



WELCOME

March 5, 2023

Where Faith and Life Intersect



CONNECT



GROW



SERVE



SHARE

We are excited God brought you here today! Crosspoint is a place to **CONNECT with others, **GROW** in faith, use your gifts to **SERVE** and **SHARE** Jesus love. May you be blessed by your worship today!**

GUESTS – A special welcome to you! If today is your first visit, please fill out a Connect Card (in pew chair); stop by the Welcome Center for a special “Thanks for Visiting Gift.” The individual at the Welcome Center can answer questions you may have!

RESTROOMS – Restrooms are located through the entry way, to the left as you exit the worship area. Baby changing tables in both bathrooms.

NURSERY – For babies & tots, the nursery on the right of the entryway as you leave the church. The room has a viewing window and speakers to continue to participate in the worship. (We hope to offer a staffed nursery in the future as the kid’s program grow and volunteers are available.)

NEXT STEP - The Starting Point is a 30 min workshop to discover more about the mission, vision, and values of Crosspoint. Speak to Pastor Mike for current schedule.

COMMUNION - The Lord’s Supper (Communion) is a special part of our service every 1st and 3rd Sunday of the month. If you would like to join us in this part of the service, please speak to Pastor Mike.

CROSSPOINT KIDS – Kids Church is offered for kids PreK-5th grade during the school year, from Sept. – May. Kids start in church and just before the sermon, shift to the kids space. Follow Crosspoint Kids on Facebook:

<https://www.facebook.com/groups/1337448259957591>



WEEKLY ANNOUNCEMENTS

MARCH WORSHIP SERIES!



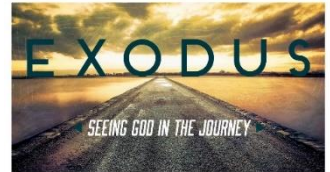
“PRAY LIKE JESUS!”

A look at Jesus’ prayer in John 17

- Mar. 5: Why pray for divine glorification?
- Mar. 12: Why pray for spiritual protection?
- Mar. 19: Why pray for special distinction?
- Mar. 26: Why pray for unified direction?

Wednesday Small Group Study: Exodus: A Glimpse of God – 7pm in-person or via zoom

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LENT FOCUS...We will **NOT** have weekly Lenten services. We **WILL** open our Wednesday Bible study with the reading of the passion history and singing a Lent-focused song or hymn.

EGGSTRAVAGANZA PREP...Thanks for getting eggs stuffed! Here’s what you can do this week:

- Check the HUB for sign-up opportunities.
- If you have time this week, talk to Christy Geiger.



MARCH WORK DAY...SATURDAY, MARCH 11

The big projects:

- Lay down weed block
- Spread mulch under picnic areas/next to driveway
- Put metal panels on roof of the picnic area

- Assemble Easter Story Books
- Plant flowers around the cross, sign and in kitchen corner pots.

Can’t make it? Save March 24 & 31 for additional work days to get ready for Easter!

SCHEDULE

SUNDAY – 3/5 – PRAY LIKE JESUS – WHY PRAY FOR DIVINE GLORIFICATION?

- 8:45 AM – BIBLE CLASS – MATTHEW CHAPTER 22:1-22
- 10:00 AM – WORSHIP W/ KIDS CHURCH & COMMUNION
- 1:00 PM FOUNDATIONS CLASS @ CHURCH

TUESDAY - THURSDAY – 3/7-3/9 – HOME SCHOOL GROUPS @ CHURCH

WEDNESDAY – 3/8

- o 7:00 PM –WEDNESDAY GROUP – EXODUS W/ LENTEN DEVOTION – IN PERSON & ON ZOOM MEETING ID: 929 0511 9535 PASSCODE: 004708

SATURDAY 3/11 - 9-3PM – WORK DAY @ CHURCH

SUNDAY – 3/12 – PRAY LIKE JESUS...WHY PRAY FOR SPIRITUAL PROTECTION?





(GUEST PASTOR: PASTOR DAN LAITINEN)

- 8:45 AM – BIBLE CLASS – MATTHEW CHAPTER 22:23-46
- 10:00 AM – WORSHIP W/ KIDS CHURCH & COMMUNION

SAVE THE DATE:

- **WISCONSIN LUTHERAN COLLEGE CHOIR CONCERT – MARCH 14 - 7PM**
 - o HOLY WORD LUTHERAN CHURCH - 10601 BLUFF BEND DR, AUSTIN, TX 78753
- **EASTER WORKDAYS**
 - o **SATURDAY, MARCH 25 – 9AM-NOON**
 - o **FRIDAY, MARCH 31 – 5PM – 7PM**
- **EASTER EGGSTRAVAGANZA OUTREACH – SAT. APR. 1 (9-1)**

UPCOMING FUN! - Upcoming social and service events. Information will be sent out via the HUB (Our communication platform). RSVP via the HUB or directly to the coordinator listed.

 <p><i>2nd Saturday</i></p>	 <p><i>2nd Sunday</i></p>	 <p><i>3rd Friday</i></p>	
<p>Workday Sat. March 11 9-3pm</p>	<p>Mexican Potluck Sun. Mar. 12 11:15 am</p>	<p>Ladies Lunch @ Golden Rule Fri. Mar. 17 12:30 pm</p>	<p>Men's Event Axe Throwing Fri. Mar. 24 Time TBD</p>
<p>Mike Denton (254) 624-5184</p>	<p>HUB Signup</p>	<p>Donna Brown 815-546-2207</p>	<p>Amy Metts 920-809-6616</p>



prayer requests

- **Prayers for safe travel** – Pastor Mike and family will be traveling to North Carolina March 10-19 for the 25th anniversary of Tree of Life Lutheran Church in Cary, NC which they started in 1998. Pray for safety of travel!
 - **Prayer for Donna Brown** – Donna has had challenges recovering from cataract surgery. Pray for her sight to recover to normal.
 - **Prayers for Pastor Hochmuth** – The Lord in his wisdom took Pastor Hochmuth home to heaven. Well done! Good and faithful servant! Pray for God’s peace and comfort for the family!
 - **Prayers for opportunities to share Jesus.** Lord, open up opportunities in our week to share you with others. Give us courage and confidence to listen and speak the truth in love.
 - **Prayers for Phineas Bater and their family.** Pastor Noah Bater is a WELS pastor in California. A few months ago their son, Phineas (2 yr old) was diagnosed with very severe cancer. The road is long ahead – continue your prayers!
 - **Prayer for Lisa Hendershot** – Dan and Lisa are past members at Crosspoint. Lisa continues to battle stage IV non-small cell lung cancer. Pray for miracles of healing for Lisa and strengthening of faith for her and all her family.
 - **Prayer for expanding the Body of Christ** - Lord, we are few, but you are great, we ask that you would bring to our congregation individuals eager to grow in their faith and serve with their gifts and inspire those sitting on the sideline to get involved.
- **Have a prayer request? Fill out a prayer request card in the pew chair or email pastorgeiger@gmail.com**