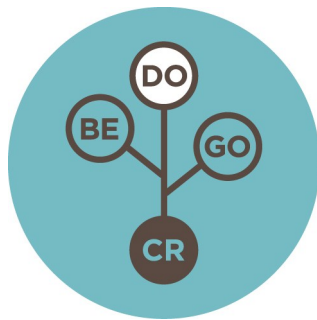


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★**ADMIT ALL**★

Crossroads Church Proudly Presents:



**SMALL
GROUPS!**

**Your Ticket to Transformation
Begins January 22nd.**

Register at www.CrossroadsChurch.cc/groups
from January 7th to January 29th.
Small Groups will end the week of April 1st.

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2012 IS HERE...

...and it's already happening. I can feel it. I need to lose some weight. I'd like to clean out my storage closet in the basement. I need to connect more deeply with my friends. I want to get into a consistent rhythm of reading the Bible, prayer and journaling. Something about the New Year does this. I have fresh hope that the *best* me can show up. 2012 will be the year that my life emerges as stronger, deeper and less cluttered. My intentions are good...it's just that the results don't always turn out. What I know is that **systems always trump intentions**. Change occurs when we structure our lives for that change. And usually it takes outside resources to truly take us to a new level.

Small Groups are just the ticket. This system of meeting together at a specific time with a group of people who are exploring transformation is just what the *best* you needs. Peruse the catalogue. Discover groups that help with weight loss, prayer, Bible study, addiction, and relationships. Here is your chance to structure your life so that you are ready for the transformation God has for you. Let 2012 live up to its potential! Sign up for a Crossroads' Small Group and **get your ticket to transformation**.

Jonna Fantz, Pastor of Adult Ministries

To Register:

Please go to our website to register for a group. We will place people in groups in the order that the registrations are received. When a group reaches its maximum capacity, it will be posted on the website.

1. Go to **www.crossroadschurch.cc/groups** and click on the registration link. You will be asked to enter your account information to sign in.
 - If you don't have it, have never created one, or just can't get it to work, click on "Create An Account". You will receive an email that contains a link that you'll need to click to activate your account. If you don't immediately receive your email, wait a few minutes, or check your junk email folder.
2. Select the person you are registering. Add people to your household as necessary.
 - If you are registering for Child Care, you must select/add a child.
3. Select the group from the drop down box after "Select A Form".
 - Choose the name of your group.
 - Leave the schedule as Winter/Spring 2012.
4. Click on "Continue".
 - Carefully check the dates, times and leader information to make sure you have the correct group. Click "Continue" again.
5. Click on either "Register Another Person" or "Submit Form(s)".
 - If you made an error, you can also click on "Remove" in front of the registration you want to delete.

Child Care:

Child care is offered for groups meeting at the Eagan Campus on Wednesday nights and at the Woodbury Campus on Monday & Thursday nights, but you must register and pay in advance. Details and registration can be found at **www.crossroadschurch.cc/childcare**. Please contact Naomi Dalldorf at (651) 294-7715 or **NaomiDalldorf@crossroadschurch.cc** for questions about child care.

Crossroads does not supply child care for groups outside of the church. If you have questions about child care for your group, please contact the leader of that group.

Contact Information:

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Kelly Bosch, Adult Ministries Assistant: 651-294-7709, **KellyBosch@CrossroadsChurch.cc**

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Parenting Beyond Your Capacity (Parents)	Woodbury Campus	Mon 6:30 PM	p 5
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SUNDAYS

Reversing Our Tragic Neglect of the Holy Spirit We will have an open discussion about the book Forgotten God by Francis Chan, including biblical study of the Holy Spirit. We will share a meal, pray together, and encourage one another as we grow in our faith. Come ready to be challenged, enter into fellowship with one another, and dive into the Scriptures as we learn about the Holy Spirit.

For: Anyone
When: Sundays 5:00-7:00pm
Led by: Matt & Alicia Klein
Contact: aliciaklein623@gmail.com or 763-486-3803
Where: In a home in Saint Paul (near Maplewood)
Cost: Free
Childcare: No Childcare

Building Teamwork in Your Marriage Want to be better together? This study, developed by Family Life, shows how each spouse's perspective on the same situation, reaction to an event, or ways to solve a problem can actually make them a better team. We will use principles from God's word to view our spouse as a teammate and not an opponent by synthesizing our differences and building mutual trust.

For: Married Couples
When: Sundays 7:00-9:00pm
Led by: Brian & Karen Behm
Contact: behmka@comcast.net or 651-459-2037
Where: Behm Home in Woodbury
Cost: \$20 per couple
Childcare: No Childcare

MONDAYS

James—Mercy Triumphs by Beth Moore. Get to know both the man and the Book of James. Learn how to put your own faith into action.

For: Women
When: Mondays 6:15-8:30pm (also offered Wednesday mornings)
Led by: Penny Burdash & Helen Davidson
Contact: helendav213@gmail.com or 651-964-5706
Where: Woodbury Campus
Cost: \$18
Childcare: Provided at Church for a Fee

Parenting Beyond Your Capacity When parents work in tandem with the faith community to raise their children, they increase their parenting capacity exponentially. Most parents have so many demands on their time that they can't be the kind of parent they desire to be. They need to know the Orange Factor: two combined influences will make a greater impact on kids than just two influences. And it's true. Parents who partner with the faith community are the best way to bring the next generation into the family of God—and keep them there.

For: Parents
When: Mondays 6:30-8:00pm
Led by: Pastor Tina Wallace
Contact: TinaWallace@CrossroadsChurch.cc or 651-294-7712
Where: Woodbury Campus
Cost: \$10 for the book
Childcare: Provided at Church for a Fee

Financial Peace University by Dave Ramsey. This life-changing program teaches you to achieve your financial goals by eliminating debt, saving for the future, and giving like never before. You will be challenged and motivated to make a plan for your money.

For: Anyone, teens to adults
When: Mondays 6:30-8:30 PM
Led by: Pastor Jonna Fantz & Brian Jacobson
Contact: JonnaFantz@CrossroadsChurch.cc or 651-294-7721
Where: Woodbury Campus
Cost: \$99.50 per family unit (free for Financial Peace Members/Alumni who are welcome)
Childcare: Provided at Church for a Fee

Do You Dare...to Trust God for the IMPOSSIBLE? Hebrews 11 summarized the real faith of Old Testament people by saying "through faith they conquered kingdoms, enforced justice, obtained promises, stopped the mouths of lions, quenched the power of fire, escaped the edge of the sword, were made strong out of weakness, became mighty in war, put foreign armies to flight..." These people believed God for the impossible, and God provided for them. We will explore the challenges in our own lives and seek an audacious faith in God to succeed in overcoming the impossible--if we dare. Participants will purchase Sun Stand Still by Steven Furtick and we'll reference Big God by Britt Merrick.

For: Anyone
When: Mondays 6:30-8:00pm
Led by: Warren Langstraat and Doug Smith
Contact: wlangstraat@comcast.net or 651-337-0147
Where: Woodbury Campus
Cost: \$10.19 for Sun Stand Still at Amazon.com
Childcare: Provided at Church for a Fee

MONDAYS

Digging Deeper at Crossroads Church. Come for fellowship and discussion as we dig deeper into the weekend messages by following the discussion guides for the current sermon series.

For: 20 & 30-Somethings
When: Mondays 6:30-8:30pm
Led by: Jenny Ryan and Kaycee Moore
Contact: shocks20@hotmail.com or 651-331-8508
Where: Woodbury Campus
Cost: Free
Childcare: Provided at Church for a Fee

NOOMA Jesus lived with the awareness that God is doing something, right here, right now, and anybody can be a part of it. He encouraged his listeners to search, to question, to wrestle with the implications of what he was saying and doing. He inspired, challenged, provoked, comforted, and invited people to be open to God's work in this world. Wherever he went, whatever he did, Jesus started discussions about what matters most, because for Jesus, God is always inviting us to open our eyes and join in. NOOMA is a series of short films that explore our world from a perspective of Jesus. NOOMA is an invitation to search, question, and join the discussion.

For: Anyone
When: Mondays 6:30-8:30pm
Led by: Jake & Erin Kerschner
Contact: JakeKerschner@CrossroadsChurch.cc or 651-294-7740
Where: Woodbury Campus
Cost: Free
Childcare: Provided at Church for a Fee

Blue Like Jazz by Donald Miller. "I never liked jazz music because jazz doesn't resolve. But I was outside the Bagdad Theater in Portland one night when I saw a man playing the saxophone. I stood there for fifteen minutes, and he never opened his eyes. After that I liked jazz music. Sometimes you have to watch somebody love something before you can love it yourself. It is as if they are showing you the way. I used to not like God because God didn't resolve. But that was before any of this happened." - Donald Miller. Miller brings up many issues of great concern to a twenty-something person of faith. Come join us as we navigate what it means to be a Christian in today's crazy and wonderful world!

For: Twenty-Somethings
When: Mondays 7:00-9:00pm
Led by: Jeremy Lind
Contact: jrlind@gmail.com or 763-670-7139
Where: Lind Apartment in St. Paul—We may seek alternate meeting spots depending on how large the group gets.
Cost: Cost of Donald Miller's Book
Childcare: No Childcare

Courageous—The Resolution for Men The Resolution for Men is the inspiring book born out of *Courageous*, a film by the makers of *Fireproof*. This powerful study will take small groups deeper into biblical truths for a godly family, exploring topics such as redeeming your history, walking with integrity, winning and blessing the hearts of your children, and more. Every session involves watching a clip from the movie to help group members engage in discussion. And daily readings from The Resolution for Men will help you connect with God and His best plan for your family.

Written by Stephen and Alex Kendrick, The Resolution for Men inspires men to reconcile with their past, re-engage in the present by taking full responsibility for their wives and children, and then move forward with a bold and clear resolution for the future. Written in partnership with the movie, The Resolution for Men is designed to inspire a revolution.

For: Men
When: Mondays 6:30-8:30pm
Led by: Jesse Bowen & Greg Stock
Contact: bowenjesse@hotmail.com or 612-810-5561
Where: Woodbury Campus
Cost: \$20 for the book and Study Guide
Childcare: Provided at Church for a fee

When Women Walk Alone: Finding Strength and Hope Through the Seasons of Life by Cindi McMenammin. Wouldn't it be nice to never again feel alone? Every woman--no matter what her life's circumstances, whether she's single or married--has walked through the desert of loneliness. Maybe you're going through it right now. Perhaps you're feeling overwhelmed by certain burdens. Or deep inside, you're restless, and you're not sure why. Or you feel disconnected from others around you.

Did you know the alone time in life can be an invitation from God to deepen your relationship with Him? He alone can provide the strength...the wisdom...the hope you need. And best of all, He has promised He will never leave you. When Women Walk Alone will help you turn your alone times into life changing encounters with God, who cares for you more than you'll ever know.

Additionally, we will work thru the When Women Walk Alone 31-day devotional companion book.

For: Women
When: Tuesdays 6:30-8:30pm
Led by: Karen Peters
Contact: kmp4mk@yahoo.com or 612-499-0852
Where: Peters Home in Woodbury
Cost: Cost of Book, approximately \$15 for both. Kindle options are available. Karen will coordinate the book order.
Childcare: No Childcare

TUESDAYS

When A Woman Inspires Her Husband: Understanding and Affirming the Man in Your Life by Cindi McMenemy. Do you long for a closer connection with your husband? Or maybe you would just like to be able to encourage him in a greater way. Drawing upon the perspectives of husbands (and their wives of 20-30 years), this study will help you see the unique heart of your husband, and how you can use your strengths, softness, and God-given abilities to inspire him to be all he was designed to be. [When A Woman Inspires Her Husband](#) is an uplifting and practical resource designed to strengthen marriage relationships.

For: Married Women
When: Tuesdays 7:00-8:30pm
Led by: Kelly Bosch
Contact: KellyBosch@CrossroadsChurch.cc or 651-294-7709
Where: Bosch Home in Cottage Grove
Cost: The Price of the Book (see ChristianBook.com for the best price for a paperback)
Childcare: No Childcare

Faith Lessons on the Promised Land Filmed on location in Israel, this is a unique video series that brings God's Word to life with astounding relevance. By weaving together the Bible's fascinating historical, cultural, religious, and geographical contexts, teacher and historian Ray Vander Laan reveals keen insights into Scripture's significance for modern believers. These illuminating 'faith lessons' afford a new understanding of the Bible that will ground your convictions and transform your life. The completely new Faith Lessons curriculum will take us on a round trip to ancient times, places, and customs, and back again.

For: Anyone
When: Every other Tuesday starting January 22nd to March 20th, 7:00-8:30pm
Led by: Pastor James Brown & Lisa Adams
Contact: JamesBrown@CrossroadsChurch.cc or LisaAdams@CrossroadsChurch.cc or 651-294-7747
Where: Woodbury Campus Café
Cost: Cost of Study Guide on Amazon.com
Childcare: No Childcare

Study of Jude Have you ever had doubts about Jesus' ability or know someone who does? What if you were the brother of Jesus, and doubted him for most of your life? This study of Jude, written from a historical Jewish background will explore the context behind the illustrations as well as develop the meaning and applications for living from the short phrases. Designed as a six week study, this is an opportunity to join a group which will confirm the integrity of your faith in a world which doubts that Jesus matters.

For: Anyone
When: Tuesdays 7:00-8:30pm
Led by: Philip Vierling
Contact: goatkeeper@me.com or 651-331-0420
Where: In a home near Afton; possibly rotating homes
Cost: None
Childcare: No Childcare

Connecting The Dots In The Bible Do you read the Bible and wonder, "What does this mean?" Would you like to get more out of your Bible reading? Have you wondered, "How does the Bible apply to my life?" Do you need help putting these pieces together? If you answered yes to any of these questions, then this is the study for you. We will:

- Explore how using some basic Bible study tools can help you get more out of the Bible.
- See what the Bible tells you about the vibrant relationship you can have with God.
- Use Biblical truths to make choices to grow in your relationship with God.

For: Anyone
When: Tuesdays 7:00-9:00pm
Led by: Joe Dellaria
Contact: jfdellaria@aol.com or 651-436-6494
Where: A centrally located coffee shop, TBD
Cost: None
Childcare: No Childcare

TUESDAYS

The Stranger on the Road to Emmaus Together as a community of young adults, we will strive to grow closer in relationship with the Lord as well with each other through the fellowship and the study of the Scriptures. The text, The Stranger on the Road to Emmaus provides a straightforward way of understanding the key themes of the greatest book ever written, which will help those involved in the study to not only grow closer in relationship with God through the study of the Word, but also will leave having more confidence to share their faith with others. Each person should come each week with the book, their Bible, and a snack to pass around.

For: College Age People (18-25 year olds)
When: Tuesdays 7:00-9:00pm
Led by: Ryan Nyquist & Kaleb Green
Contact: rrynyquist@gmail.com or 651-233-4450
Where: Campbell House in Cottage Grove
Cost: Between \$5-\$12; can be found on Amazon.com
Childcare: No Childcare

WEDNESDAYS

Men's Group An informal time of caring, sharing, and praying. We use scriptures, Christian articles or book for discussion.

For: Men
When: Wednesdays 6:00-7:30am
Led by: Bob Olson
Contact: olsons@chartner.net or 952-431-7968
Where: Panera Bread, Eagan Town Center
Cost: Individual Purchase of Coffee/Tea/Pastries
Childcare: No Childcare

Remembering the Forgotten God Combining of the Remembering the Forgotten God workbook and DVDs to drive spiritual growth in men. This is a group for men serious about growing their faith, and laughing, like crazy, every week.

For: Men
When: Wednesdays 6:30-7:30am
Led by: Matt Lamb & Jim Nelson
Contact: mrl1010@hotmail.com or 651-274-0326
Where: Woodbury Campus Café
Cost: Between \$12-\$15 for the workbook
Childcare: No Childcare

James—Mercy Triumphs by Beth Moore. Get to know both the man and the Book of James. Learn how to put your own faith into action.

For: Women
When: Wednesdays 9:00-11:15am (also offered Monday nights)
Led by: Penny Burdash & Amy Hite
Contact: spburdy@juno.com or 651-459-6771
Where: Woodbury Campus
Cost: \$18
Childcare: No Childcare

Discerning the Voice of God This study provides practical help in knowing what you hear is from God. Through this study you will become more familiar with God's Holy Spirit, His character, language, and tone of voice.

For: Women
When: Wednesdays 9:15-10:45am
Led by: Angie Siwek
Contact: angie7si@yahoo.com or 651-452-5757
Where: Eagan Campus
Cost: \$11 for member book
Childcare: We will have a babysitter at a cost of \$3 per child per session.

Philippians & Proverbs We will read Philippians at a slow pace to meditate on God's word in this book and learn how we can do all things through Christ who gives us strength. (Phil 4:13) We will also read through the book of Proverbs seeking a piece of wisdom daily from the Lord to apply to our lives.

For: Anyone
When: Wednesdays 6:30-8:00pm starting February 1st
Led by: Dawn Bremer
Contact: dkbremer@usfamily.net or 651-458-1132
Where: Home in Cottage Grove
Cost: Free
Childcare: No Childcare

WEDNESDAYS

Destined for Eternity Campus Crusade For Christ offers a 4 book adult discipleship series Destined. We will be picking up the action with book # 4, titled: Destined for Eternity. Lots of reading and homework with this study! The chapters cover: Living With An Eternal Perspective, Knowing God's Character, Insights From The Ministry Of Jesus, and more. Many thought provoking questions and Bible reading assignments each week! The best conversations you'll have all week guaranteed! Group members are expected to come prepared: written answers to chapter questions, completed reading assignments, and be willing to participate in a lively group discussion (and to have fun, make new friends, and enjoy some treats).

For: **Anyone Ready for a Spiritual Workout**
When: Wednesdays 6:30-8:00pm
Led by: Mr. Terry & Mrs. Terry Vikla
Contact: vikla.terry@yahoo.com or 651-707-6120
Where: Vikla Home in Cottage Grove
Cost: \$10 for the study book at www.lifebuildersnet.org; please have book for 1st meeting
Childcare: No Childcare

The Church According to Scripture This small group experience is designed to take us deeper into the study of the Bible. We will also be spending time praying together and serving our community. We will be studying portions of the book of the New Testament dealing with the start of the church. Along with scripture, we will be using a DVD and study guide by Francis Chan, both will allow us to grapple and learn together. Below is a description of the material we will be using: "Are we doing church the way the Bible instructs us? Are we supposed to gather in a building once a week to sing a few songs and hear someone else talk about God? Are we really supposed to take Communion facing forward in silence, eating dry wafers and drinking wine from tiny plastic cups? Is that the church Jesus asked His followers to create?"

For: **Anyone**
When: Wednesdays 6:30-8:00pm
Led by: Bob Olson
Contact: olson@charter.net or 952-431-7968
Where: Eagan Campus
Cost: No Charge
Childcare: Provided at Church for a Fee

Gripped by the Greatness of God James McDonald takes us on a journey of Isaiah's encounters with God to rediscover the wonder of God's holiness, awesomeness, and sovereignty that will result in changed lives gripped by God's greatness. How can we take the fervor of our Sunday experiences and translate them into a consistent life pattern?

For: Anyone
When: Wednesdays 6:30-8:15pm
Led by: Dan & Sally Delaney
Contact: sal.delaney@comcast.net or 651-459-4389
Where: Cottage Grove Home
Cost: \$13 for the workbook
Childcare: No Childcare

Nurture by Lisa Bevere. Nurture written by Lisa Bevere positions women to make connections, reclaim your feminine intuition, strengthen your families, and find your place as the world changer God has destined you to be. Please join me in finding purpose and destiny while bringing healing and restoration. As women we need each other's comfort and assurance as we define ourselves, find our voice and begin to fulfill God's purpose on Earth.

For: Women
When: Wednesdays 6:30-8:30pm
Led by: Megan Tix
Contact: megan.tix7@gmail.com or 651-226-9708
Where: Eagan Campus
Cost: \$10 for the paperback book
Childcare: Provided at Church for a Fee

Life Lessons with Max Lucado/Books of Peter The study of I Peter. This is Peter's survival manual. He understood persecution. He knew the sting of false words and angry whip. Peter knew enough to know what it takes to stay strong in tough times. This is a dessert group. We will meet every Wednesday and will take the month of March off.

For: Anyone
When: Wednesdays 6:30-8:30pm
Led by: John & Jenny Buchanan
Contact: jennybuchanan@gmail.com or 612-306-2764
Where: Homes in Cottage Grove
Cost: \$11
Childcare: No Childcare

WEDNESDAYS

The Reason for God These sessions will help you to "be able to give a reason for your hope in Christ" (1 Peter 3:15) and to answer contemporary challenges to your faith. Extensive notes from Timothy Keller's book The Reason for God will be provided. Those who wish may purchase the book. We will also look at how the scriptures themselves appeal to reason and evidence.

For: Anyone
When: Wednesdays 7:00-8:30pm
Led by: Paul Nyhuis
Contact: PaulNyhuis@CrossroadsChurch.cc or 651-769-0391
Where: Nyhuis Home in Cottage Grove
Cost: \$12 if book is purchased
Childcare: No Childcare

THURSDAYS

Men's Group An informal time of caring, sharing, and prayer. We use scriptures, Christian articles or books for discussion.

For: Men
When: Thursdays 6:00-7:30am
Led by: Bruce Peterson
Contact: brpete@comcast.net or 651-452-2741
Where: Panera Bread, Eagan Town Center
Cost: Individual Purchase of Coffee/Tea/Pastries
Childcare: No Childcare

Sanctuary of the Soul by Richard J Foster. Does "meditative prayer" sound strange or mysterious to you? It doesn't need to! Richard Foster's book provides a delightful nudge into this practice.

For: Women
When: Thursdays 9:30-11:00am
Led by: Caryn Dahlberg
Contact: djdcrow@comcast.net or 651-768-0472
Where: Dahlberg Home in Cottage Grove
Cost: \$10 for book
Childcare: No Childcare

Esther: It's Tough Being a Woman Do you feel anxious? Intimidated? Inadequate? Overwhelmed? God is ready to give you His Strength, Power and Peace. Let's study His Word together and see how.

For: Women
When: Thursdays 10:00am-12:00pm
Led by: Becky Vierling
Contact: yellowfarm2@hughes.net or 651-331-9350
Where: Vierling Home in Denmark Twp. (1 mile west of Afton Ski Slopes)
Cost: \$14.95
Childcare: No Childcare

When You're Running on Empty by Cindi McMenemy. Practical advice and simple steps you can take to restore yourself to wholeness and efficiency once again. This study offers a quick read, chapters that provide practical advice and end with "Pick-me-up-Prayers." Cindi shares her personal application and insight...hope and help. The aim is that you leave refreshed, refueled, and re-energized.

For: Women
When: Thursdays 12:30-2:00pm
Led by: Lisa Fossum
Contact: LisaFossum@CrossroadsChurch.cc or 651-294-7713
Where: Woodbury Campus
Cost: \$12
Childcare: No Childcare

The 5 Love Languages What if you could say or do just the right thing guaranteed to make that special someone in your life feel valued and feel loved? The secret is learning the right Love Language! Millions of people have learned the simple principles of The 5 Love Languages to express their feelings and bring joy to relationships with their spouse, children, siblings, parents and even co-workers. By joining this small group you will take the Love Language assessment to determine your primary language and learn how to identify the Love Language of others. This small group is open to anyone: Come on your own or with your spouse, your teenager, a friend or a sibling. We will discuss the book and watch segments of the corresponding DVD. [The 5 Love Languages](#) by Dr. Gary Chapman is a New York Times bestseller!

For: Anyone
When: Thursdays 6:15-8:00pm
Led by: Kathy Boyes
Contact: kjboyes@msn.com or 651-308-3272
Where: Woodbury Campus
Cost: Cost of the book purchased independently (Bring to first group meeting.)
Childcare: Provided at Church for a Fee

THURSDAYS

Overcoming Addiction Overcoming addiction is a process and the recovery process is different for everyone. In this small group we will use the one true book that can free us from our addictions, the Bible. Through discovery, sharing, accountability and love we will find out how to fill that never ending void with Jesus Christ. If you know deep in your heart that there's more to life than just merely trying to manage your addiction and you have a burning desire to pursue a life filled with purpose, passion and prosperity, this small group is for you! Due to the nature of this group absolute confidentiality is number one.

For: Anyone with an Addiction
When: Thursdays 6:30-8:30pm
Led by: Daniel Kelly
Contact: dankellymedia@gmail.com or 612-462-3601
Where: Woodbury Campus
Cost: Free
Childcare: Provided at Church for a Fee

Growing Grateful Kids Even when economic times are tight, our children enjoy an abundance of material possessions. Yet amidst all this wealth, discontentment and competition seem to be on the rise. Instead of teaching children virtues such as gratefulness and patience, many parents are bending over backwards to get their children the latest and greatest item - or feeling guilty when they can't. With the currents of materialism and entitlement flowing so strong, how do we raise kids who are simply thankful? With simple language, interesting anecdotes, and biblical applications, [Growing Grateful Kids](#) helps readers understand that although teaching perspective and gratitude to our children is critical, it is not difficult.

For: Mothers
When: Thursdays 6:30-8:30pm
Led by: Karen Bernard
Contact: krbernard@juno.com or 651-735-6819
Where: Woodbury Campus
Cost: \$13
Childcare: Provided at Church for a Fee

Craving God Most of us know what to do to lose weight. A lot of us know how to eat right, and in what amounts. A few of us truly understand the benefits of daily exercise. But, if we know all of these things, what is stopping us from living the best, God-given life we can? Lysa Terkurst teaches how to Crave God, Not Food. This is the WANT TO we have all been looking for!

For: Anyone
When: Thursdays 6:30 –8:15pm
Led by: Michelle Frazer-Rodriguez
Contact: michelleRN2006@att.net or 651-343-7103
Where: Woodbury Campus
Cost: Cost of the Book & Participants Guide (\$20 in the fall). Books can be ordered from Amazon.com.
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Experiencing God by Henry T. Blackaby and Claude V. King. This powerful reading and DVD study will cause us to journey into a more intimate relationship with Christ. Experiencing God will challenge each one of us to examine, understand, know, and live the fullness of a life that demonstrates His excellence as we seek to calibrate our hearts towards God’s preferred lifestyle.

For: Anyone
When: Thursdays 6:30-8:30pm
Led by: Randy Knowles
Contact: randy_knowles@comcast.net or 651-829-4064
Where: Woodbury Campus
Cost: Cost of the Book—\$7.99 at ChristianBook.com
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Membership Come explore what a deeper commitment to following Jesus at Crossroads looks like. We’ll look at the core of the Christian faith as well as give you an insider’s look at Crossroads.

For: Anyone
When: Thursdays 6:30-8:30pm
Led by: Pastor Jonna Fantz and Pastor Phil Print
Contact: JonnaFantz@CrossroadsChurch.cc or 651-294-7721
Where: Woodbury Campus
Cost: \$5
Childcare: Provided at Church for a Fee

THURSDAYS

Love and War—Finding the Marriage You've Dreamed Of by John & Stasi Eldridge. In this book and video-based series, John and Stasi Eldridge candidly explore their own marriage and guide us through a discussion of how to find the marriage of our dreams. Together we watch the video, have group discussion, pray together, and complete a weekly assignment as couples. We live in a love story set in the midst of a terrible war — discover together how to fight for your love and happiness and step into the great adventure God has waiting for you.

For: Married Couples, all ages
When: Thursdays 6:30-8:30pm
Led by: Ross & Helen Davidson
Contact: helendav213@gmail.com or 651-964-5706
Where: Woodbury Campus
Cost: \$25 per couple (includes one book & two discussion guides)
Childcare: Provided at Church for a Fee

Married People The great news is that we all want to have a great marriage, and most of us are willing to do what it takes to have one. The bad news is most of us don't think we know what it takes because we have been convinced that having a great marriage is VERY complicated. Here's the really good news: God's way for marriage may not be easy to live out, but it is certainly easy to understand. God gives us only a few verses on how husbands and wives should love each other. Maybe he did that on purpose. From the precious few Scripture verses on marriage come the Core 4 Habits of a Great Marriage:

- Have Serious Fun
- Respect and Love
- Love God First
- Practice Your Promise

For: Married Couples in their 20's-Mid 30's
When: Thursdays 6:30-8:30pm
Led by: Eric & Emily Spiker
Contact: EricSpiker@CrossroadsChurch.cc or 651-294-7741
Where: Spiker Home in Cottage Grove
Cost: \$8
Childcare: We have small children and invite you to bring yours. We have a basement play area for the kids while we have our small group!

A New Year with Louie Giglio Join us to start the New Year with Louie Giglio's series "New Year" followed by "Grace [The One and Only]." We will end our semester by viewing the "Passion" movie. Conforming to the image of Christ and understanding the unexpected and undeserved grace freely given by Jesus' death will ignite within us the desire to live for the One who sets us free!

For: Anyone
When: Thursdays 6:30-8:30pm
Led by: Andy & Faye Hatch
Contact: fayehatch@comcast.net or 651-459-6192
Where: Hatch Home in Cottage Grove
Cost: None
Childcare: No Childcare

Prayer: Does It Make Any Difference by Philip Yancey. In theory, prayer is the essential human act, a priceless point of contact between you and the God of the universe. In practice however, prayer is often frustrating, confusing, and fraught with mystery. [Prayer: Does It Make Any Difference?](#) explores the mysterious intersection where you and God meet and relate. Writing as a fellow pilgrim, Yancey explores the questions surrounding prayer that you may wonder about but not know how to express. Above all, Yancey shows you how to pray to a God who sees what lies ahead of you, knows what lies within you, and who invites you into an eternal partnership with Him--through prayer.

For: Anyone
When: Thursdays 7:00-8:30pm
Led by: Stuart Vander Vegte
Contact: vandervegte22@hotmail.com or 612-236-6128
Where: Woodbury Campus
Cost: \$10 for the book
Childcare: Provided at Church for a Fee

1 Timothy We will be going through the book 1 Timothy.

For: Men
When: Thursdays 8:00-9:30pm
Led by: Greg Siwek & Greg Carlson
Contact: gregsiwek@netscape.net or 651-452-5757
Where: Eagan Campus
Cost: Free
Childcare: No Childcare

FRIDAYS

Love Life How is your love life? Think it could or should be better? Married? Single? College Student? No other area of our life impacts our quality of life more than this one. It can lead us to the best of times and for many of us it has lead to the worst of times. LoveLife features best selling author, Pastor and International Christian Leader Pastor Mark Driscoll of Mars Hill Church in Seattle. With The Bible, primarily the Old Testament book of Song of Solomon as Pastor Mark's guide, he will teach us with humor, candidness and grace, God's design for love, dating, marriage and sexuality.

For: **Anyone 16+**

When: Fridays 6:30-8:30pm

Led by: Gerald & Brandi Manning

Contact: g77manning@yahoo.com or 651-795-1682

Where: Manning Home in Cottage Grove and rotating homes if people would like to host.

Cost: \$10 for the Study Guide

Childcare: No Childcare

SATURDAYS

Men's Work Group We will do home repairs for single moms or dads, elderly people, or anyone that cannot do the repairs themselves.

For: **Men That Like to Be The Hands and Feet of Jesus**

When: 1st and 3rd Saturday of the Month, 8:00am-12:00pm

Led by: Terry Syverson & Matt Olson

Contact: crossroadsmenswork@gmail.com or 612-597-8595

Where: At the Home of People with Repair Needs

Cost: None

Childcare: No Childcare



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