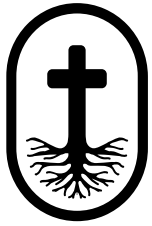




The Weekly Update

SEPTEMBER 19, 2025

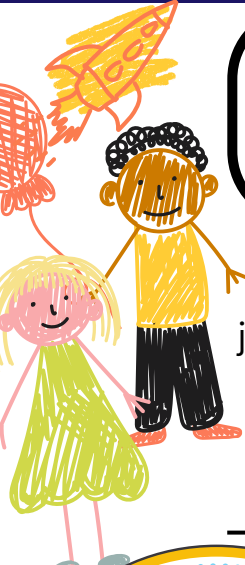


ROOTED SUNDAYS

THIS SUNDAY 11:30-2:30

Join us for "Rooted Sundays"! Each month, one of our amazing members will jump in to share their talents with the kids! Get ready for hands-on fun, creative activities, and plenty of laughter as our children explore the building blocks of the Bible in exciting, unforgettable ways.

This Sunday we will be learning about baptism, and our activity will be making pottery.



"Guess Who's Coming to Dinner" is a cherished tradition that members of Cross and Crown have enjoyed for nearly twenty years. This social activity brings together groups of six to eight people, who are assigned to a host.

The host then selects a date and plans the menu, while each guest contributes a dish. The result is an evening filled with delicious food, warm fellowship, and fun.

Every quarter, a new schedule is created, and sometimes hosts get creative by opting for brunch, lunch, or an all-appetizer gathering instead of the usual dinner. As we prepare the schedule for October through December, now is the perfect time to sign up!

To join, please contact Janis Dorsey by phone, text, or email. Be sure to provide your contact information and let us know if you're willing to host. Even if you've been a regular participant for years, we'd love to hear from you! Janis Dorsey: jkdorsey128@gmail.com, 704-562-8854

NEXT SATURDAY!

Family Meet-up: Tailgate & Bike Race

SEPTEMBER 27 @ 4PM

LOWER CHURCH PARKING LOT
BRING YOUR OWN TAILGATE STYLE MEAL
BIKES, SCOOTERS, ETC.



BLESSING OF THE ANIMALS

OCTOBER 5

DURING 10:15 am
WORSHIP



COFFEE & GOD'S WORD!

Start your day off right!

Join us!

Thursday, September 25th
7:45 am in the Common Room

PRAYER list

MEMBERS:

JEANETTE ABBOTT
JENNY BOOTH
JUNE BROOKS
JIM BURNS

DENNIS DOWNEY
LINDA FARIES
KATHI & FRANK MACARINE
JOE & CRISS UCMAN
JD WINFREY

FAMILY & FRIENDS:

Kenneth Ackerman, Larry Pool’s brother-in-law
Kristi Alary, Julie Moffat’s sister
Scott Anderson, friend of the Ucmans
Sue Azukas, friend of Jerry Putnam
John Bailey, Russ Bailey’s father
Ellis Baldwin, Julie Rutkowski’s brother-in-law
Andrew Bernauer, son of Wayne & Rosemary Bernauer
Jim Carty, Suzy Wlezniaak’s brother
Joann Church, Behzad Vaqar’s mother
Drude Corbet, Angelina Corbet’s brother

Ruth Deal

Mark & Leigh Ann Duda, friends of Larry Stratemeyer
Rick, Debbie & Jason Eldridge, friends of Vivian Farland
Reid Evans, friend of Barbara Maillet
Brad Faries, Barry & Linda Faries’ son
Owen Farr, Julie Wright’s grandson
Lily Ferrulli, Joann Ferrulli’s granddaughter
Jarmo Forsblom, Jouni Forsblom’s brother
Dorothy Henke, Lisa Roth’s mother
Portia Hutchinson, friend of Felicia Eybl
Will Jacobs, friend of the Macarine’s being deployed
Kelly K. Prayers for healing
Jim Kozlinski, Cathy Kozlinkski’s husband
Mark & Ellen Kramm, friends of Jill Jurgensen
Helen Laatz, sister-in-law of Leslie Laatz
Randy LaMere, Jennifer LaMere’s father
Madsen family, friends of Joe & Criss Ucmman
Jeanne Maylor, Denise Bratschie’s friend
Ted Meiss, Christine Meiss’ husband
Alice Louise (Lou) Miller, Criss Ucmman's cousin
Gary Mintz, friend of David & Debra Cox & Felicia Eybl
Fred Olafson, friend of the congregation
Nga Pace, Yen Forsblom’s sister
Victoria Pollard
Olivia Reardon, daughter of Barry & Linda Faries’ friends
Sameer Saproo, Teri Strom’s nephew-in-law
Nancy Scholhammer, friend of Susan Arcuri
Burt Sweet, June Brooks’ son
Sherrill & Patricia Tucker, Donna Tucker’s parents
Joanne Varnum, friend of Joe & Criss Ucmman
Haley White, Barbara Maillet’s granddaughter
Lucas White, Barbara Maillet’s grandson

**New Group Launch:
Gather CLT Young Adult Ministry**

We’re excited to announce a brand-new ministry just for young adults – Gather CLT!
This is a space to connect, build friendships, and grow in faith together.
 Saturday, September 27
 12:30 – 3:00 PM
 Optimist Hall
Come hang out, grab some food, and be part of the very first Gather CLT meet-up. Bring a friend – everyone is welcome!

CHURCH OFFICE HOURS

Monday: 8:30 am - 2 pm
Tuesday: 8:30 am - 2 pm
Wednesday: Church Office closed, phone lines & office email is open & replied to between 8:30 am - 5 pm.

Thursday: 8:30 am - 2 pm
Friday: 8:30 am - 2 pm

2025 CHURCH COUNCIL MEMBERS

Jeff Bratschie- President
Jill Jurgensen- Vice President
Felicia Eybl- Secretary

Lori Meath
Chris Frisina
Jerry Putnam
Kati Goode

Happy Birthday

Phyllis Macmurphy
Felicia Eybl

SEPT. 19
SEPT. 21



Wednesday Night Happenings

6 pm

SCAN TO RSVP



9-24-25

Chicken & Rice Casserole,
Mixed Veggies,
Garden Salad, & Dessert

Love a Good Book & Good Conversation?

The Evening Book Club meets the first Thursday of every month at 7 pm in the Common Room.
At our October meeting we will discuss
The Magnificent Lives of Marjorie Post by Allison Pataki.
And in November, we will discuss
The Woman in the Cabin by Becca Day.
Reach out to Jill Jurgensen if you have any questions.

The next gathering is
Thursday, Oct. 2.

A Note of Thanks

Thank you to my Cross & Crown family. Your prayers, kind words, cards, and acts of love have been such a source of comfort to me during this time of loss. I feel truly blessed to be surrounded by such a caring and supportive community.
Thank you for walking with me in both grief and hope.

MaryPhelps



Coming up this week...

Sunday, Sept. 21- 8:15 am- Traditional Worship
9 am- Coffee Hour
9:15 am- Adult Bible Study on the book of Psalm
10:15 am- Contemporary Worship
11:30 am- Rooted Sunday, Youth Group & Confirmation
Monday, Sept. 22-7:30 pm- Women’s Bible Study
Tuesday, Sept. 23- 12 pm- Staff Meeting
1 pm- Congregational Care Team Meeting
2 pm- Community Care Team Meeting
6:30 pm- Council Meeting
6:30 pm- Table Talk
Wednesday, Sept. 24- 6 pm- Wednesday Night Happenings Dinner
6:45 pm- Handbells 7:30 pm- Choir
Thursday, Sept. 25- 7:45 am- Men’s Bible Study
Friday, Sept. 26-4:30 pm- Walking Club