

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.

Welcome New Members

Today we vote into membership Jamel and Jenny Amara, Marc and Sara Claydon, Jim Meredith and Tom Zaglaniczny. Take a moment to search out and welcome each of our new members.

What's For Dinner?

Wednesday is spaghetti night at Crosspointe! All are invited and encouraged to attend. RSVP online, pay at the door: \$3 per person or \$10 per family for a full meal and fellowship!

ROOTED Summer Trip

Over the last few weeks, Crosspointe members have probably received a prayer and fundraising letter from a student who is hoping to go to Costa Rica this summer on a missions trip. If you have received a letter, we would humbly ask that you be praying for our students in several ways. Please pray they continue to grow and stay strong spiritually as they finish the school year, that funds will come in, and that our students will see the work missionaries do and be humbled to influence their own communities in a similar way. If you haven't received a letter but would be interested in donating to the trip, you can write a check to Crosspointe with "Costa Rica" in the memo line. Thank you for your prayer and support.



Easter Invitation Postcards Now Available!

Crosspointe will offer a Good Friday service starting at 7 p.m. and two services on Easter Sunday at 9:30 a.m. and 11 a.m. Invitation postcards are

available at Guest Services. If you would like to have yours mailed, simply fill out the address and return them to the church office to be posted and mailed for you.



Save the Date—IYM Retreat

Incarcerated Youth Ministries (IYM) will host two one-day outreach events this summer on August 26 and October 14. Volunteers are needed to work with residents for both events. Please contact the office at 313.881.3343 to sign-up.

Save the Date—Live Free

Planning has begun for the Live Free Outreach event. Prayerfully consider serving in this event July 21-23.

Join Us For VBS!

Registration for VBS is now available online at Yourc3.org.



Upcoming Birthdays

09—Alaina Harrison
09—Kevon Overman
12—Barry Brinkley
13—Nancy Sluka
15—Paige Clark

15—Steven Foulkrod
15—Mark Tobeler
16—Tami Roberts
16—Vern Wright

Pastor Jason's Sermon Notes April 9th, 2017 Hosea 14.1-9 Relentless Love and Restoration

A Call to Restore

- I. To be restored, we must first _____ to the Lord. (1-2)
- II. The only place to find ultimate _____ is the Lord (3)

God desires our repentance so that He may pour out His mercy.

Relentless Love on Display

- I. God's Love is _____ (4)
- II. God's Love Brings _____ (5-6)
- III. God's Love _____ (7)
- IV. God's Love _____ (8)

God's Never Stopping, Never Giving Up, Unbreaking, Always and Forever Love is ultimately found in the Gospel.

Conclusion

How will we leave Hosea? Walking (as the redeemed) or stumbling (in rebellion)?

On Your Own or with Your Family

Chapter 14 of Hosea has strong connections to two other passages in Scripture (the Song of Solomon and the Parable of the Prodigal Son) that use earthly relationships to demonstrate the love that God has for his people. Read through those two passages this week looking for parallels to the book of Hosea. What does this say about God's love for us?

One of the points is that God's love is unexpected. How have you found God's love to be unexpected in your life?

In many ways, Hosea's description of God's love mirrors the story of the Gospel. Rehearse the gospel story with your family, by journaling it or sharing it with someone else. Does the book of Hosea help you see the Gospel in a different light? How so?

God looked forward to the day of restoration with his people. Are there relationships in your life that need restoration? What steps can you take this week to begin that process?

SUNDAY, APRIL 9

9:30am Worship Service
Nursery—Room 109, 2's and 3's—Room 107
4's—Room 105, 5's—2nd Grade—Room 102
3rd, 4th, and 5th grade—Room 111
Mosaic Life Group—Room 214
Catalyst—Room 215

11:00am Worship Service
Nursery—Room 109, 2's and 3's—Room 107
4's—Room 105, 5's—2nd Grade—Room 102
3rd, 4th, and 5th grade—Room 111
ROOTED HS and MS—Room 106
Faithful Hearts—Room 201
Foundations—Room 214
Tapestry—Room 215

MONDAY, APRIL 10

6:30a Men's Prayer Group
7:00p Women's Studies
7:00p Men's Bible Study

TUESDAY, APRIL 11

9:30a MOPS
1:00p Women's Prayer
5:50p IYM

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 12

9:00a Women's Studies
5:30p Fellowship Dinner
6:00p ROOTED MS
6:15p AWANA
6:15p Parent Room
6:45p Community Prayer
8:15p Leadership Meeting

THURSDAY, APRIL 13

7:00p Worship Band Rehearsal
8:30p Vocal Team Rehearsal

FRIDAY, APRIL 14

7:00p Good Friday Service
7:00p Celebrate Recovery
Celebration Place

SATURDAY, APRIL 15

7:30p Prayer Breakfast (off site)

UPCOMING EVENTS

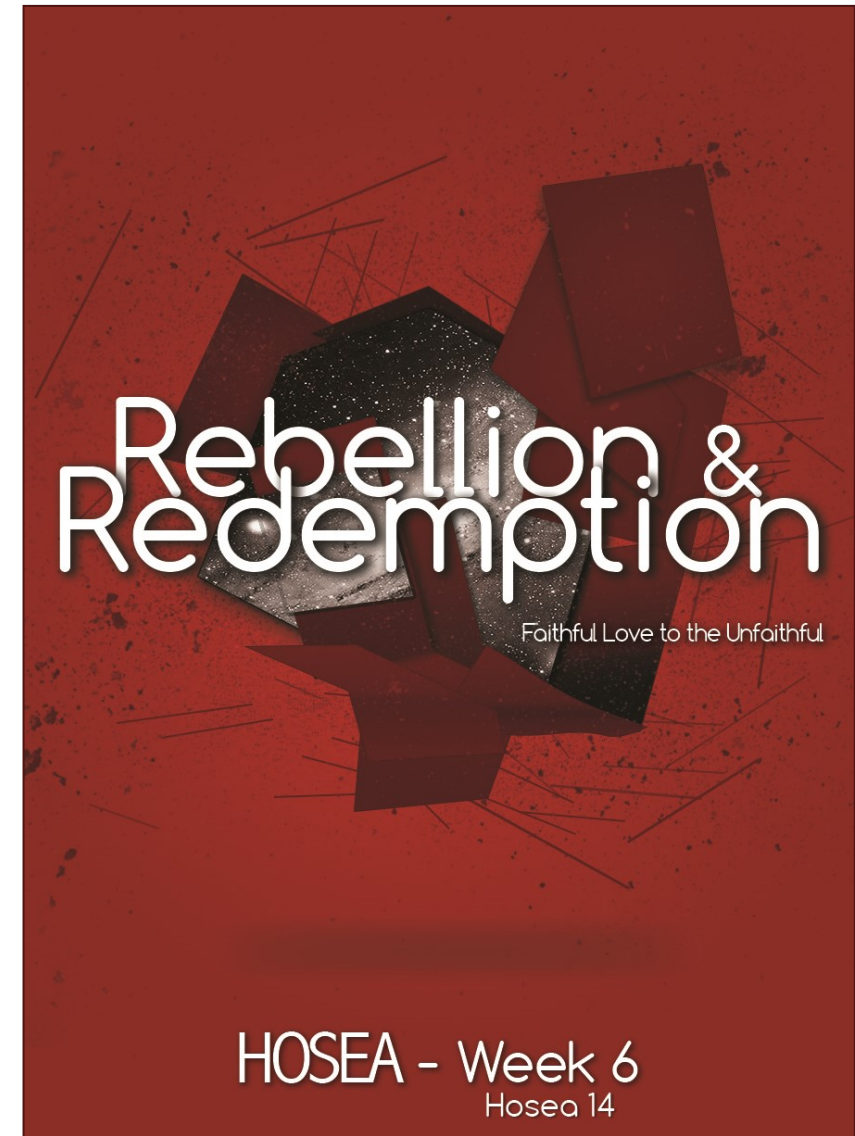
4/16—Easter Sunday
4/23—Spring Potluck
6/4—BBQ, Bluegrass, & Bucks
6/19-23—VBS
6/3—Men's Golf Outing

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Sunday, April 9, 2017