

## NEXT STEPS

We want you to feel a part of our church community as we worship Jesus Christ together. Please tear off this form and place in the black box entitled "Prayer Requests and New Attendees" on the table as you exit the sanctuary. Thank you!

- First Time Visitor
- Regular Attendee
- Update My Information

Please take a moment to fill out this form:

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

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Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

Family members attending with you:

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I would like more information about:

- Baptism
- Membership
- Children's Ministry
- Youth Ministry
- College Ministry
- Small Groups
- Knowing more about Christ
- I would like to speak to a Pastor
- I would like to receive emails
- Other:

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## SERMON NOTES

### CONNECT WITH CROSSVIEW CHURCH

#### Sunday Worship 9:00 & 10:45 a.m.

150 Bethany Road  
DeKalb, IL 60115  
815.756.8729  
contact@crossviewfca.com  
facebook.com/crossviewfca  
instagram.com/crossviewfca

#### Office Hours:

Monday Closed  
Tuesday - Friday  
8:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.

#### STAFF TEAM

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type Crossview, select our Church, select My Ministry.

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# JESUS

May 5, 2024

*A Mighty Fortress Is Our God*  
Hymn 151

Welcome  
Call to Worship

*All Creatures*  
*Only A Holy God*  
*Lord I Need You*

Children's Programming: 9am & 10:45am  
{4 yrs. - 2<sup>nd</sup> grade, Rm. 8 / 3<sup>rd</sup> - 5<sup>th</sup>, Rm. 9}

Announcements

Like a Dove  
John 1:29-34  
Pastor Jeff Knitt

Communion

*Who You Say I Am*  
Benediction & Blessing

Service Times: 9am & 10:45am

**NEW HERE?**  
Stop by our welcome table to receive a gift.

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# WELCOME

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## TODAY

### Sunday School Classes:

#### 9am

**Sharpen (College & Young Adult Group):** Sharpen is a discussion-based group that does a combination of digging deeper into the sermons as well as growing in community by hearing testimonies of God's work in other's lives. Questions? Contact Chris DeVlieger (815-494-2079) or Lauren DeVlieger (937-212-8269), Room 4

#### 10:30-11:30am

**Survey of the Book of Acts:** Join us as we examine the history of the early church and the spread of the Gospel in Jerusalem, Judea, and Samaria. We'll survey Acts Chapters 14 - 28, considering how the early church grew and spread, the role of the Holy Spirit, how believers interacted with those in authority, and what this could mean to believers today. Open to all ages. Facilitator: Rick Burchell, Room 2

**Nursery** Available both services.

**Children's Programming** Available both services. 4 yrs. – 2<sup>nd</sup> grade, Rm. 8.  
3<sup>rd</sup> – 5<sup>th</sup> grade, Rm. 9. Children are dismissed.

**HS Youth Group** 6-8pm

## WEEK AHEAD

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| <b>Monday</b>    | 10:30am<br>6:30pm | Women's Prayer<br>Conquer Series Men's Group |
| <b>Wednesday</b> | 6:30am<br>6-8pm   | Men's Prayer<br>MS Youth Group<br>Formed     |
| <b>Thursday</b>  | 7pm               | Worship Rehearsal                            |

**YOUTH GROUP: IMPORTANT** – Parents, please join our communication platform to instantly receive time/location changes & cancellations.  
**HS Youth Group: Text @CviewH** to 81010.  
**MS Youth Group: Text @CviewM** to 81010.  
 Questions? Contact Nolan Hodge, Youth Pastor: [nhodge@crossviewefca.com](mailto:nhodge@crossviewefca.com)

# ANNOUNCEMENTS

**PRAY FOR ONE ANOTHER** - Pray for **those who work in agriculture (farmers and farm-related industries):** Pray for favorable weather for planting crops and for God's protection during it. Pray for physical stamina when long hours are needed and for wisdom in the many decisions that need to be made. Pray they would depend upon God and draw near to Him as they observe the beauty and intricacies of His creation.

**VBS Registration is OPEN!** For Kids between the ages of 4 years and entering 5<sup>th</sup> grade. June 3<sup>rd</sup>-6<sup>th</sup> from 6-8pm. Please register by Monday, May 20. Scan the QR code to register! If you are interested in volunteering, you can also register at this link. Don't forget to invite a friend!



**VBS Donations Needed!** See fish net display in the lobby for a variety of needs. Take as many slips as you would like and return those items to church by Friday, May 24. Bring any perishables on Sunday, June 2. Thank you!

**Sharpen: College & Young Adult Group** will meet today, for our final meeting this term. We will break for the summer. See you next Fall!

**Come Cheer on Crossview's Fastpitch Team** - The games for the year begin Monday, May 6 and are played at the ball diamonds on Airport Road, Sycamore. The schedule can be found at: [dscfastpitch.com](http://dscfastpitch.com).

**Celebrating Mothers!** Cookies, donuts and chocolates, Sunday, May 12, between services!

**Husbands and Children** - need a Mother's Day card? See the women's table in the lobby for free Mother's Day cards just waiting to go home with you!

**Senior 2<sup>nd</sup> Saturday is taking a summer break.** The next Senior Saturday Breakfast will be September 14. Look for their Newsletter in your email for picnic and other news this summer! If you haven't been receiving the Newsletter and would like to, let us know at: [wecare2@aol.com](mailto:wecare2@aol.com).

**New Membership Class:** If you've been attending regularly for 3 months and are interested in becoming a member, please contact a Staff member or an Elder. We'd love to help you get further connected with our church body.

**Enjoy fresh air and exercise?** Volunteers needed for the church's lawncare and landscaping ministry. Contact Dan 815.508.3706.

**Salvation Army Donations:** People cannot get paper products with food stamps, so these donations are greatly appreciated. There is a designated bin in the lobby labeled 'Salvation Army - Donate Goods'. Thank you!

**Stay Updated by joining our email list!** Go to: [crossviewefca.com](http://crossviewefca.com) and scroll down to the green box that says, "Subscribe to our weekly email". Fill in your email address and full name. Click the box next to "bulletin announcements" and then subscribe.

# PRAYER REQUESTS

*How can we pray for you?*

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- Please keep my request confidential.
- I would like to talk confidentially with someone about my prayer request.