



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. 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

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).

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

The Vanderweir's (Overseas Instruction in Counseling) are our Missionary focus this month. The Biblical counseling movement is growing and expanding around the world and thus there is a continuing need for leadership in the area of church-strengthening ministry. Wayne and Susie are providing this kind of leadership in the skills of Biblical sufficiency-based and compassionate Biblical soul care. This is a challenging yet fulfilling ministry as the Vanderweir's travel throughout the world humbled by the fact that the Lord has chosen them to help fulfill this need. They are grateful for the "relentless grace of God" that allows them to travel, organize and train Biblical counseling trainers. Please continue to pray for the Vanderweir's as they initiate Biblical counseling in Azerbaijan and Pakistan as well as the Far East. Also continue to pray for them as they develop their missionary team and the opportunities that God has opened to them in the various countries in which they serve.

announcements

- **Welcome!** Crossroads would like to welcome Cory & Liz Collins and Chuck & Aleshcha DeWitt as **new members** to our church family.
- Have you have been attending Crossroads for the past few weeks, few months, or perhaps more than year? If so, we'd like to invite you to attend our **Newcomer's Luncheon** next Sunday, September 24th after third service. Newcomer's Luncheons are a perfect way for you to meet our staff and learn more about Crossroads! Please RSVP on the front of your blue connection card today!
- **Connecting on the Journey (COJ) Target Group Classes** are geared for anyone attending Crossroads that would like to learn more about Crossroads - who we are, what we believe and so much more! COJ classes begin on October 1st. Check out the seat pocket insert for more information and to register.
- **Volunteers Needed** - The Children's Ministry is in need of volunteers during the 1st service and 3rd service for the 2 year olds class. If you are interested and available, please call the church office (935-3833) or see Chris Garner.
- **Attention Ladies** - Do you like to welcome people, love decorating, good with technology, planning lunch for friends, passionate about anything? If you answered yes to any of these questions, then you should attend the IF Gathering 2018 planning meeting on Saturday, October 7th, at 10:00 a.m. at Crossroads. We are looking to form our steering team and start planning for the event. Be sure to save the date for IF Gathering 2018, February 9th & 10th, right here at Crossroads! Contact Annie-Michele (574) 229-4820 or Kris (574) 315-2055.
- The annual **Crossroads Harvest Party** is set to happen on Saturday, October 7th, at Pastor Marc & Becky Read's home. This is a fun, family friendly social event for the entire church! It's also a great opportunity to invite a friend! Mark your calendar now and clear your family's schedule to attend! Check the Harvest Party insert for more information!
- **Volunteer to help at the Harvest Party!** Sign up to help Pastor Marc with the Harvest Party and be a blessing to the entire church! Volunteer help is needed before, during and after the event. The times in which you serve are kept short so you have plenty of time to enjoy the party with family and friends! Sign up today at the Harvest Party Kiosk!
- You are invited, **Crossroads Women**, to a special pitch-in luncheon after third service on October 8th. Claudine Selenga, our missionary from Kinshasa, Democratic Republic of Congo, will be sharing how we can partner with a church in the Congo to help them establish a Tabitha Center. Please note the bulletin insert for more information.