

**Encourage Others to Hold Firm!
Wes Hoffmire
Hebrews Chapter 3**

Hebrews chapter 3 makes it clear that authentic saving faith perseveres, it “holds firmly till the end”. A heart that is hard toward the things of God is a heart of unbelief that will not enter eternal rest in heaven. That’s why we need to “encourage one another daily” to hold on to and have a soft heart toward God.

1. A Warning to Hold On/Hold Firm (v6, v14)
2. A Warning Against a Hard Heart (v8, v15)
3. A Call to Encourage One Another Daily (v13)

Next week:
Napoleon: Levi Stuckey (Hebrews 4:14 - 5:1 –10)
Wauseon: Tyler Quillett (Hebrew 4:14 - 5:1 - 10)

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Welcome to
crossroads
ONE CHURCH | TWO LOCATIONS

Sunday, September 27, 2015

Welcome to Crossroads!!

On behalf of everyone at Crossroads Church, we want to welcome you to our 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. We would welcome the opportunity to meet you and answer any questions you might have. Our contact information is on the back. Should you want to provide us with your contact information, you can fill out one of the “Connecting at Crossroads” cards from the seat back in front of you and put it in the offering plate. If you’re new to Crossroads, that’s all we want you to put in the offering plate. We’re not looking for your money. 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**

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

CONGRATULATIONS - Congratulations to Marvin Kasten, Jr. and Katrina Brueshaber who were married at Crossroads yesterday.

BUILDING RENOVATION - Our renovation permit application has been submitted! Work should begin in the near future. A couple of volunteer opportunities are just around the corner. Any work we do will save the church money and be a great opportunity to connect together as a church family.

YOUTH GROUPS - Youth activities for students in grades 3-12 will take place this evening from 6:00 - 7:00 p.m. Grades 3-8 will meet at the church and grades 9-12 will meet at Levi and Rachel Stuckey's home. (Youth groups will not officially meet next Sunday evening.)

LADIES BIBLE STUDIES -

- Monday morning from 10:00 - 11:30 a.m. Terri Lindsey leads a group in her home. They will be meeting on second and fourth Mondays.
- Wednesdays from 6:30 - 7:30 p.m. Lynne Hoffmire leads a group at the church on second and fourth Wednesdays.

Contact Terri (osulindsey@gmail.com) or Lynne (wlhoffmire@gmail.com) with questions.

MEN'S BIBLE STUDIES -

- Saturdays at 7:30 a.m. at the church led by Jay Ashbaugh and Levi Stuckey
- Wednesday at 6:00 p.m. at Wes Hoffmire's home

All men are welcome to come to either study.

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, September 20, 2015

Tithes & Offerings:

General Fund Goal \$ 3,500.00

Received: \$3,559.70

Difference: + \$ 59.70

Building Fund Goal \$ 500.00

Received: \$ 4,555.00

Difference: + \$ 4,055.00

TOTAL: \$ 8,114.70

Attendance:

Napoleon: 132

Wauseon: 518