



*Love, Connect and Serve on the Journey with Christ*

sundays at 8:15, 9:45, 11:15 am

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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. Please return it to the seat pocket or leave it on your seat.

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. Online giving is also available on our website at [www.crossroadsefc.com](http://www.crossroadsefc.com)

**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](http://www.crossroadsefc.com).

## **We wanted you to know that...**

- Assisted hearing devices are available during our services at the Welcome Kiosk.
- 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).
- Misplaced something? If so, please check the Welcome Kiosk for lost & found items.

In order to make our services available online and in other locations, photography and video recordings may take place while you're here at Crossroads. Your presence signifies your consent for Crossroads Church to use your image. Thanks for your cooperation.

## **missions moment...**

It is estimated that between 40,000 and 70,000 children residing in Bali, Indonesia are victims of child trafficking and prostitution. It is into this dark part of the world that Crossroads supported missionaries Fred and Abigail Lisko carry God's word.

The Lisko's have just reached their half year marker in Bali; truly a big accomplishment and a great opportunity to reflect on how God is moving in their relationship with both friends and neighbors. As they explore opportunities within the anti-trafficking world, they have been given a greater depth of understanding as to the needs in Bali. They witness doors being opened to them by God as they narrow their ministry focus as well as continue to build relationships that hopefully will allow them to share their faith and the truth of God's word.

This is not an easy task in a country where over 80% of the people adhere to Balinese Hinduism. Please pray for the Lisko's for greater clarity for their time in Bali, for growth in their relationships with friends and neighbors and for the spreading of God's word as they face daunting obstacles to their ministry.

## announcements

- **Crossroads Women's Ministry** presents the movie: "A Walk to Remember" on Friday, August 24<sup>th</sup>, at 6:30 pm in the Station for FREE!! Follow the aimless life of high school senior, Landon, and the life of a dedicated Christian, Jamie, whom Landon and his friends scorn and make fun of. Experience Jamie's witness to Landon and how it impacts and changes his life. This movie is for ages 13-90! Bring your daughter, granddaughter, niece, friend or neighbor! Bring a lawn chair or blanket to sit on and a favorite snack or soda to share. Enjoy a great night of fellowship with your Crossroads sisters!!
- We're excited to announce that **Kid's Hope** is coming to Culver Elementary School during the 2018-2019 school year! God continues to open doors for us to have an influence in our public schools and we want to run through the door and make the most of it! If you are interested in being a mentor in Plymouth or Culver please write it on your Connection Card this week. You can also help support our Kids Hope mentor program by voting on the Beacon Credit Union Project Spotlight for Marshall County. The winner is awarded a \$1,000.00! Visit Beacon's website at [beaconcu.org](http://beaconcu.org). You can vote once per day.
- **Are you a mom looking for encouragement?** If so, then perhaps Mom's Morning is for you! Mom's Morning meets the 1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Thursday mornings each month from 9:00 am - 10:45 am in the Connection Area. Childcare is provided. Additional information and registration can be found in the Mom's Morning insert.
- Crossroads Plymouth is now a drop site for **Operation Christmas Child!** That means we will serve as a regional location for other churches to bring their shoeboxes that go out all around the world with the message of the gospel.
- **Here are the Recommended Resource Book Winners** from the drawing: *The Leadership Lessons of Jesus* - Dan Atkinson; *Who made God?* - Ella Giurma; *Gospel Treason* - Shonna Lyon; *How People Change* - Carlyn Schultz; and *Good & Angry* - Jean Wolfe. Congratulations! Please pick your books up at the Welcome Kiosk.
- **Women's Bible Study** - The upcoming study, "All Things New" is a study of 2 Corinthians by Kelly Minter. The study will be held at Crossroads on Tuesday morning from 9:15 am - 11:15 am as well as in the evening from 6:30 pm - 8:30 pm. Registration begins next Sunday, August 19<sup>th</sup>.
- **Attention Ladies:** Join us on September 14<sup>th</sup> & 15<sup>th</sup> for the Women's Retreat at Cedar Lake Ministries in Cedar Lake, IN. Sign up for the retreat begins today in the Connection Area. You don't want to miss this exciting opportunity!

## love week pictures & survey now available

**Love Week Pictures & Surveys are now ready for you to look at and participate in!** Whether or not you participated in Love Week 2018 we really want to get your feedback so we can make things better for 2019! Simply visit [crossroadsefc.com](http://crossroadsefc.com) and click on the Love Week logo to check out the great pictures from the week and take a short, easy survey! *\*Those that complete a survey will be entered in to a drawing for an Applebee's gift card!*

**Love Week Serve Opportunity:** We're headed down to Argos on Saturday, September 8<sup>th</sup>, at 10:00 am to complete a REAL Services Home Project. We'll be washing windows, weeding some flowerbeds, trimming some bushes, etc. If you and your family are interested in helping out, sign up via the all church e-mail that was sent out last Thursday. If you don't have e-mail, you can simply sign up on your Connection Card today! You will be informed of the address and details on a postcard you will receive from the church office about a week before the project date.

## sermon notes - pastor scott yoder

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Help us win \$1,000.00 from Beacon Credit Union to help support our Kids Hope partnership with Jefferson & Culver Elementary Schools



Class Dates:  
September 18th-November 13th

Classes are on  
Tuesdays  
9:15-11:15 AM  
or 6:30-8:30 PM  
in room 105/107



**JOIN US!**

LifeWay | Women

are you a mom looking to  
connect with others?

# ***mom's morning***

starting september 6<sup>th</sup>





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- September 14<sup>th</sup> & 15<sup>th</sup> -