SUNDAY - January 14, 2024

"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 6:30 pm CV Game Night – Lobby

IN THE SPOTLIGHT!

VOTERS' ASSEMBLY MEETING: The regular January Voters' Assembly Meeting of Cross View Lutheran Church will be held on January 28 at 12:00 pm in the Fellowship Hall. The meeting agenda can be seen below. All members are encouraged to attend. Lunch will be served! We hope to see you there.

AGENDA

- 1. Opening
 - Call to order, Opening prayer, Establishment of quorum
- 2. Approval of Minutes
 - Voters' Assembly Meeting May 21, 2023
 - Voters' Assembly Meeting August 20, 2023
- 3. Personnel Committee Review & 2024 Staffing Updates
 - FCC
 - Traditional Music
 - Technical/Digital Support
- 4. Financial Update
 - 2023 Preliminary Year-End Financials
- 5. Review and Approval of 2024 Budgets
 - Cross View Lutheran Church Budget
 - Overview of budget
 - Cross View Lutheran Early Childhood Center (ECC) Budget
 - Overview of budget
- 6. Restored! Campaign Update
- 7. Closing
 - Adjournment, Closing Prayer

ANNOUNCEMENTS

WED NIGHT MENU: Tater tot hot dish, Broccoli with confetti carrots, salad and pumpkin bars. 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.

WOMEN'S BOOK CLUB: Monday January 15, 1:00 pm (Room 120)

We will meet at the church to discuss *Signal Fires* by Dani Shapiro. Lower level doors will be open. Please feel free to join as new members are always welcome.

VIRTUAL CAREPORTAL TRAINING: January 19, 9:00 - 10:30 am

A virtual training session will be offered in January for those interested in joining the CarePortal Response Team at Cross View. Please email Pam Olsen at careportal@crossview.net and Kristin Broten at Kristin.broten@careportal.org to register and receive a link for the session a few days prior to the training. Please continue to pray for families in crisis in our community and for our work with CarePortal to make an impact with the love of Jesus.

NEW WOMEN'S SMALL GROUP PLANNING MEETING: Saturday February 10, 1:00 – 2:30 pm (Meet at Cross View)

All women who would like to join a small group and find that evenings or weekends work better with their schedules are invited to join us in planning a new group! Contact Amy Gundermann at amy@crossview.net or Deb Wagner at thewagners@comcast.net with questions or to attend.

CELEBRATING THE SANCTITY OF LIFE: In celebration of Life Week, we are launching a collection for Amnion Pregnancy Center on January 21. Amnion Pregnancy Center exists to offer the hope of Jesus Christ to those impacted by an unplanned pregnancy. Over the years, Amnion has provided hope and help to over 18,000 women, partners, and parents. We will be collecting size 5 and 6 diapers, baby wipes and small toys (such as rattles), which are currently most needed at the Center. Please bring your donations to church by *February 11* and look for the display in the lobby to learn more about their services. For more information about Amnion's ministry or how to get involved, visit their website at www.helpofferhope.org. Remember to pray for families facing unplanned pregnancies who are in need of support and compassion.

CARE PORTAL FAMILIES

As we assist families in crisis, we pray for strength, support and grace in their time of need. Specifically, we pray for the following families directly impacted by our donations:

 Mom with a four-year-old daughter, who has struggled with housing since 2022. They are now in stable housing.

OPPORTUNITIES FOR ADULTS

Questions for staff? Contact...

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

The Sermon on the Mount Bible Class (Sanctuary)

Sundays, January 14 – February 11, 9:30 – 10:30 am, taught by Pastor Reed.

Love and Logic® Early Childhood Parenting Class (Rooms 209-211)

Sundays, January 14 – February 11, 9:30 – 10:30 am, taught by Pastor Steve & Dawn Wheeler.

Community Light School of Discipleship: Hope Revealed – Revelation Part 2 (GCR) Wednesdays, 6:30 – 8:00 pm, taught by Pastor Dean Nadasdy.

The Chosen - Youth and Adult Study (Room 120)

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

Romans Bible Study (Room 213)

Thursdays, 9:30 – 11:00 am, taught by Chuck Daenzer.

For full descriptions of all Bible studies, please visit Cross View's website at https://www.crossview.net/ministries/adult_bible_study.cfm.

OPPORTUNITIES FOR CHILDREN AND YOUTH

Questions for staff? Contact...

Director, Children's Ministry: Barbara Coffin (barb@crossview.net; 952-243-2062)

Director, Youth & Young Adult Ministry: Hannah Zahrte (hannah@crossview.net; 952-243-2047)

CHILDREN'S SUNDAY SCHOOL: Today's Topic: God Makes a Covenant with Abram in Genesis 15:1-18. Bible verse to memorize: Jeremiah 29:11. Bible point: God has good plans for us. What to talk about at home: Each person take a turn talking about how you have seen God working in your life lately.

YOUTH SUNDAY SCHOOL (Grades 7 – 12): Today's Bible study looks at the leadership of Moses and concludes that Moses was an effective leader because he looked to and followed God.

UPCOMING SENIOR STEPPING STONE CLASSES:

January 28 – February 11, 9:30 – 10:30 am (Location TBD)

Calling all high school seniors and their parents! As a way to prepare for the upcoming transition with graduation and life after, there will be a series of Stepping Stone classes starting in late January. Parents, please attend with your high school senior as important topics like identity, purpose and what life looks like after high school will be discussed. Contact Hannah at hannah@crossview.net with any questions.

THIS WEEK AT CROSS VIEW

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

MONDAY, 1/15	Women's Book Club – Room 120	1:00 pm
TUESDAY, 1/16	Bible Study Fellowship Praise Team Rehearsal – <i>GCR</i> Church Council Meeting – <i>Room 209</i>	12:30 pm 6:00 pm 6:30 pm
WEDNESDAY, 1/17	CV Quilters – Rooms 218-220 Romans Bible Study – Room 213 Midweek Recharge Meal – Rooms 210-211 Women's Choir Rehearsal – Choir Room Handbell Choir Rehearsal – Sanctuary Midweek Recharge Discipleship Adult Choir Rehearsal – Sanctuary	9:30 am 9:30 am 5:15 pm 5:45 pm 6:15 pm 6:30 pm 7:15 pm
FRIDAY, 1/19	Virtual CarePortal Training	9:00 am
SATURDAY, 1/20	Bloom for Jesus Indian Fellowship	10:30 am
SUNDAY, 1/21	Traditional Service – Sanctuary Discipleship Hour Contemporary Service – GCR Youth Group – Room 120	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: Ed Schmidt

Tuesday: Steve & Jan Schrader **Wednesday**: Arvid Schroeder

Thursday: Justin & Nikki Schroeder (Vivian & Juliet)

Friday: Reg & Joann Schroeder

Saturday: Logan & Lacey Urness (Carling, Monroe & Ellis) - ECC

Sunday: Nita Valentin & Christian Juarez (Ayla, Aleena & Sophia) – 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.