



CROSS VIEW THIS WEEK

SUNDAY – May 4, 2025

"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 209-211*

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

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

10:45 am **Confirmation Worship Service** – *Sanctuary*

6:30 pm **Next Season Moms Group** – *Room 213*

6:30 pm **Sr. High Youth Group** – *Room 120*

IN THE SPOTLIGHT!

VOTERS' ASSEMBLY MEETING: Sunday, May 18, at 12:30 pm in the Great Commission Room.

AGENDA

1. Opening:

- Call to order
- Opening prayer
- Establishment of quorum

2. Approval of Voters' Assembly Minutes

- January 26, 2025 Meeting Minutes

3. Financials

- 2024 Final Financial Results
- 2025 Year-to-Date Results

4. Personnel Committee Update

- New Members of Personnel Committee
- Introduction of New ECC Director Tania Rivera Perez
- Status of New Assistant Director

5. Church Council Member Slate Election

6. Plan for Short-term Deployment of General Funds, Tax Refund, Designated Gifts

- Overview of General Fund, Tax Refunds & Recent Designated Gifts
- Short-term deployment of some General Funds, Tax Funds & Designated Gifts
- Long-term visioning for future of Cross View ministry

7. Mission Update

8. Closing:

- Adjournment
- Closing Prayer

ANNOUNCEMENTS

LERT TRAINING: Basic Training for Lutheran Early Response Team (LERT) will be held at Cross View on Saturday, May 10, from 9:00 am to 2:00 pm. Participants are urged to register on CV Connect and pre-register at https://www.lcms-lerc.org/need/detail/?need_id=1066238, so we have materials for everyone. The registration fee of \$20 per person will include breakfast, lunch, snacks, training materials, and LERT T-shirt. If you have questions, please contact Phil Johnson at philj23@gmail.com or Amy Gundermann at amy@crossview.net.

CROSS VIEW GARDENING MAT: Cross View is looking for a few more members for its gardening team. No experience necessary, just the love of gardening. Please call Sue Hanson at 952-826-9401 if interested.

CAREPORTAL TRAINING: There is training offered via Zoom for those interested in becoming a member of our CarePortal Response Team. If you'd like to get involved in helping families in crisis, please contact Pam Olsen at careportal@crossview.net. The next training date is Thursday, May 8, 6:30 – 8:00 pm.

MEN'S RETREAT AND WORK DAY AT CAMP OMEGA: Men of all ages are welcome to join us for a retreat and work day at Camp Omega on May 16 – 17. The group will meet at church at 4:30 pm on Friday and grab dinner on the way to camp, returning around 5:30 pm on Saturday. Projects such as trail-clearing, picnic table repairs, light construction projects, and cleaning are anticipated. Breakfast and lunch will be provided. Sign up on CV Connect by May 12. Contact Dan Battcher at dtbattcher@gmail.com with questions.

SERVICE OPPORTUNITY AT SLEEP IN HEAVENLY PEACE: Join us on June 12 to volunteer at Sleep in Heavenly Peace from 5:30 pm – 7:45 pm. This organization's mission is to make sure every child has a bed to sleep in. We will be sawing, sanding, and staining bed parts to be assembled later as they are needed. While this event is hosted by the Men's Ministry, everyone ages 12 and up are welcome to attend! Plan to meet at Northern Tool and Equipment off County Rd 42 in Burnsville. Sign up on CV Connect to join the fun!

MEN'S BIBLE STUDY: Looking for small group men's bible study? Join a new group every Friday morning at the Original Pancake House in Eden Prairie at 7:00 am for a weekly study of Lamentations. Contact Dan Battcher at dtbattcher@gmail.com with questions.

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

The group will meet at the church to discuss *The Art Thief* by Michael Finkel. Please feel free to join, as new members are always welcome.

(TC)² = TAKING CARE OF THE TWIN CITIES: Save the date! Our congregational-wide big day to serve our community will be on **August 24** this year. After worship, there will be opportunities for all ages to disperse throughout the Twin Cities to serve our neighbors and then celebrate with a meal together at the end of the day. Watch for more details to come!

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)

Stop Running Scared (Sanctuary)

Sundays, Apr. 27 – Jun. 1, 9:30 – 10:30 am, taught by Pastor Reed

1 Timothy – Using Your Gifts to Build Up His Church (Rooms 209-211)

Sundays, Apr. 27 – May 18, 9:30 – 10:30 am, taught by Roy Campen

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: Jesus teaches about rewards in Luke 6:17-26. Bible verse to memorize: Colossians 3:2. Bible point: Put God first. What to talk about at home: Talk about some ways you can be sure you are putting God first in your family.

SR. YOUTH SUNDAY SCHOOL: Every Christ-follower, every messenger of Good News, has a moment when he or she is called by God to put their faith in Jesus. In today's lesson, the students will be challenged to consider how they respond to God and the Gospel.

JR. YOUTH SUNDAY SCHOOL: We are all going to fail. A lot. It's just a fact of life – even if we don't want to acknowledge it. In today's lesson, students will find ways to grow and trust Jesus more when they fail.

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL: Monday, June 16 – Friday, June 20, 9:00 am – noon

This year's theme is True North: Trusting Jesus in a Wild World. Registration is currently open on CV Connect! Children ages three (and potty trained) to rising 5th graders are invited to participate. The kids will enjoy singing, doing science experiments that point to Jesus, eating fun snacks, playing games, and much more! Tell a friend! Please contact Barb Coffin if you would like to volunteer. Adult and youth (children who are rising 6th graders and older) are welcome to volunteer.

THIS WEEK AT CROSS VIEW

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

MONDAY, 5/5	TNT Bible Study – Room 120	6:00 pm
TUESDAY, 5/6	Men's Bible Study	8:00 am
	Bible Study Fellowship	12:30 pm
	Praise Team Rehearsal – GCR	6:00 pm
WEDNESDAY, 5/7	CV Quilters – Room 218	9:30 am
	Hand Bell Choir Rehearsal – Sanctuary	5:30 pm
	Adult Choir Rehearsal – GCR	6:45 pm
	Women's Ensemble Rehearsal – Sanctuary	8:15 pm
THURSDAY, 5/8	CarePortal Training – Online/Zoom	6:30 pm
FRIDAY, 5/9	Men's Bible Study – Offsite	7:00 am
SATURDAY, 5/10	L.E.R.T. Training – Room 209	9:00 am
SUNDAY, 5/11	Traditional Service – Sanctuary	8:15 am
	Discipleship Hour	9:30 am
	Contemporary Service – GCR	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: Claire Baule

Tuesday: John & Susan Bentley

Wednesday: Paul & Victoria Berge

Thursday: Gene & Ethel Berndt

Friday: Jared & Emily Betterman (Peyton & Sadie)

Saturday: Emma Borgerson – ECC

Sunday: Alissa Brown – 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.*