### Welcome to Crosspointe!

We are glad you are here to worship with us today. Please stop by the Guest Services kiosk in the lobby to receive a small gift—our way of saying thank you for coming by.

### **Childcare Volunteers**

God has blessed Crosspointe with an amazing opportunity to serve over 200 children under the age of 11 every week and we are in need of volunteers. Please contact Renae Aldridge at 313.881.3343 ext. 13 to find out more.

### Parenting Seminar—Habits for Growing



Join us today at 12:30 p.m. for a free one-hour(ish) seminar, Habits for Growing, designed to give parents additional tools to identify, encourage and grow Spiritual Disciplines in

children. Childcare is provided.

#### "Weekend To Remember" Marriage Retreat

This event will be held November 15th-17th at the Crowne Plaza Detroit. Downtown. Visit YourC3.org to register and use promo code TogetherTeam to save \$100.

## Entrusted—Two Day Women's Event



Sign up is now open for Entrusted, a two-day event equipping and encouraging women in the scriptures through a study in 2 Timothy. Entrusted is scheduled for February 7-8, 2020. Cost is \$99 and includes materials, snacks, refreshments and Saturday lunch. Sign up

online at YourC3.org.

### Women's Step Study

A new Celebrate Recovery Women's Step Study entitled "The Journey Begins" starts tonight, from 5:30-7 p.m. in Room 111. You do not need to attend Celebrate Recovery (or even Crosspointe) to participate in this study. Please call Robin Leong at 586.943.0177 for more information and to register.

## **Special Business Meeting**

The Deacon Board has voted to call a special meeting on November 3, for the following purpose: The Board feels very strongly that the Church should install a camera and video recording system with cameras in every room and various locations outside to protect the people and the children who come through the doors of our church, both regular attendees and guests. The board especially is thinking of the safety of the children of Sunday School Classes, Nursery School Classes, AWANA and for the Adults who teach and care for the young children. This system will cost between \$35,000 and \$45,000. The Board wishes to borrow the money from the Endowment trust at a zero interest rate and pay back the money to the Endowment Trust at a \$1,000 a month starting in January 2020 as part of the 2020 Church Budget.

### Wednesday Fellowship Dinner

You are invited to sit back and let our C3 Kitchen Crew cook for you on the first Wednesday of each month through the AWANA season! Fellowship Dinner will be on Wednesday, November 6, at 5:30 p.m. The kindness of a RSVP, at YourC3.org, is greatly appreciated so our Kitchen Crew prepares the proper amount of food. Cost is \$4 per person or \$12 per family.

# Thanksgiving Eve Service



You are invited to a truly inspiring service on Thanksgiving Eve,
November 27, beginning at 7 p.m. in
the Lower Level Gathering Space.
Participants engage in worship

through verse, prayer and song. Childcare is provided for this one hour event.

# **Upcoming Birthdays**

27—Jehan Wakeem 28—Hazel Tripp 30—Makhail Brookes 30—Nicole Ihrie 30—Hogan Milam 30—Florence Odumlami 31—Kathleen Rubino 01—Juan Zavala 03—Linnea Villasenor Pastor Jason's Sermon Notes Against The Flow: Daniel Series Rams, Goats and Horns, Oh My! October 27, 2019 Daniel 8

Seeking to Understand

The Ram –

The Goat –

The "Little Horn" -

## How can we live faithfully like Daniel?

1. Anticipate \_\_\_\_\_

- a. The "small horn" is a rebellious power willing to battle both God and His people. (v.9-10)
- b. The history of Christianity is marked by suffering.
- 2. Plan \_\_\_\_\_
  - a. The "desolation" is for an appointed time. (v.14)

b. The sovereignty of God will be vindicated.

- 3. Look to the \_\_\_\_
  - a. Final defeat will happen supernaturally.
  - b. Revelation 22.3 No longer will there be anything accursed, but the throne of God and of the Lamb will be in it, and his servants will worship him

On Your Own or with Your Family

How does the truth that God knows the future as displayed in Daniel encourage you about the truth of Scripture?

In Luke 22.39-46, Jesus is praying just prior to his arrest and eventual execution. He anticipates the suffering that is to come. How does he react to the suffering that awaits him? How can we model the same kind of behavior?

Consider the following verses about perseverance: **1 Chronicles 16.11; Romans 5.3-4; 1 Corinthians 16.13; James 1.2-4,12**; How can a Christian plan to persevere?

One way to encourage those who are suffering right now for their faith is to pray for them. Visit www.opendoorsusa.org to read stories of persecution as well as suggested topics for prayer. Choose a group of people to pray for this week. You may even have one of your children research a specific people group or situation.

#### **SUNDAY, OCTOBER 27**

Worship Service Nursery—Room 109, Toddlers—Room 107 Preschool—Room 105, K-2nd Grade—Room 102 3rd-5th Grade—Room 111 Study: Desiring God (A. Leong)—Room 215 Study: Jesus the King (Karam & Abud)—Room 214

**11:00am** Worship Service

9:30am

Nursery—Room 109, Toddlers—Room 107 Preschool—Room 105, K-2nd Grade—Room 102 3rd-5th Grade—Room 111 ROOTED High School—Room 106 ROOTED Middle School—Room 108 Study: 40 Reasons Why (G. Mayhew)—Room 215 Study: Ecclesiastes (A. Fegan)—Room 214

12:30pmParenting Seminar—Habits for Growing—Room 21412:30pmChristmas Musical Practice—Room 1105:30pmCR Women's Step Study—Room 1116:00pmHS ROOTED—Room 106

MONDAY, OCTOBER 286:30aMen's Prayer6:30pWomen's Studies6:30pMom's Connect7:00pMen's Study

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 295:50pIYM (off site)1:00pWomen's PrayerWEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 309:00aWomen's Studies9:00aMom's Connect6:00pROOTED MS6:15pAWANA

**6:30p** Community Prayer

8:30a Worship Band Practice
9:30a IYM (off site)
10:00a Worship Vocals Practice
5:15p IYM (off site)

**THURSDAY, OCTOBER 31** 

**FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 1** 

**SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 2** 

6:00p CR First Friday Dinner

7:00p Celebrate Recovery

**UPCOMING EVENTS** 11/3—Special Business Meeting 11/6—Fellowship Dinner 11/27—Thanksgiving Eve Service

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He said, "Behold, I will make known to you what shall be at the latter end of the indignation, for it refers to the appointed time of the end. Daniel 8:19

> AGAINST THE FLOW Week 19



Helping people make Christ the center of their lives.

Sunday, October 27, 2019