

HEALING GROUPS

Safe environments for help overcoming crises or addictions.

DIVORCE REBUILDING
Saturday: Aug. 27, 8:30am–3:30pm AND
Thursdays: Sept. 1–Oct. 6
6:30–8:30pm at Crossroads Oakley
Discover biblical ways to handle life after a divorce. *No childcare available for the Saturday session.*

GRIEF
Tuesdays: Aug. 30–Oct. 18
6:30–8:30pm at Crossroads Oakley
For those who have experienced the death of a spouse, parent, close friend or child (includes the loss of infant by stillbirth or miscarriage), and are seeking to understand the pain and disorientation it brings, through a biblical perspective.

HEALING BETRAYED HEARTS
Thursdays: begins Sept. 1
7–8:30pm at Crossroads Oakley
A safe place for women who need support regarding the impact of a spouse or partner's struggle with pornography or inappropriate sexual behavior.
(ongoing group)

MEN'S CST GROUP
Mondays: begins Sept. 12
6:30–8:30pm at Crossroads Oakley
A safe place for men to understand how to deal with the pain and isolation caused by childhood sexual trauma. We'll explore the healthy relationships we need to recover, and journey together toward freedom and joy.
No childcare available.
(ongoing group)

Childcare is offered for groups unless otherwise specified.

SIGN UP AT CROSSROADS.NET/HG
REGISTRATION DEADLINE IS AUGUST 22

COMMUNITY GROUPS

Learning environments for exploring topics and personal growth.

CORE GROUPS:

WELCOME TO THE REVOLUTION
Tuesdays: Aug. 30–Oct. 4
6:30–8:30pm at Crossroads Oakley

Thursdays: Sept. 1–Oct. 6
6:30–8:30pm at the Mason White House, 4836 Tylersville Rd, 45040
Jesus didn't come to start a new religion. He came to start a revolution of love and freedom, and he invites you to join. Discover the essentials of a revolutionary, Christ-following life.

UNDERSTANDING THE BIBLE
Tuesdays: Aug. 30–Oct. 4
6:30–8:30pm at Crossroads Oakley
The Bible can be an overwhelming book to read. Learn a simple, step-by-step approach to understanding and applying what you're reading.

GOING DEEPER
Wednesdays: Sept. 7–21
7–8:30pm at Crossroads Oakley
This group is designed to stretch the way you think about your relationship with Christ. *No childcare available.*

ALL FOR LOVE
Sundays: Sept. 11–Oct. 16
6:30–8:30pm at Mason White House, 4836 Tylersville Rd, 45040
Loving Jesus is more than just a feeling—it's a calling to follow him. Join us as we discover how God's love translates into a life full of purpose and mission.

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LIFE STAGE GROUPS:

GOD ON THE JOB
Thursdays: Sept. 1–Oct. 6
6:30–8:30pm at Crossroads Oakley
For men who want to find practical ways to incorporate God's plan for their work into His bigger story. Based on Patrick Morley's book, "A Man's Guide to Work."

CRUX
Thursdays: begins Sept. 8
6:30–8:30pm at Crossroads Oakley
This group is designed for 18–35 year olds, both single and married. Come and be trained in a lifestyle of discipleship. Weekly gatherings include teaching, Bible reading and prayer, with a focus on looking more like Jesus by receiving more of God. *To sign up, email crux@crossroads.net.*

WOMEN'S ONGOING GROUP
Tuesdays: Aug. 30–Oct. 4
7–8:30pm at Crossroads Oakley
Explore your spiritual journey more deeply while connecting with other women.

MOMS
Every other Tuesday: begins Aug. 30, 9–11am at Crossroads Oakley
For moms who want to understand what God says about being a woman of influence with your children and spouse.

LIFE STAGE GROUPS CONTINUED:

HALFTIME
Tuesdays: Aug. 30–Oct. 4
6–7:30am at the Florence Cracker Barrel, 7399 Turfway Rd, 41042

Thursdays: Sept. 1–Oct. 6
6:30–7:30am at Anderson Town Center
For men who want to make their middle years not just successful, but also significant. Join other men on this journey through Bob Buford's book, "Halftime." *No childcare available.*

FATHERS
Fridays: Sept. 16–May 11
6:03–7:30am at FOUR LOCATIONS:
***Crossroads Oakley**
***Florence Cracker Barrel, 7399 Turfway Rd, 41042**
***Book Bums in West Chester, 8992 Cincinnati-Dayton Rd, 45069**

***Anderson Town Center, 7850 Five Mile Rd, 45230**
For married men with children who want to answer the questions: How do I become the man my wife genuinely enjoys and my kids seek out? How do I meet my family's needs in the midst of my career? What will be my legacy? *No childcare available.*

SMALL GROUPS

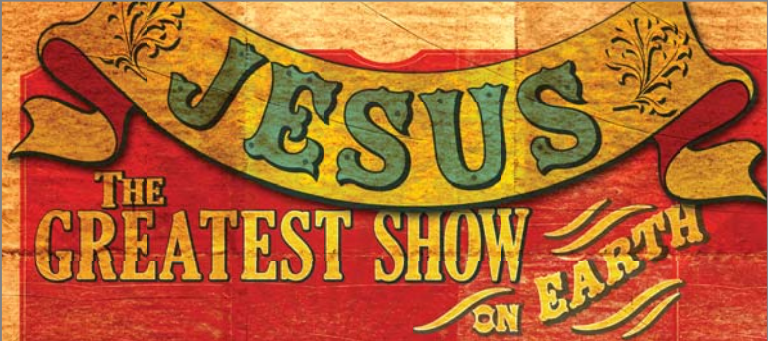
Off-site, life-sharing, year-round communities of 6–12 people.

There's no one formula for starting or joining a small group. All it takes is a little initiative and the commitment to make it happen. Here's some suggestions to get started:

Talk to people you know. Ask friends in your neighborhood or on your serving team if they'd be interested in starting a group.

Surf the web. Post your interest in starting a small group or look for other groups to join by using the Find-A-Small Group tool at crossroads.net.

Sign up for a Community Group. Sign up for a group that interests you, and chances are you'll meet others with similar interests who might be interested in forming a small group. For more info on Community Groups, visit the Info Center or crossroads.net/cg.



current message series

Jesus attracted a lot of attention. Whether He was performing miracles or teaching insights, people were drawn to him and they traveled long distances to see “the greatest show on Earth.” Join us as we explore what made Jesus so attractive, and why people are still drawn to him today.

today

We will be wrapping up our series on what made Jesus the “Greatest Show on Earth” with guest speaker Chris Seay.

FIRST

time here? OR SECOND, OR THIRD, OR TENTH...

relax

It’s OK to laugh at church. We don’t take ourselves too seriously, but we take what we do VERY seriously. As a result, we like to make fun of ourselves, and sometimes, the Bengals. We believe that God has a sense of humor and that you should, too. But if you don’t think it’s funny, feel free to email us, and later we’ll have a good laugh at what you wrote. (Kidding! See? We did it again.)



in the KNOW

WHAT’S HAPPENING AROUND CROSSROADS

CREATE NEW BEGINNINGS

Help once homeless families get re-established by donating gently used household items, such as dishes, cutlery, small appliances, cookware, linens, etc. To make a donation, email newbeginnings@crossroads.net.

FIRST IMPRESSIONS ADMIN TEAM

Enter data, make phone calls, and organize supplies for First Impressions Weekend teams on Monday, Tuesday and Thursday at Oakley. Excel skills needed. Childcare is provided on Thursday from 9:30am–noon. For more info on this behind-the-scenes team, contact Molly Cunningham at mcunningham@crossroads.net or 513.731.7400 x1507.

PRAYER

Prayer is available after each service in your Auditorium seat. For other ways to receive prayer, or to find out about serving on the Prayer Team, go to crossroads.net/prayer. All requests are held in strict confidence.

For more info on things happening around Crossroads, visit crossroads.net, or “like” us on Facebook at facebook.com/crdschurch.



your kids will LOVE this

All kids from birth through sixth grade are invited to **Kids’ Club**, a fun learning environment designed just for them. Kids’ Club is free, totally secure and offered during all services. Any blue-shirted, name-tagged volunteer will be happy to answer questions and point you and your kids in the right direction. And don’t worry—we’ll let you know if your child needs you at any point during the service.

If you’ve got questions about Kids’ Club or you’d like to spend time hanging out with some great kids, contact Kim Botto at kbotto@crossroads.net or 513.731.7400 x520.

jr. & sr. high STUDENTS

COMMUNITY GROUPS

BEGINNING AUGUST 30 TUESDAYS 6:30–8:30PM IN OAKLEY AND MASON

Connect with other teens and ask questions about God in a smaller setting than CSM weekend. For more information, stop by CSM or visit crossroads.net/csm. To sign up, email csm@crossroads.net with your name, phone number, email and choice of group by August 29.



GROUNDBREAKING CEREMONY

We’ve laid plans for a holistic, relational way to help people climb out of poverty to a place of self-sustainability and hope. This is a citywide movement to change the face of poverty in Cincinnati, and it’s time to break ground.



WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 10, 2011 AT 10 AM
800 BANK STREET, CINCINNATI, OHIO

