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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

Sunday, April 19, 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, ANNOUNCEMENTS and GREETING

PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

FINANCIAL UPDATE

OFFERING

CHILDREN'S SONG *"He's Alive"*

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

PRAYER OF INTERCESSION

\*CONGREGATIONAL SINGING

SCRIPTURE READING *Psalm 51*  
*(page 581 in church Bibles)*

SERMON *Pastor David Van Meerbeke*  
*"David's Prayerful Plea"*

\*CLOSING CHORUS

\*BENEDICTION

\*Those who are able may stand

## CROSSROADS COMMUNITY CHURCH

Sunday April 19, 2015 11:00 Worship Service

PRELUDE

WELCOME and ANNOUNCEMENTS

\*GETTING INTO THE SPIRIT OF WORSHIP *"Create in Me A Clean Heart"*

\*CALL TO WORSHIP

\*WORSHIP (Hymnal #6) *"O Come, My Soul, Bless Thou the Lord"*

\*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.*

CHILDREN'S SONG *"He's Alive"*

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

SPECIAL MUSIC

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

FINANCIAL UPDATE

PRAYER OF INTERCESSION

PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

OFFERING

OFFERTORY

\*\*WORSHIP (Hymnal #486) *"God, Be Merciful to Me"*

SCRIPTURE READING

*(page 581 in church Bibles)* *Psalm 51*

SERMON *Pastor David Van Meerbeke*

*"David's Prayerful Plea"*

PRAYER OF RESPONSE AND COMMITMENT

\*WORSHIP (Hymnal #529) *"Love Divine, All Loves Excelling"*

\*BENEDICTION

\*Those who are able may stand

## THIS WEEK AT CROSSROADS

Week of April 19, 2015

TODAY 4/19	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 12:15 p.m. Gospel Praise Rehearsal 6:00 p.m. Worship Service 6:00 p.m. Pioneer Clubs (K-5 <sup>th</sup> ) 6:00 p.m. Crossfire Youth Group
	~GROWTH GROUP WEEK~
Monday	9:30 and 12:15 p.m. ESL 7:00 p.m. Prayer –Oommen home 7:00 p.m. WIC Leadership Meeting
Wednesday	9:30 and 12:15 p.m. ESL 9:30 a.m. Women’s Bible Study
Thursday	11:00 a.m. Revival Prayer-narthex prayer room 7:30 p.m. Choir rehearsal
Friday	8:45 a.m. CHEER homeschool group
Saturday	6:00 p.m. Memorial Service (Munah Pailey’s mother)
Sunday 4/26	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 6:00 p.m. Worship Service 6:00 p.m. Pioneer Clubs (K-5 <sup>th</sup> ) 6:00 p.m. Crossfire Youth Group

**Welcome** to all who have come to worship the Lord. 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; 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 and place it in the offering plate. Nursery is available.

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

April 19, 2015

The **SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASS, *Revelation***, meets at 9:45 in Armstrong Hall. The teacher for this class is Zack Groff.

**W.I.C. LEADERSHIP MEETING** – April 20 at 7:30 p.m.

**Crossroads-Gateway Crusaders Men's Softball Team** The first game is against Chichester Baptist Church (at Chichester Baptist Church - 800 Cherrytree Road, Aston, PA) next Tuesday (April 21st) at 6:30pm Contact Zack Groff ([610.348.9245](tel:610.348.9245) or [zgroff24@gmail.com](mailto:zgroff24@gmail.com)) for more information.

**GROWTH GROUPS meet this week.** If you are not in a Growth Group and would like to participate in one, pick up one of the yellow brochures in the narthex that give times, dates and contact information.

**CROSSFIRE DISC GOLF** – coming up on May 2<sup>nd</sup> at Sedgeley Park. For more information, contact Brandon Burks

**WOMEN’S BIBLE STUDY** – meets Wed. at 9:30 a.m. at the church.

**MIGHTY MEN’S MINISTRY Breakfast** – May 2 at 8:00 a.m.

**AMNION GRAND REOPENING** is scheduled for Thursday May 14, between 6:00 and 8:00 p.m. This will be a time to find out more about their new Ultrasound Program, tour the ultrasound room and meet the nurses and staff.

**REMINDER:** If you are enjoying the fellowship and the snacks after the 8:30 a.m. or 11:00 a.m. service, please take a moment to sign up to help provide the snacks for one week. The sign-up sheet is on the coffee counter. Many types of snacks can be provided: fruit, cookies, pretzels or mini muffins. Remember, all food/drink is to stay in the narthex (or outside now that the weather is warmer) and should not be taken into the sanctuary.

## GROWTH GROUPS

These groups meet the second and fourth weeks of the month. Interested in joining a Growth Group? Available Growth Groups are listed in a yellow brochure in the narthex with places, times, leaders and contact information.

### Put on your calendar:

- April 29<sup>th</sup> – No TEAM meeting
- May 2<sup>nd</sup> – Mighty Men's Ministry Breakfast at 8:00 a.m.
- May 2<sup>nd</sup> – Crossfire Disc Golf
- May 17<sup>th</sup> – Sunday School Teacher's Meeting- 9:30 a.m.
- May 17<sup>th</sup> – Pioneers Pine Car Derby
- May 31<sup>st</sup> – Youth Sunday

**FREE SUMMER ESL CLASS** – There will be ONE summer ESL class that begins on Monday, May 11 and goes to Wednesday, July 8. This class will be 9:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m. NO afternoon class. If you are interested in a class or know someone who is, please contact the Delaware County Literacy Council at 610-876-5414 or check the website: [www.delcoliteracy.org](http://www.delcoliteracy.org)

**CAMP TREASURE ISLAND** – will be July 27 – July 31, 2015 and much help will be needed. If you know of a way in which you can help, please contact the office and leave your information! Even if you can only give ONE day to participate in helping, let us know. Church phone: 610-352-3130 or email: [crossroadschurchpca@gmail.com](mailto:crossroadschurchpca@gmail.com)

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

April 19, 2015



Visit the Crossroads website at [www.crossroadspca.com](http://www.crossroadspca.com)



### ***The flowers this week are presented to the glory of God.***

*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, April 19**

*Please report at*

**8:10 a.m.**

**Nursery:** Amalia Robinson  
Victoria Goodlin

**Greeters:** Ken Wilson  
Anthony Yeboah

**9:30 a.m.**

**Nursery:** Udo Umo

**Greeters:** Sarah Melbourne  
Louis Louines

**10:40 a.m.**

**Nursery:** Anne Cherian  
Saeyee Lyon

**Greeters:** Seah Geeh,  
Amar Sigh  
Aminata Sesay  
Chauncey Sneh

### **Next Week, April 26**

*Please report at*

**8:10 a.m.**

**Nursery:** Anne Cherian  
Saeyee Lyon

**Greeters:** Brad Wilks  
Oretha Dahn

**9:30 a.m.**

**Nursery:** Bobbie Smith  
Bonnie Widger

**Greeters:** Madolyn Barch  
Mary Finnerty

**10:40 a.m.**

**Nursery:** Peggy Styer  
Linda Montgomery  
Grace Ellis

**Greeters:** Brent Anderson  
Diane Anderson  
Jocelyne Keke  
Nicky Wilson

*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.*

**Sunday Evening Service**

April 12, 2015      6:00 p.m.

Responsive Reading: Catechism 80 – 83 (page 875 in hymnal)

Scripture Reading: II Thessalonians 1: 3-4

Speaker: William Jarwood

Leader: Dudley Reese



**Baptized Today**

Covenant Child: Portia Yeboah  
Daughter of Anthony and Betty Yeboah

**Contact information**

Any changes in your address, email, or phone number?

Use this section to let the office know of your changes:

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

Phone/Cell : \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Sermon: "David's Powerful Plea!"

Text: Psalm 51

Sunday Morning, April 19, 2015

Pastor David Van Meerbeke

I. David's \_\_\_\_\_... verses 1-3

A. ...for \_\_\_\_\_ and mercy.

B. ...to be \_\_\_\_\_.

II. David's \_\_\_\_\_ verses 4-6

A. David \_\_\_\_\_ that he knows his transgressions.

B. David confesses his \_\_\_\_\_ against God.

III. David continues his \_\_\_\_\_ ... verses 7-12

A. ...to be \_\_\_\_\_ and cleansed.

B. ...to not be cast from God's \_\_\_\_\_.

C. ...for renewal and \_\_\_\_\_.

IV. David's \_\_\_\_\_... verses 13-15

A. ...to \_\_\_\_\_ transgressors the ways of God.

B. ...to \_\_\_\_\_ God's praises.

V. David's \_\_\_\_\_... verses 16-19

A. ...for \_\_\_\_\_.

B. ...for a broken and \_\_\_\_\_ heart.

C. ...for God's good \_\_\_\_\_ and His Kingdom.