



SOMETHING TO GIVE

A Study of Ephesians

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 east or west doors (not the center, please).

marriage moment

Resources abound for spiritual enrichment and marriage strengthening. Knowledge coupled with application always changes us. One such resource that created quite a stir among some of our men recently is "*Kingdom Man*," by Tony Evans. When asked, "What potential do "Kingdom Man" concepts, if authentically applied, have to impact a marriage?" Three of the men attending the study this winter replied as follows:

Jim Carnes - "Kingdom men are called to be responsible men that stand before God and are accountable to Him. We are called to love our wives as God loved the church which He was willing to sacrifice His own life for.

Kevin Hardee - "It should make a more stable type of man out of him and he should be able to see his shortcomings in being the father and man of the house. It was a very good study."

Joe McCormick - "Learning the truth that God holds men accountable, and then embracing the responsibility to become kingdom men, empowers men to step up and take their marriage commitment seriously."

For continued marriage-impacting enrichment, the church owns this DVD series for your use. Also, "Kingdom Men" instruction can be accessed on YouTube. Growing, God-ordered marriages speak of higher things, and give security in the midst of societal turbulence.

announcements

- **It's SpringHill Week at Crossroads!** Join us in welcoming the SpringHill Day Camp Staff to Crossroads!
- **The Crossroads Missions Team** is announcing that our next mission trip to Haiti is now scheduled for the week of **January 28 – February 4, 2017**. This team will minister primarily at the medical clinic in Pillatre, Haiti in cooperation with Haitian Christian Ministries. **Applications are available starting today at the information kiosk in the lobby.** For more information on this trip, contact Joel Schumacher or Pastor Collin.
- **Calling all who would like to pray!** Faith Community Nursing is sponsoring "Prayers for Strength and Refreshment" – a time of coming together with others to pray....a time of praise, sharing and studying Scripture; a time to meet with others to PRAY BOLDLY for ourselves and others. Come join us the 2nd and 4th Mondays of each month, 1:30 pm – 3:00 pm, here at Crossroads in Room 104.

love week 2016 information...

Love Week Wristbands for Everyone! We have free Love Week No Contact - No Impact wristbands available in the Connection Area for anyone who didn't receive one last Sunday. Please take as many as you'd like! We have adult and child sizes so everyone in your family can have a wristband!

Why Wristbands? We're asking everyone in the church to wear their wristband as a visual reminder of why we're doing Love Week. It's also a fantastic conversation starter with people who see it and want to know what No Contact - No Impact means! We hope you and your family will participate!

PROJECT TIME CHANGE: Please note that the time for the Plymouth Parks Mulch Project on Saturday, June 25th, has changed. The **NEW** time for the project is **9:00 am - 11:00 am**.

Love Week 2016 Project Registration ends on June 19th. We're asking the entire church family to consider participating in at least 1 organized project (you can sign up for more than one) and looking for 1 way to impact those in your neighborhood, work or your local community! Sign up today!

Pick up your copy of the Love Week 2016 Project Listing Booklet at the registration table in the Connection Area. The booklet provides descriptions of each project that will help you and your family decide which ones you'd like to sign up for.

Make a Donation during Love Week - We have 2 Love Week projects that you and your family can do on your own that will make a huge impact here in Marshall County and in the world! Visit the Women's Care Center and Operation Christmas Child displays in the Connection Area to pick up additional information on how you can participate!

Do More - If you'd like to do more with one or more of the organizations that Crossroads has partnered with during Love Week, then make sure to check out the "Do More" display in the Connection Area (located at the display case). We have additional information about the organizations, their contact information and ongoing volunteer opportunities for you. Check it out!