

UPWARD

Our Mission

Leading people to Christ with love and community.

Psalm 84:11 (NIV) For the **LORD** God is a sun and shield; the **LORD** bestows favor and honor; no good thing does he withhold from those whose walk is blameless.

Worship Opportunities

- **CCON:** Saturdays at 5 pm and Sundays at 9 and 11 am.
- **Iglesia Del Nazareno:** Contact Pastor Ruben Sotelo Chavez at (303) 619-2698 for information.
- **Prayer Opportunity:** The sanctuary is open weekly on Thursdays, 7-8 am.
- **Excel in the grace of giving. (2 Corinthians 8:1-12)** Opportunities to give are available during the worship services, at the Kiosk in the lobby, Text-to-Give or at www.crossingchurch.org/onlinegiving

Congratulations to those who were baptized last weekend!

Annabella Atencio	Helen Cox	Aaron Gunter	Colby Starbuck
Mikaella Atencio	Joe Cox	Cameron Hadley	Ryan Starbuck
Anna Cox	Kade Gannon	Madison Hadley	Joan Vierra
Erin Cox	Paul Gannon	Peggy Kennedy	Kaiya Vierra

OUTWARD

Donate Books

Rocky Mountain Elementary is asking for books for their portable libraries. Please donate (used or old) books for K-5th grade in the bins outside the sanctuary before May 19th.

Military Ministry | Memorial Day Run & Walk | Saturday, May 27th

The Crossing Church has paired up with the Colorado Veterans Project to participate in the yearly Memorial Day Run & March to feed homeless veterans in Castle Rock, CO. If you are interested in running or marching, please register at <http://www.memorialdaymarch.com/> under *The Crossing Church*. If you cannot run/march, you may still contribute by donating dry goods food to the church up until May 24th. One hundred percent of the registration fees and the food goes directly to the organization for Veterans. Please join us in feeding homeless Veterans, remembering the fallen and bringing awareness and recognition to our Veterans. You may visit the website for more information or contact Pamela Martine at pamela@crossingchurch.org.

Upcoming Missions Trip | Somoto, Nicaragua | July 15 - July 29, 2017

The Casa Unida Foundation is organizing a team of missionaries to build a church. They are inviting members of our church who would like to serve with them. The total cost (including airfare) is \$1,800. Please see Pastor David Baca for more information. For information about the Foundation, visit their site at: <https://casaunidafoundation.com/>

Did You Know...

In 1775, the Continental Congress allocated a time for prayer in forming a new nation. Over the years, there have been calls for a day of prayer, including from President Abraham Lincoln in 1863. On April 17, 1952, President Harry Truman signed a bill proclaiming the National Day of Prayer into law in the United States. President Reagan amended the law in 1988, designating the first Thursday of May each year as the National Day of Prayer.

INWARD

All Church Elections | This Saturday & Sunday, April 22 & 23 | Foyer

Who is eligible to vote? Members of The Crossing Church, age 15 years and older.

Ballot items will include: Church Board Members, Mission Council Members and Delegates to the Colorado District Annual Conference held June 15-17 at Denver First Church.

Pizza with the Pastor | Sunday, April 30, 12:15 - 1:30 pm | Room 202 & 203 (Conference Area)

Join Pastors Brian and David for pizza and a good discussion on how to get more plugged in at CCON. Everyone is welcome to attend. We will discuss the Mission & Vision of the church, our beliefs, membership, baptism, Christian Education classes, Life Groups and volunteer opportunities. Those interested can sign up at the Information Center or make a reservation online at www.crossingchurch.org/whatsnext

Singspiration | Sunday, April 30, 4:00 pm | Choir Room

Everyone is welcome! Come and bring a friend.

PrimeTime Ministry (ages 55+)

- **PrimeTimer's Monthly Luncheon | Tuesday, May 2, 11:45 am | Wishbone Restaurant**
The Wishbone Restaurant is located at 97th & Federal. Everyone over the age of 55 is welcome to join us. We look forward to seeing you!

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National Day of Prayer Event | Thursday, May 4, 7:00 - 8:00 am | Sanctuary

Mark your calendar and plan to come and be a part of the National Day of Prayer Event. Representatives from Government - Federal, State and Local, the Military, Media, Business, Education, Church and Family will lead us in prayer. We will have a brochure that highlights these different areas that will be prayed over. Also, the sanctuary will be open throughout the day for a anyone who would like to come and pray.

IMPORTANT INFORMATION FOR CHURCH MEMBERS - On May 6/7, all church members present will be voting on the sale of our property at 156th & Huron after each service in the sanctuary. You must be an active member of The Crossing Church, age 15 or older, to be eligible to vote. There will be a short informational meeting next Sunday in the sanctuary from 10:15 -10:35 am. All members and regular attenders are welcome to attend.

Graduation Sunday | May 21, 11:00 service | Sanctuary

We are honoring anyone that has completed High School, College or Post-Grad work. Please pick up a questionnaire at the Information Desk and return it to Pastor Chris. There will be a luncheon following the 11:00 service in the gym. Please email Pastor Chris at cjohnson@crossingchurch.org to RSVP.

FORWARD | Student Ministry | Grades 7-12

Sundays | 9 am | Gym
Wednesdays | 7:00-8:15 pm | Gym
facebook.com/IgniteAtCCON



Sign Up for Ignite Student Ministry Eblast!

Visit www.crossingchurch.org/media/newsletters

Sunday Morning Bible Study | 9:00 am

Students grades 7-12 meet together in the gym overflow.

Ignite Wednesdays | 7:00 - 8:15 pm | Grades 6 - 12

Mark Your Calendar

- Annual Auction & Spaghetti Dinner | May 7, noon - 3:00pm | Gym
- Thrift Store Prom for High School Students | May 13 | \$25
- Youth Summer Camp | June 9-12 | Golden Bell | \$50 deposit due ASAP.

Crossing KIDZ | Birth to Grade 6

Weekend Worship | Saturdays at 5 pm, Sundays at 9 & 11 am
Wednesdays | 6:30 pm, lower level
facebook.com/hipkidz



Many Thanks to everyone who donated Easter candy to our Children's Ministry!

MOPS (Mothers of Preschoolers) | CCON Gym

All expecting mothers through mothers of kindergartners are welcome to join us on the 2nd and 4th Tuesdays of every month September - May. Please contact Ashley at ashleykreeger@gmail.com with any questions.

Information on CCON's Summer Wednesday Night Program is coming soon.

Save The Dates For Summer

Vacation Bible School - Maker Fun Factory | June 13 - 17

Mark your calendar for this super fun week where kids will learn that they were created by God and built for a purpose.

Golden Bell Camps - Early Bird Deadline in May 1

Traillblazers (1st & 2nd Graders) July 5 - 7. Cost is \$144 before May 1, \$164 after May 1.
Pathfinders and Explorers (3rd - 6th Graders) July 10 - 14. Cost is \$254 before May 1, \$284 after May 1.
Completed online registration and a \$75 deposit secures an early bird discount. Register at goldenbellcc.org.

Staff & Stats

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Every Person Counts
Attendance Easter 1223
April 15 & 16

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Every Dollar Makes a Difference
Offerings in April \$ 82,900

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Income/Expense
(eleven months ending 3/31/17)
All Income \$ 1,387,700
All Expenses \$ 1,322,000
\$ 65,700

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A 10% tithe of all monies donated, designated or unrestricted, are contributed to world evangelism and denomination allocations.

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 **The Kiosk is located in the lobby.** A KIOSK for donations and event registration payments with an easy to use card swipe. Simply register one-time and login with your phone number. Simple and secure.

 **Text-to-Give.** For safe, secure, convenient giving, text CCONGIVE and any dollar amount to 301-31. Follow the link in the text you receive to set up your billing information. Contribution confirmation provided.

 **View current week Sermon Notes on You Version App.** Select "Events" and then "Search" to find The Crossing Church — we will be listed in the first few options.

 **Crossing Church Window Stickers.** Window stickers of The Crossing Church logo are available at the Information Center for everyone who wants to show your support by displaying one on your car.

Pastor Loyd's Prayer Requests

Monday: Pray for Pastor Nathan Sutliff and Nikki Nielsen as they lead the church as Creative Arts Pastor and

Tuesday: Pray for Pastor David Baca with his many duties as Connecting Pastor.

Wednesday: Pray for Pastor Chris Johnson as he works with teens as Youth Pastor.

Thursday: Pray for Katie Johnson and her new baby. Katie is Children's Pastor at CCON.

Friday: Pray for Roxann Peach, Betsy Ruby, Dean Palizzi and the numerous volunteers as they serve as

Saturday: Pray for Pastor Brian Wiesinger as Lead Pastor as he leads CCON this year and in the years to

STRANGERS IN STRANGE LAND



THE CROSSING CHURCH | April 22 - 23, 2017
REACH PEOPLE | FOLLOW JESUS | SERVE FAITHFULLY