



what's going on at crossroads

JANUARY 5, 2025

MID-WEEK MEALS

Meals will be served from 5:30 – 6:15 on Wednesday evenings when we have discipleship programming. Meals are \$5 per person with a \$25 per family cap. Registrations will be through Realm each week, please sign up by Monday to help us plan. Menu for 1/8: Potato Soup, Tomato Soup, grilled cheese sandwiches, salads, salad bar, and dessert. Sign up today [01/08 Meal](#)



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 16th. Sign up here: [2025 Student Climb](#)



CROSSROADS TO CHRIST: A YEAR IN HIS WORD

Join us for a year-long Bible reading plan that will guide you through God's Word, one day at a time. Whether you're new to Bible reading or have been walking with God for years, this plan and weekly discussion on Realm will help you grow spiritually and draw closer to Jesus Christ in 2025. Sign up here: [Crossroads to Christ](#)



BRO. ROB'S BOOK CLUB

Back by popular demand, the monthly book club hosted by Brother Rob returns for the 4th Tuesday of every month. On January 28 at 7:00 the book club will be discussing *In The Name of God: The Colliding Lives, Legends, and Legacies of J Frank Norris and George W. Truett*. These two giants of their eras pastored the most influential churches of their age. Situated about 20 miles apart in the Dallas metroplex, these men despised each other. This book tells their twisted tale - a real-life story that includes attempted murder, battles in the media, and the restoration that only God can bring. Available soon in The Resource Center.

CROSSROADS INSTITUTE – JANUARY 25

Join us the evening of January 25th as Dr. Plummer leads us in a study of how to study for yourself. Dr. Plummer is Chair of the Department of New Testament and Collin and Evelyn Aikman Professor of Biblical Studies. The evening will include dinner and childcare will be provided. Sign up on Realm by January 20th. [Crossroads Institute](#)



STUDENT WINTER RETREAT – FEBRUARY 14-16

Creation – This event is for students 7th – 12th grade. We will be lodging at a private retreat in Bagdad 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](#)



5TH/6TH GRADE 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](#)



THE LESSON OF THE WINTER STORM PSALM 147

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DR. ROB SUMRALL

1. God is the sovereign _____ - _____ Him (v. 1-6)
2. God is the generous _____ - _____ Him (v. 7-11)
3. God is the meteorological _____ - _____ in Him (v. 12-20)

Praise the Lord!

*For it is good to sing praises to our God;
for it is pleasant, and a song of praise is
fitting.*

*² The Lord builds up Jerusalem;
he gathers the outcasts of Israel.*

*³ He heals the brokenhearted
and binds up their wounds.*

*⁴ He determines the number of the stars;
he gives to all of them their names.*

*⁵ Great is our Lord, and abundant in power;
his understanding is beyond measure.*

*⁶ The Lord lifts up the humble;
he casts the wicked to the ground.*

*⁷ Sing to the Lord with thanksgiving;
make melody to our God on the lyre!*

*⁸ He covers the heavens with clouds;
he prepares rain for the earth;
he makes grass grow on the hills.*

*⁹ He gives to the beasts their food,
and to the young ravens that cry.*

*¹⁰ His delight is not in the strength of the horse,
nor his pleasure in the legs of a man,*

*¹¹ but the Lord takes pleasure in those who fear
him,*

in those who hope in his steadfast love.

*¹² Praise the Lord, O Jerusalem!
Praise your God, O Zion!*

*¹³ For he strengthens the bars of your gates;
he blesses your children within you.*

*¹⁴ He makes peace in your borders;
he fills you with the finest of the wheat.*

*¹⁵ He sends out his command to the earth;
his word runs swiftly.*

*¹⁶ He gives snow like wool;
he scatters frost like ashes.*

*¹⁷ He hurls down his crystals of ice like crumbs;
who can stand before his cold?*

*¹⁸ He sends out his word, and melts them;
he makes his wind blow and the waters flow.*

*¹⁹ He declares his word to Jacob,
his statutes and rules to Israel.*

*²⁰ He has not dealt thus with any other nation;
they do not know his rules.*

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