SUNDAY - September 28, 2025

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

9:12 am	Traditional worship service – Sunctuary
9:30 am	Discipleship Hour / Sunday School
9:30 am	Adventure Bible Stepping Stone Class – Room 223
9:30 am	New Member Class – Fellowship Hall
10:45 am	Contemporary Worship Service – Great Commission Room (GCR)

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

IN THE SPOTLIGHT!

MEN'S MINISTRY FALL BREAKFAST – THIS SATURDAY! The Men's Ministry will be hosting a breakfast on October 4 at Cross View with guest speaker Jerrid Sebesta, author of *Life-Undeferred* and former meteorologist for KARE11. Please plan to arrive at 7:45 am, with the event concluding at 10:00 am. Cost: \$30/adult, \$15/youth, or reserve a table for 6 for \$160. Register on CV Connect by October 1st. Contact Dave Wagner with questions at dave@ambrosiacoffeemn.com. This event is open to all – men, women and youth!

FAMILY MINISTRY CHALLENGE – **EATING TOGETHER:** Cross View will have monthly focuses this year to help develop faith within our families. During the month of September, families are encouraged to eat together. Please see the display in the lobby for families to add seeds to a jar so Cross View can count how many family meals have taken place. Here are some questions this week to discuss while eating:

1) What is something God has taught you recently? 2) What is your favorite thing about the season of fall? 3) Talk about a time you felt peace lately.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

TRUNK OR TREAT – SAVE THE DATE! Sunday, October 26, 3:00 – 5:00 pm Save the date for Cross View's fun family ministry and outreach event, Trunk or Treat! The donation trees in the narthex are up, requesting candy and drink donations. Cross View Connect has the sign up for decorating trunks and the needed volunteers to make this a successful event. We need your trunk! This is a fun event for all. Please contact Barb Coffin with questions.

CAREPORTAL TRAINING: The next trainings offered via Zoom to become a member of our CarePortal Response Team will be on Monday, October 6, from 6:30 – 8:00 pm or Friday, October 24, from 11:30 am – 1:00 pm. If you'd like to get involved in helping families in crisis, please contact Pam Olsen at careportal@crossview.net.

SUNDAY SCHOOL OPEN HOUSE: Parents, come check out what your kids are learning and going to learn in Sunday School this coming year on Sunday, Oct 12, from 9:30 – 10:30 am in each of your children's classrooms. We'd love for you to know what is going on in their class so you can talk about it at home!

FALL POTLUCK – SENIOR ADULT MINISTRY: A Fall Potluck will be hosted by the Senior Adult Ministry at Cross View for those 60+! We will gather in the Fellowship Hall on Sunday, October 12 from 4:00 – 6:00 pm. Sign up on CV Connect or at the Registration Desk. Contact Kathy Fulkerson at kfulkerson@yahoo.com or Sue Harrison at kharrison1111@gmail.com with questions.

MN SOUTH BASIC LERT & CHAINSAW TRAINING: October 24 – 25, Camp Omega The weekend of sessions at Camp Omega start on Friday, October 24, with Basic LERT training on Friday afternoon/evening from 4:30pm – 8:30 pm. On Saturday, October 25, MN South District's first Basic Chainsaw training will take place from 8:00 am – 5:00 pm. The Basic LERT training is required to take the Basic Chainsaw training. If you already have the Basic LERT certification, you do not need to retake Friday's course for the chainsaw training. If you wish to attend both and stay at Camp Omega, there are housing options available! For more information and to register, please visit https://www.lcms-lert.org/need/index/.

BELLS OF THE LAKES CONCERT AT CROSS VIEW: Saturday, Oct. 25, 6:30 pm (GCR) The Bells of the Lakes handbell ensemble will present: *Music is Life*, an hour-long concert on Saturday, October 25 at Cross View. This group is a semi-professional 17-member handbell ensemble based in Minneapolis and led by founder director William Mathis, a nationally renowned handbell and choral clinician/arranger. The concert is free, with a freewill offering taken going to Cross View. Please invite any and all! For more information about the ensemble and their upcoming performances, see bellsofthelakes.org.

WOMEN'S FALL LUNCHEON & SUPPLY COLLECTION:

Saturday, November 1, 11:00 am – 1:00 pm (Great Commission Room)
Please join us for the 2025 Women's Ministry Fall Luncheon! The theme this year is

"Shine Like Stars" and the guest speaker is author Gaye Lindfors. Please register on CV Connect, bring a friend and be treated to a catered lunch! The charitable outreach this year is a collection of items for the Greater Minneapolis Crisis Nursery. Visit the Giving Trees display for this ingathering in Cross View's upper lobby starting Sunday, October 12. Questions? Contact Marcia Johnson (marcia.sarahandemilysmom@gmail.com) or Brenda Flicek (bfflicek@gmail.com).

OPPORTUNITIES FOR ADULTS

Questions for staff? Contact...

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

1 John - Unwavering: Light in the Darkness (Sanctuary & Online)

Sundays, Sept. 14 – Oct. 19, 9:30 – 10:30 am, taught by Pastor Reed

Community Light School of Discipleship (CLSD): Genesis 1-11: From Creation to Confusion (In Person or Online – Sign up on CV Connect)

Wednesdays, Sept. 10 - Nov. 19, 6:30 - 8:00 pm, taught by Pastor Reed. Please sign up on CV Connect so we can plan for in-person discussion groups.

The Book of Hebrews (Offsite – Ambrosia Coffee)

Every other Sat., starting Sept. 13, 9:30 – 11:00 am, led by Dave Wagner & Roy Campen

Old Testament Tabernacle & God's Message to Moses (Room 213)

Every other Thursday, 9:30 – 11:00 am, led by Steve Koepcke

Grace & Truth for Moms (Fellowship Hall)

Sundays, Sept. 14 – Oct. 12, 9:30 – 10:30 am, led by Meggin Carlson

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 forgives David in 2 Samuel 12:1-7; Psalm 51:1-12. Bible verse to memorize: 1 John 1:9. Bible point: God wants us to repent when we sin. What to talk about at home: Share something that you need to confess to God and pray together about it.

SR. YOUTH SUNDAY SCHOOL: Today's lesson examines three key truths found in the life of Joshua: Leadership can be learned, leadership benefits everyone, and leadership produces change. These key principles form the foundation for moving forward in leadership, and they help teenagers counter the myths of leadership discussed in the previous lesson.

JR. YOUTH SUNDAY SCHOOL: Today we start a 5 week Right Now Media series on The Bible, exploring Scripture as a whole grand story that showcases who God is. This week we look at The Setup – The Bible tells one profound story. ALL the different genres (poetry, eyewitness accounts, personal letters and narratives) point in the SAME direction. They are all about the same characters, working to accomplish the same mission and goal.

THIS WEEK AT CROSS VIEW

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

TUESDAY, 9/30	Men's Bible Study – <i>Room 213</i>	8:00 am
	Bible Study Fellowship (BSF)	10:00 am
	Praise Team Rehearsal – GCR	6:00 pm
WEDNESDAY, 10/1	CV Quilters – Room 218	9:30 am
	Hand Bell Choir Rehearsal – Sanctuary	5:30 pm
	CLSD, Confirmation & Kidstitute	6:30 pm
	Adult Choir Rehearsal – Sanctuary	6:45 pm
	Women's Ensemble Rehearsal – Sanctuary	8:15 pm
THURSDAY, 10/2	Adult Bible Study – Room 213	9:30 am
	Marketing MAT – Offsite	5:30 pm
FRIDAY, 10/3	Men's Bible Study – <i>Offsite</i>	7:00 am
SATURDAY, 10/4	Men's Ministry Breakfast – GCR	8:00 am
	Women's Ministry MAT – Room 213	9:00 am
SUNDAY, 10/5	Traditional Service – Sanctuary	8:15 am
	Discipleship Hour	9:30 am
	New Member Class – Fellowship Hall	9:30 am
	Adventure Bible Stepping Stone – Room 223	9:30 am
	Contemporary Service – GCR	10:45 am
	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: Michael & Glenda Kibat Tuesday: Dan & Nuavana Kieffer Wednesday: Paul & Carol Kieffer Thursday: Don & Karen Klingel

Friday: Joe & Carrie Klosterman (Ida & Ingrid)
Saturday: Jafari & Ashley Johnson (Zahrah) – ECC
Sunday: Matt & Lora Kassanchuk (Chloe) – 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.