

A FEW WORDS TO OUR GUESTS. . .

Child Care Available — We take serving your children seriously. While your children are always welcome to stay with you, a safe and fun place has been created for your young children in second grade and younger. Children can be checked in at the table located just outside the nursery. (Follow the hallway signs past the café.) Check-in can begin as soon as you arrive. Babies and toddlers may be dropped off at our nursery beginning at 10:15 a.m. Children age 3 through 2nd grade will be dismissed following our worship time during the service.

Offering — As part of our worship service we do take an offering. If you are a guest, you do not need to put anything in the plate. We're not after your money. Folks who regularly attend Crossroads faithfully support the church financially.

Connecting at Crossroads — Should you want to provide us with your contact information, you can fill out the “Connecting at Crossroads” card and drop it in the offering plate.

ANNOUNCEMENTS:
CHRISTMAS SCHEDULE:

Christmas Eve Service - 6:30 p.m. to 7:15 p.m, December 24.
December 27 Worship - Travis Smith and Ken Lindsey will be teaming up to lead us in a time of Christmas worship.

UPCOMING TEACHING SERIES - Coming January 17 - February 21, “Time Management: How Jesus Got It All Done.” We'll take a look at Mark 1 and 2 in order to discover how Jesus managed his time on earth.

YOUTH GROUPS - All regular youth group activities will take place tonight at 6:00 p.m. Grades 3-8 will meet at the church and Sr. High will meet at Levi and Rachel Stuckey’s house. (1020 Clairmont Ave.)

OFFERING ENVELOPES - Anyone interested in a free box of offering envelopes for 2016 may sign up for them at the information table. An end of the year report will be issued for tax purposes. *If you already use the envelope system you do not need to sign up. A new box will be issued for 2016.

BUILDING RENOVATION - During the month of January we plan to use volunteers to paint the ceiling in the worship space and new restroom area. If you have any painting experience with a sprayer you would like to put into practice please contact Pastor Wes.

CHRISTMAS CARD ADDRESSES - Please consider sending a Christmas card to the following two people who have been a part of Crossroads Napoleon. Hearing from you will make their week.
Bob Robertson:
NCCC, Robertson-WY-C33, 718176, P.O. Box 1812, Marion, OH 43302
Carol Voss:
Golden Living Center-Northcrest, 240 Northcrest Dr., Napoleon, OH 43545

“This is how the birth of Jesus Christ came about: His mother Mary was pledged to be married to Joseph, but before they came together, she was found to be with child through the Holy Spirit.” Matthew 1:18

Divine Interruption
Matthew 1:8 - 25
Levi Stuckey

We love it when a plan comes together! More often than not, however, our plans go away. And nothing interrupts our plans more than Christmas and the arrival of Jesus, Emmanuel. If we're going to experience God's best for our lives, we've got to learn to embrace God's plan for our life like Joseph!

- I. Our best laid plans... vv. 18-19
- II. Divine Interruption. vv. 20-23
- III. Embracing God's Plan. vv. 24-25

Next Week:
Christmas Eve: Wes and :Levi (Gift of Salvation)
Napoleon - Wes Hoffmire (Matt 2: 1-12)

CAMPUS INFORMATION

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STUFF THAT’S IMPORTANT TO US:

Personal Authenticity —

We believe God intends us to live life honestly; not afraid to admit our faults, not pressured to pretend we're someone we're not. We believe God accepts people right where they are and lovingly moves them to where He desires them to be. We're committed to living authentic lives with God, ourselves, and each other.

Loving Relationships –

We believe that spiritual growth happens best in caring relationships, where people actively participate in a small community that encourages, challenges, prays, serves, and learns together to form a church that is a purposeful, loving community.

Being Culturally Relevant –

We believe God wants to reach people in ways that are meaningful to them. Our style is contemporary. We're not interested in passing fads or gimmicks, we simply want to use the clearest, most effective means possible to communicate God's message. We are committed to communicating the truths of Christianity in a creative and relevant manner.

Unapologetically Biblical –

We believe the Bible is true; that it is authoritative and applicable to every part of our lives. While we are progressive in our methods, we are grounded securely to the truths of Christianity. We study, teach, and follow the Bible as our sole authority and guidebook for life.

Outreach Oriented –

We believe the answers for all of life and eternity are found in a restored personal relationship with God through faith in Christ. We are committed to spreading His love to those who don't yet know it.

Grace Focused –

We believe the central force in our lives is the unmerited grace and love of God. We believe that God's grace alone is responsible for producing lasting change in an individual's life. We are committed to focusing on and celebrating that grace, and fostering an environment that reflects it in our lives and relationships.

**Please join us each Sunday at 10:00 a.m. for coffee, juice and homemade goodies. You're welcome to enjoy them during the service. Feel free to sit at the tables during the service if you like.

ATTENDANCE & GIVING

Sunday, December 13, 2015

Tithes & Offerings:
General Fund Goal \$ 3,500.00
Received: \$ 4,429.00
Difference: + \$ 929.00
Building Fund Goal \$ 1000.00
Received: \$ 400.00
Difference: - \$ 600.00
TOTAL: \$ 4,829.00

Attendance:
Napoleon: 151

Welcome to
crossroads napoleon

Sunday, December 20, 2015

Welcome to Crossroads Napoleon!!

Merry Christmas! On behalf of everyone at Crossroads Church Napoleon I want to welcome you to our Christmas worship service. We're glad you are here and hope you have a meaningful and enjoyable experience. Inside this program we have provided some information to let you know who we are and what we are about. I would welcome the opportunity to meet you and answer any questions you might have. My contact information is on the back. Sit back and relax. We have prepared this service for you and appreciate your coming.

-Pastors Wes & Levi



Helping searching people discover and develop
an intimate relationship with
Jesus Christ