

SUNDAY - January 22, 2023

"Come, let us bow down in worship, let us kneel before the LORD our Maker." [Psalm 95:6]

8:15 am Traditional Worship Service – Sanctuary

9:30 am Adult Discipleship – Sanctuary

Children's Sunday School – Rooms 209/210/211

Junior & Senior High Sunday School - Rooms 209/210/211

10:45 am Contemporary Worship Service – Great Commission Room

IN THE SPOTLIGHT!

VOTERS' ASSEMBLY MEETING: The regular January Voters' Assembly Meeting of Cross View Lutheran Church will be held on January 29 at 12:00 pm in the Great Commission Room. The meeting agenda can be seen below. All members are encouraged to attend. Lunch will be served! We hope to see you there!

- 1. Opening
 - Call to order, Opening prayer, Establishment of a quorum
- 2. Approval of Minutes
 - Voters' Assembly Meeting May 22, 2022
 - Voters' Assembly Meeting September 25, 2022
- 3. Synodical Elections Review & Approval
 - Approve Congregational Presidential Election Voter
 - Approve Congregation's Nominations for President, First Vice-President, and Regional Vice-President of The Lutheran Church—Missouri Synod
- 4. Peaceful Release of Jonathan Zellar
- 5. Review Staffing Reorganization Plan Associate Pastor, Director of Outreach & Adult Ministries
 - Review reorganizing the Associate Pastor position into two separate positions: a full-time Director of Outreach, Adult Ministry, and Praise Team Leader and a Part-time Associate Pastor
- 6. Financial Update
 - 2022 Preliminary Year-End Financials
- 7. Review and Approval of 2023 Budgets
 - Cross View Lutheran Church Budget
 - Cross View Lutheran Early Childhood Center (ECC) Budget
- 8. Restored! Campaign Update
- 9. Feed My Starving Children Mobile Pack Recap
- 10. Closing
 - Adjournment, Closing prayer

ATTENTION FAMILIES! Please come to our fun Children's Ministry Movie, Pizza, and Popcorn night on Friday, January 27, starting at 5:30 pm in the Fellowship Hall (Rooms 209/210/211)! We will show the movie Ratatouille and have Domino's pizza and popcorn. Please RSVP for this <u>onsite</u> event at CV Connect or at the Event Registration kiosks by January 25 so we can prepare the correct amount of food. This will be a fun, family friendly event (parents are to attend with their children). Everyone is welcome and please invite friends!

ANNOUNCEMENTS

2022 CONTRIBUTION STATEMENTS were mailed out a week ago. If you have not received yours, please contact **Alyssa Meger** in the Finance office (alyssa@crossview.net).

OFFERING ENVELOPE UPDATE: You may be aware of delays in the Church Budget offering envelope mailings over the past couple months. We were recently informed that supply chain and staffing issues have been resolved. However, to achieve timely future deliveries, they have suspended production of the remaining January envelopes. New envelopes will be delivered by the first Sunday in March. In the meantime, please feel free to use any envelopes you have. If you are designating checks for the Restored! Capital campaign, please include that information on the memo line of your check. We apologize for the inconvenience.

SMALL GROUPS: Please let the church office know if your small group will not be meeting at its regularly scheduled time so we can adjust the door scheduling. Thank you!

WEATHER-RELATED CHURCH AND OFFICE CLOSINGS: All unscheduled closings and late starts will be posted to CV Connect and our website. Cancellations of evening activities will be posted no later than 3:00 pm.

OPPORTUNITIES FOR CHILDREN & YOUTH

Questions for staff? Contact...

Interim Family Minister to Children & Youth: Barbara Coffin (barb@crossview.net; 952-243-2062)
Youth Ministry: (youth@crossview.net)

CHILDREN'S SUNDAY SCHOOL: Today is Mission Sunday! We will have a mission carnival with games, treats, and booths to teach kids about mission work and what our church is doing. Join us in the Fellowship Hall (Rooms 209/210/211).

YOUTH SUNDAY SCHOOL (Grades 7 – 12): Today, we will serve by leading stations at the Children's Mission Sunday event. On the spot training will be provided for this easy but fun service opportunity! Join us in Rooms 209/210/211.

YOUTH GROUP (Grades 9 – 12): Onsite tonight at 6:30 pm. See you there!

OPPORTUNITIES FOR ADULTS

Questions for staff? Contact...

Interim Director, Outreach & Adult Ministries: Amy Gundermann (amy@crossview.net; 952-243-2049)

Music & Fine Arts Ministry: Sue Quist (sue@crossview.net; 952-243-2048)

The Parables of Jesus

Sundays, January 22 – February 12, 9:30 – 10:30 am (Sanctuary for today)

This course, taught by Pastor Steve Wheeler, is based on Dr. Kenneth Bailey's book Jesus Through Middle Eastern Eyes. This four-week course will explore select parables of Jesus. Drawing upon Dr. Kenneth Bailey's Middle Eastern experience and expertise, our goal is to unlock the parables by hearing, understanding, and applying them in our day in light of their original historical and cultural settings. Register for this onsite/online class at CV Connect or the Event Registration kiosks. Questions? Contact Pastor Steve Wheeler (steve@crossview.net).

Measured by Grace – WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY

First Monday of the Month, February 6, 9:30 am (Room 218)

We will be starting a new study on "Measured by Grace" by Sharla Fritz. The focus of this study is how God measures our worth: by His Grace and not as the world does. Questions? Contact Marcy Nordhus (mpnordhus@gmail.com). Register for this onsite class at CV Connect or at the Event Registration kiosks.

Altogether Beautiful: A Study of Song of Songs – WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY Tuesdays, January 10 – March 7, 7:00 – 8:30 pm (On Zoom)

We are all beautiful because of who we are in Christ! In this 8-week study, we will dig into Song of Songs with Heidi Goehmann following her study book and videos. The study book can be found online at Amazon or Concordia Publishing House. No class on Tuesday, January 31.Questions? Contact **Emily Hawkins** (ehawk4@gmail.com). Register for this online class at CV Connect or at the Event Registration kiosks.

Community Light School of Discipleship (CLSD) Thursdays, September 15 – April 27, 6:30 – 8:30 pm

A free community Bible study for equipping God's people with His resources so that you might "go" and make disciples wherever God has planted you. From December 1 – February 9, the topic will be "Stories for Witness" with Dr. Dean Nadasdy, President Emeritus, MN South District, LCMS. Register for the onsite/online/on demand class at CV Connect or the Event Registration kiosks.

WOMEN'S BOOK CLUB: We will meet at church this Monday, February 20, at 1:00 pm in Room 120 to discuss *Boys in the Bunkhouse* by Dan Barry. Lower level doors will be open. Questions or interested in joining? Contact **Marcy Nordhus** (mpnordhus@gmail.com).

THIS WEEK AT CROSS VIEW

Church office hours: Monday – Friday, 9:00 am – 4:30 pm

MONDAY, 1/23	BSF Leaders' Meeting	9:15 am
TUESDAY, 1/24	Small Group Bible Study – <i>Room 213</i> Bible Study Fellowship (BSF) Spiritual Care MAT	7:00 am 12:30 pm 7:00 pm
WEDNESDAY, 1/25	Quilting Class – Room 218/220 Small Group Bible Study – Room 213 Praise Team Rehearsal – GCR Confirmation Hand Bell Rehearsal – Sanctuary Kidstitute Women's Chorus Rehearsal – Sanctuary	9:00 am 1:00 pm 6:00 pm 6:30 pm 6:30 pm 6:30 pm 7:15 pm
THURSDAY, 1/26	Community Light	6:30 pm
SUNDAY, 1/29	Traditional Service – Sanctuary Discipleship Hour Contemporary Service – GCR Annual Voters' Meeting – GCR	8:15 am 9:30 am 10:45 am 12:00 pm

"Devote yourselves to prayer, being watchful and thankful." [Colossians 4:2]

THIS WEEK, CROSS VIEW'S STAFF AND CONGREGATION WILL PRAY FOR:

Monday: Sue Weigle

Tuesday: Rev. Dr. Harry and Chloris Wendt

Wednesday: Michael and Sarah Wentzien (Paul, John, Lauren)

Thursday: Douglas and Alex Wheeler (Caleb, Hannah)

Friday: Rev. Steve and Dawn Wheeler

Saturday: Taylor and Meghan MacKenzie (Emerson, Graecelyn) – ECC

Sunday: Jesse and Karla Mayfield (Nora, Crew) – ECC

PRAYER CHAIN...If you have a prayer to share, please call the church office, use the Prayer Request space when you sign in to online worship, or email **Sue Hanson**, prayer chain coordinator

(email: hansons96@gmail.com).

IMPLIED CONSENT...During Cross View worship services and events, we may take photos or videos and these may be used as a part of an article or news item in hard copy or on the website. Personal names will not be used without consent of the individual or parent, should the image be of a minor. If you do not wish an image to be used, please notify us and it will be removed as soon as practically possible.