

Vision of Crossway Multinational Church

At Crossway, we want to be a church that is of, by, and for peoples from many nations, languages, and cultures.

Our first commitment is to be a church *centered on and shaped by God the Father, God the Son, and God the Holy Spirit*. We want the wonder of God's perfect creation, the sad reality of human sin, the surprising goodness of God's gracious forgiveness through Jesus Christ, and the amazing hope of God's coming Kingdom to shape who we are and what we do.

Our second commitment is to become a church *without any ethnic or cultural priority*. Our commitment is to have people from multiple and diverse backgrounds help shape and lead our church, and that we would honor and fully welcome, and serve and be served by, people of many cultures. We want to be a foretaste of what the Apostle John envisioned:

A great multitude that no one could number, from every nation, from all tribes and peoples and languages, standing before the throne and before the Lamb...crying out with a loud voice, "Salvation belongs to our God who sits on the throne, and to the Lamb!" (Revelation 7:9-10)

So whatever your culture or nationality, we welcome you, we want to learn from you, and we hope that you will experience and grow in the love of God through Christ among us.

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**Welcoming and transforming
the peoples of all nations
to be united in the praise
of God in Christ**

May the God who gives endurance and encouragement give you the same attitude of mind toward each other that Christ Jesus had, so that with one mind and one voice you may glorify the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ.

Accept one another, then, just as Christ accepted you, in order to bring praise to God.

Romans 15:5-7 (NIV)

Order of Worship February 27th, 2021

The angels were calling to one another:
“Holy, holy, holy is the Lord Almighty;
the whole earth is full of his glory.” *from Isaiah 6:3*

Welcoming One Another & Announcements

Holy, Holy, You are Holy

One day heaven will be opened and before the Savior's throne saints from every time and nations will begin their endless song: Holy, holy, You are holy

Scripture Reading *Revelation 21:1-8*

O the Depth and the Height

All the suffering and pain in this life will have ceased in the presence of Christ, my Savior.

There is a Higher Throne

He'll wipe each tear-stained eye as thirst and hunger die.

Don'na Tokidemo

*Anytime and anywhere know that Jesus' love is there.
Don't despair, for God is king. Look for joy and you will find.
Put away your fear; God is very near every time and everywhere.*

Prayer of Confession *Numbers 23:12; Proverbs 3:5-6*

Prayer of Assurance *Philippians 4:6-7*

Only By Grace

*Into Your presence You call us, You call us to come.
Into Your presence You draw us and now by Your grace we come.*

Children 3-6 are invited to Junior Church

Prayer of Intercession *Acts 2:46-47*

“Gradually and Suddenly” *Luke 17:20-37*

Kau Rajaku

The One who has the power, Lord Jesus, You're my King.

Benediction

Announcements

Pastor Tyler St. Claire and Meal on March 6

We are so excited to have Pastor Tyler from Cornerstone Church of Detroit joining with us on **March 6**. He will be preaching for us, and then we will have a church meal together after the worship service. You can sign up to bring food to share by going to tiny.cc/cmcmmeal

Black History Month Worship Service at Cornerstone Church ** TODAY **

Our regional Church partner Cornerstone Church in Detroit is hosting a Black History Month Celebration Worship Service. This will be a **celebration of Black Church history** with music, dance and poetry. A Crossway group will be driving there and back together.

When: Today, 4-5:30PM.

Where: Cornerstone Church
22159 Grand River Avenue Detroit, MI

How: Meet us there or need a ride?

- Meet at **the church parking lot at 2:30pm.**
- We will be leaving in 2 minivans leaving no later than 2:45pm.



Mask Update

Following the updated guidance from the State of Michigan, **we welcome each person to make their own choice regarding whether or not to wear a mask in our worship services.**

We continue to encourage those who are not feeling well not to join in person. We also encourage any who are at higher risk, or who feel better protected when masked, to wear a mask. We are committed to love and respect each other in these decisions.

Note that our guidance could change as conditions and recommendations from authorities may change. What won't change is our commitment to demonstrate the superabounding grace of God to each other, and to pursue complete obedience to God as well as respect for and submission to our governing authorities. (see Titus 3:1-2)

Crossway Kids and Youth Group

Crossway Kids meet Thursdays, 6-7pm on Zoom. Contact Jean Eddy jeddy57@gmail.com for details.

Crossway Youth (6th through 12th grades) meet Wednesday 6:30-8:15pm for dinner and Bible study. **Facemasks are optional.** During March, meeting at the Bonnells' home: 815 Virginia Ave, East Lansing. Questions? Contact Karen Bonnell kswbonnell@gmail.com

Invitations to Serve

There are many great opportunities to serve! This Sunday we are learning about our Sunday Meals Team.

The Lord's Supper next week (March 6)

We will celebrate the Lord's Supper together next Sunday. To learn more, see <https://crosswaymchurch.org/glossary/the-lords-supper/>