

Lined area for notes.

HILLS

we die on

WE ARE COMMITTED TO:
doing life together

We aren't interested in being a place where a lot of people get together for an inspiring service but never move beyond the casual, arm's distance relationships of an auditorium. We want to grow by really "**doing life together.**" People who grow in their relationship with God also grow in their friendships with each other, moving beyond the Auditorium in small groups, Community Groups and through serving. Real community is knowing and being known, loving and being loved, celebrating and being celebrated, serving and being served.

Hebrews 10:24-25

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.

do your own THING

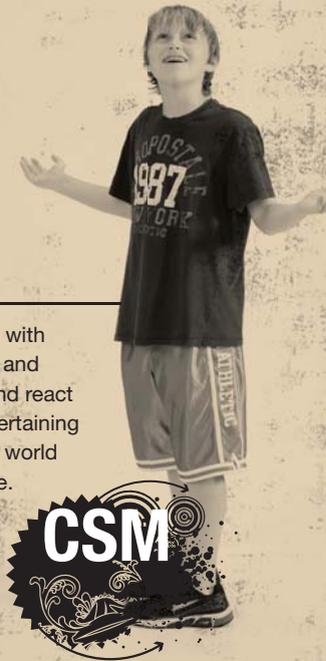
Oakley

Saturday at 6:15pm
Sunday at 10 and 11:45am

Mason

Sunday at 11am

This is the place where teens connect with others their own age with similar likes and interests. We look at the Bible, pray and react to what we think. We're not about entertaining teens; we're about action. We see the world teens live in, and engage in it with love. It's worth checking out.



Contact Paul for more info at 513.731.7400 x1531 or powens@crossroads.net.

what's in your EASTER BASKET?

Here are a few fun facts about goodies you might find in your Easter basket:

Each year, more than 16 billion jelly beans are produced in the U.S. for Easter—enough to completely fill a plastic Easter egg 89 feet high and 60 feet wide.

Red jelly beans are kids' favorite. Licorice jelly beans taste like dirty feet.

The largest Easter egg ever made was just over 25-ft high and weighed 8,968 lbs. It was made of chocolate and marshmallow and was supported by a (delicious) steel frame.

76% of people eat the ears on chocolate bunnies first. The other 24% are vegetarians.

Facts (mostly) from the National Confectioners Association at www.candyusa.com.



04 23-24 The Program

I feel sorry for whomever had to clean up after those lambs last week. I hope they get something extra in their Easter Basket.

THE STORY

current message series

The story of God began long before us and stretches out into eternity. And it goes way beyond the printed page—this story is alive, epic, eternal—and we all play a role. Join us as we explore the larger context of God's great story and where we fit inside it.

today

We'll be examining the credibility of the most outrageous part of the story: the resurrection of Jesus.

FIRST

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

Free Stuff

We love to give things away—in fact, we don't ever want to sell things around here. So go ahead, take a CD (or take a few, if you'd like). Grab a cup of coffee. Have a Bible. It's all free, so please help yourself to anything. (Except maybe the furniture. Please don't take the furniture.)

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in the KNOW

WHAT'S HAPPENING AROUND
CROSSROADS ✕

BAPTISM INFO SESSIONS

If you're considering baptism, attend a Baptism Information Session on May 8 at Crossroads Oakley from 1–2:30pm. To sign up, please email your name and phone number to baptism@crossroads.net.

KIDS' CLUB PREP TEAM

Help prepare rooms and lesson materials for the weekend. Thursdays or Fridays 9:30am-noon at Oakley. Childcare is provided. For more info email kcserving@crossroads.net or call Katrina Palmer at 513.731.7400 x1580.

MARATHON NEXT WEEKEND

The Flying Pig will take place next Sunday, May 1. This means road closures throughout Oakley, so plan accordingly and leave early to make it to service on time.

SUMMER CAMP FOR KIDS

Kids' Club recommends PVM summer camp for kids who have completed 2nd–5th grade. Get more information or register online for the week of July 17 at pvmcamp.com. Questions? Email Rachel at rpeters@crossroads.net.

PROTECT KIDS FROM ABUSE

Kids' Club offers free training that will provide you with information and resources to help protect children from sexual abuse. Tuesday, May 10 from 6-8:45pm at Crossroads Oakley. Sign up online at crossroads.net/kctraining.

RECEIVE PRAYER

If you're processing something and would like to receive prayer, sign up for a 45 minute session of reflective listening and focused prayer. During this time, two trained members of our Prayer Team will listen to your need and then pray with you. We offer Listening and Prayer on Thursday nights and Friday mornings. Please call Susan at 513.731.7400 x1380 to make an appointment.

Prayer is also 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, or "like" us on Facebook at facebook.com/crdschurch.

meet

KAREN

Karen Gerke serves behind the scenes, making sure that lesson supplies, snacks, presenter props, toys, etc. get to Mason every weekend.

Why did you choose Kids' Club?

I started on the Prep Team over five years ago for the free babysitting and some adult time. It is an easy way to give back to the place that has given so much to my family and myself.

Why would you encourage others to serve?

Serving is the easiest way I know of to make the huge community that is Crossroads feel like a small family.

If you're interested in serving with Kids' Club, visit crossroads.net/engage or stop by the Kids' Club Info Desk for a volunteer application.



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 who 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 9:30am 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.



sign up for GO CINCINNATI

Help make a difference in our city. Join an army of volunteers for GO Cincinnati, a one-day, citywide blitz of compassion. Working alongside other churches, we'll serve hundreds of community-based organizations throughout our city in practical ways (think landscaping, painting, and more).

Saturday, May 14, 9am–1pm

Visit crossroads.net/gocincinnati, or stop by the Info Center, to sign up by May 2.

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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.

APRIL 27, 7PM