CROSS VIEW THIS WEEK

## SUNDAY – September 10, 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 Fall Kick-off Sunday Education Opportunities Sanctuary
- 10:00 am Congregational Fellowship Café Cross View
- **10:45 am** Contemporary Worship Service Great Commission Room (GCR)
- 4:00 pm Fall Kick-off Church Picnic Lake Riley Park Pavilion

# IN THE SPOTLIGHT!

WEDNESDAY NIGHT MEALS: Recharge your Wednesday nights starting this Wednesday, September 13. Join us for a catered meal and fellowship from 5:15 – 6:15, followed by education and programs for all ages.

This week's menu is a Southwest chicken wrap with a side salad and dessert.

Meals are \$7 with a family cap of \$25. Registration is required by noon on the Monday prior to the meal. Register at the Event Registration Center today or on CV Connect.

# ANNOUNCEMENTS

**FALL FOOD DRIVE:** During the month of September, we will be collecting nonperishable food donations for VEAP's Food Pantry. Over 100,000 people experiencing hunger or food insecurity are served each year through VEAP's food programs. Let's be generous as we show the love of Jesus to those in need! Contact Amy Gundermann (amy@crossview.net) with questions.

WELCOME TO CROSS VIEW – NEW MEMBER CLASS: Sundays, September 17 – October 22, 9:30 – 10:30 am

Join us this fall for our Welcome to Cross View series. This is a class for anyone interested in becoming a member and for those who have been members and want a refresher. You'll get an overview of the Cross View family, our beliefs, and how to get more involved. Use the QR code to <u>register</u>. If you have questions or need more information, contact Ann Ryan (annryan@hotmail.com) or the church office at 952-941-1094.



**CARE PORTAL – SERVE OUR NEIGHBORS IN NEED:** Cross View is launching a response team this fall with CarePortal, a faith-based network that helps to meet the needs of children and families in crisis within our community. Our team will work together to donate and deliver critical items to families in need. To join the team, sign up for training on either October 1 or October 5 from 6:30 – 8:00 pm on CV Connect. Pam Olsen has been trained as our team lead at Cross View and you can reach her at careportal@crossview.net with questions. Visit www.careportal.org to learn more.

**SPECIAL NEEDS MINISTRY:** Are you trained in Special Education? Are you passionate about helping individuals with special needs? Do you have a child with special needs? Cross View is gauging interest for a special needs ministry start-up; however, we would need professional educators to help start such a ministry. Please reach out to Barb Coffin (barb@crossview.net) for feedback.

**WOMEN'S BOOK CLUB: Monday September 18, 1:00 pm (Room 120)** We will meet at the church to discuss *When We Had Wings* by Ariel Lawhon. Lower level doors will be open. Please feel free to join us as new members are always welcome.

**MEN'S MINISTRY LAUNCH!** You are invited to the Men's Ministry Breakfast at Cross View on Saturday, October 14 from 8:00 – 10:00 am! Guest speaker Mike Max of WCCO will share about "The Faith to be a Grinder". Bring a friend or neighbor to join you for a great morning of fellowship with Christian men. <u>Registration is due on CV Connect</u> by October 12 and the cost is \$20. Contact Dave Wagner (dave@ambrosiacoffeemn.com) or Dan Battcher (dtbattcher@gmail.com) if you'd like to help out with the event or future Men's Ministry events at Cross View.

**TNT EVENTS (Twenties & Thirties Young Adult Ministry):** Come and get to know others in the same life stage through Bible study and time to hang out together! Meeting locations vary, but all events will be on Tuesdays from 6:30 – 8:00 pm. September 12 will be held in Cross View's Senior High Room and September 26 will be at Good Day Café in Golden Valley. Contact Nicole (nclvvo@gmail.com) or Michael (michaelmunl2018@gmail.com) with questions or to be added to the GroupMe for TNT.

**POBLO INT'L FRIENDSHIP CENTER VOLUNTEER TRAINING:** POBLO is looking for additional volunteers as they expand their offerings to help English language learners. You are invited to come for training and to kick off the new season with new missionaries Issa and Dina on September 23 from 10:30 – noon at Mt. Hope Lutheran Church in Bloomington. No experience necessary! Contact volunteer coordinator Shari Schulze at 612-552-3878.

**CROSS VIEW QUILTING:** The Cross View Quilters meet in Room 218 on the first, third, (and fifth) Wednesday of the month from September through May. The next meeting is September 20 at 9:30 am. Contact Patricia Rostal at 952-941-2425 with questions.

## **OPPORTUNITIES FOR ADULTS**

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

# Unlocking Prophecy: Are we living in the Last Days?

## Sundays, September 17 – October 29, 9:30 – 10:30 am (Sanctuary)

Have you ever wondered about the rapture? The seven-year tribulation? The thousand-year reign of Christ? God's plan for Israel? This study looks at the book of Revelation from a premillennial dispensational perspective and along the way offers biblical correctives. Join Pastor Reed for this enlightening study. All your questions will be answered!

## Sacred Marriage

## Sundays, September 17 – October 22, 9:30 – 10:30 am (Rooms 210-211)

Taught by Pastor Steve, *Sacred Marriage* doesn't just offer techniques to make a marriage happier. It does contain practical tools, but what married Christians most need is help in becoming holier husbands and wives. *Sacred Marriage* offers that help with insights from Scripture, church history, time tested wisdom from Christian classics, and examples from today's marriages.

## Promised Rest: Finding Peace in God's Presence (Women's Fall Bible Study) Wednesdays, Starting September 13, 6:30 pm (Room 119)

If you're in need of rest for your soul from the anxieties and worries in the world, join your sisters in Christ for our fall Bible study by Michelle Diercks. This book study will focus on the different names and characteristics of God. We'll see how He keeps His promises to give us rest by offering us His name to cling to. Order your book from <u>www.CPH.org</u> or on Amazon. Questions? Call Vicki Weber at 952-838-5500.

## Measured by Grace – Chapter 5 (Women's Bible Study) Monday, September 11, 9:30 am (Room 218)

Join us for this continuing women's Bible study, as new members are welcome. The group will return to meeting the first Monday of the month starting in Oct.

# **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 AND YOUTH SUNDAY SCHOOL:** Families are invited to the Sanctuary at 9:30 to learn about all the education opportunities for children and youth at Cross View. Families will be dismissed after the first few minutes to meet their children's Sunday School and Youth teachers in their classrooms. At 10:00 we will all gather back in the narthex area to have a time of fellowship with refreshments.

YOUTH GROUP (Grades 9 – 12): No Youth Group tonight.

#### THIS WEEK AT CROSS VIEW

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

MONDAY, 9/11	Women's Bible Study – <i>Room 218</i>	9:30 am
TUESDAY, 9/12	Bible Study Fellowship Staff Meeting – <i>Room 213</i> Praise Team Rehearsal – <i>GCR</i>	12:30 pm 1:00 pm 6:00 pm
WEDNESDAY, 9/13	Midweek Recharge Meal – <i>Rooms 210-211</i> Women's Choir Rehearsal Hand Bell Choir Rehearsal Midweek Recharge Discipleship Adult Choir Rehearsal	5:15 pm 5:45 pm 6:15 pm 6:30 pm 7:15 pm
SATURDAY, 9/16	Bloom for Jesus Indian Fellowship	10:30 am
SUNDAY, 9/17	Traditional Service – <i>Sanctuary</i> Discipleship Hour Contemporary Service – <i>GCR</i> Youth Group – <i>Room 120</i> Game Night – <i>Lobby</i>	8:15 am 9:30 am 10:45 am 6:00 pm 6:30 pm

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

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

Monday: Terry & Stacey LaMere Tuesday: Michael & Connie Landreville Wednesday: Eric & Shanda Langaard (Scarlett & Finn) Thursday: Al & Carol Lange Friday: Sam & Judy Larson Saturday: Grady & Mia Hannah (Jovi) – ECC Sunday: Ryan & Nicole Hanson (Ella) – 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.