

Righteous - The Bad News and The Good News
Hosea 9
Wes Hoffmire

God is **RIGHTEOUS** – Without Sin. (That’s good news.)
(Deut. 32:4)

We are **NOT RIGHTEOUS**. (That’s bad news.)
(Romans 3:10)

Our sin separates us from a God who must judge/punish sin. (That’s bad news.)
(Romans 6:23)

Our “good works” aren’t good enough to make us **RIGHTEOUS**. (That’s bad news.)
(Proverbs 14:12, Isaiah 64:6, James 2:10)

Jesus offers to take our sin and gives us His **RIGHTEOUSNESS!** (That’s really good news!)

Next Week:

Levi Stuckey - Hosea Week # 7 (Chapter 10)

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Welcome to
crossroads
ONE CHURCH | TWO LOCATIONS

Sunday, October 16, 2016

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 people discover and grow to
maturity and mission in

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

COMMUNION

At the end of our service we will celebrate communion. In taking communion we acknowledge our belief that Jesus died for us on the cross. Specific instructions will be given. At that time, you are welcome to participate or not participate.

DOMINICAN REPUBLIC SUPPORT

Doug and Terri Lindsey will be leading a medical/construction team to the Dominican Republic November 12-19. Donations for medications that will be purchased to use on the trip can be made at the table by the side entrance. Please continue to pray for the Lindsey's and others on the team from this area and some from Ft. Wayne.

LIFE SUPPORT

The next Life Support evening will take place on Sunday, October 30. The topic will be marriage. More details to come.

YOUTH GROUP

All regular youth activities will take place this evening. Grades 3-8 will meet at the church building from 6:00 - 7:00 p.m.

RIGHT NOW MEDIA

Crossroads Church has an account with right now media. Any regular attendee can access 10,000 videos for men, women, teens, and children for FREE. All we need is your email address and we can add you to the account. Sign up at the welcome center.

"God made him who had no sin to be sin for us, so that in him we might become the righteousness of God." 2 Corinthians 5:21

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, October 9, 2016

Tithes & Offerings:

General Fund Goal \$ 3,500.00

Received: \$ 5,315.00

Difference: + \$ 1815.00

Building Fund Goal \$ 1,000.00

Received: \$ 945.00

Difference: - \$ 55.00

TOTAL: \$ 6,260.00

Attendance:

Napoleon: 134