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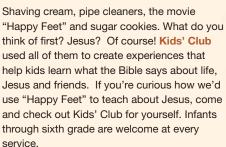
WE ARE COMMITTED TO:

culturally current communication

Crossroads is a place that helps connect those who are exploring God's love and truth. The challenge for us is that the Bible was written a long time ago for people in another culture. The fact that we live in 21st century Cincinnati doesn't change the message that God gave 2000 years ago, but it does mean that we need to do some work to connect it to our lives today. Jesus did exactly the same thing when he was teaching. He used the current language and daily life experiences of those around him to communicate truth. That's what we mean by "culturally current communication." Ecclesiastes 12:10

The Seven Hills We Die On are applications of biblical truth expressed through the unique personality of Crossroads. Check out the Info Center for the rest of 'em.

your kids will LOVE



If you've got questions about Kids' Club or you'd like to spend time hanging out with some great kids, contact Kim Botto in Oakley at kbotto@crossroads.net or Beth Peery in Mason at bpeery@crossroads.net.



do your own TING

Oakley

Saturday 6:15pm Sunday at 10 and 11:45am

Mason

Sunday at 11am

CSM is more than a youth group or cheesy entertainment. It's an experiment to change our world through God's love. If you aren't sure what that is, or you're not even sure you believe in God, that's OK. There's a group of teens in grades 7–12 with similar interests waiting for you to discuss it and test things out with you. Leave your parents in the Auditorium and come check it out.

Contact Paul for more info at 513.731.7400 x531 or powens@crossroads.net.



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The last time the Reds were in the playoffs, I was living in a managed forest.

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KAREN

Karen Droppelman serves as a facilitator for Welcome to the Revolution, where she makes new comers feel welcome and encourages new believers to get involved.

What is your favorite thing about serving? Having the opportunity to meet new people and to watch people get involved

and grow in God, and in our community.

Why would you recommend this group?

I would highly recommend the class to anyone who is ready for a change. When one seeks God and his kingdom, amazing things begin to happen in your life.

If you'd like to get involved with Welcome to the Revolution, contact Mark at mliegel@crossroads.net.



PLAY.

current message series

Everyone is designed to work hard, but in the name of working harder, achieving more, and getting ahead, we can be tempted to completely squeeze valuable times of rest and recreation out of our lives. Without those times our lives can lack rhythm and leave us less effective. Join us as we learn how to play.

today

We'll be talking about discovering joy through play.

FIRST

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

Weekends at Crossroads

Weekends here are for anyone who wants to seek God, from those exploring whether or not God even exists to committed Christ-followers. We present basic, biblical truths and show how they apply to our everyday lives. And we have a lot of fun doing it—we don't believe in disconnecting from the things we enjoy, the music we like or a great joke just because we're "in church."

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WHAT'S HAPPENING AROUND CROSSROADS ❷

UPCOMING ADULT BAPTISM

If you've decided to follow Jesus and want to be baptized, sign up for the adult baptism at Crossroads Oakley in October. If you're unsure, attend a baptism information session on Sunday, October 10 from 1-2:30pm at Crossroads Oakley. To sign up, visit crossroads.net/baptism, or email baptism@crossroads.net.

DATA ENTRY HELP NEEDED

If you are a detail-oriented person with data entry experience, strong typing skills and/or excellent "no-look" adding machine capabilities and want to volunteer for a short-term project this November, email dataentry@crossroads.net. Ability to sit in a chair and stare at a monitor is also required.

SERVE WITH ANGEL TREE

Help provide gifts to children with a parent in prison. We need callers, gift organizers and Atrium elves. To learn more and to sign up, visit crossroads.net/angeltree.

SERVE AT UNBOUND

On November 5 and 6, over 600 students will attend Unbound, a prayer gathering set up by students for students to bring an end to modern day slavery. To volunteer, email volunteer@unboundmovement.org

THANKSGIVING FOOD DRIVE

Help provide meals to churches in our city and to our partner church in Mamelodi, South Africa. Check out a video of last year's event and sign up at crossroads.net/tfd.

SERVE AT FALL FEAST

Prepare and serve meals on Thanksgiving with City Gospel Mission. This is a city-wide event that will take place at Duke Energy Center. Visit crossroads.net/thanksgiving to sign up.

PRAYER

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.

FOUR INITIATIVES THREE COUNTRIES ONE COMMUNITY

Next weekend we'll begin a six-week series exploring the bold places God is leading Crossroads. Through the weekend services, a personal guide and the Game Change website (crossroads.net/gamechange), we'll each be challenged to go on a spiritual journey to discern how we're individually called to engage in the effort.

The Game Change Campaign is a financial campaign that will raise funds for four initiatives: making room for friends and neighbors in different parts of Cincinnati to hear about God; tackling poverty in our city; expanding medical care in Mamelodi, South Africa; and providing sustainable aftercare opportunities for girls rescued from forced prostitution in India.

Learn more about the initiatives by watching the Game Change documentary. Screenings will take place at:

CROSSROADS OAKLEY

Monday, October 11 through Friday, October 15 at 7pm in CSM. Childcare available Monday, Thursday and Friday only.

CROSSROADS MASON

Tuesday, October 12 at 7pm in the Auditorium. No childcare available.

> For more information, visit crossroads.net/gamechange.

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