



WELCOME

April 14, 2024

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 or, if comfortable, you may leave your child with the nursery staff.

NEXT STEP - The Starting Point is a 30 min conversation to discover more about the mission, vision, and values of Crosspoint. Speak to Pastor Mike to 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 after the service.

CROSSPOINT KIDS – Kids Church is offered for kids PreK-5th grade during the school year (September – 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



Sermon Series:

“Easter Changes You!”

Commit to this 4 week series and see if Easter begins to make a powerful impact in your life!

Today: Easter Changes You!

April 7: Dig into the Word!

April 14: Devote to godly Habits!

April 21: Develop your Community!

THIS WEEK'S SCHEDULE

SUNDAY – 4/14/24 – EASTER CHANGES US: DEVOTE TO GODLY HABITS!

- 8:30 AM – BIBLE STUDY @ CHURCH
- 10:00 AM – WORSHIP W/ KIDS' CHURCH
- 11:15 AM – SECOND SUNDAY LUNCH & EASTER DEBRIEF

WEDNESDAY – 4/17/24

- SMALL GROUPS RESUME WEEK OF APRIL 28

FRIDAY – 4/19/24

- 12:30 PM – LADIES' LUNCH @ BLUE CORN

SUNDAY – 4/21/24 – EASTER CHANGES US: DEVELOP YOUR GODLY COMMUNITY!

- 8:30 AM – BIBLE STUDY @ CHURCH
- 10:00 AM – WORSHIP W/ COMMUNION & KIDS' CHURCH
- 11:30 AM – YOUTH BIBLE STUDY



So, what's the next step? ... Foundations Class!

Are you visiting today or been attending a few times and ready to understand more about Crosspoint. This “first group” takes time to look at key teachings of the Bible and gives much opportunity for candid questions. Don't miss this opportunity. Meeting time is often Sundays from 1-2:30 (alters depending on the group). Speak to Pastor Mike today or email him if interested! (pastorgeiger@gmail.com)



Welcome to God's family William and Prudence Whitson!
 We ask the Lord to richly bless you both as you grow to love and live in the baptismal grace you have received today!

Romans 6:4 *We were therefore buried with him through baptism into death in order that, just as Christ was raised*

from the dead through the glory of the Father, we too may live a new life.

 <p>Please Join Us! 2nd Sunday Lunch</p>	 <p>3rd Friday</p>	 <p>Church Work Day</p>	 <p>HAPPY Mother's Day</p>
<p>Texas BBQ Theme TODAY! 11:15 am</p>	<p>Ladies Lunch @ Blue Corn Fri. Apr. 19 12:30 pm</p>	<p>Sat. May 11 Work Day</p>	<p>Mother's Day May 12 Special brunch Invite a friend!</p>
<p>HUB Signup</p>	<p>Donna Brown 815-546-2207</p>	<p>Mike Denton 737-900-9389</p>	<p>Christy Geiger 817-917-8152</p>



- **Prayers for our Synod's Board for Home Missions.** Our synod-wide Board for Home Missions is meeting this week to consider requests for 16 new mission starts (5 here in Texas) along with 12 enhancements and over 80 current mission requests for additional funding. Ask the Lord of the Church to provide wisdom and guidance as the Board determines the stewardship of funding to the advancement of God's kingdom in current missions and in new mission areas!
- **Prayers for all who are attending today.** Lord God may the message and power of your resurrection stir in each of us and draw us closer to you. Let today be the start of a new season of following and serving you!

- **Prayers for John Metts.** John is deployed to California for training for a number of months. Ask the Lord to protect him and those who serve with him along with his wife Amy.
- **Prayer of thanks for Easter Eggstravaganza!** Lord God, thank you for the many families who came to Easter Eggstravaganza. We look for you to grow the seeds that were planted. Use us to be ones to bring your Gospel to many who came. AMEN.
- **Prayers from EE attendees:** Our prayer cross received over 60 prayers – for growth in faith, for restoring relationships, for providing financially, for a job to be provided, for less stress in homes, for blessings on a new baby, for guidance in life and education and more!
- **Prayers for Tom Staley, husband of member Marta:** Tom fell recently and just discovered he fractured his hip. He had surgery this week to secure the fracture and speed the healing. Ask for complete healing for him!
- **Prayers for conversations and invitations:** Lord God, we love you and desire to share you. Use us with boldness, clarity and courage to engage in conversations and extend invitations to individuals to connect them to Christ. This Easter, use the event of your resurrection to bring new life for souls who are disconnected from you. May our church be a place where your Gospel is proclaimed and lived. AMEN.

Have a prayer request? Fill out a prayer request card in the pew chair or

email pastorgeiger@gmail.com

