



A Message from Clint Smith, Springdale Campus Pastor & Keith Harmon, Minister to Students

Announcements/Events

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Welcome to Cross Church!

This is an exciting day for the Student Ministry of Cross Church Springdale as we celebrate "Student Day." We kicked this event off this past Wednesday night with a concert by The Wedding. The Wedding is a high-energy Christian rock band that loves to use their talents and gifts for God's glory. Our students had a great time, and we saw many new students on our campus who have never been here before. Saturday night, we saw God do some amazing things in the lives of our students as they worshipped with the band Epic Rescue. They were challenged by messages from evangelist John Evans. We finished the evening bowling, riding go-carts, and playing games.

The theme for Student Day this year is "All About the Love." This is what we continually try and drive into the hearts of our students, not just on Student Day but every day. For the past two and a half years we have challenged our students to love God, love others, and go tell. We want our students loving God with everything they have, loving others the way that Jesus loves them, and then telling the story of God. It is the desire of the student staff to see a generation of students fall head over heels in love with Jesus and make His name famous. To put it simply, it is all about the love! It is all about the love that Christ has for us and it is all about the love that He calls us to show

others. Please pray for the Student Ministry staff and the students as we love God, love others, and go tell...

All Volunteers - Please join us next Sunday for the Volunteer Summit! We will meet at 5 p.m. in the Fellowship Gym for dinner, a message from Pastor Floyd, and a short breakout session. Anyone interested in volunteering is encouraged to attend. You will have an opportunity to find a place to serve and sign up. Register for childcare (birth-5th grade) at crosschurch.com/volunteersummit. Pizza will be provided for your children.

One last thing that I want each of you to pray for this week, we will begin AWANA and Children's Choir this Wednesday night, January 25. Children's Choir (3 yrs.-5th grade) begins at 5:30 p.m. and AWANA (3 yrs.-5th grade) begins at 6:30 p.m. We are incredibly excited about offering these ministries for our children. We need a multitude of volunteers for AWANA and Children's Choir. If you are interested, please contact Heath Bryant or Jennifer McCroddan or Terri Puckett. We need every person to pray that God will use AWANA and Children's Choir to disciple and grow our children in their knowledge and understanding of the LORD and His Word.



Cross Kidz

Wednesday Nights for Kids Starts This Week!
PRE-XLR8 Choir (3 & 4 yr. olds) 5:30-6:15 p.m.
XLR8 Choir (K-2nd & 3rd-5th grade) 5:30-6:30 p.m. For more information or to volunteer, go to crosschurch.com/kidschoir.
AWANA (3 yrs.-5th grade) 6:30-8:00 p.m. Register at crosschurch.com/awana.
AWANA VIP Night
Tonight at 6 p.m. in the Kidz Theatre
Informational night for parents about AWANA.

Cross Students

#imoutthere Girl's Retreat
January 27 & 28 at the Renaissance Hotel in Tulsa
For girls in grades 9-12. Cost is \$75 which includes one night at the Renaissance Hotel, four meals, t-shirt, journal, retreat workbook, and transportation to and from the retreat. Register at crosschurch.com/imoutthere.

"One Love" Girls' Retreat
February 17-18 at the Holiday Inn in Rogers
Retreat for 6th-8th grade girls. Cost is \$50. Speakers include Meredith Floyd, Jeana Floyd, and "Salvaged" author, Stefne Miller. Register at crosschurch.com/onelove.

Student Camps - Save the Date
Beach Camp
June 10-16 in Destin, Florida
For students who have completed grades 8-12.
Middle School Camp
June 19-23 in Stuart, Oklahoma
For students who have completed grades 5-7.

Young Couples

Engage
Sundays beginning February 19 at 9:15 a.m.
A six-week pre-marital class that connects engaged couples with God's design for marriage. Register at crosschurch.com/engage.

Sanctity of Human Life

Today is Sanctity of Human Life Sunday
Today we unite in prayer for future generations, women facing unplanned pregnancies, and for the spiritual health of our nation.

Senior Adults

Alaskan Cruise
May 24-June 1
Beautiful Alaskan Cruise on board the Holland America Amsterdam. Approximate cost is \$2,500 and deposits are required by February 12. For more information or to make reservations, call Millie at 751-4523 or visit crosschurch.com/alaska.

Cross Church Missions

"Send Me" Training Session #1
Sunday, January 22 from 5-7 p.m.
at our Fayetteville Campus Small Group Room A
1 of 2 required general training sessions for anyone going on a Missionary Journey in 2012.

"Send Me" Interest Meetings
Yucatan Peninsula, Mexico Interest Meeting
Today from 4-6 p.m. in Atrium 4
Join our Associate Minister of Missions, Andy Goode, March 16-22. **Focus:** evangelism and establishing new church plants.

Brazil Interest Meeting
Today from 4-6 p.m. in Atrium 3
Be on one of several teams leaving in March. **Focus:** work with local Brazilian churches in a great evangelistic crusade that features preaching from Pastor Ronnie Floyd.

Wednesday Family Meal

January 25 from 5-6 p.m. in the Fellowship Gym
Adults - \$3: Spiral Pasta with Meat Sauce, Tossed Salad, Green Beans, Garlic Bread Stick
Children - \$2: Pizza, Salad, Cookie

See our full list of events and Small Group opportunities at crosschurch.com.

THE SUMMIT
SEASON KICKOFF
NWA FORUM
THURSDAY, JANUARY 26
Pinnacle Hills Campus • 11:50 am-12:50 pm

DOUG SPROUSE SPRINGDALE MAYOR	BOB MCCASLIN BENTONVILLE MAYOR	GREG HINES ROGERS MAYOR	KELLY JOHNSON DIRECTOR OF XNA	DICK TRAMMEL ARKANSAS HWY. COMMISSION

A PANEL DISCUSSION ABOUT THE FUTURE OF NORTHWEST ARKANSAS
Tickets: \$9 (includes lunch) available at nwasummit.com.

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Missionary Journeys

Pray for our Haiti Team
January 20-27, 2012
This week Joe and Norma Patterson are leading a team that will be working with Joy House Ministry Center.
Team Members: Joe and Norma Patterson, Emily Garner, Roy Pearson, and Jerry Allred

Visit crosschurch.com/sendme to learn more about upcoming Missionary Journeys.