notes

7 HILLS

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).

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

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.

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



TRAFFIC

alert for Oakley

Kennedy Connector construction continues—here's what you need to know:

- Madison Road is now reopened.
- Ibsen Avenue is closed between Madison and Ridge.
- Gravel lot parking remains at your own risk.
- The Annex is still a great parking alternative.

For the latest updates, visit facebook.com/kennedyconnector.



GO SOUTH AFRICA

GO and be a part of something bigger than yourself. We're going to South Africa in **January 2013**. To learn more, come to an info session; no commitment required.

Visit crossroads.net/gosouthafrica for more details.

GO TO AN INFO SESSION:

This Sunday, August 19 at Crossroads Mason Garage, 12:30–1:30pm

Sunday, August 26 at Crossroads Florence, 12:30–1:30pm

LOCATIONS, SERVICE TIMES AND DIRECTIONS AT CROSSROADS.NET

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Welcome to Crossroads, y'all.



current message series

God designed us for work. And no matter what we do, our everyday jobs can be redeemed as sacred callings-whether we're attending meetings, studying for exams, fixing things or raising kids. Join us as we learn how to find spiritual significance in our work.

today

Today we're learning about the value of work.

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

Welcome

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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

SPECIAL NEEDS RESPITE

The Special Needs Team needs trained professionals to volunteer with their respite team 3-4 times per vear. Our next respite event is in September. If you have experience working with kids with special needs, or are a health practictioner and are interested in giving families a much needed break, please contact specialneeds@crossroads.net for more information.

GRIEF SUPPORT GROUP

For those who have experienced the death of a spouse, parent. close friend or child, and are seeking to understand the pain and disorientation it brings. through a biblical perspective. The group meets Tuesdays, August 28–October 9 from 6:30-8:30pm at Crossroads Oakley. Childcare available. Sign up at crossroads.net/hg.

DOCTORS WANTED

We're looking for physicians and dentists to get involved in our work in South Africa. Attend a special info session (no commitment required) on August 25 from 8:30–10am in the Crossroads Oakley Annex. To sign up, email southafrica@crossroads.net.

WHAT'S HAPPENING AROUND CROSSROADS 😣

SERVE WITH HABITAT

Volunteers are needed for the next Habitat for Humanity project. Learn new skills or use the ones you have to help provide a home for a deserving family. To sign up, go to crossroads.net/habitat.

BUILDING CLOSED

There will be no 3500 Open through August 26. The Oakley Atrium will be closed for regular building maintenance, except during weekend services.

PRAYER

Praver is 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, "like" us on Facebook at facebook.com/crdschurch or follow us at twitter.com/crdschurch.

MIDDLE **SCHOOL**

Middle School is a place for kids in grades 6-8 to hear about how they fit into God's story. It often includes hang out time, music and a chance for them to talk about what they're learning in small groups led by adult volunteers. If your child was already in Kids' Club, they are registered for Middle School and can start right away.

MEETING TIMES:

Mason: Sunday 9:30 & 11am Oakley: Saturday 4:30pm; Sunday 10am & 11:45am Florence: Sunday 11am

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All kids from birth through fifth grade are invited to Kids' Club, a fun learning environment designed just for them. It's a 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 kc@crossroads.net.



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What do you mean by multi-site?

Find out the answer to this and any other questions you have at the next Context Live event this Sunday, August 19 at 1pm at Crossroads Oakley. You'll also discover more about the vision behind Crossroads and how you can get involved (if you want). Meet some people. Get some questions answered. Light lunch is provided, childcare is not.

For more details and to RSVP, visit crossroads.net/contextlive. Context Live is coming to Florence soon!





Join us for Last Wednesday, a time of worship through music, prayer and communion on the last Wednesday of the month, now in Oakley and Mason. Childcare's provided: dinner's not.

AUGUST 29, 7PM