

Celebration of Worship

Sunday, December 4, 2016 – 11:00 a.m. Worship Service

PRELUDE

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

*WORSHIP SONG "Speak, O Lord"

*CALL TO WORSHIP

*WORSHIP (hymnal #196) "Come, Thou Long Expected Jesus"

*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.

THE APOSTLES' CREED I believe in God, the Father almighty, Maker of heaven and earth; and in Jesus Christ, His only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Ghost, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried. He descended into hell; the third day He rose again from the dead; He ascended into heaven, and sitteth on the right hand of God, the Father Almighty; from thence He shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Ghost, the holy catholic¹ church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

¹universal Christian

GREETING

CHILDREN'S SONG "Go Tell It on the Mountain"

LIGHTING OF ADVENT CANDLE

PRAYER OF INTERCESSION AND THANKSGIVING

OFFERING/OFFERTORY

*WORSHIP "Hear the Call of the Kingdom"

(Dismiss for Jr. Church)

SCRIPTURE READING Matthew 5: 14 - 16

(Church Bibles p. 1130-1131)

SERMON Pastor Shibu Oommen

"Light and Life"

PRAYER OF RESPONSE AND COMMITMENT

WORSHIP "I Have Decided to Follow Jesus"

COMMUNION

WORSHIP (hymnal #460 all verses) "Amazing Grace"

BENEDICTION

* THOSE WHO ARE ABLE MAY STAND

This Week at Crossroads

Week of December 4, 2016

For a full listing of calendar events, visit our website at crossroadspca.com

SUNDAY

(12/4/16)

8:30 a.m. Worship Service
9:45 a.m. All Sunday School classes meet in Sanctuary for Missions Reports
9:45 a.m. ESL Class
11:00 a.m. Worship Service
6:00 p.m. Christmas Card Signing and Missions Reports

TEAM WEEK

MONDAY 7:00 p.m. Revival Prayer – Centennial House

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

WEDNESDAY 6:00 p.m. Discipleship
7:00 p.m. T.E.A.M.

THURSDAY 11:00 a.m. Revival Prayer at church
7:30 p.m. Choir Rehearsal

FRIDAY 8:45 a.m. CHEER Homeschool Group

SATURDAY 10:00 a.m. WIC Christmas Craft Celebration

SUNDAY 8:30 a.m. Worship Service
(12/11) 9:45 a.m. Sunday School classes
9:45 a.m. ESL Class
11:00 a.m. Worship Service
12:30 p.m. MMM Leadership Meeting
3:00 p.m. Crossfire Progressive Dinner
6:00 p.m. Evening Service
6:00 p.m. Kids Club Christmas Party

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.

Announcements

WIC CHRISTMAS CRAFT CELEBRATION on Saturday, December 10th, at 10:00 a.m. – 12:00 noon. Cost to participate is \$10.00 which includes \$5.00 to cover the cost of the craft materials for the centerpieces and \$5.00 to support the WIC missionaries. Tea, coffee, beverages, fruit and baked goods will be served. A sign-up sheet will be in the narthex. Please bring a baked item or fruit to share.

MIGHTY MEN'S MINISTRY LEADERSHIP MEETING on Sunday, Dec. 11 at 12:30 p.m. in the conference room.

OFFICERS' MEETING – DECEMBER 12 AT 7:15 P.M.

CROSSROADS YOUNG ADULTS CHRISTMAS PARTY

Save the Date! Friday December 16th, 7 - 10 PM will be our annual Christmas Party. More details to follow soon. Please RSVP if possible. Questions? Contact... John Melbourne (484-354-7505) or Dana Ellis (610-609-1365).

Crossfire Progressive Dinner – Dec. 11 at 3:00 p.m.

Kids Club Christmas Party – Dec. 11 at 6:00 p.m.

CYA Christmas Party – Dec. 16 at 7:00 p.m.

Children's Christmas Program – Dec. 18 at 4:00 p.m.

MMM Bible Study – Dec.20 at 7:30 p.m.

TEAM Christmas Caroling – December 21 at 7:00 p.m.

Christmas Eve Candlelight Service – Dec. 24 at 7:00 p.m.

Christmas Day – one service at 11:00 a.m.

Watch Night Service – December 31 at 10:30 p.m.

CHRISTMAS POINSETTIAS – Please use the envelopes found on the table in the narthex or on the radiators in the sanctuary to order your poinsettia to be on the platform on Christmas Eve and Christmas Day, in memory of or in honor of someone special. Cost for each plant is \$7.50. Deadline for handing in your envelope and money is Dec. 18

Evening Service

December 4, 2016

6:00 p.m.

MISSIONS GIFT NIGHT

Come get in the holiday spirit as everyone signs the giant Christmas card, joins in singing Christmas carols, and hears reports from missionaries.

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 \$30.00. Please sign up on the clipboard at the back of the sanctuary.

Today, December 4

Please report at

8:10 a.m.

Nursery: William Jarwood
Gloria Jarwood

Greeters: Doris Goe
Zonia Smith

9:30 a.m.

Nursery: Fran Froelich
Victor Sesay

Greeters: Esther Cooper

10:40 a.m.

Nursery: Peggy Styer
Grace Ellis
Chimwemwe Doctor

Greeters: Ron Vessels
Lynette Vessels

Next Week, December 11

Please report at

8:10 a.m.

Nursery: Traci Burks
Brandon Burks

Greeters: Mary Finnerty
Anthony Yeboah

9:30 a.m.

Nursery: Sara Coffin
Heather Smith

Greeters: Louines Louis

10:40 a.m.

Nursery: Bob Styer
Jhansi Chikkala
Naomi Mureria

Greeters: James Mahn
Susanna Mahn

Our staff and officers are eager to serve you!

Michael Quillen, *Senior Pastor*

David Van Meerbeke, *Minister of Pastoral Care*

William Jarwood, *Pastoral Assistant*

Shibu Oommen, *Assistant Pastor*

Brandon Burks, *Youth Pastor Intern*

Lois Smith, *Music Director*

Cynthia Van Meerbeke, *Cornerstone Director*

Ben Hoffmann, *Pianist*

Wendy Toy, *Administrative Assistant*

TEACHING ELDERS

Michael Quillen David Van Meerbeke Shibu Oommen

RULING ELDERS

John Batzel William Jarwood J. Dudley Reese, IV
Allen Ellis Jack Matsinger E. Hadden Smith, *Clerk*

DEACONS

Jim Buchanan, *Treas* Jim Nurmela Lyle Sine
Devadatta Gorde Goodie Omuyeh Kevin Smith
Ed Kelly David Owen, *Emeritus* Warren Smith, *Pres*
Gary Ladeau Fred Robinson Wayne Widger
Louines Louis John Schall

PASTOR EMERITUS

Dr. Timothy Witmer

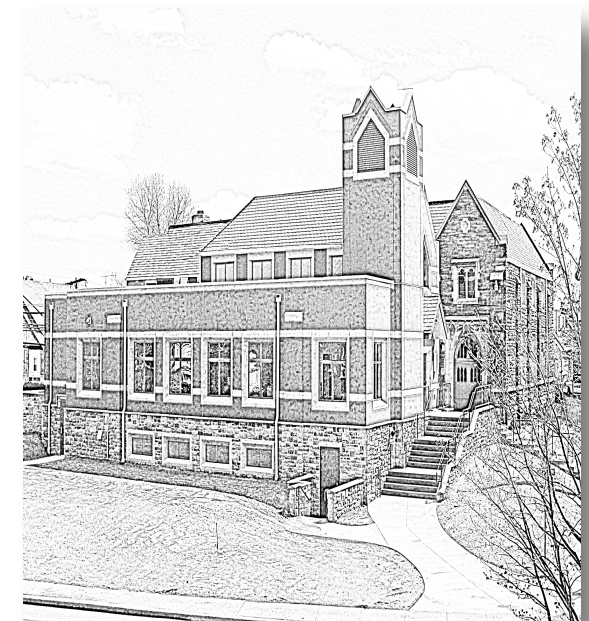
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*Our purpose is to meet people
at the crossroads of life
with the gospel of Jesus Christ
and to help one another along the
road of spiritual growth.*

Women's Call-in Prayer Line

Every Tuesday evening at 9:00 p.m.

Dial: 605-475-6006

Enter Code: 333732