



what's going on at crossroads

**DECEMBER 15, 2024**

### **WELCOME THE HAWKINS FAMILY**

Please help us welcome our new Children's Director, Rebekah Hawkins. She and her family are moving from out of state to Elizabethtown and we'd love to shower them with gift cards from local eateries and shops. There will be a basket in the upstairs foyer that you can place gifts in.

### **CHILDREN'S PROGRAM/FAMILY CHRISTMAS BAZAAR – DECEMBER 18**

Join your Crossroads family at 801 N. Black Branch Rd from 5 – 7 pm for a time of fellowship. Our children will start us off with their Christmas program. We will have music, games, a hot cocoa bar, and more. Bring your favorite holiday cookies to share.

### **CHRISTMAS CAROLING – DECEMBER 19**

Join us for a festive Christmas Caroling event! On Thursday, December 19th, from 5:30 PM to approximately 8:30 PM, we'll start at the church to assemble cookie bags, practice our Christmas songs, and divide into Christmas Crews to spread holiday cheer to our senior adults! This is a church-wide family event, so bring the whole family, and don't forget to bring 2 dozen cookies to share with the families we visit!

### **CAROLS, CANDLELIGHT, & COMMUNION – DECEMBER 24**

Join us on Christmas Eve from 6:00 – 7:00pm for a time of Carols, Candlelight, and Communion.

### **STARTING POINT CLASS – JANUARY 12**

Are you interested in becoming a member of Crossroads or just learning about who we are? The Starting Point Class is a 5-week class, which begins Sunday, January 12th with a light brunch. Led by Bro. Rob and Bro. Randy, we will cover what we believe, how we are governed, how you can plug in, and much, much more. Sign up today. [January 2025 Starting Point](#)



### **STUDENT CLIMB – JANUARY 18**

Join us for a fun outing as our student ministry heads to LEF Climbing in Lexington! We will leave from the church at 2PM and return around 9PM. The church will provide pizza for dinner, but students are encouraged to bring money for concessions. The cost for this event is \$30. For any questions, contact Stanley. Sign up will close on January 16<sup>th</sup>. Sign up here: [2025 Student Climb](#)



### **2025 BUDGET**

The 2025 church budget that was voted on last Sunday was approved by an overwhelming majority.

### **BIBLE READING PLAN**

Everyone is encouraged to join together to read through the Bible in 2025.

### **STUDENT WINTER RETREAT – FEBRUARY 14-16**

Creation – This event is for students 7<sup>th</sup> – 12<sup>th</sup> grade. We will be lodging at a private retreat in Baghdad KY. Rob Turner is returning as our guest speaker and we will be making a visit to the Ark Encounter. Cost is \$145. For more info see Patrick or Stanley. Sign up today. [2025 Student Winter Retreat](#)



**5<sup>TH</sup>/6<sup>TH</sup> WINTER RETREAT – MARCH 22-23**

Fellowship, Swimming, Bible Study, and Worship. More details coming soon. Save the date and sign up now! Cost \$75. Sign up here: [2025 5/6th Winter Retreat](#)



**INCARNATION: TRANSCENDENCE**

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DR. ROB SUMRALL**

Transcendence - God is \_\_\_\_\_

Wayne Grudem - “God’s transcendence means that God is far ‘above’ the creation in the sense that he is greater than the creation and independent of it.

1. The God of the Bible is \_\_\_\_\_.

2. Because of God’s nature and our sinfulness, He is \_\_\_\_\_.

3. God’s \_\_\_\_\_ reveals his transcendence.

- He \_\_\_\_\_.

- He is \_\_\_\_\_.

- He is \_\_\_\_\_.

J.I. Packer - “God’s greatness is unsearchable. His majesty is infinite. His dominion is eternal. Yet, He is not distant but near, revealing Himself in Christ.”

4. If God is \_\_\_\_\_, His incarnation is \_\_\_\_\_.

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Discussion Guide

