friendly hospitality through our coffee and tea service Sunday mornings. Interested? Please join Brent Bromstrup and the current coffee team group after worship in the Cafe today for a quick overview of the coffee service process.

October 19 | ROMEO
Retired Old Men Eating Out! Our esteemed retired gentlemen, you’re invited to breakfast on the third Thursday of the month, October 19, at 8:30am in the Commons. Food, fellowship, friends. Email Dave Conner with questions, connerda50@yahoo.com

October 19 | Justice & Mercy Monthly Gathering
This month Pastor Elyse will be sharing her experience from Weaving Justice & Peace in a Wounded Land, a trip she took to Oregon during her sabbatical. All are invited to come hear from her and join us as we pray for injustices against indigenous people—October 19th, 6:30-8p, in the Sanctuary.

October 21 | Pop Up Resource Center
Our next Pop Up Resource Center, 10a to noon, is an opportunity to walk alongside our neighbors by offering food, clothes, resource assistance, and friendship in a loving, approachable environment. We need donations! We’re accepting fall clothing and winter gear (all sizes, children’s coats are the biggest need). Please refer to the Welcome Center, website, or visit the Connecting Center for food donation needs. Sign up to volunteer in the Connecting Center or online. It’s a joy to serve our neighbors together!

November 11 | Emotionally Healthy Discipleship Mini Retreat
Save the Date! On Saturday, November 11th from 9:30am - noon, we will be having a morning retreat to provide space to explore how the topics from this sermon series can be integrated into your life. The retreat will include guided prayer and reflection, as well as opportunities to share with others. Sign up at the Welcome Center or by e-mailing Pastor Elyse, noting if you need childcare: elysea@lifespringchurch.org

Adult Growth Class

YOLO: What is Calling and how does it impact your life?
September 10th - October 15th | First Hour 8:45 | crew252 | facilitated by Julie Slayback

Coming Next: Sing to the Lord an Old Song
October 22nd - November 19th | First Hour 8:45 | crew252 | facilitated by Lacey Sharpe

Join us for a time of discussion, reflection, and (dare I say it?) singing as we soak in the stories and lyrics of five well-loved hymns of our faith.

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Life Together

Justice & Mercy Monthly Newsletter
The monthly Justice & Mercy e-mail newsletter gives resources on the specific justice topics that will be covered at the gathering as well as invitations to upcoming Justice & Mercy opportunities at LifeSpring and in the community. If you don’t receive it yet and would like to, email Pastor Elyse (elysea@lifespringchurch.org).

Is anything in Lost & Found yours?
All our Lost & Found items are on a table in the Connecting Center– take a walk by today to see if anything is yours. We will donate/throw away anything that’s left.