

Loving God
Loving One Another
Living the Mission

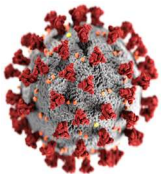
CrossPointe
Fellowship

February 28, 2021



BUILT TOGETHER INTO A DWELLING OF GOD

Ephesians 2 and 3



Guidelines for Our Gatherings during this phase of the COVID situation

Seating for People Wearing Masks: The last four rows and the chairs on the far left section of the sanctuary: Only people who are wearing masks during the entire service may enter and sit in this section.

Social Distancing and Masks: Please continue to maintain social distancing and wear a mask when appropriate.

Entering and Exiting: All exterior doors are unlocked for your convenience.

The mission moves forward

NEXT SUNDAY begins the **Week of Prayer for North American Missions.**

A prayer guide and giving envelope will be in your bulletin. *(Handle with care!)*



Friday, March 12

7:00-8:00 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall



Needed:
Your Prayers and Your Presence

Monday, March 22

9:00 am-5:00 pm

Sign up in the lobby

Pray for an hour or more around the Planned Parenthood facility in Sarasota

40 Days for Life is a focused pro-life campaign with a **vision** to end abortion. If you have questions, Keren ten Haaf probably has the answers.



A Ladies' Night of Worship and the Word

Friday, March 19

6:30 p.m. @ the Brier's home



Marli Brown, speaker, author, musician, and friend of the Briers has graciously offered to speak to our ladies. Marli is the author of *Ridin' Shotgun: How God Convinced Me to Ride with Him on the Most Amazing, Incredible, Adventurous, Miserable Journey of My Life.*

She and her talented husband Randy will be leading us in worship. (Visit randyandmarli.com for a preview.)

All ladies are welcome to join us and bring a friend.

Please **RSVP** to Suzanne Brier: 813-482-8680.



Biblical Essentials for Leaders

Goal: to grow biblically solid Christ-like leaders for the home, life groups, ministry teams, deaconship, eldership and missions.

Qualifications: This training is designed for guys who don't qualify.

Meeting: Every other week at one of these times (your choice) **Reminder—we meet this week**

Tuesdays, 4:30 pm

Wednesdays, 7:00 am

Fridays, 6:30 pm

Ladies: There is a class for ladies as well: the same Fridays as the guys meet, also at 6:30 pm. See Lois Ann Swineford or Sue DeForest for more information.

This Week

at *CrossPointe Fellowship*

Sunday, February 28

- 9:00 am Worship
Children's Church (4 years—5th grade)
10:30 am Life Groups (see back)

Monday, March 1

- 10:30 am Pass It On (A.A.—Fellowship Hall)
6:00 pm Persecuted Church (room 6)

Tuesday, March 2

- 9:30 am Prayer Circle (Bobbitt front porch)
10:30 am CPF *Hope Seeds* Packing (Bobbitt home)
4:30 pm Men's Leadership (Fellowship Hall)

Wednesday, March 3

- 7:00 am Men's Leadership (Fellowship Hall)
9:30 am Wednesday Women (see back)
6:15 pm Wednesday Night Supper (all welcome)
6:45 pm Wednesday Night BLAST
Kids Clubs, Anchored Student Ministries, Adults

Thursday, March 4

- 9:30 am Bible Study Fellowship (women) (call for info)
7:00 pm Payne Life Group (see back)

Friday, March 5

- 8:00 am Clean Team
10:00 am Friday Women (see back)
6:30 pm Men's Leadership (Fellowship Hall)
6:30 pm Ladies' Leadership (room 6)

Sunday, March 7

- 9:00 am Worship
Children's Church (4 years—5th grade)
10:30 am Life Groups (see back)

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Awesome Adventure, our **Children's Church** for 4 years through 5th grade, dismisses from the sanctuary before the message during the worship service. Children's Life Groups(10:30) meet in rooms on the 2nd floor of the Education Building.



Anchored Student Ministries (grades 6-12) Life Group meets at 10:30 each Sunday in the Youth Room (room 2) of the Education Building, during WNB, and more. See Steve DeWitt for complete info.

CPF Adult Groups meeting weekly

Day	Time	Topic/Group	Leader	Location
Sun	10:30 am	<i>Acts: The Church & the Mission</i>	Wayne Bronkema	Rm 7
	10:30 am	<i>The Sermon on the Mount</i>	Roger (Stoney) Stone	Sanctuary
	10:30 am	<i>Genesis: A Book for Today</i>	David Romberger	Rm 1 (Conf. Rm.)
	10:30 am	<i>The Sermon: Small Group Style</i>	Ed Moss	varies
Tues	9:30 am	Prayer Circle	Eloise Bobbitt	Bobbitt front porch
Wed	9:30 am	<i>Blessed Hope</i> (women's group)	Shirley Romberger & Joyce Alvarez	Fellowship Hall
	6:45 pm	<i>Laugh Your Way to a Better Marriage</i>	John & Diane Nosal	Rm 6
Thurs	7:00 pm	<i>Jeremiah</i>	Howard & Bendy Payne	Fellowship Hall
Fri	10:00 am	<i>Jeremiah</i> (women's group)	Robbie Leech	Kari Stone's home

We also have some every-other-week studies and meetings—check out the calendar of our website to learn more

Messages from each Sunday are available at CrossPointeFellowship.church/messages.
(Also available on CD by request.)

Check out these pages on **Facebook**:

CrossPointeFellowship
AnchoredCrossPointe (youth)
CrossPointeKidsAMI



Give online or use the app!

There's a "Giving" tab on our website. If you prefer a mobile app, it's [GivePlus](#). Remember you can also give regularly by setting up automatic payments through your bank.

Giving Note: The Church Council has authorized "designated giving" for several ministries. We will, if possible, within our bylaws and IRS regulations, use these funds in the manner you have requested, however, your recommendation (designation) is advisory and CPF retains full control over these funds.



BUILT TOGETHER INTO A DWELLING OF GOD

2/28/21

Ephesians 2:1 And you were dead in your trespasses and sins,
²in which you formerly walked
according to the course of this world,
according to the prince of the power of the air,
of the spirit that is now working in the sons of disobedience.
³Among them we too all formerly lived in the lusts of our flesh,
indulging the desires of the flesh and of the mind,
and were by nature children of wrath, even as the rest.

⁴But God,
being rich in mercy, because of His great love with which He loved us,
⁵even when we were dead in our transgressions,
made us alive together with Christ
(by grace you have been saved),
⁶and raised us up with Him,
and seated us with Him in the heavenly *places*, in Christ Jesus,
⁷in order that in the ages to come
He might show the surpassing riches of His grace in kindness toward us
in Christ Jesus.

⁸For by grace you have been saved
through faith;
and that not of yourselves,
it is the gift of God;
⁹not as a result of works,
that no one should boast.
¹⁰For we are His workmanship,
created in Christ Jesus for good works,
which God prepared beforehand, that we should walk in them.
¹¹Therefore **remember**, that formerly you, the Gentiles in the flesh,
who are called "Uncircumcision " by the so-called "Circumcision,"
which is performed in the flesh by human hands--
¹²*remember* that you were at that time
separate from Christ,
excluded from the commonwealth of Israel,
and strangers to the covenants of promise,
having no hope
and without God in the world.

¹³But now

in Christ Jesus you who formerly were far off have been brought near by the blood of Christ.

¹⁴For He Himself is our peace, who made both *groups into one*, and broke down the barrier of the dividing wall,

¹⁵by abolishing in His flesh the enmity, *which is* the Law of commandments *contained* in ordinances, that in Himself He might make the two into one new man, *thus* establishing peace,

¹⁶and might reconcile them both in one body to God through the cross, by it having put to death the enmity.

¹⁷And He came and preached peace to you who were far away, and peace to those who were near;

¹⁸for through Him we both have our access in one Spirit to the Father.

¹⁹So then you are no longer strangers and aliens, but you are fellow citizens with the saints, and are of God's household,

²⁰having been built upon the foundation of the apostles and prophets, Christ Jesus Himself being the corner *stone*,

²¹in whom the whole building, being fitted together

is growing into a holy temple in the Lord;

²²in whom you also are being **BUILT TOGETHER INTO A DWELLING OF GOD** in the Spirit.

3:1 For this reason I, Paul, the prisoner of Christ Jesus for the sake of you Gentiles--

² if indeed you have heard of the stewardship of God's grace which was given to me for you;

³ that by revelation there was made known to me the mystery, as I wrote before in brief.

⁴ And by referring to this,

when you read you can understand my insight into the mystery of Christ,

⁵ which in other generations was not made known to the sons of men, as it has now been revealed to His holy apostles and prophets in the Spirit;

⁶ *to be specific*, that the Gentiles are fellow heirs

and fellow members of the body,

and fellow partakers of the promise in Christ Jesus through the gospel,

⁷ of which I was made a minister,

according to the gift of God's grace which was given to me according to the working of His power.

⁸ To me, the very least of all saints, this grace was given,
to preach to the Gentiles the unfathomable riches of Christ,
⁹ and to bring to light what is the administration of the mystery
which for ages has been hidden in God, who created all things;
¹⁰ in order that the manifold wisdom of God might now be made known
through the church
to the rulers and the authorities in the heavenly *places*.
¹¹ *This was* in accordance with the eternal purpose
which He carried out in Christ Jesus our Lord,
¹² in whom we have boldness and confident access through faith in Him.
¹³ Therefore I ask you not to lose heart at my tribulations on your behalf,
for they are your glory.

¹⁴ **For this reason**, I bow my knees before the Father,
¹⁵ from whom every family in heaven and on earth derives its name,
¹⁶ that He would grant you, according to the riches of His glory,
to be strengthened with power through His Spirit in the inner man;
¹⁷ so that Christ may dwell in your hearts through faith;
and that you, being rooted and grounded in love,
¹⁸ may be able to comprehend with all the saints
what is the breadth and length and height and depth,
¹⁹ and to know the love of Christ which surpasses knowledge,
that you may be filled up to all the fulness of God.

²⁰ **Now to Him who is able**

to do exceeding abundantly beyond all that we ask or think,
according to the power that works within us,
²¹ to Him *be* the glory in the church and in Christ Jesus to all generations
forever and ever. Amen.

4:1 I, **therefore**, the prisoner of the Lord,
entreat you to walk in a manner worthy of the calling
with which you have been called,
² with all humility and gentleness, with patience,
showing forbearance to one another in love,
³ being diligent to preserve the unity of the Spirit in the bond of peace.
⁴ *There is* one body and one Spirit,
just as also you were called in one hope of your calling;
⁵ one Lord, one faith, one baptism,
⁶ one God and Father of all who is over all and through all and in all.

All Scripture is from the NASV but in the form of a phrase by phrase break down. The words and the word order are unchanged.