



Love, Connect and Serve on the Journey with Christ

connect with us...

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Welcome

WE'RE SO GLAD YOU'RE HERE! Thanks for joining us today! We don't want to miss the opportunity of connecting with you. So, whether you are visiting for the first time or are a regular attendee please take a moment to fill out the *Blue Connection Card* in the seat pocket in front of you. You may return it to the seat pocket or place it in the box on the back table.

If you would like to give toward the ministries of Crossroads Church, please place your gift in one of the Tithes and Offerings Boxes located at each Worship Center exit.

Looking for more information? If you'd like to learn more about something you heard during Crossroads announcements regarding upcoming events or the ministries at Crossroads, please visit our Welcome Center Kiosk located in the Connection Area or visit our website at www.crossroadsefc.com.

We wanted you to know that...

- Assisted hearing devices are available during our services at the Welcome Kiosk.
- Binders with printed lyrics are available on the back tables in the Worship Center.
- Once a worship service has begun, we ask that all entering and exiting the Worship Center use the west door.

marriage moment:

Are you a peacemaker in your marriage?

In his book, *Improving Your Serve*, Chuck Swindoll lists some things peacemakers do...

- 1) They build up (Proverbs 14:1);
- 2) They watch their tongues and heal rather than hurt (Proverbs 15:1, 16:24);
- 3) They are slow to anger (Proverbs 15:18, 16:32);
- 4) They are humble and trusting (Proverbs 28:25).

Our homes offer rich opportunity to hone the skill of peacemaking.

announcements

- If you have been attending Crossroads for the past few months or a few weeks and you would like to attend a **Newcomer's Luncheon** to get more information about Crossroads, please mark the RSVP option on the back of the connection card. The free luncheon will be on January 24th after the third service in the Station.
- **Important Notice:** To ensure the deductibility of your church contributions, please do not file your 2015 income tax return until you have received a written acknowledgement of your contributions from the church. You may lose a deduction for some contributions if you file your tax return before receiving a written acknowledgement of your contributions from the church.
- **It's a Family Movie Night at Crossroads!** A family movie night event will be held at Crossroads on Friday, February 19th beginning at 6:30 pm. Mark your calendars now! Event details will be coming soon!

connect + grow @ crossroads...

It's a new year and that means that it's time to get connected at Crossroads! We have ways for everyone in your family to get plugged in with others who are looking to build relationships and grow in their spiritual walk with Christ. Here are just a few ways you can get connected...

- **Men of Crossroads Bible Studies and FREE Breakfast** - On February 9th the Men of Crossroads will get together to encourage and sharpen each other by studying God's word. Pick from three man-friendly studies that last only six weeks but will leave you wanting more. Check the seat-pocket for sign up information. **Better yet, show up January 16th (this Saturday) at 8:00 am** here at church for a FREE biscuits and gravy breakfast. We'll give you a preview of our 2016 studies and activities as well as chances to win a door prize!
- **Connecting on the Journey Target Group Class** - These classes are geared for anyone attending Crossroads that would like to learn more about who we are, what we believe and so much more! Whether you've been at Crossroads for only 3 weeks, 6 months or maybe it's been over a year - these classes are for you! Classes begin January 31st. Check the seat-pocket for sign up information.
- **Ladies...Save The Date** for an event on February 5th & 6th at Crossroads Church. The Women's Ministry presents: *IF Gathering* - a conference for equipping women with their walk with Christ. More information will be coming soon.
- **Life is better when you're connected to a Community Group!** Community Groups allow you to live life with a small group of adults who seek to Love, Connect and Serve while walking together to know Christ more! Join a Community Group at our upcoming GroupLink Event on Saturday, February 27th. Being in community is worth the risk...join a Community Group in 2016! More information coming soon!