## **SUNDAY - June 9, 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/Youth Discipleship Hour – Rooms 209-211

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

Special Needs Ministry Meeting – Room 213

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

6:30 pm CV Game Night – Lobby

# IN THE SPOTLIGHT!

CAFÉ CROSS VIEW SUMMER SELF SERVE: As we come to the beginning of our summer season, Café Cross View will continue to offer coffee and treats with a couple of changes. In order to give our volunteers a break, we will offer beverages and store-bought treats on a SELF-SERVE basis. Pre-wrapped treats will be available with a suggested donation of \$1 per treat. Beverages will be available with a suggested donation of \$2 per beverage. These prices will maintain our budget and allow us to continue to provide treats this summer. Please place your weekly donations in the locked donation box. Thank you!

#### BEAR FRUIT! June 9 - 30

Jesus says in John 15:5, "I am the vine; you are the branches. If you remain in me and I in you, you will bear much fruit; apart from me you can do nothing."

There are two trees in the lobby that are used regularly to present giving opportunities to the congregation. For the month of June, Cross View is flipping things around a little! Instead of taking tags OFF of the trees, we want you to put tags ONTO the trees. We are encouraging everyone to find an opportunity to serve others during the month of June and then share your story by hanging an ornament on the trees. You can choose to sign your name or remain anonymous as you "bear fruit". Service opportunities can be found through an organization, caring for a neighbor in need, or just a random act of kindness. Let's fill those trees up and bless those around us with the love of Jesus!

**GLOBESERVE MINISTRIES ART DISPLAY:** Students from Cross View participated with this international art exchange of 400 students by creating drawings of their favorite scripture that were exchanged with drawings created by the students from the school in Ghana. The art displayed in the sanctuary is from the students at the Frauenshuh Preparatory School in Ghana.

#### **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

#### SPECIAL NEEDS SUNDAY SCHOOL TRAINING (Room 213):

If you are interested in helping out with our new Special Needs Sunday School class starting in October, please attend the volunteer training on Sunday, June 9, from 9:30 – 10:30 am.

### WOMEN'S BOOK CLUB: Monday June 17, 1:00 pm (Room 120)

The group will meet at the church to discuss *Joy for Beginners* by Erica Bauermeister. Please feel free to join, as new members are always welcome.

# MISSIONAL SERVICE OPPORTUNITY – GLOBAL HEALTH MINISTRIES: Monday, July 15, with the following available shifts:

**❖** 10:00 am − Noon, 1:00 − 3:00 pm, 6:00 − 8:00 pm

We are flooding Global Health Ministries with volunteers for a day of impact! We have three 2-hour shifts to choose from to help sort and pack medical equipment and supplies. These items are shared with under-resourced countries around the world to improve access to healthcare. Learn more about their ministry at <a href="www.ghm.org">www.ghm.org</a>. Invite a friend, serve together as a family, or coordinate with your small group! Sign up on CV Connect to join us and contact Amy Gundermann at amy@crossview.net with questions.

#### 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 prayerfully consider taking a family mission trip to Montreal, Quebec. This trip is open to anyone 7 years old and up. Contact Amy Gundermann at amy@crossview.net for more information or visit the Registration Desk.

#### (TC)2 = TAKING CARE OF THE TWIN CITIES - August 18

This is our chance to deploy throughout our community and serve our neighbors. We will have one service at 9:30 am and then teams will be sent out to complete service projects at various sites. Everyone will reconvene at the end of the day to celebrate with dinner and closing devotions. All ages and abilities are welcome! Register on CV Connect by July 14 to receive a t-shirt or by August 11 (no t-shirt).

PREPARING FOR THE SACRAMENT: As we prepare to receive communion in worship, we take time to examine our hearts and acknowledge our need for Jesus as our Savior. We have added a tool in our worship spaces at Cross View to help with self-examination using ten simple questions from Luther's "Christian Questions with their Answers". As you fill out the Connect Card, the questions can be reviewed in the plastic sleeve of the Connect Card folder. You can also find laminated copies at the usher stand in both the Sanctuary and the Great Commission Room available to be used in worship and then placed back in the rack at the end of the service. Be assured that Jesus died for your sins and loves you with an everlasting love!

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)

# Learning and Living the Lord's Prayer (Rooms 209-211) Sundays, June 2 – July 14, 9:30 – 10:30 am (Rooms 209-211)

During our series on the Lord's Prayer, Adult Bible Class digs deeper into topics that include the prayer's context in Matthew's gospel, forgiving people who have hurt us, and what it means to ask for God's kingdom to come. You're invited to go beyond the words of the Lord's Prayer to discover its magnificent meaning.

## **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 SUMMER SUNDAY SCHOOL:** Families with children ages 6<sup>th</sup> 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 will be no youth Sunday School classes during the summer. Youth are instead invited to attend the adult class during the education hour this summer!

# VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL: June 17 – 21, 9:00 am – Noon Donations Needed!

We need your donations to make VBS a success! Please take a tag off the donation tree in the narthex and return it back to the kitchen off the Great Commission Room by June 9. Thank you for your support in teaching over 200 kids about God's amazing friendship and love!

### Required Volunteer Training (Room 218)

All VBS volunteers (adults and youth) are required to attend one of the two following options for training:

- Wednesday, June 12, from 10:00 11:00 am
- Sunday, June 16, from 9:30 10:30 am

#### THIS WEEK AT CROSS VIEW

Church office hours: Monday – Thursday 9:00 am – 4:30 pm; Friday 9:00 am – Noon

TUESDAY, 6/11	Men's Bible Study – Room 213 Church Council Meeting – Room 209 TNT Group Outing – Offsite	8:00 am 6:30 pm 6:30 pm
WEDNESDAY, 6/12	VBS Volunteer Training – Room 218	10:00 am
SATURDAY, 6/15	Bloom for Jesus Indian Fellowship	10:30 am
SUNDAY, 6/16	Traditional Service – Sanctuary Discipleship Hour VBS Volunteer Training – Room 218 Contemporary Service – GCR	8:15 am 9:30 am 9:30 am 10:45 am

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

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

**Monday**: John & Kelly Daenzer (Mark & Luke)

Tuesday: Ellen Dalen

**Wednesday**: Arlin & Cathie Danielson **Thursday**: Bruce & Diane Davis

Friday: Mel Davis

Saturday: Bobby & Clare Kroog (Luca & Callan) - ECC

Sunday: Tom & Ashley Laurila (Leo) – 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.