



# grow up<sup>x</sup>

## 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 how a lifestyle of sacrifice leads to growth.

# FIRST

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

## Relax

It's OK to laugh at church. We don't take ourselves too seriously, but we take what we do VERY seriously. As a result, we like to make fun of ourselves, and sometimes, the Bengals. We believe that God has a sense of humor and that you should, too. But if you don't think it's funny, feel free to email us, and later we'll have a good laugh at what you wrote. (Kidding! See? We did it again.)

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## in the KNOW

WHAT'S HAPPENING AROUND  
CROSSROADS x

### GO TRIPS OVERVIEW

Check out the new summary of all of our 2011 GO trips at the Info Center.

### 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](http://crossroads.net/baptism).

### MARRIAGE GETAWAY

FamilyLife's "Weekend to Remember" will be in Cincinnati March 4-6 at the Hyatt Regency downtown and on February 25-27 at the Dayton Marriott. Save \$159 per couple by registering online at [familylife.com/groups/grieco](http://familylife.com/groups/grieco).

### BAPTISM INFO SESSIONS

If you're considering baptism, you'll want to attend a Baptism Information Session. These sessions will prepare you for baptism and provide you with valuable information about the next celebration. These sessions are being offered March 27, April 17 and May 8 at Crossroads Oakley from 1-2:30pm. To sign up for a session, please email [baptism@crossroads.net](mailto:baptism@crossroads.net), and include your name, email address, phone number and date you wish to attend.

### SEEKING HEALTH CARE PROFESSIONALS

If you are a health care professional and are interested in learning more about our health care initiative in South Africa, come to an informational meeting designed especially for you. Wednesday, February 23 at 6pm at Crossroads Oakley.

### MASON MOMS SMALL GROUPS LAUNCH

For stay-at-home moms in the Mason area, this five-week Small Group launch will meet at the Mason Heights Annex on Wednesday mornings from 9:30- 11am starting Feb. 2, then disperse for ongoing community in homes. Contact Abby at [asutton@crossroads.net](mailto:asutton@crossroads.net) with questions.

### 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/prayer](http://crossroads.net/prayer). All requests are held in strict confidence.

*For more info on things happening around Crossroads, visit [crossroads.net](http://crossroads.net), or "like" us on Facebook at [facebook.com/crdschurch](http://facebook.com/crdschurch).*

## GO CINCINNATI<sup>11</sup>

### Sign up to be a project leader

Each year we team up with other churches for a one-day, city-wide blitz of compassion. We're doing it again **May 14, tackling over 200 projects in four hours**. We need people to lead and organize projects at schools, neighborhoods, parks, social agencies and churches all over town.

*Visit [crossroads.net/gocincinnati](http://crossroads.net/gocincinnati) for more details and to sign up now.*

## 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.

JANUARY 26, 7PM

## THE SUPER BOWL OF PREACHING

## ★ Special Service Times February 5-6 ★

**Crossroads Oakley:**

**SAT: 3, 5 & 7pm**

**SUN: 8:30, 10:30am & 12:30pm**

**NOW ALSO AT**

**Crossroads Mason:**

**SUN: 9:30 & 11am**

Get your **FREE** tickets at [crossroads.net](http://crossroads.net)  
(Kids' Club will be available for kids birth-fourth grade. No tickets necessary.)

To volunteer at either location, sign up at [crossroads.net/superbowlvolunteers](http://crossroads.net/superbowlvolunteers).