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CSM

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Baptism is one of the most significant points in the life of any Christ-follower. Getting baptized means you've decided to accept and follow Jesus, and are ready to declare that decision publicly. Folks are dunked in water to symbolize that they identify with Christ's death and resurrection into new life.

(spoiler alert)

OK. A plane crashes and a bunch of people land on this crazy island. They wait for rescue, but no one comes. Then there was a smoke monster. And there were other people on the island, called the Others. And the Others started attacking the crash survivors. Then they found some hatchets and there was a button you had to push every one hundred and eight minutes or...Well, I was never really clear on that. But, the Others didn't have anything to do with the hatchets, that was the Dharma Initiative. They're all dead. The Others killed them. And then the Others tried to kill the remaining survivors. But then they teamed up, because some worse people were coming on a freighter. Desmond's girlfriend's father sent them to kill everybody. So a bunch of them stole the "worse people's" helicopter and flew to their freighter, but it blew up. But they couldn't go back to the island, because it had disappeared. So they crashed in the ocean and floated there for a while, until a boat came and picked up the six that were left. But there were still people left on the island. Meanwhile, this dude turned a wheel that moved the island back to 1970. The six people who had left came back and exploded a nuclear bomb that created two realities, one where the island sank into the ocean and one that brought the island back to the present time, where the smoke monster is fighting to get off of the island and the man in white is fighting to protect a glowing cave of enchanted light.

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Enjoy the series finale Sunday night.



current message series

When we hear the word “lavish” we might think of over-indulgence, excess and even waste. But from everything we read in the Bible, lavish is probably the best way to describe God’s goodness toward us. The real question is whether or not we’re willing to receive all that He wants to give us. Join us as we take a look at God’s lavish love for us.

today

We’ll talk about what it means to be “bound” to Jesus.

in the KNOW

WHAT’S HAPPENING AROUND
CROSSROADS ☒

WHEELS NEEDS YOUR CAR

If you have a used car that’s in decent condition, consider donating it to Wheels. They’ll recondition it, make minor repairs and give it to a member of our community. You’ll get a tax deduction and, more importantly, the satisfaction of knowing that you’ve been a huge blessing to someone in need. To make a donation, call 513.731.7400 x584.

HELP CREATE NEW BEGINNINGS

New Beginnings works with once-homeless families to help them get re-established, by helping them fill their new homes and building relationships. There are opportunities to serve; moving furniture, painting and decorating and cleaning and organizing. You can also help by donating gently used furniture, small appliances and kitchen items. For more details on donating or to sign up to serve, email newbeginnings@crossroads.net, or call 513.731.7400 x388.

JR AND SR HIGH CONVERGE

Beginning the weekend of June 5-6, junior and senior high students will no longer have separate CSM services. For more info on CSM, visit crossroads.net/csm.

LEARN ABOUT ABUSE

Kids’ Club is offering Stewards of Children training. This free training will provide you with information and resources to help protect kids from sexual abuse. The next sessions are Thursday, May 27 from 6-8:45pm, Tuesday, June 1 from 6-8:45pm and Wednesday, June 2 from 10am-12:45pm at Crossroads Oakley. To RSVP, email kc@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 www.crossroads.net/prayer. All requests are held in strict confidence.

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

meet JEAN

Jean Campagna started serving with the Parking Team on Saturday nights because she thought they looked like a hardy bunch of playful folks. And she was right.

What is your favorite thing about serving?

Serving on the Parking Team allows for a great workout and fends off the arm flab.

Why would you encourage others to serve?

It makes our big church small when you walk in and know people.

Have you learned anything from serving?

Some people don’t understand their moms exaggerated when they told them they could do anything they set their minds to—you can’t exit through the entrance!



If you’d like to serve on the Parking Team, or anywhere within First Impressions, visit crossroads.net/engage.

your kids will LOVE this



Kids’ Club is designed to attract, connect and transform the lives of kids around here. All of the songs, lessons and videos in Kids’ Club are created just FOR kids, to help them learn something that is relevant to their lives each week.

To see what your kid learned this week, go to crossroads.net/kc to view the lesson and the small group discussion questions.

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.



LW LAST WEDNESDAY

Join us for Last Wednesday, a time of worship through music, prayer and communion on the last Wednesday of the month at Crossroads Oakley. Childcare’s provided; dinner’s not.

MAY 26, 7PM

GO CINCINNATI

Last Saturday, **7,000 of us** from **50 churches** spread out across the city at **400 different projects** to bring hope and life. New flowers replaced weeds. Vibrant murals covered walls. Folks from all walks of life shared a meal.

GO Cincinnati was amazing, but we encourage you to GO and be the church 365 days a year. Visit crossroads.net/engage to get involved here, or find ways to be a blessing in your neighborhood or workplace.

