

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

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 AUGUST 28, 2022



PICNIC LUNCH AT VIMY RIDGE PARK TODAY!



*"Sing for joy to God our strength; shout aloud to the God of Jacob!"
Psalm 81:1*

ORDER OF SERVICE

Welcome		
Worship in Song		Worship Team
Congregational Prayer		Joe Welty
Children's Feature		Joe Welty
Scripture Reading	<i>Colossians 1:1-14</i>	
Message	<i>"Worthy"</i>	Joe Welty
Worship in Song		Worship Team
The Lord's Prayer & Announcements		

You are invited to join others from Crossroads at 12 noon today at Vimy Ridge Park on Portage Avenue (can park on Canora St)! Pick up some drive-thru or bring a picnic lunch and visit with others while enjoying your food.

**Please note that Crossroads Sunday worship services now live, recorded and posted on-line.*

**Crossroads strives to be a scent-reduced environment*

CROSSROADS INFORMATION

Information for this Sunday morning, August 28 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 suggested.

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 News and Pizza Lunch!

We need just 1 half time teacher for our Gr. 1-2 class. Please be aware that without that teacher, the class will **NOT** have Sunday school each week so if you are able to teach let Craig or Erin know.

All Sunday school teachers mark your calendars for the fall craft prep party to take place **Monday, Aug. 29th at 7 pm at the church.** We look forward to seeing you there!

Kick off Sunday will Sept. 11th. There will be a pizza lunch for everyone after Sunday School at 12 noon. If you wish to help cover the cost, there will be a donation box available (non-receiptable).

Parents—please fill in the registration forms for your children and email them back to the church office **before Sept. 11th. (hardcopies are available on the foyer countertop)**

*Please note that this year's Youth class will include grade 6-12 so if your child is in that range please complete the youth form.

* On the 3rd page is "student ministries activities" We would like to occasionally take the youth class for a walk possibly stopping for coffee/hot chocolate, please fill in this section to give permission for this activity.

Safe Place Policy Training

It is time again for our annual Safe Place Policy Training for the 2022 to 2023 church year. As a reminder, this is for those of you involved in Sunday School (including CE Supervisors), Nursery, Youth, or with Vulnerable Adults (refugees, the disabled or the elderly). The Manitoba Conference has provided eight training videos anywhere from 3 to 6 minutes long. You can view the training videos on your own time, at your leisure. Once you have viewed the videos, you are required to attend one of the following sessions:

(it is required that you have viewed the videos prior to attending one of these sessions- If you did not get the links via the weekly church email, then please email the church office for the links)

1. **Sept 25 or Oct 2 – Refresher training** – if you completed the refresher training or initial training sessions last year (2021) and have viewed the Safe Place Policy training videos this year, please attend the Refresher session either on Sept 25 or Oct 2 at 12:00 p.m. This should take no more than 5 to 10 minutes.
2. **Sept 25 or Oct 2 – Initial training** – if you did not take the refresher training or initial training last year (2021) and have viewed the safe Place Policy Training videos, please attend the Initial session either on Sept 25 or Oct 2 at 12:15 p.m. This should take no more than 15 to 20 minutes.