



CROSS VIEW THIS WEEK

SUNDAY – October 27, 2024

"Come, let us bow down in worship, let us kneel before the LORD our Maker." [Psalm 95:6]

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| 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 |
| | Journey Stepping Stone Class – Room 223 |
| 10:45 am | Contemporary Worship Service – Great Commission Room (GCR) |
| 3:00 pm | Trunk or Treat – Lower Level Parking Lot |

IN THE SPOTLIGHT!

HELP SUPPORT CROSS VIEW'S EARLY CHILDHOOD CENTER: Cross View's ECC is hosting a fundraiser at Davanni's in Edina (5124 Gus Young Lane) on Tuesday, October 29 from 4:00 – 8:00 pm. For any order you make for either take out or dine in, 20% of the total goes back to the center. When you order, say you are with the Cross View Early Childhood Center or bring the inserted voucher. Please save your dinner plans and support the ECC – they would love to see you there! Questions? Please reach out to the ECC office at 952-941-0009.

NEW SPECIAL NEEDS SENSORY BAGS: Cross View's Special Needs Ministry has provided our services with special sensory bags, a collection of different stimulating and soothing items for people during services. Please see an usher if you would like a sensory bag for either yourself or your child.

TRUNK OR TREAT - TODAY! Cross View is hosting a Trunk-or-Treat today, from 3:00 – 5:00 pm. Invite your friends and neighbors to join us for a fall fellowship event for families! Sign up on CV Connect to volunteer to help during the event. **Volunteers are still needed!** Contact Barb Coffin at barb@crossview.net with questions.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

SPECIAL MUSIC AT TODAY'S 8:15 TRADITIONAL SERVICE: We welcome and thank our talented musicians at today's early service:

Guest Oboist: Lauren Seidel

Trumpets: John Bentley, Nancy Michels

Percussionists: Kris Mussell, Amy Gundermann, Donovan Eidem, Susan Bentley

ALL SAINTS SUNDAY – SPECIAL PROCESSIONAL: The Cross View choir will be leading a "procession around the saints" litany at the 8:15 service on All Saints Sunday, November 3. This litany will include the random reading of saints now in the Church Triumphant whom Cross View members hold dear. These names will be read by choir members as they process around the worshipping assembly, surrounding them with a "cloud of witnesses." If you would like to have names of loved ones included in this procession, please email the name(s) to David Mennicke at david@crossview.net by noon on October 28. Pronunciations for the names are most helpful and welcome.

SEWING SUPPLIES FOR GUATEMALA: The Women's Ministry is sponsoring a collection of sewing items to be donated to our mission partners in Los Vasquez, Guatemala. Please check The Giving Trees in the upper lobby for details. Items will be collected through Saturday, November 2, at our Fall Luncheon. Questions? Ask Marcia Johnson (marcia.sarahandemilysmom@gmail.com) or Vicki Weber (mvweber1@yahoo.com).

WOMEN'S MINISTRY FALL LUNCHEON: Saturday, Nov. 2, 11:00 am – 1:00 pm
Please join us for the 2024 Women's Ministry Fall Luncheon! The guest speaker is missionally-focused DCE Traci Kohls of Trinity Lutheran Church in Waconia, MN. Cross View's women will be treated to lunch as well as music by members of the Cross View Worship Band. Friends are welcome! Register ASAP on CV Connect to help with planning. Questions? Contact Marcia Johnson (marcia.sarahandemilysmom@gmail.com) or Vicki Weber (mvweber1@yahoo.com).

LERT (LUTHERAN EARLY RESPONSE TEAM) TRAINING: Our LERT Team is exploring travel dates to help with hurricane relief. If you are interested in helping communities impacted by disaster, you are welcome to join our LERT Team at Cross View. The next training offered in our district will be on November 23 from 9:00 am – 3:00 pm at St. John Lutheran Church in Luverne. Ages 14 and up are eligible for the training. The cost is \$20 and you can sign up at www.lcms-lert-org under "trainings and deployments." Through LERT, we have a unique opportunity to share the love of Jesus. Contact Phil Johnson with questions at philj23@gmail.com.

NATIVITYFEST – A FAMILY-FRIENDLY CHRISTMAS CELEBRATION!

Saturday, December 7, 10:00 am – 12:00 pm

Our Christmas outreach event is a great way to kick off the Advent season! The activities will point to Jesus as the reason for the season with something for everyone to enjoy. We will have a live nativity, crafts, treats, story time, and more. We will need a lot of helpers, so check out CV Connect for ways to volunteer! Also, visit the Giving Trees in the lobby to donate cookies to be served as treats during the event. Contact Amy Gundermann (amy@crossview.net) or Barb Coffin (barb@crossview.net) with questions.

WOMEN'S BOOK CLUB: Monday November 18, 1:00 pm (Room 120)

The group will meet at the church to discuss *The Masterpiece* by Fiona Davis. Please feel free to join, as new members are always welcome.

TRINITY FIRST – THANKSGIVING FAMILY NIGHT: Cross View will be hosting a Thanksgiving Family Night at Trinity First on Tuesday, November 26, from 5:00 – 6:30 pm. There will be food, games, and crafts for families to do together. If you would like to help with this event, sign up on CV Connect. Check out the sign up in the lobby to donate pies for the event. Please contact Amy Gundermann at amy@crossview.net with any questions.

OPPORTUNITIES FOR ADULTS

Questions for staff? Contact...

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

Martin Luther and the Devotional Life (Sanctuary)

Sunday, Oct. 27, 9:30 – 10:30 am, taught by Pastor Reed Lessing and David Mennicke

The Old Testament Hall of Fame | Hebrews 11 (Sanctuary)

Sunday, Nov. 3, 9:30 – 10:30 am, taught by Pastor Reed Lessing

How's Your Marriage Toolkit? A Marriage Enrichment Seminar (Rooms 210-211)

Sundays, Sep. 15 – Nov. 3, 9:30 – 10:30 am, taught by Pastor Steve Wheeler

Parables and Possessions (Sanctuary)

Sundays, Nov. 10 – Nov. 24, 9:30 – 10:30 am, taught by Pastor Reed Lessing

Community Light School of Discipleship – Jonah: The Survivor Series (GCR)

Wednesdays, Sep. 11 – Nov. 13, 6:30 – 8:00 pm, taught by Dr. Reed Lessing

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: The Israelites Build the Tabernacle in Exodus 35:4 – 36:38. Bible verse to memorize: Colossians 3:17. Bible point: We all can serve God. What to talk about at home: Talk about a new way to serve God this week as a family that you haven't done before.

SR. YOUTH SUNDAY SCHOOL: Today's lesson connects what students have learned about creation and sin with their personal, everyday experience of sin and their need for a Savior.

JR. YOUTH SUNDAY SCHOOL: Today's lesson will help students consider the possible consequences of listening to the world's lies—and the rewards of listening to truth instead.

THIS WEEK AT CROSS VIEW

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

MONDAY, 10/28	BSF Leaders Meeting	9:30 am
	Children's MAT Meeting – Room 213	3:30 pm
TUESDAY, 10/29	Men's Bible Study	8:00 am
	Bible Study Fellowship (BSF)	12:30 pm
	Praise Team Rehearsal – GCR	6:00 pm
WEDNESDAY, 10/30	CV Quilters – Room 218	9:30 am
	Hand Bell Choir Rehearsal – Sanctuary	5:30 pm
	Midweek Recharge Discipleship	6:30 pm
	Adult Choir Rehearsal – Sanctuary	6:45 pm
	Women's Choir Ensemble – Sanctuary	8:15 pm
SATURDAY, 11/2	Women's Ministry Fall Luncheon – GCR	11:00 am
SUNDAY, 11/3	Traditional Service – Sanctuary	8:15 am
	Discipleship Hour	9:30 am
	Contemporary Service – GCR	10:45 am
	Next Season Moms Meeting – Room 213	12:00 pm
	Sr. High Youth Group – Room 120	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: Pastor Reed Lessing

Tuesday: Dave & Nancy Losier

Wednesday: Larry Lunderby

Thursday: Donald Madsen

Friday: Matthew & Casey Malenstyn (Landon & Thomas)

Saturday: Justin & Alison Dancs (Simon & Logan) – ECC

Sunday: Chris & Sarah Delfosse (Matthew & Michael) – 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.*