



# CROSS VIEW THIS WEEK

**SUNDAY – October 29, 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 Hour – Sanctuary, Rooms 210-211**

**Children’s Sunday School – Rooms 113/118/216/217/223**

**Junior & Senior High Sunday School – Rooms 120/122**

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

**6:30 pm**      **Youth Group – Room 120**

## IN THE SPOTLIGHT!

**VICKI BARTON RECEPTION & CARD SHOWER: Today, 9:30 am**

Join us at Café Cross View between services as we honor and celebrate Vicki’s volunteer service as our interim Youth Director at Cross View this last year. If so moved, please bring a card for Vicki as we thank her for keeping our youth connected with God, each other, and Cross View during our DCE vacancy.

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

**WEDNESDAY NIGHT MENU:** Penne & Italian sausage in tomato basil sauce, breadsticks, salad and dessert. Registration and payment is required by 9:00 am on the Monday prior to the meal so that we can get the meal count to the caterer. Please register and pay on CV Connect to reserve your spot. Our caterer provides ten extra meals for walk-ins and these are first-come, first-served so come early if you forgot to register.

**WOMEN’S BOOK CLUB: Monday November 20, 1:00 pm (Room 120)**

We will meet at the church to discuss *Lessons in Chemistry* by Bonnie Garmus. Lower level doors will be open. Please feel free to join us as new members are always welcome.

**TRINITY FIRST – THANKSGIVING FAMILY NIGHT:** Cross View will be helping to create a Thanksgiving Family Night at Trinity First on November 21 from 5:00 – 6:30 pm. Rather than the full-blown meal that we have done in the past, we will have desserts, games, and crafts for families to do together. If you would like to help with this event, please contact Amy Gundermann at [amy@crossview.net](mailto:amy@crossview.net) or Tom Pahl at [tpahl@foleymansfield.com](mailto:tpahl@foleymansfield.com).

**INDIAN FELLOWSHIP THANKSGIVING:** Our Christian brothers and sisters who gather here at Cross View each month with “Bloom for Jesus Indian Fellowship” are looking for volunteers to help in the kitchen for their special Thanksgiving gathering on Saturday, November 19 from 10:30 am – 1:00 pm. Please contact their leaders Winifred and Vincy Ndar Winifred at [mailtowinifred@yahoo.com](mailto:mailtowinifred@yahoo.com) to sign up to help make this special celebration a success!

**VOLUNTEER WITH POBLO:** The International Friendship Center for POBLO is looking for volunteers to help teach classes, work with students, and help with childcare on Sunday, Monday, and Tuesday evenings. This is a wonderful way to serve our neighbors who are learning English and are new to our community. POBLO is also looking for donations to buy equipment needed for their soccer program and cooking classes. If you would like to learn more, visit their website at [poblotwincities.org](http://poblotwincities.org) or contact volunteer coordinator Shari Schultz at [shari@poblo.org](mailto:shari@poblo.org).

**WHOSE LAND IS IT?** That’s the fundamental question driving the current war between Israel and Hamas. To get a Lutheran perspective, you’re invited to read this 2006 Lutheran Witness article by Pastor Reed ([whoseland.csptheology.org](http://whoseland.csptheology.org)).

**CROSS VIEW MOM’S GROUP: Wednesday November 8, 6:30 pm (Room 113)**

A group for moms of kids of any age, drop your kids off at Kidstute and gather to discuss issues Christian moms face daily. No prep is needed! Please reach out to Alex Wheeler or Chen Mellema if you have any questions.

**INTRO TO SMALL GROUPS:**

**Sundays, October 29 – November 19, 9:30 – 10:30 am (Room 213)**

Are you interested in joining or helping to lead a new small group? You are invited to a four-week introduction to small groups using the Circle Up! approach by Andy Stanley. We will get to know the core principles through a short-term small group experience with the opportunity to create on-going groups at the conclusion. Contact Amy Gundermann ([amy@crossview.net](mailto:amy@crossview.net)) for more information.

**UPCOMING MONEY MATTERS BIBLE CLASS:**

**Sundays, November 5 – November 26, 9:30 – 10:30 am (Rooms 209-211)**

After learning about Paul’s offering for the poor Christians in Jerusalem, this study undergirds the November Sunday morning sermon series on 2 Corinthians 8 and 9. Led by Pastor Steve and Pastor Reed, will take a decidedly practical turn to look at what the Bible teaches about earning, saving, investing, and giving money.

## 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? (Sanctuary)***

Sundays, September 17 – October 29, 9:30 – 10:30 am, taught by Pastor Reed

### ***Intro to Small Groups (Room 213)***

Sundays, October 29 – November 19, 9:30 – 10:30 am, taught by Pastor Reed

### ***Money Matters (Rooms 209-211)***

Sundays, November 5 – November 26, 9:30 – 10:30 am, taught by Pastor Steve & Pastor Reed

### ***Community Light School of Discipleship: Hope Revealed – Revelation Part I (GCR)***

Wednesdays, 6:30 – 8:00 pm, taught by Pastor Reed.

### ***Promised Rest: Finding Peace in God's Presence – Women's Study (Room 119)***

Wednesdays, 6:30 – 8:00 pm, taught by Vicki Weber.

### ***The Chosen – Youth and Adult Study (Room 120)***

Wednesdays, 6:30 – 8:00 pm, taught by Amy Gundermann.

For full descriptions of all Bible studies, please visit Cross View's website at

[https://www.crossview.net/ministries/adult\\_bible\\_study.cfm](https://www.crossview.net/ministries/adult_bible_study.cfm).

## 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 SUNDAY SCHOOL: Today's Topic:** God Floods the Earth in Genesis 7-8, 9:8-16. Bible verse to memorize: Psalm 145:13. Bible point: We can count on God's promises. What to talk about at home: Share one of God's many promises that has been shown to you in your life this week.

**YOUTH SUNDAY SCHOOL (Grades 7 – 12):** We are continuing our series on The Bible, exploring Scripture as a whole grand story that showcases who God is. This week we look at Resolution and Ellipses – The story is still being written, and our lives play a part in the pages to come.

## THIS WEEK AT CROSS VIEW

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

<b>TUESDAY, 10/31</b>	Men's Bible Study Bible Study Fellowship	8:00 am 12:30 pm
<b>WEDNESDAY, 11/1</b>	CV Quilters – Rooms 218-220 Midweek Recharge Meal – <i>Rooms 210-211</i> Women's Choir Rehearsal Hand Bell Choir Rehearsal Midweek Recharge Discipleship Adult Choir Rehearsal	9:30 am 5:15 pm 5:45 pm 6:15 pm 6:30 pm 7:15 pm
<b>SATURDAY, 11/4</b>	Women's Fall Luncheon	11:00 am
<b>SUNDAY, 11/5</b>	Traditional Service – <i>Sanctuary</i> Discipleship Hour Contemporary Service – <i>GCR</i> Youth Group – <i>Room 120</i>	8:15 am 9:30 am 10:45 am 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:** Don & Linda Nelson

**Tuesday:** Ryan & Patrice Nelson (Andrew & Laura)

**Wednesday:** Ev & Geri Niebuhr

**Thursday:** Pete & Carol Niemira

**Friday:** Karl Nilsson & Vina Marquart

**Saturday:** Matt & Kristen Maney (Makenna) – ECC

**Sunday:** Jesse & Karla Mayfield (Noa & 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.*