# **CONNECTING TO CROSSROADS**

Crossroads is a place where God and people meet. Wherever you are at in your faith journey, we are glad that you have joined us. On Sundays we come together as a larger community to express our worship to God as we also listen to what he has to say to us through the Bible. During the week we gather in smaller groups at various times and places to care for one another as we share life and faith together. Between these times, we represent God among the people with whom we live in our homes, neighbourhoods, and workplaces.

We pray that you will experience the presence of God and the care of God's people as we spend time together. May the decisions you make today help you reflect more and more the character of God and the person God has made you to be. If you would like information on how to get more connected with our community, please talk to an usher or email office@crossroadsmb.ca.

# **CONNECTING TO CHRIST**

How does a person become a Christian?

- By believing that Jesus, God's son, died for your sins and rose again
- By *acknowledging* your need, *accepting* God's forgiveness, *turning* away from your sins, and *heading* in Christ's direction
- By making Jesus the Saviour and Lord of your life
- By publicly declaring your commitment to Christ

You can do this by praying like this:

"Oh God, I acknowledge that I have sinned against you. I am sorry for my sins and am willing to turn away from them. I now receive Jesus Christ as my Saviour and Lord of my life. From this moment on I will live for him.

In Jesus' name, amen."

And then tell someone about it. Tell a pastor or one or two close friends. It will help seal this act of faith in your mind and heart and help you know how to take some of the first steps of faith after.



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# WELCOME TO CROSSROADS MB CHURCH MAY 15, 2022



As I Have Loved You



"Praise the LORD from the heavens; praise him in the heights above. Praise him, all his angels; praise him, all his heavenly hosts. Praise him, sun and moon; praise him, all you shining stars. Praise him, you highest heavens and you waters above the skies."

Psalm 148:1-6

### **ORDER OF SERVICE**

Welcome

Worship in Song

Congregational Prayer Joe Welty

Children's Feature

Sharing Pioneer Camp

Scripture Reading John 13:31-38

Message Joe Welty

Worship in Song

The Lord's Prayer & Announcements Joe Welty

#### **CROSSROADS INFORMATION**

### Information for this Sunday morning, May 15 at 10:00am:

You are invited to participate in Crossroads service either on-line or in-person.

In-person—We welcome you to 231 Kitson at 10:00am Masks are recommended.

**On-line**—Crossroads worship service will be livestreamed at 10:00am and can also be viewed anytime on Youtube.com. Search for 'CrossroadsMB Wpg'.

Sunday School Class for Youth today. Next Sunday—long weekend so no CE classes. May 29-PreK-Gr 5 classes. Children are asked to wear masks to Sunday School.

**Thursday—Quilting for MCC** at 10:00am in the church basement. Everyone welcome.

**Crossroads Annual General Meeting—Wednesday, June 1** at 7:30pm at the church.

**How's your green thumb?** There are several gardening opportunities at Crossroads:

- 1) plots available in the community garden
- 2) help with the community garden (watering, tending paths and edges)
- 3) participate in vision team for native plant patch

To participate in general grounds keeping, please contact the trustees.

Become a virtual farmer and help end global hunger. Sponsor an acre of Manitoba farmland through Grow Hope to provide food and agricultural training for people in places like India and Haiti. Visit mccmb.ca/growhope to learn more and join us.

Host an MCC workshop on having difficult conversations. The COVID-19 pandemic has prompted some painful exchanges between colleagues, friends and even family members, but so have many other issues. This workshop offers tools for practicing self-awareness, active listening and open dialogue. For more information or to host this workshop, contact Marta Bunnett Wiebe at <a href="marta-bunnettwiebe@mccmb.ca">marta-bunnettwiebe@mccmb.ca</a> or 204-925-1910.

**Family Fun Day at Winkler Bible Camp** - Pack up the family and join us at camp for a day filled with awesome camp activities, tasty food and fun for your family and friends! We will be open on Saturday June 4 from 11:00 am to 6:00 pm. Cost is \$5.00 per person at the gate. Please visit our website for more details.

Day of Prayer for Camps - We hope you are planning to join with churches across our nation to pray for camps on Sunday May 29th! Camp is a significant time of spiritual growth in the lives of many children attending many of our great camps across the province. We know that our Father wants to use these ministries to evangelize, encourage and equip children to follow Him!

<sup>\*</sup>Please note that Crossroads Sunday worship services are now live, recorded and posted on-line. \*Crossroads strives to be a scent-reduced environment