

# Celebration of Worship

Sunday, September 13, 2015 – 11:00 a.m. Worship Service

Prelude

Welcome and Announcements

\*Getting into the Spirit of Worship (hymnal #179) “Hallelujah! Thine the Glory”

\*Call to Worship

\*Worship “Thy Word”  
“His Word is Like a Fire”

\*Invocation and Lord’s Prayer (Debts)

**THE LORD’S PRAYER** *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 The Books of the Old Testament

Children’s Message

Prayer of Intercession and Thanksgiving

Financial Slides

Offering/Offertory

\*Worship (hymnal #136) “Thy Word Have I Hid in My Heart”

Scripture Reading 2 Chronicles 34:14-21  
(Church Bibles pages 479-480)

Sermon Pastor David Van Meerbeke  
“Getting a Grip on God’s Word”

Prayer of Response and Commitment

\*Worship (hymnal #140) “O Word of God Incarnate”

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. If this is your first time here, please fill out a Friendship Card and place it in the offering plate. During services, there is an infant nursery and toddler care. There is Junior Church during the 11:00 a.m. service for children 4 – 9 years old.

# This Week at Crossroads

Week of September 13, 2015

For a full listing of calendar events, visit our website at [crossroadspca.com](http://crossroadspca.com)

## Sunday School Rally Day

SUNDAY (9/13) 8:30 a.m. Worship Service  
9:45 a.m. Sunday School Rally Day  
9:45 a.m. ESL Class  
11:00 a.m. Worship Service  
12:10 p.m. Missions Committee Meeting  
6:00 p.m. Evening Service

## T.E.A.M. WEEK

MONDAY 9:30 a.m. ESL Class  
12:15 p.m. ESL Class  
7:00 p.m. WIC Leadership meeting  
7:15 p.m. Officers’ Meeting

TUESDAY 9:00 p.m. Women’s Call-in Prayer Line

WEDNESDAY 9:30 a.m. ESL Class  
12:15 p.m. ESL Class  
7:00 p.m. T.E.A.M.

THURSDAY 11:30 a.m. Revival Prayer in prayer room  
7:30 p.m. Choir Rehearsal

SUNDAY (9/20) **FALL FRIEND DAY**  
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 Rehearsal  
12:30 p.m. Mighty Men’s Ministry meeting  
6:00 p.m. Evening Service  
6:00 p.m. Crossfire Kick-off  
6:00 p.m. Pioneers Kick-off party

	Budget to Date	Income to Date	+ or -
<b>Current</b>	\$134,110.55	\$121,631.16	-\$12,479.39
<b>Missions</b>	\$44,604.15	\$36,531.03	-\$8,073.12

# Announcements

**WIC Leadership Meeting** on Monday, September 14 at 7:00 p.m.

**Officers’ Meeting** on Monday, September at 7:15 p.m.

**FALL FRIEND DAY** – next Sunday, September 20. Invite your friends to visit Crossroads next Sunday. Pick up a card on one of the radiators on either side of the sanctuary and give it to a friend. The church services are listed on the back of the card.

**PIONEER CLUB** Fall Kick-off party is on Sunday, September 20, at 6:00 p.m. Our theme, Growing in God’s Garden, will teach children about the wonders of God’s creation. Children in grades K - 5 are invited. Questions? Contact Brook Batzel at [brook\\_batzel@hotmail.com](mailto:brook_batzel@hotmail.com) or phone 610-574-4182

**GOOD NEWS CLUBS** – this fall the club will meet at Stonehurst Hills on Tuesdays, Oct. 6 – Nov. 24 (no Nov. 3 meeting) and at Bywood Elementary on Tuesdays from Feb. 2 – March 15. There is a mandatory training day for all Good News Club volunteers. Choose one day of training: 9/19 or 10/3 from 9 am – 3 pm.

**Interested in helping? Questions?**

**Contact:** [Brenda@cefofdelawarecounty@gmail.com](mailto:Brenda@cefofdelawarecounty@gmail.com)

**FLAPJACK FUNDRAISER BREAKFAST for CEF** on Saturday, October 17, 8:00 a.m. – 10:00 a.m. at the Appplebee’s in Manoa Shopping Center, Havertown, PA. Cost: \$7.00 per person, children under 10 are \$5.00. Call the CEF office at 610-449-9564 or email at [cefofdelawarecounty@gmail.com](mailto:cefofdelawarecounty@gmail.com) to purchase tickets

**CROSSFIRE Kick-Off** on Sunday, September 20 at 6:00 p.m. With a theme of “The Giver” and water balloon fight and tug of war.

**24 HOUR PRAYER VIGIL** – October 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup>, starting at 6:00 p.m. on Friday and ending 6:00 p.m. on Saturday. Sign up in the narthex or see your flock leader.

**WIC Bowling** on October 16<sup>th</sup> at 7:30 p.m. at Sproul Lanes in Springfield.

# Announcements

## Evening Service

September 13, 2015

Responsive Reading: Psalm 17 (Hymnal #846)  
 Scripture Reading: II Thess. 2: 13-15  
 Title: Chosen First fruits Stand Firm  
 Speaker: Shibu Oommen

## 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, September 13

Please report at

8:10 a.m.

**Nursery:** Doris Goe  
 Saeyee Lyon  
**Greeters:** Ken Wilson  
 Anthony Yeboah

9:30 a.m.

**Nursery:** Aminata Sesay  
 Bobbie Smith  
**Greeters:** Sarah Melbourne  
 Mary Finnerty

10:40 a.m.

**Nursery:** Beth Mulgrew  
 Marissa Howard  
 Christy Nelson  
**Greeters:** Ami Gbolo  
 Jocelyn Keke

### Next Week, September 20

Please report at

8:10 a.m.

**Nursery:** Brook Batzel  
 Victoria Goodlin  
**Greeters:** Oretha Dahn  
 Fran Froelich

9:30 a.m.

**Nursery:** Joyce Buchanan  
 Brenda Smith  
**Greeters:** Pat Cavalier  
 Esther Cooper

10:40 a.m.

**Nursery:** Nagina Gill  
 Victor Sesay  
 Grace Ellis  
**Greeters:** Helen Davies  
 Ron Vessels  
 Lynette Vessels

## Our staff and officers are eager to serve you!

David Van Meerbeke, *Minister of Pastoral Care*  
 William Jarwood, *Pastoral Assistant*  
 Shibu Oommen, *Assistant Pastor*  
 Dr. Timothy Witmer, *Pastor Emeritus*  
 Brandon Burks, *Youth Pastor Intern*  
 Lois Smith, *Music Director*  
 Cynthia Van Meerbeke, *Cornerstone Director*  
 Ben Hoffmann, *Pianist*  
 Wendy Toy, *Administrative Assistant*

### ELDERS

John Batzel	William Jarwood	J. Dudley Reese, IV
Allen Ellis	Jack Matsinger	E. Hadden Smith, <i>Clerk</i>

### DEACONS

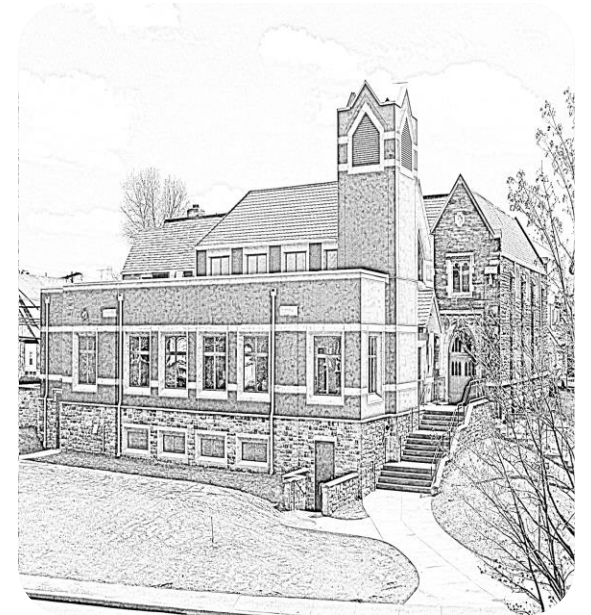
Jim Buchanan, <i>Treas</i>	Goodie Omuyeh	Lyle Sine
Devadatta Gorde	David Owen, <i>Emeritus</i>	Kevin Smith
Ed Kelly	Fred Robinson	Warren Smith, <i>Pres.</i>
Gary Ladeau	John Schall	Wayne Widger
Jim Nurmela		

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Presbyterian Church in America  
 Upper Darby, PA

*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.*