

notes

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# HILLS

we die on

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**  
this

**Kids' Club** is for ALL kids, regardless of their personality, energy level or special needs. All kids with unique needs can be paired with a buddy, an adult volunteer that will work with their parents to develop a specific plan so that they can participate in Kids' Club as fully as possible.

**In Mason:** Special Needs is offered at the 9am service.

**In Oakley:** Special Needs is offered at the 10 and 11:45am services on Sunday.

*To register your child or to serve as a special needs buddy, email [heathermeyer@fuse.net](mailto:heathermeyer@fuse.net).*



**GO** **NEW ORLEANS** **JULY 11**

**GO TO AN INFO SESSION**

**OAKLEY Info Sessions**  
Sunday, January 30, 1-2pm  
Tuesday, February 8, 6:30-7:30pm  
Sunday, February 13, 1-2pm  
Tuesday, February 15, 6:30-7:30pm  
Sunday, February 20, 1-2pm

**MASON Info Session**  
Sunday, January 30, 12:30-1:30pm

[CROSSROADS.NET/GONEWORLEANS](http://CROSSROADS.NET/GONEWORLEANS)

Check out the new summary of all of our 2011 GO trips at the Info Center.

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**THE BIG TRIP**

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**29-30**  
The Program

I hope that Chad Johnson is just as entertaining as Chad Ochocinco.  
(And plays better.)

# grow up<sup>x</sup>

## current message series

With maturity comes benefits. Grown-ups enjoy freedoms, authority and power that kids don't experience. In much the same way, there are experiences of God we'll never have until we grow up in our faith. Join us in January as we focus on growing up to experience the great stuff God has to offer.

## today

We'll be talking about what the Bible describes as "walking in the Spirit" and how it is instrumental to growth.

# FIRST

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

Hi.

Just because you're new we won't ask you to stand and shout your name, but that doesn't mean we're not happy you're here. We're happy as big fat clams. But as soon as you want to start meeting some people, swing by the Info Center and we'll start the introductions.

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## in the KNOW

WHAT'S HAPPENING AROUND  
CROSSROADS <sup>x</sup>

### GO TRIPS OVERVIEW

Check out the new summary of all of our 2011 GO trips at the Info Center.

### BAPTISM INFO SESSIONS

If you're considering baptism, you'll want to attend a Baptism Information Session. These sessions will prepare you for baptism and provide you with valuable information about the next celebration. These sessions are being offered March 27, April 17 and May 8 at Crossroads Oakley from 1-2:30pm. To sign up for a session, please email [baptism@crossroads.net](mailto:baptism@crossroads.net), and include your name, email address, phone number and date you wish to attend.

### SEEKING HEALTH CARE PROFESSIONALS

If you are a health care professional and are interested in learning more about our health care initiative in South Africa, come to an informational meeting designed especially for you. Wednesday, February 23 at 6pm at Crossroads Oakley.

### MASON MOMS SMALL GROUPS LAUNCH

For stay-at-home moms in the Mason area, this five-week Small Group launch will meet at the Mason Heights Annex on Wednesday mornings from 9:30- 11am starting Feb. 2, then disperse for ongoing community in homes. Contact Abby at [asutton@crossroads.net](mailto:asutton@crossroads.net) with questions.

### MARRIAGE GETAWAY

FamilyLife's "Weekend to Remember" will be in Cincinnati March 4-6 at the Hyatt Regency downtown and on February 25-27 at the Dayton Marriott. Save \$159 per couple by registering online at [familylife.com/groups/grieco](http://familylife.com/groups/grieco).

### 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](http://crossroads.net/prayer). All requests are held in strict confidence.

*For more info on things happening around Crossroads, visit [crossroads.net](http://crossroads.net), or "like" us on Facebook at [facebook.com/crdschurch](http://facebook.com/crdschurch).*

## GO CINCINNATI<sup>11</sup>

### Sign up to be a project leader

Each year we team up with other churches for a one-day, city-wide blitz of compassion. We're doing it again **May 14**, tackling over 200 projects in four hours. We need people to lead and organize projects at schools, neighborhoods, parks, social agencies and churches all over town.

*Visit [crossroads.net/gocincinnati](http://crossroads.net/gocincinnati) for more details and to sign up now.*

## did you KNOW

### Our South Africa partnership began with a not-so-chance encounter in the hallway at a conference?

In the summer of 1998 Brian Tome was at a conference in Chicago. During a break between sessions, Brian introduced himself to a pastor who happened to walk by. His name was Titus Sithole, and he was the pastor of Charity and Faith Mission in Mamelodi, South Africa. Over the next several years their conversations, meetings and emails developed into discussions about how both churches could work together to help reach more people both here and in Africa with God's love, and eventually the relationship evolved into a strategic partnership.

## ★ Special Service Times February 5-6 ★

Crossroads Oakley:

SAT: 3, 5 & 7pm

SUN: 8:30, 10:30am & 12:30pm

**NOW ALSO AT** Crossroads Mason:  
SUN: 9:30 & 11am

Get your **FREE** tickets at [crossroads.net](http://crossroads.net)  
(Kids' Club will be available for kids  
birth-fourth grade. No tickets necessary.)

To volunteer at either location, sign up at  
[crossroads.net/superbowlvolunteers](http://crossroads.net/superbowlvolunteers).