

SUNDAY - August 6, 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/Youth Discipleship Hour – Rooms 209-211

Summer Sunday School Fellowship – *Playground (Gym if raining)*

10:45 am Contemporary Worship Service – Great Commission Room (GCR)

6:00 pm Youth Group

IN THE SPOTLIGHT!

CONGREGATIONAL MEETING AND SPECIAL VOTERS' ASSEMBLY MEETING SUNDAY, AUGUST 20, 2023, 12:00 – 1:30 PM

The Director of Christian Education Search Committee is recommending Hannah Zahrte to fill the vacant Director of Christian Education position. The congregation is invited to meet Hannah on August 20, 2023, in the Fellowship Hall (Rooms 209 – 211) from 12:00 – 1:00 pm. At about 1:15 pm, following the congregational meetand-greet, a Special Voters' Assembly meeting will be convened for Voting Members to vote on extending a call to Hannah.

A light lunch will be served for meeting attendees at 12:00. If you wish for nursery care for ages 0-3 during the meeting time, please contact Barb Coffin by August 13.

Agenda for Special Voters' Assembly Meeting:

- · Opening: Call to order, opening prayer, establishment of a quorum
- · Recommendation of Search Committee for Director of Christian Education
- Vote to approve calling Hannah Zahrte as Director of Christian Education
- · Closing: Adjournment, closing prayer

ANNOUNCEMENTS

(TC)² – LAST CALL! We have extended the deadline until TODAY to register for our day of Taking Care of the Twin Cities! Visit our Registration Desk in the lobby, go to our website at www.crossview.net/ministries/events.cfm or use the QR code to register. All ages and abilities are welcome to join in the fun of serving the Lord together as a congregation on August 13th. Contact Amy Gundermann (amy@crossview.net) with questions.



NEXT WEEK IS (TC)²: We will just have one worship service next week at 9:30 am in the Great Commission Room as we prepare to go out into our community and serve with the love of Jesus!

MCCAULEY TRAIL CONSTRUCTION UPDATE: Construction will be continuing on the bike/walking path on the north side of the church from Timber Trail extending it to the west. Although the signs say "road closed to thru traffic", there is no anticipated full road closure at this time. The projected time frame is one month so it should be completed by the end of August.

WORSHIP ARTS GUESTS ON AUGUST 20: We are excited to welcome guests from the Christian-based Dancin' Feet Dance School to enhance our worship services on August 20th! Students will present liturgical dance to the song "Resurrecting" by Elevation Worship at both services. The choreographer for the piece is Mariah Guenther, a student at Concordia University and an instructor at the Dance School.

CARE PORTAL – SERVE OUR NEIGHBORS IN NEED: Cross View is launching a response team this fall with CarePortal, a network that helps to meet the needs of children and families in crisis within our community. Please pray for this new ministry and watch for details about joining the team this September! Pam Olsen has been trained as our team lead at Cross View and you can reach her at pamolsen11@gmail.com with questions. Visit www.careportal.org to learn more.

COMMUNITY LIGHT SCHOOL OF DISCIPLESHIP: We are preparing for another great year with our Community Light School of Discipleship series. CLSD will move to Wednesday nights this year as a part of our Recharge midweek programming starting on September 20th. We are looking for additional help with hosting and leading discussion groups. Please contact Amy Gundermann (amy@crossview.net) if you are interested. Registration is open on CV Connect.

SMALL GROUP LEADERS ROUNDTABLE

Wednesday August 23, 6:30 – 8:00 pm (GCR): Small groups provide opportunities to cultivate close relationships with God and with other people as we navigate the ups and downs of life. If you are currently leading a small group at Cross View, plan to join us for the Leaders Roundtable. We will cover topics that will help equip you in your role and spend time sharing ideas about the joys and challenges of leading a group. Treats will be provided! Contact Jan Schrader (jschrader1010@gmail.com) or Amy Gundermann (amy@crossview.net) with questions.

RECHARGE ON WEDNESDAY NIGHTS: Make sure to reserve Wednesday evenings to "Recharge" for the 2023-2024 year in ministry! Please see the August Clarion for a detailed list of all the classes by age and their locations, as well as details for the weekly catered meal that will be served.

OPPORTUNITIES FOR ADULTS

Questions for staff? Contact...

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

Missionary Guests – Paul & Kristin Humber Sunday August 6, 9:30 – 10:30 am (Rooms 209-211)

Missionary guests Paul and Kristin Humber will join us to share about their work as Bible translators with Wycliffe in Congo and Cameroon. The Humbers are new to our list of missionaries that we support at Cross View, so this is a great opportunity to meet them in person while they are visiting the United States.

Our Marks:

Sundays, August 20 & 27, 9:30 - 10:30 am (Rooms 209-211)

This class taught by Pastor Reed will cover doctrinal beliefs, practices, and virtues focusing on Romans 6:1-11.

WOMEN'S BOOK CLUB - UPDATE:

Monday August 21, 11:15 am (Offsite): Barb Janisch is offering once again to hold August book club on her pontoon boat on Lake Minnetonka. We will be discussing the book, *The Violin Conspiracy,* by Brendan Slocumb. We will meet at church in the upper parking lot at 11:15 am and car pool out to the Shorewood Marina in Excelsior, MN. Bring your lunch and a drink. If the weather is too windy or rainy, we will still meet at church in Room 120 at 11:15 am to have our lunch and discuss the book.

OPPORTUNITIES FOR CHILDREN AND 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 SUMMER SUNDAY SCHOOL: Families with children ages 6th grade and under are invited to some fellowship time on the playground (or the gym if it is raining) during the Sunday School hour.

YOUTH SUMMER SUNDAY SCHOOL: There is no youth Sunday School class during the summer. Youth are invited to attend the adult class during the education hour this summer.

SUNDAY SCHOOL (AGES $2 - 6^{TH}$ GRADE) & KIDSTITUTE VOLUNTEER MEETING Sunday August 20, 9:30 – 10:30 am (Room 218): Please mark your calendars for our first Sunday School and Kidstitute teachers' meeting, as we prepare for the upcoming school year.

THIS WEEK AT CROSS VIEW

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

TUESDAY, 8/8 Staff Meeting – Room 213 1:00 pm

Church Council Meeting – *Room 209* 6:00 pm

WEDNESDAY, 8/9 Junior High Fellowship – *Rooms 120-122* 6:00 pm

SUNDAY, 8/13 Contemporary Service – GCR 9:30 am

 $(TC)^2$ Service Event 10:45 am - 7:30 pm

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

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

Monday: Claire Kelzer Tuesday: Esther Kelzer

Wednesday: James & Grace Kelzer

Thursday: Martha Kelzer **Friday**: Rachel Kelzer

Saturday: Justin & Alison Dancs (Logan & Simon) – ECC Sunday: Chris & Sarah Delfosse (Michael & Matthew) – 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@qmail.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.