



CrossPoint

CHURCH OF CHRIST

FAMILY NEWS

SUNDAY, MAY 20, 2018



I hope that you have noticed the classy new sign at the entrance to our campus that identifies whom we belong to and where we are located. In thinking about this church, I am reminded of an illustration that I heard after the devastating tornados of 2011. The question was asked, "If the church where you attend was wiped out and no longer existed, would your community really miss her"? In thinking about the impact that Cross Point has on this city, I believe the answer would be "Yes, definitely"! Last week, an influential city leader had a conversation with me. He has a vision to help a group of young people within this city have good role models, learn how to live morally, and "do justly, love mercy, and walk humbly with our God." This city leader said that he had identified a handful of churches that have proven that they care about this city, and Cross Point was on that short list. I was humbled by that compliment to you! Several years ago, I needed to see a doctor, and on my chart, he noticed that I preached for the Cross Point Church of Christ. He then said, "If I did not attend _____ church, I would definitely attend Cross Point"! When I asked him why, listen to his answer; he said, "Cross Point is a church that is not afraid to get her hands dirty in this city." That is another great compliment to you! In a letter that Jehovah God wanted Jeremiah to send to the exiles, He said, "Seek the peace and prosperity of the city...Pray to the Lord for it, because if it prospers, you too will prosper." I am grateful for the numerous ways that you are out being salt and light, serving this city as ambassadors for Christ while continuing to be a Great Commission church that is baptizing people, locally and globally. Thank you for "getting it" and living out your faith! In Him - Frank Mills

TODAY'S SERMON: JOSHUA 1-6

1. My God will _____ be with me!
2. My God will _____ leave or forsake me!
3. I will be _____ and _____ and will not let _____ overtake me.
4. I will _____ my God wherever He leads me.
5. I will commit to living a _____ life and eagerly anticipate the _____ thing that God is going to do.

NEW HERE?

Questions about the day-to-day mission/function of Cross Point?

Contact Mark Killen, Executive Minister
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or

Frank Mills, Preaching Minister
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JOIN US!

The Cross Point shepherds want to encourage everyone to attend a Bible class and join a Life Group.

OUR MISSION IS TO SEEK AND SAVE THE LOST BY SHARING JESUS

BAPTISM

Praise! Jeff Edwards was baptized May 17.

WE EXTEND SYMPATHY

...to David Hollingsworth in the passing of his brother, Richard.
...to Pat Graham in the passing of her stepson, Harold Graham, and family member, Stanley Henderson.
...to Owen Lewis in the passing of his niece's husband, Johnny Butler.
...to the family of Oscar Peden, who passed away last week.
...to Stuart Sockwell in the passing of his brother-in-law, Ricky Brewer.

LIFE GROUPS

Many of our Life Groups will be taking a respite for the summer. Be sure and check with your leader for your group's summer plan. If you're currently not in a group, we'd love for you to join when we kick off on August 19! If you have questions, contact Mark Killen at 256-764-4073.

SERVICES

Sunday AM

8:30 & 10:45

Bible Class - 9:45

New Day Recovery Assemblies

8:15 & 11:00

Sunday PM

Assembly - 5:00

Life Groups

Wednesday PM

Assembly - 5:30

Bible Classes & Peak - 6:30

ONLINE GIVING AVAILABLE

www.crosspointcoc.org/give

MEMORIAL WEEKEND HOURS: The ROC will be closed Friday, May 25. The main church office and Friendship Center will be open. The entire Campus will be closed Memorial Day, Monday, May 28.

MOVING!! We need many helpers to meet at 121 Harvest Drive at 9:00 am on Saturday, May 26, to help Chase & Amanda Akins unload their moving truck.

WORLD BIBLE SCHOOL BENEFIT DINNER: On Thursday, May 31, at 6:30 pm, Florence Boulevard Church of Christ will host a benefit dinner for World Bible School. If you are interested in going, please sign up in the ROC lobby.

CROSS POINT'S GOT TALENT 3! Join us Saturday, Jun. 16, in the ROC to enjoy 10 different performances, eat a tasty meal, and bid on items donated from over 140 Shoals area businesses, all for only \$10 (\$5 for kids). Tickets on sale today in the breezeway. Proceeds benefit the Antigua Family Mission trip.

FRESH HOPE: Beginning Wednesday, Jun. 20, 6:00 pm, in the Friendship Center, there will be a new Christian support group called *Fresh Hope*. This group is for those who have a mental diagnosis and for their loved ones. *Fresh Hope* is the belief that it is possible to live well in spite of having a mental health challenge. No matter how one feels, it is possible to still have hope because of Christ. This group is a peer-to-peer led, safe, encouraging, and healing environment where real hope and real healing take place and the sure hope of Christ is foundational. Contact Seth Hudson (256.443.9013/sithud@comcast.net) or Ashley Hudson (256.627.3009/ashley@crosspointcoc.org).

NEW WI-FI NETWORK: We now have a campus-wide Wi-Fi network, which works in all buildings. To join the network, choose **cpcc-guest** and enter password **guestnet1**.

CANCER & MILITARY PRAYER LISTS: We are revamping our cancer and military prayer lists located on the Wednesday night sheet. We want to honor your loved ones by lifting them up in prayer. Please contact Ashley (ashley@crosspointcoc.org or 256.764.4073) in the office if you want to add your loved one to either of these lists.

BIBLE COLLECTION: We are collecting Bibles for Partners 4 Africa. You can bring new or gently used Bibles and place in the container in the ROC lobby or in the Adult Center, room 23. NIV version and non-paperback preferred. If you have any questions, contact Lisa Morris at 256.710.4355.

HOUSING FOR COLLEGE STUDENTS: There are a few college students from Nashville, selling books in our area who need housing this summer. If you have available space, please contact Hannah Ginter (651.280.8582).

SUPPORT FOR TANZANIA CHRISTIAN CLINIC: Please leave used ink cartridges and cell phones in the marked box in ROC lobby. These will be recycled to help the Tanzania Christian School and Clinic that the Smelers work with.

THANK YOU!! Thanks to all those who gave at our blood drive this year. We had 15 pints of blood donated.

TO RESERVE the ROC, a room, pavilion, or bus for your group, please check the events calendar on our website and if space or vehicle is available; then, email your request to reserve@crosspointcoc.org with as much advance notice as possible.



CHILDREN'S MINISTER - BEVIN THOMASTON

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To keep up with info, join the Cross Point Kids group on facebook

FINAL CAMP GLOW MEETING TODAY: 4:00 pm, in the SonSeekers classroom. Final payment and all paperwork due. Parents, campers, and counselors need to attend this meeting.

MESSY KICKBALL TODAY: 6th graders will join the Youth Group in messy kickball and pizza, 5:00 - 7:30 pm.

6th GRADERS FAREWELL LUNCH: Sunday, May 27, 11:00 am at Sam's Sports Grill with Bevin and Joe. Let Bevin know if you need a ride to Sam's. *6th Graders will move up to the Youth Group beginning Sunday, Jun. 3. All other classes will promote the first Sunday in August.

MAY CHILDREN'S CONTRIBUTION: Partners 4 Africa and Compassion.

QUIET BAGS: Feel free to grab a quiet bag for your child to use during worship. They are located near the breezeway entrance doors. Please return them when you are leaving.



TEEN MINISTER - JOE MANCHESTER

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FOLLOW THE TEEN MINISTRY ON INSTAGRAM : crosspoint_yg

TONIGHT: 5:00 - 7:30 pm, teens in Loft for devo and pizza, then MESSY KICKBALL!

UPCOMING 7th GRADERS: You can join us at messy kickball tonight. ALSO, May 27, 11:00 am, lunch at Sam's Grill with Bevin and Joe.

MNF (Monday Night Fellowship): Will meet again on Jun. 11.

IMPACT: Final balance is due NOW! Impact Junior is Jun.15-18, \$175 per person. Impact Senior is Jun.18-23, \$235 per person.

DAILY BIBLE READING: If interested in a daily reading, contact Joe.

NEED FOR FLORENCE/WILSON HIGH SCHOOLS: We will continue to collect clothing and hygiene products throughout the summer.



CAMPUS MINISTER - JACK MANN

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www.unacampus.com

CAMPUS offers lunch bunches, common grounds, retreats, missions, Bible studies, college knowledge nights, Talmid, and a host of other events, but most students first encounter CAMPUS ministry through a friend inviting them to one of our weekly gatherings. Whenever we get together for study, fellowship, or service it is to be known and to know Jesus Christ.

TONIGHT: Meet in the CAMPUS room with Bridges/ Greenhaw Life Group at 5:00 pm.

SOLO: May 24, bring \$5 for your ticket.

COMMUNITY MEAL: Monday, May 28, 4:30-6:30 pm, sign up in class.

SOAR: Session 1, Jun. 4, 7:30-9:00 pm, sign up in class.

GIRLS BIBLE STUDY: Contact Courtney Shields.

UPCOMING EVENTS

Final Camp Glow Meeting: Today

6th Grade Messy Kickball: Today

6th Grade Lunch: May 27

Camp Glow: Jun. 1-5

6th Graders Promote: Jun. 3

Mission Florence: Jul. 23-27

Promotion Sunday: Aug. 5

NURSERY WORKERS

8:30 Nursery - Maharrey Family

8:30 Wiggles - Lynnsey Beth Lambert, Sadie Killen

During 8:30 service, we have a staffed nursery for ages 2 and under, and Wiggles' Worship for 3 and 4 year olds.

UPCOMING EVENTS

Teens in Loft: TODAY / Jun. 3 / Jul. 1, 22

Teens with Life Groups: May 27 / Jun. 10, 17, 24 / Jul. 8, 15, 29

6th Grade Lunch: May 27

Impact Junior/Senior: Jun. 15-23

Serving big starts at home

But you will receive power when the Holy Spirit comes upon you. And you will be my witnesses, telling people about me everywhere—in Jerusalem, throughout Judea, in Samaria, and to the ends of the earth.

Acts 1:8 NLT

UPCOMING EVENTS

SOLO: May 24

Serve Community Meal: May 28 / Jun. 11

Camp Glow: Jun. 1 - Jun. 5

SOAR: June 4 / July dates TBA

CAMPUS meets in room #47 of the Student Center (2-story building)

Twitter - @UNA_campus

Insta - @UNA_campus

Check GroupMe for Lunch Bunch and College Knowledge.

ONGOING SERIES:

Sunday Morning - Starting Point

Wednesday Nights - Music Class



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PRAYERS REQUESTED

Martha Cabler - ECM, room 657 with pneumonia; wife of Kenny Cabler

Neva Chandler - ECM, room 558, not feeling well

David Harris - Glenwood Rehab, room 119; father of Michelle Simpson

Kell Minor - Recovering hernia surgery

Linda Pollock - Recovering from hand surgery

Dr. Glen & Ann Sockwell - Moved to Glenwood Center; parents of Stuart Sockwell

Angie Wilson - Upcoming shoulder surgery, May 29 at Helen Keller

Dale Wolfe - Heart condition; sister of Rodney Gifford

ORDER OF 8:30/10:45 ROC SERVICES

*Step by Step
I Am a Sheep
In Need*

Welcome

Reading - Jerry Renfroe/Steve Goodman

Prayer - John Holmes/Rick Burlison

Communion - Matt Hall/Greg Richards

Bread - *He Leadeth Me*

Cup - *Be With Me Lord*

Tithes & Offerings

Children's Contribution - *He's Got the Whole World in His Hands*

Be Strong and Courageous

Sermon - Frank Mills

*Where He Leads, I'll Follow/Where He Leads Me I Will Follow
Purer in Heart, O God*

Had It Not Been the Lord

Family Time - Mark Killen/Ken Delano

Days of Elijah

Worship Minister - Chase Akins

OUR SHEPHERDS

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BY THE NUMBERS...

May 13, 2018
Budget: \$34,249
Contribution: \$30,886
Budget to date: \$650,731
Contribution to date: \$638,514
In-house Benevolence: \$1,020

Attendance
Worship: 963
Bible Class: 625

WI-FI NETWORK

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password: guestnet1

MAY COMMUNION PREP

Jay & Susan Davis

MAY GREETERS

8:30: Glen & Joyce Jones
John & Yvonne Mann
Mitch & Jennifer Parrish
10:45: Dick & Martha Harrison

CONNECTION CORNER

Please reach out this month and connect with our missionaries in Zimbabwe, to encourage and uplift them.

Hailey and Noma Mlangeni
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Pointing the Way to Jesus