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Wali and Marcia Ahmad (BCM) Pennsylvania/Caribbean
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Lewis and Elsbeth Codington (CLC) Asia
Phil and Barb DeHart (MTW) Asia
Lee and Emma DeHoog (Pioneer) Africa
Ralph and Joyce Eckardt (INS) Pennsylvania/International
Melvin and Betty Floyd (Neighborhood Crusades) Philadelphia, PA
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Tom and Carol Hudson (PMI) Boston/Missouri
William and Gloria Jarwood Upper Darby/Darby
Fayek and Nancy Khalil (Pioneer) Africa
Jay and Nancy Matsinger (GEM) France
Tim and Lyn Newbrander (ISI) International Students/Philadelphia
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Donald and Anne Baker - Tanzania	Jean Legters - Yucatan
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David and Jane Denyer - Brazil	Lillian Tanner - Tanzania
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Our purpose is to meet people at the crossroads of life with the Gospel of Jesus Christ and to help one another along the road of spiritual growth.

CROSSROADS COMMUNITY CHURCH

January 25, 2015 8:30 a.m. Worship Service

PRELUDE

CALL TO WORSHIP

*WORSHIP CHORUS

*INVOCATION AND LORD'S PRAYER (Debts)

Our Father, who art in Heaven, hallowed be Thy name, Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread and forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For Thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory forever. Amen

WELCOME and ANNOUNCEMENTS

PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

OFFERING

CHILDREN'S SONG *"I Will Sing of the Mercies of the Lord Forever"*

PRAYER OF INTERCESSION

*CONGREGATIONAL SINGING

SCRIPTURE READING (*page 1179 in church Bibles*) Colossians 2: 8-10

SERMON Pastor William Jarwood
"Every Thought Captive in Christ"

*CLOSING CHORUS

*BENEDICTION

**Those who are able may stand*

Welcome to all who have come to worship the Lord here at Crossroads Community Church. We hope that your time here will help your walk with the Lord wherever you are on life's road. Let us know how we may be of service to you. If you have a particular need or would like to learn more about Crossroads, the elders and deacons are available after the service to assist you. If this is your first time here, please fill out a Friendship Card (in the pew racks) and place it in the offering plate. General information about the church and its ministries is available at our website, crossroadspca.com. We love children at Crossroads! During the service, there is an infant nursery and toddler care available.

CROSSROADS COMMUNITY CHURCH

Sunday, January 25, 2015 11:00 a.m. Worship Service

PRELUDE *As the prelude begins, let us prepare our hearts in silence to worship the Living God*
WELCOME and ANNOUNCEMENTS

*GETTING IN THE SPIRIT OF WORSHIP (Hymnal #726) *"Spirit of the Living God"*

*CALL TO WORSHIP

*WORSHIP (Hymnal #635) *"How Good It Is to Thank the Lord"*
"O Praise the Lord"

*INVOCATION AND LORD'S PRAYER (Debts)

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CHILDREN'S SONG *"I Will Sing of the Mercies of the Lord Forever"*

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

SPECIAL MUSIC

PRAYER OF INTERCESSION

PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

OFFERING

OFFERTORY

*WORSHIP (Hymnal #644) *"May the Mind of Christ My Savior"*

SCRIPTURE READING (*page 1179 in church Bibles*) Colossians 2: 8-10

SERMON Pastor William Jarwood
"Every Thought Captive in Christ"

PRAYER OF RESPONSE AND COMMITMENT

*WORSHIP (Hymnal # 468) *"My Faith Has Found a Resting Place"*

*BENEDICTION

**Those who are able may stand*
***Children may leave for Junior Church*

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THIS WEEK AT CROSSROADS

Week of January 25, 2015

Today	8:30 a.m. Worship Service 9:45 a.m. Sunday School classes for all 9:45 a.m. ESL Class 11:00 a.m. Worship Service 12:10 p.m. Gospel Praise Ensemble practice 6:00 p.m. Worship Service 6:00 p.m. Pioneer Clubs (K – 5 th grades) 6:00 p.m. Crossfire (6 th – 12 th grades)
Monday	9:30 a.m. and 12:15 p.m. ESL Classes
Tuesday- Friday	7:00 p.m. Revival Prayer at the Oommen home 7:30 p.m. Women's Prayer at the Jarwood home
Wednesday	9:30 a.m. and 12:15 p.m. ESL Classes 6:30 p.m. Christianity Explored
Thursday	11:00 a.m. Revival Prayer in narthex prayer room 7:30 p.m. Choir rehearsal 6:00-8:00 p.m. ESL Classes
Friday	8:45 a.m. C.H.E.E.R. Homeschool Group
Next Sunday (February 1)	8:30 a.m. Worship Service 9:45 a.m. Sunday School classes for all ages 9:45 a.m. ESL Class 11:00 a.m. Worship Service 12:45 p.m. ANNUAL MEETING

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

January 25, 2015

OFFERING ENVELOPES FOR 2015 are on the tables in the narthex. Please pick up yours today. Please speak to Wendy in the church office if you would like a box of offering envelopes.

ANNUAL REPORTS are available today on the table in the narthex. Please pick one up before you leave to give opportunity to read the reports before the Annual Congregational Meeting next **Sunday, February 1, at 12:45 p.m.**

THE ANNUAL CONGREGATIONAL MEETING is scheduled for **Sunday, February 1, at 12:45 p.m.** It is imperative that every member attend, that we might rejoice together in the reports of what the Lord did in 2013 and look forward with faith and hope to His work through us in the new year! To make the logistics for the meeting as simple as possible, we are asking everyone to *bring their own lunch*; after lunch the meeting will begin. There will be no evening service, Crossfire or Pioneer Clubs next Sunday evening.

Christianity Explored -- Wednesday, January 28 with the International buffet meal starting at 6:30 p.m. Participants from the Crossroads family are asked to bring a meal to share at 6:00 p.m. (please bring double the amount your own family would eat). After dinner there will be video teaching and lively discussion until 8:30 p.m. This event is wheelchair accessible.

A Change: Revival Prayer Meeting at the Oommens' home will be meeting this week on **Tuesday, January 27, at 7:00 p.m.**

Gospel Praise Ensemble Rehearsal – today at 12:10 p.m.

Women's Prayer Time –at the Jarwood Home, Tuesday January 27 at 7:30 p.m. All women are invited.

Coming up:

Mighty Men's Ministry Breakfast – February 7 at 8:00 a.m.

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January 25, 2015



The Crossroads website is live at www.crossroadspca.com (or scan the QR Code on the left to access the site from your smart phone). Do stop by when you have a minute. The website has a fresh new look and easy navigation to help you get the information you need quickly and efficiently. To God be the glory!



*The flowers this week are presented
in honor of the anniversary of
Barbara and Steve Cunerd.*

Please consider sponsoring the flowers on the platform in memory of a loved one, in celebration of a special event, or to honor someone. The cost is \$28.50. Please sign up on the clipboard at the back of the sanctuary.

TODAY, January 25 Please report at

8:10 a.m.
Nursery: Amalia Robinson, Victoria Goodlin
Greeters: Fran Froelich, Doris Goe

9:30 a.m.
Nursery: Bobbie Smith, Bonnie Widger
Greeters: Esther Cooper, Sarah Melbourne

10:40 a.m.
Nursery: Jhansi Chikkala, Naomi Mureria,
Munah Pailey, Hosanna Jones
Greeters: Onye Briggs, Paul and Lori Martin,
Ami Gbolo, Nnenna Nwenyi

Next Week, February 1

8:10 a.m.
Anne Cherian, Saeyee Lyon
Russell Piccone, Mary Finnerty

9:30 a.m.
Brenda Smith, Udo Umoh
Louis Louines, Madolyn Barch

10:40 a.m.
Floriana Brindle, Victor Sesay,
Christy and Rebekah Nelson
Emilia Adah, Ron and Lynette Vessels,
Lynn Brown

Thank you for serving in these vital ministries. If you are unable to serve as a greeter (or in the nursery), please phone another greeter (or nursery worker) and arrange to switch. Please call the church office and leave a message letting us know you made a change.

Come to dinner and a discussion, every Wednesday evening, beginning January 28, 2015. International buffet dinner at 6:30 p.m., followed by a DVD and lively conversation. Childcare will be provided.

CHRISTIANITY EXPLORED

Job responsibilities for each flock on Wednesday, January 28:

Welcoming: Van Meerbeke
Set up: Matsinger
Clean Up: Ellis
Childcare: Reese
Clean Up: H. Smith

Flocks include:

Van Meerbeke - Batzel, Nurmela, Sine
Matsinger - Jarwood, Shreekumar-David, W. Smith, Widger
Ellis - Gorde, Omuyeh, K. Smith, F. Robinson
Reese - Oommen, Kelly
H. Smith - Buchanan, Schall

ANNOUNCEMENTS

January 25, 2015

Happy Birthday

Credo Afantchao	February 1	Helen Davies	February 14
Rebecca Ilniski	February 1	Naomi Mureria	February 14
Fred Nelson	February 3	Mickey Murphy	February 15
Matthias Lu	February 4	Jesse Robinson	February 15
Ime Ekwere	February 5	Luke Stromberg	February 15
Christy Nelson	February 5	Matthew Stromberg	February 15
James Talinie	February 7	Faith Ahmad	February 17
Uzezi Omuyeh	February 8	Zack Nelson	February 18
Chimwemwe Doctor	February 10	Chiku Okechukwu [Nwenyi]	
Preston Kagiri	February 10		February 19
Doug Rosander	February 10	Pamela Wheeler	February 20
Michael Smith	February 10	Cheryl Coffin	February 21
Jonathan Stout	February 10	Acee Geeh	February 23
Beverly Nurmela	February 12	Lynette Vessels	February 23
Cindy VanMeerbeke	February 12	Sonny Nwachuku	February 24
Dana Ellis	February 13	Shreekumar David	February 26
John Imhof	February 13	Lydia Reese	February 26
J. D. Matsinger	February 13	Daniel Leake	February 27

Happy Anniversary

Ashim and Aminata Sesay February 22
John and Heather Yocum February 26

The Sufficiency of Christ
“Every Thought Captive in Christ”
Colossians 2:8-10
Sunday Morning, January 25, 2015
Pastor William Jarwood

Introduction:

- I. _____ yourself against be taken captive through philosophy and empty deception (v. 8)
 - A. Through _____ and empty _____.
 - B. According to the tradition of _____.
 - C. According to the elementary principles of the _____.
 - D. Let every thought be captive in _____.

- II. _____ possesses the fullness of divine nature and attributes (v.9).
 - A. The fullness of the Godhead dwells in _____.
 - B. The fullness of the Godhead dwells in Him _____.

- III. _____ in Christ are complete in Him (v. 10).
 - A. You have been made _____.
 - A. He is the Head of all _____.
 - B. He is the Head of all _____.

Conclusion: