Welcome to Crosspointe!

We are glad you are here to worship with us today. Please stop by the Guest Services kiosk in the lobby to receive a small gift—our way of saying thank you for coming by.

Baptism

Are you interested in participating in baptism, July 2? Please call the office at 313.881.3343 to learn more.

Business Meeting Slated for June

Members of Crosspointe - plan to attend a business meeting June 25 following the 11 a.m. service. The Council of Elders presents the following slate of candidates:

Deacon Moderator	Rob Dice
Deacon of Worship and Music	Jimmy Bic
Elder	Jim Reime

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As we were proceeding through the Biblical Conflict Resolution series, the Elders recognized a short coming in our current bylaws that could potentially lead to legal issues during a church discipline procedure. Based upon the recommendation from Ken Sande's Peacemaker Ministries, the Elders and Leadership Board unanimously recommend the following bylaw change:

PROPOSED CHANGES TO CROSSPOINTE BYLAWS HIGHLIGHTED IN YELLOW

Article V - Membership

		B. Responsibilities of Membership – Covenant of Fellowship s of this congregation commit themselves by the help and guidance of the Holy Spirit:		
	3	To resolve and allow the full resolution of any spiritual conflicts or sin resulting in church discipline consistent with the pattern of scripture (Matt.		
		18: 15-20).		
	()	enumber remaining items)		
	Section	F. Termination of Membership		
1	2	By request. Requests for removal from the membership of Crosspointe	-	
		hristian Church, shall be considered and acted upon by the Council of Elders.		Dale 1/26/2017 10:38 Al Deleted: voting
		he Council of Elders shall conduct, or arrange to have conducted, an interview		Dale 1/26/2017 10:38 Al
		ascertain the reason for the request for removal. Any subsequent removal		Formatted: Highlight
		hall be reported to the church. Requests shall be in writing or, if oral, shall be		Formatted: Highlight
		onfirmed in writing by the church. The Council of Elders may deny the request if		
		is made while the requesting member is under church discipline as described in		
	S	ubsection 4, below		

Visit Guest Services kiosk for a full size bylaw insert

Live Free Volunteers



The Live Free Outreach event is in need of volunteers. Please visit YourC3.org to sign up. Prayerfully consider serving in this event July 21-23.

VBS Registration, T-shirts & CD's

Vacation Bible School at Crosspointe is a wonderful



experience open to all children, age 4 through those that have completed 5th grade. Registration is free. Visit YourC3.org to register your child or purchase optional t-shirts and CD's for this Christ -centered, fun filled week!

Can't volunteer for VBS? It's ok we need donations!

Maker Fun Factory VBS is in need of some donations for snacks. Please contact Renae at raldridge@yourc3.org or 313.881.3343 ex. 13 for a list of the items needed.

Women@Crosspointe

Women's summer studies are beginning June 26. Three electives will be offered on Monday evenings at 7 p.m. Visit Guest Services for more information. Sign up and purchase study materials online at YourC3.org.

Birthday Celebration

On Wednesday, July 5, Froh Hiller will celebrate her 100th birthday. The family would like to invite the church to a come-and-go reception in the Gathering Room from 5-7 p.m. with a short program of greetings scheduled for 5:30 p.m.

Lower Level Construction

Thank you for your patience during the lower level construction. Not sure where to go? Visit Guest Services for a map.

Upcoming Birthdays

12—Kaye Crandall 12—Genevieve Martin 15—Gary Abud Ir. 15—Lainey Aldridge 15—Susan Brinkley 15—Michael Lisey 16—Emily Merrit

16—Robert Raese 16—Amanda Wegner 17—Sue Brewer 18—Abraham Arndt 18—Levi Leong 18—Abby Reimer

Pastor Matt's Sermon Notes How We Got Our ID in Christ **Ephesians 1:3-4** June 11, 2017

A. _____ Aspects of Blessing

1. The Blessed one – _____

Deuteronomy 8:10

Psalm 103:1 Bless the Lord, O my soul, and all that is within me, bless his holy name!

Psalm 16:7

Job 1:21 And he said, "Naked I came from my mother's womb, and naked shall I return. The Lord gave, and the Lord has taken away; blessed be the name of the Lord." ²² In all this lob did not sin or charge God with wrong.

2. The _____ – God

John 3:27

Acts 17:25 nor is he served by human hands, as though he needed anything, since he himself gives to all mankind life and breath and everything.

James 1:17

3. The Blessed ones –

Romans 4:8 blessed is the man against whom the Lord will not count his sin."

Galatians 3:9

4. The Blessing ______ – Jesus Christ

Romans 8:39 nor height nor depth, nor anything else in all creation, will be able to separate us from the love of God in Christ Jesus our Lord.

5. The Blessings – _____ Spiritual

2 Peter 1:3 His divine power has granted to us all things that pertain to life and godliness, through the knowledge of him who called us to his own glory and excellence,

6. The _____ of Blessings – The Heavenly Places

Philippians 3:20 But our citizenship is in heaven, and from it we await a Savior, the Lord Jesus Christ,

Colossians 3:1-2

B. The incomprehensible ______ of salvation.

1. Believe ______ of the Bible–ALL OF IT.

2. Marvel at the big ______.

Matthew 11:27 All things have been handed over to me by my Father, and no one knows the Son except the Father, and no one knows the Father except the Son and anyone to whom the Son chooses to reveal him.²⁸ Come to me, all who labor and are heavy laden, and I will give you rest.

Isaiah 55:8 For my thoughts are not your thoughts, neither are your ways my ways, declares the Lord. ⁹ For as the heavens are higher than the earth, so are my ways higher than your ways and my thoughts than your thoughts.

3. The ______ of God choosing us.

1 Peter 1:15 but as he who called you is holy, you also be holy in all your conduct, ¹⁶ since it is written, "You shall be holy, for I am holy."

1 Corinthians 6:18-20

Philippians 2:14 Do all things without grumbling or disputing, ¹⁵ that you may be blameless and innocent, children of God without blemish in the midst of a crooked and twisted generation, among whom you shine as lights in the world,

SUNDAY, JUNE 11

9:30am Worship Service Nursery—Room 215, 2's and 3's—Room 211 4's—Room 213, K-5th Grade—Room 216 Mosaic Life Group—Room 214 Catalyst—Room 303

11:00am Worship Service Nursery—Room 215, 2's and 3's—Room 211 4's—Room 213. K-5th Grade—Room 216 ROOTED HS and MS—Room 214 Faithful Hearts—201 Foundations—Room 304/306 Tapestry—Room 303

6:00pm HS ROOTED—Room 214

MONDAY, JUNE 12 **6:30a** Men's Prayer Group **7:00p** Men's Bible Study

TUESDAY, JUNE 13 1:00p Women's Prayer **5:50p** IYM

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 14 6:00p ROOTED MS **6:30p** Community Prayer **8:15p** Leadership Meeting

THURSDAY, JUNE 15 8:30a Sycamore Club Golfing **7:00p** Worship Band Rehearsal 8:30p Vocal Team Rehearsal

FRIDAY, JUNE 16

6:10p Men's Softball (off site) 7:00p Celebrate Recovery **Celebration Place 7:20p** Men's Softball (off site)

SATURDAY, JUNE 17 7:30p Prayer Breakfast (off site)

> UPCOMING EVENTS 6/18—Father's Day 6/19-23-VBS 6/25—Business Meeting

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Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, who has blessed us in Christ with every spiritual blessing in the heavenly places, Ephesians 1:3



EPHESIANS WEEK 2

Helping people make Christ the center of their lives.

Sunday, June 11, 2017