



CROSS VIEW THIS WEEK

SUNDAY – February 18, 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/209/210/211/213*
Children’s Sunday School – *Rooms 113/118/216/217/223*
Junior & Senior High Sunday School – *Rooms 120/122*
Welcome to the Lord’s Table Class – *Chapel*
10:45 am **Contemporary Worship Service** – *Great Commission Room (GCR)*
6:30 pm **Youth Group** – *Room 120*
6:30 pm **Game Night** – *Lobby*

IN THE SPOTLIGHT!

BIG THANKS! Thank you to everyone who responded with generosity to the Sanctity of Life donation drive for Amnion Pregnancy Center. We delivered a carload of donations that will make a huge difference for families facing an unplanned pregnancy. Pray for Amnion as they minister to each precious person with God’s love.

FAMILY MISSION TRIP TO MONTREAL! August 4 – 10, 2024

As we live out our mission to Equip & GO at Cross View, you are invited to consider taking a family mission trip to Montreal, Quebec. To learn more about this exciting opportunity, come to an informational meeting on Wednesday, February 21, in the Fellowship Hall from 7:15 – 8:00 pm (following Lenten worship). This trip is open to anyone 7 years old and up. Contact Amy Gundermann at amy@crossview.net with questions.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

SIGN UP TODAY FOR LENTEN SUPPERS: Cross View’s youth are once again hosting meals each Wednesday through Lent. Please register using the form on the registration table or on CV Connect if you plan to attend. Thank you for supporting the youth as they start fundraising for the National Youth Gathering in 2025!

LENTEN DEVOTIONALS: Take the time to connect with God as we walk through the season of Lent. Devotion books are available at the Registration Desk (one per family).

CAREPORTAL TRAINING: If you are interested in joining the CarePortal team at Cross View, sign up for the remaining virtual (zoom) Response Team Training on February 23 from 9:00 – 10:30 am. If you are interested, email Pam at careportal@crossview.net and Kristin at Kristin.broten@careportal.org.

WELCOME TO CROSS VIEW – NEW MEMBER CLASS:

February 18 – March 24, 9:30 – 10:30 am (Room 213)

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 register. If you have questions or need more information, contact Ann Ryan at annryan@hotmail.com or the church office at 952-941-1094.



WOMEN'S MINISTRY FEBRUARY OUTING: Saturday February 24, 10:00 am

All Cross View ladies are invited to enjoy the spring flowers at the MN Arboretum Spring Flower Show. The group will meet at the Arboretum. Participants must get an entry ticket for the event through the Arboretum (arb.umn.edu/tickets or call 612-301-6775). Tickets are free to Arboretum members and their guests; however, nonmembers must purchase tickets. After seeing the beautiful flowers, enjoy lunch at the Arboretum Cafe! [Register on CV Connect](#) so the leaders know who is coming. Questions? Call Vicki Weber at 952-838-5500.

MEAL TRAIN MINISTRY: In times of need and times of joy, we come together as a community to support one another. We are excited to offer our support through our Meal Train ministry. We invite volunteers to lend a helping hand by providing meals for our members in need. Whether it's a home-cooked dish, a takeout meal, or simply your time to deliver a warm smile and a friendly chat, your contribution will make a difference. If you would like to volunteer your time and culinary talents, please contact Megan Jarvis at meganjarvis.ms@gmail.com to sign up for the distribution list.

If you or someone you know is in need of a meal due to illness, life events, or any other circumstances, please reach out to Megan, and she will gladly help arrange meals to be delivered to your house.

POBLO VOLUNTEERS NEEDED: If you have a heart for ministering to those who have recently immigrated to the United States, consider volunteering with POBLO! They are currently in need of help on Tuesday nights with ESL classes and a new DMV class. No experience necessary. Contact volunteer coordinator Shari Schulze at shari@poblo.org.

BLOOM FOR JESUS INDIAN FELLOWSHIP: The Indian fellowship group that meets at Cross View once a month is looking for help with rides for a number of students in the U of M area who would like to attend. There are over 400 students from India studying at Concordia University, and this Christian fellowship presents some exciting opportunities to reach out with the Gospel of Jesus. If you are interested in getting involved, contact Amy Gundermann at amy@crossview.net.

WOMEN'S BOOK CLUB: Monday February 19, 1:00 pm (Room 120)

The group will meet at the church to discuss *House of Lincoln* by Nancy Horan. Please feel free to join us: new members are always welcome.

JOIN A SMALL GROUP! At Cross View, we know being a member of a small group can be transformational. Groups spend time together in God's Word, share life's joys and challenges, pray for one another, and serve others like Jesus did. If you'd like to join a group or become a small group leader, please contact Amy Gundermann (amy@crossview.net) or complete the [interest form on our website](#).

OPPORTUNITIES FOR ADULTS

Questions for staff? Contact...

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

Zechariah: Your Kingdom Come! (Sanctuary)

Sundays, February 18 – March 24, 9:30 – 10:30 am, taught by Pastor Reed.

Love and Logic® Early Childhood Parenting Class (Rooms 210-211)

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

Genesis in the Gospel of John (Room 209)

Sundays, February 18 – March 24, 9:30 – 10:30 am, taught by Jeff Coffin.

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 Zahrt (hannah@crossview.net; 952-243-2047)

CHILDREN'S SUNDAY SCHOOL: Today's Topic: God dwells with us in John 1:1-14. Bible verse to memorize: John 1:14. Bible point: Jesus is God. What to talk about at home: Have you ever wondered how Jesus could be God in human form? Read John 1:1-14 together as a family to answer your question.

YOUTH SUNDAY SCHOOL (Grades 7 – 12): Today's Bible study considers the faith of Shadrach, Meshach and Abednego. It offers some practical steps to prepare and strengthen Christians as they step out into a world that is going to attack them, as they strive to be faithful to what they believe.

WELCOME TO THE LORD'S TABLE:

February 11 – March 24, 9:30 – 10:30 am (Chapel)

In this stepping stone class, fifth grade students will learn alongside their parents the theology and significance behind the Lord's Supper. The children will experience their first communion upon completion of this class.

THIS WEEK AT CROSS VIEW

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

MONDAY, 2/19	Women’s Book Club – <i>Room 120</i>	1:00 pm
TUESDAY, 2/20	Bible Study Fellowship Praise Team Rehearsal – <i>GCR</i> TNT (Twenties & Thirties) Outing – <i>Offsite</i> Spiritual Care MAT	12:30 pm 6:00 pm 6:30 pm 7:00 pm
WEDNESDAY, 2/21	Cross View Quilters – <i>Rooms 218-220</i> Lenten Dinner – <i>GCR</i> Women’s Choir Rehearsal – <i>Choir Room</i> Hand Bell Choir Rehearsal – <i>Sanctuary</i> Lenten Worship – <i>Sanctuary</i> Adult Choir Rehearsal – <i>Sanctuary</i> Family Mission Trip Info Meeting	9:30 am 5:15 pm 5:45 pm 6:00 pm 6:30 pm 7:15 pm 7:15 pm
FRIDAY, 2/23	Virtual CarePortal Training (Zoom)	9:00 am
SATURDAY, 2/24	Women’s Ministry Arboretum Event	10:00 am
SUNDAY, 2/25	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: Charmaine Stillwell

Tuesday: Johanna Stratmoen

Wednesday: Charlie Sunderland

Thursday: Richard & Delphine Sunderland

Friday: Kirk & Kris Swenson (Lauren & Alexa)

Saturday: Alberto & Andrea Bautista (Scarlett) – ECC

Sunday: Jimmy & Erika Bennett (Joelle, Brooklynn & Cutler) – 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: hanson96@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.*