Celebration of Worship

Sunday, December 17, 2017 – 11:00 a.m. Worship Service

PRELUDE

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

*WORSHIP SONG (hymnal #211) "God Rest You Merry, Gentlemen"

*CALL TO WORSHIP

*WORSHIP (hymnal #215) "While By My Sheep"

*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.

GREETING

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

LIGHTING OF ADVENT CANDLE

SPECIAL MUSIC Choir

PRAYER OF INTERCESSION AND THANKSGIVING

OFFERING/OFFERTORY

*WORSHIP (hymnal #225) "Once in Royal David's City"

(Dismiss for Jr. Church)

SCRIPTURE READING Luke 2: 1 - 21

(Church Bibles p.1020)

SERMON Pastor Michael Quillen

"Advent: Christmas Wrapping"

PRAYER OF RESPONSE AND COMMITMENT

WORSHIP (hymnal #213) "What Child Is This"

*BENEDICTION

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 December 17, 2017

For a full listing o	of calendar events,	visit our website at crossroadspca.com
SUNDAY		
(12/17/17)	7:30 a.m.	MMM Light Refreshment Fellowship
	8:30 a.m.	Worship Service
	9:45 a.m.	Sunday School
	9:45 a.m.	ESL Class
	11:00 a.m.	Worship Service
	12:15 p.m.	Gospel Praise Rehearsal
	3:45 p.m.	Children's Christmas Concert

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. 7:00 p.m.	Discipleship TEAM Caroling
THURSDAY	10:00 a.m. 11:00 a.m. 7:30 p.m.	Women's Bible Study Prayer Choir Rehearsal
SUNDAY		
(12/24/17)	8:30 a.m. 9:45 a.m. 9:45 a.m. 11:00 a.m. 7:00 p.m.	No service Sunday School ESL Class Lessons and Carols Service (No Nursery Available) Christmas Eve Service (No Nursery Available)

CHILDREN'S CHRISTMAS CONCERT – today at 3:45 p.m. Anyone who is a performing in the Children's Christmas Concert should be at the church today at **3:15 p.m**.

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Announcements

Sunday, December 17, 2017

DECEMBER EVENTS:

- 17 Children's Christmas Concert 3:45 p.m.
- 20 TEAM Christmas Caroling 7:00 p.m.
- 24 ONE SERVICE at 11:00 a.m.
- 24 Christmas Eve Candlelight Service 7:00 p.m.
- 31 New Year's Eve Watch Night Service

ENVELOPE Boxes for 2018 are available on a table in the narthex. If you don't see your box or would like to receive a box, please contact the church office. (crossroadschurchpca@gmail.com)

CHRISTMAS POINSETTIAS - please use one of the envelopes on the radiators if you would like a poinsettia on the platform for Christmas Sunday, in memory of or in honor of someone special. This year the cost is \$6.50 each, and payment/order is due by TODAY December 17. Plants can be taken home after the Christmas Eve Candlelight Service on Sunday, December 24.

CHRISTMAS CAROLING WITH TEAM on December 20 at 7:00 p.m.

New Year's Eve Watch Night Service – Sunday December 31 at 10:30 p.m.

^{*} THOSE WHO ARE ABLE MAY STAND

Children's Christmas Concert

December 17, 2017 3:45 p.m.

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 17
Please report at

8:10 a.m.

Nursery: Wendy Toy

Greeters: Victoria Goodlin

Zonia Smith

9:30 a.m.

Nursery: Fran Froelich

Pam Bronson

Greeters: Lana Aris

10:40 a.m.

Nursery: Bob Styer

Jhansi Chikkala

Cindy Van Meerbeke

Greeters: Ami Gbolo

Jocelyn Keke

Next Week. December 24

Please report at

8:10 a.m.

Nursery: NO NURSERY

Greeters: No service

9:30 a.m.

Nursery: NO NURSERY

Greeters: Mary Finnerty

Fran Froelich

10:40 a.m.

Nursery: NO NURSERY

Greeters: Oretha Dahn

Onye Briggs

Women's Call-in Prayer Line

Every Tuesday evening at 9:00 p.m.

Dial: 605-475-6006 Enter Code: 333732

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 Lois Smith. Music Director

Cynthia Van Meerbeke, Cornerstone Director Wendy Toy, Administrative Assistant

TEACHING ELDERS

	Michael Quillen	David Van Meerbeke	Shibu Oommen
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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	

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Crossroads Community Church

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Our mission 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.