Crossroads

Love, Connect and Serve on the Journey with Christ

sundays at 8:15 & 9:45

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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 digital *Connection Card*.

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...

- 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 as well as in other locations, and for marketing purposes, 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. Thank you for your cooperation.

global outreach

Here at Crossroads we are blessed to have a multitude of opportunities to hear the Good News of Christ.

Not everyone has that hope and opportunity. However, Life in Messiah, our Global Outreach focus this month, and Levi and his wife are committed to seeing God's purposes fulfilled as both Jew and Gentile are made one through faith in Jesus. In Romans 10:1, Paul's letter to the Roman house churches says "Brothers and sisters, my heart's desire and prayer to God concerning them (Israel) is for their salvation."

Through evangelism, teaching, volunteering and various social media platforms, this desire is being met. Levi and his wife have asked that we continue to pray for all of their digital evangelism efforts and particularly for his podcasts (https://tovpodcast.com/) which reach a growing number of both saved and unsaved individuals. In addition, pray for continued opportunities to serve and build bridges within the Jewish community as well as reaching Jewish people around the globe. Please give a warm welcome today to Levi and his wife.

<u>announcements</u>

- Are You Interested In Membership? If so, please let us know by indicating your interest on your Connection Card! We would also encourage you to consider participating in the Connecting on the Journey (COJ) Target Group class this fall. This Target Group is led by the Elders and is one of the best ways to find out more about Crossroads. The COJ class is not a prerequisite for membership but it's a great place to get started!
- We Could Use Your Vote! Crossroads / Kids Hope has been nominated to participate in the Beacon Credit Union "Project Spotlight" and we need your votes! Project Spotlight is Beacon's community support program designed to discover worthwhile projects in each area that Beacon serves. Their hope is to be able to support community projects both large and small, and bring awareness to the many good things happening in our communities every day. We're asking our church family to vote once a day! The proceeds from Project Spotlight are used to pay for mentor training, background checks, games and other supplies used by the mentors / students and helps pay for special events throughout the year. To vote, go to our church website (crossroadsefc.com) and click on the Beacon Project Spotlight icon. Voting ends July 31st.

love reach update

Today Is Your Last Chance To Sign Up! Stop by the Love Reach Table or go to www.crossroadsefc.com to view the projects and sign up! Don't wait or you'll miss out on an opportunity to impact our community for Jesus!

Community Food Drive - Even though we were unable to generate enough volunteers to serve at all three grocery stores on Saturday, August 1^{st} , we have decided to pool our resources and focus on holding the Food Drive at Martins. *If we're able to secure an additional four volunteers TODAY we will also be able to hold the drive at Kroger's as well! Our local food pantry at the Marshall County Neighborhood Center is struggling to keep their shelves stocked. YOU can help stem the tide of hunger in our community by volunteering to help!

Jefferson Elementary Back-To-School Kits - We're excited to report that we have a total of 44 kits pledged. We just need another 6 kits to hit our goal of 50! Stop by the Love Reach table or go to crossroadsefc.com to see how you can provide school supplies for the children at Jefferson Elementary! *Completed kits are due on Sunday, August 2nd, so we can get them delivered before school starts.

Project Cancellations - Due to the rise of COVID-19 cases in Marshall County along with some other extenuating circumstances, we have decided it's best to cancel some of our Love Reach projects. Those projects are the Car Wash, Access Ministry Pizza & Movie Event, the Ceiling Tile Replacement at the Neighborhood Center and the Food Donation Organization.

Project Communication - If you signed up for a project, you will receive a reminder postcard this week. The postcard that will contain all of the information you need to know: date, time, location and any special instructions for the project. You can also go to crossroadsefc.com to find project information!

sermon notes

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