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# SERVE

## HOW TO GET INVOLVED AT CROSSROADS

Crossroads may be big, but we still need you, especially for our Mason location. There are many serving opportunities available *now*. Below is a partial listing of the most urgent needs. For more information, visit the serving kiosk in the Atrium this weekend.

### FIRST IMPRESSIONS

*No experience necessary.*

#### MASON: Weekend Experience Team

set-up or tear down at Mason Middle School, park cars, restock restrooms, brew coffee

#### OAKLEY: Weekend Experience Team

brew coffee, welcome new people, park cars, restock restrooms

#### Weekday Experience Team

help at special events, serve coffee at 3500 Open

### KIDS' CLUB AND CSM

*No experience necessary.*

#### MASON AND OAKLEY:

##### Classroom Teams (birth to 6th grade)

love kids, play games, read stories, lead presentations

##### Junior and Senior High Teams

love kids, play games, share in small groups

##### Behind the Scenes Teams

prep rooms, shop for supplies, help with administrative needs

##### Creating Environments Teams

paint, build, design

##### Tech Team

help with AV, lighting

##### Welcome Team

welcome new families to Kids' Club

##### Special Needs

help a child with special needs get the most out of Kids' Club

##### MASON ONLY:

set-up and tear-down classrooms

### MUSIC

*Experienced musicians only.*

#### MASON AND OAKLEY:

##### Music Team

serve in any music area, from Kids' Club to the weekend stage

##### MASON ONLY:

set-up and tear down instruments and sound equipment

### VIDEO/PRODUCTION

*No experience necessary. Training provided.*

#### MASON: Weekend Production Team

run videos and lights; play with lots of gadgets

### MASON IT TEAM

*Experience necessary.*

set-up and tear down a network that enables parents to check kids into Kids' Club and help make the weekend service happen

Email [rtheil@crossroads.net](mailto:rtheil@crossroads.net) for more information.



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The Program

Help me. I'm addicted to Scramble.





### current message series

We're each uniquely wired to see things that are broken and to want to fix them. But vision alone isn't enough. We need a plan. We need to undertake both the mess and beauty of follow-through. In August, we're going to learn more about this by looking at the story of Nehemiah and how one man engaged with his fallen city and began a restoration.

### today

We'll be talking about the planning that follows receiving a vision.

# 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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## in the KNOW

WHAT'S HAPPENING AROUND CROSSROADS ☒

### LAST WEDNESDAY

Join us for an evening of worship and communion on Wednesday, August 27, at 7pm. Childcare will be provided.

### 3500 OPEN CLOSED

Our building and office will be closed Monday, August 25 and Tuesday, August 26.

### CSM ON SUMMER BREAK

To prepare for changes coming in September, CSM Jr. and Sr. High will be on summer break the month of August. Teens are welcome to attend services in the Auditorium. CSM will return on September 7.

### PURSUIT ON BREAK

The open Community Group for 20 somethings will not meet during the month of August. Returns Thursday, September 4 at 7pm in CSM.

### MAMELODI EYEGLASS DRIVE

Bring your old prescription eyeglasses, reading glasses or sunglasses to the Info Center August 23- September 7. They'll be cleaned and distributed via the mobile eyeglass clinic in Mamelodi, South Africa. For information on the Eye Care Team, contact [eyecare@crossroads.net](mailto:eyecare@crossroads.net).

### KIDS' CLUB BAPTISM

For Kindergarten – sixth grade is Saturday, September 20. Register by August 22. Check out the Baptism Info Packet (available at the Kids' Club Info Desk) for more info.

### SIGN UP TO SERVE

Crossroads Mason is opening its doors in October, and we need you. Visit the kiosk in the Atrium to sign up to serve in Mason, or to fill a vacancy in Oakley.

### PRAYER

Available after each service in your Auditorium seat. Fireside prayer available Saturday, August 23 and August 30 from 9-10am in the Atrium by the fireplace. Tuesday morning prayer at 7am in the CSM room. Visit our website and click on "prayer requests" or e-mail requests to [prayerrequest@crossroads.net](mailto:prayerrequest@crossroads.net). All requests are held in strict confidence.

For more info on things happening around Crossroads, visit [www.crossroads.net](http://www.crossroads.net).

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](mailto:kbotto@crossroads.net) or 513.731.7400 x520.

## upcoming at 3500 OPEN

### Childbirth Classes

Every Tuesday for six weeks beginning September 2, 6:45-8:45pm. Join other expectant families to find out all you need to know about the childbirth process from a certified instructor. E-mail [childbirthclasses@crossroads.net](mailto:childbirthclasses@crossroads.net) by August 29 to sign up.

### Everyday Eco

Every Tuesday from September 2 to October 7, 7-8pm. Learn simple, fun ways to care for the environment and why God calls us to do it. Practical, not political. No RSVP required.

3500 OPEN



Visit the Info Center or [www.crossroads.net/3500](http://www.crossroads.net/3500) for more information.

# LW LAST WEDNESDAY

Join us on the last Wednesday of the month, when we gather for an evening of worship and communion. It's the perfect answer to, "What am I going to do with my evening now that the Olympics is over?"

AUGUST 27 AT 7PM

Childcare's provided. Dinner's not.

## meet DUSTIN

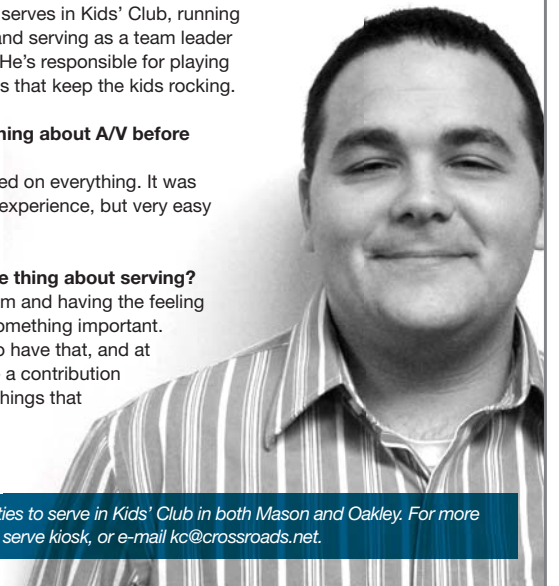
Dustin Montgomery serves in Kids' Club, running the A/V equipment and serving as a team leader on Saturday nights. He's responsible for playing the music and videos that keep the kids rocking.

### Did you know anything about A/V before you got started?

No, I had to be trained on everything. It was definitely a learning experience, but very easy to pick up.

### What's your favorite thing about serving?

I love being on a team and having the feeling that I am a part of something important. Serving allows me to have that, and at the same time make a contribution to all the awesome things that are going on.



There are opportunities to serve in Kids' Club in both Mason and Oakley. For more information, visit the serve kiosk, or e-mail [kc@crossroads.net](mailto:kc@crossroads.net).