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LOCATIONS, SERVICE TIMES AND DIRECTIONS AT CROSSROADS, NET

HILLS we die on

Cincinnati is known as the city of seven hills. Crossroads has seven hills, as well—we call them the "seven hills we die on." Simply calling these "values" doesn't cut it. All too commonly, values have come to signify mushy, sentimental ideals for which we rarely fight. As a church, we believe that if something is worth living for, it is worth dying for. We realize we can't do everything—but what we, as a community, are called by God to do, we do with excellence.

The Seven Hills We Die On are applications of biblical truth expressed through the unique personality of Crossroads. We remember these seven hills as ABCDERG (we really did try to find an "F" that worked, but finally gave up and went on to bigger things).

For more info and to see them all, visit the Info Center.

did you KNOW

There are now 35 college bowl games?

This year they started with the New Mexico Bowl on December 18 and will culminate with the BCS National Championship on January 10. I think more people watched me play Madden 11 in my basement than watched the Insight Bowl.



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 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.

FAQ

What is Context?

Context is a booklet that talks about who Crossroads is, what we believe and why we do what we do. Pick up a copy at the Info Center. If you decide you want to know more, you can attend Context Live. For more details, visit crossroads.net/contextlive.

Got a question? Ask me at TheProgram@crossroads.net.

The Program

My New Year's resolution is not to make any more New Year resolutions. Done.

grow up

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 a life of growth looks like.

FIRST

time here? or second, or third, or tenth...

Welcome.

Whatever your thoughts on church, whatever your beliefs about God, you are welcome here. We won't make assumptions about what you believe. You won't be asked to wear a nametag or make a speech. We're just glad you're here, and we hope you enjoy yourself.

in the **KNOW**

WHAT'S HAPPENING AROUND CROSSROADS ❷

UPCOMING INFANT BAPTISM

If you'd like to have your infant baptized or dedicated, there are two upcoming services, February 20 and March 13 at 1:15pm. To sign up, pick up a baptism packet at the Kids' Club Info Desk, or online at crossroads.net/baptism.

SERVE AT THE OUTLET

Play cards, shoot pool and build relationships at the Outlet at City Gospel Mission. Volunteer once, or as often as vou like. The Outlet meets every Saturday from 9am-noon and every first and third Sunday from 1-4pm. To sign up, visit the Info Center, or email outlet@crossroads.net and let us know what date vou are serving and how many people you'll be bringing.

CROSSROADS ON FACEBOOK

Get up-to-date info on all the things happening around Crossroads through Facebook. Just go online and "like" us at facebook.com/crdschurch.

BUILDING CLOSED

3500 Open will be closed through January 9. Normal building hours will resume on Monday, January 10.

SERVE AT THE DINER

Prepare, serve and share a meal with the guests of City Gospel Mission. Dinner is the second, third, fourth and fifth Fridays of the month and breakfast is on the fifth Saturday of each month. For more info on specific roles and times, and to sign up, visit the Info Center or email diner@crossroads.net.

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/praver. 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.

SCOTT AND ELIZABETH

people their age. A friend from Crux, a Community Group focused on discipleship geared toward the under-35 set, encouraged them to give it a try and they instantly found their home.

What is your favorite thing about serving?

Growing together in a community of our peers. We love the opportunity to grow with people our age. Plus, there's childcare.

What is it like to serve together as a married couple?

It's fulfilling to serve on a team as a team. We share ups and downs, bounce ideas off each other, and stay in touch with each other's spiritual journey because we experience it all together.

To find out more about Crux, email crux@crossroads.net, or check next weekend's Program.



your kids will

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 in Oakley at kbotto@crossroads.net or Beth Peery in Mason at bpeery@crossroads.net.

the daily

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The Daily is an electronic tool that enables you to engage with the Bible and prayer on a regular basis. Subscribe today and receive it in your email each weekday.

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CURRENT TOPIC:

Proverbs: Snapshots of Wisdom

Forget the fortune cookies. Proverbs is overflowing with pieces of wisdom that can profoundly affect our lives in practical ways if we choose to live by them. So join us for two weeks as we look at what it means to be wise in our day-to-day lives.

NEWER to crossroads?

Discover more about the vision behind Crossroads and how you can get involved (if you want) by attending the next Context Live event on Sunday, January 16 at 1pm at Crossroads Oakley. Meet some people. Get some questions answered. Eat some (free) lunch.

Childcare provided. For more details and to RSVP, visit crossroads.net/contextlive.