

# BELIEVE

THINK. ACT. BE LIKE JESUS.

## 2018

### “So Far; Yet so Close”

- Isaiah 40:25-26, 27-31

- How \_\_\_\_\_ is God?

- God \_\_\_\_\_ what He has \_\_\_\_\_

• **Two \_\_\_\_\_ ideas of God**

- His \_\_\_\_\_ is beyond description

- His \_\_\_\_\_ is beyond comprehension

- The result is \_\_\_\_\_ (Romans 11:33-36)

• **The \_\_\_\_\_ of God**

- Jeremiah 29:4-11

- We \_\_\_\_\_ God in what He is doing

- God’s plan is the \_\_\_\_\_ good for us (Romans 8:28)

## FAMILY UPDATES

**Members with health issues:** Larry Addington, LaFerne Caldwell, Charlotte Cook, Kathleen Corns, Ernest Dean, Melva Foreman, Harlon Hawkins, Kathleen Holt, Alyssa Layman, Cristin Martin, Sherry Meadors, Fran Olden, Glenna Pickel, Michael Robison, Cathy Sharpe, Ann Thurman.

### Placing Membership

Please welcome **John Sanders** along with his 3 year old son **Lane Sanders**. They placed membership Feb. 25.

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### Prayer Requests

**Sean Layman:** Alyssa’s most recent CT scan revealed potential signs of cancer or other complications. Alyssa will be seeing multiple new doctors and receiving additional testing to discover and treat the issues presented in the scan. Prayers are appreciated.

**Ann Thurman:** health, she is at St. Francis Hospital in rehab, but will be moving to long-term care soon.

### Prayer Requests for Friends and Family

**Linda Arevalo:** Please pray for Francisco to get his citizenship.

**Maggie Prater’s:** mother, Judy Rampey, is in hospital for testing for health concerns.

**Jerry Wiley:** pray for Twila Ryder.

### Please Continue to Pray for Our Missionaries:

**Lopez Family** —Bogota, Colombia

**Austin Family**—Phoenix, Arizona

**Saint-Amour Family**—Milot, Haiti

**Pabillon Family**—Talisay, Philippines

### Thank You

Dear Crosstown Family,  
Matt and I would like to thank each of you from the bottom of our hearts for the outpouring of love and support we have gotten from you all. We had such a beautiful shower and had so many helping us prepare for the big day. We are so blessed to have forever family such as you during our harder times and now to celebrate our love. God is so good! Love, **Matt and Tomi Sue Imhoff**

Dear Crosstown Members,  
Vic and I would like to say thank you all so much for all the cards we received during Vic’s illness. They mean so much to us. We love each and every one of you all. We are improving slowly but still have a long way to go. So please keep praying. Vic & Marge Hanzark.

### Welcome Visitors

You are our honored guests. Please complete a visitor’s sheet, located inside the Connection Books that will be passed during our worship service. We would also love to meet you at our Information Desk in the foyer where we can answer any questions you might have. Nursery facilities are available in the east wing of our building, and a cry room/training room with private nursing area is located in the back of the audi-

## Service Opportunities



**Saturday**

**March 24th at 4pm**

**Starts at 9:00 am**

Sign up sheets in the foyer. See **Steve Parker** for any additional questions.



**Door Hanging**

**Sunday**

**March 25th at 4pm**

There will be a brief orientation meeting and devo before we head out into the surrounding neighborhoods to distribute door-hangers (advertisements) for our upcoming marriage seminar.

There will be **NO Combined Life Groups** meeting that evening.

For more questions, please see **Merle Imhoff** or **Robert Prater**.





**MINISTRY UPDATES**



**Children's:**

**Bible Hour** — available for 2&3-year olds and 4,5,&6-year olds in our east wing. Children will be dismissed prior to the sermon.  
**Bible Basics** — offered to students in grades 2-6 on the 1st & 2nd Sundays of each month. Rm. 128. Dismissed prior to the sermon.  
**Today's Volunteers** — Nursery: **Mary Ann D. and Patty V.**  
 2&3s Bible Hour: **Brandy S. and Elysha B.**  
 4&5s Bible Hour: **Joanie R., Allison B., and Christian M.**  
**Sermon Notes for Kids:** an interactive sheet for kids to use during the sermon is provided in the Connection Books on the pew.



**Food Pantry:**

You may make a donation by using the 'Food Pantry' envelopes in the back of the pew and placing them in the contribution plate. Or you can donate online from our website and specify your donation is to go to the Food Pantry. We need **PAPER SACKS**. We use at least 60 bags a week.



**Small Groups:**

**Group Bible Study** — Led by **Keenan Meadors**. Sundays at 4pm (except 4th Sunday) at the church building.  
**Life Groups** — Connect / Grow / Serve. Contact an elder, a minister, or **Chris Clayton** to join a group. On the 4th Sunday of each month, all life groups will meet at the building at 5:00pm.  
**Monday Night for the Master** — Mondays 3:30-5:30pm. Room 122. Write cards and pray for petitions.



**Security:**

**Class ~ Louis R. Worship ~ Louis R. and Lowell P.**

**Women's:**

**Women's Bible Study** — **Walking In the Light Daily**. Thursdays at 9:30am in Room 122.  
**Women's Exercise Group** — Meets Monday, Wednesday, and Friday at 9:00am in the Activity Center.

**Miscellaneous:**

**Believe Adult Study Guides, Reading Schedules, and Take It Home For The Family** are available in the foyer by the "Believe" Bulletin Board on a small bookcase. These are also available on our website.  
**Bloom: Free Flower, Plant, and Seed Giveaway:** May 19 at 9am till gone. Ladies, please start preparing your plants for our giveaway. See **Della Brewster** or **Sharon Thomas** for any questions.  
**Contact Information Update Form:** this form allows you to select how to receive our automated messages as well as which phone numbers and email addresses you want published. Form is now available on foyer table by restrooms.  
**Fundraiser Dinner:** Wednesday, April 4 at 5:15pm-6:30pm. Invite your family, friends, and neighbors to enjoy a meal for a donation and opportunity to purchase homemade cookies from our students. All donations go to bringing the cost of church camp down for any student attending from Crosstown. Parents and mentors are asked to make cookies with students for this fundraiser.  
**LTC Fees:** Due March 25. Make checks payable to Crosstown CoC.  
**Marriage Seminar: "His shoes. Her shoes."** April 7. Volunteers are needed before and during the seminar. Please see sign up sheets on the foyer table. There are four important areas you can serve in to help make the seminar a success. Please pick up flyers on foyer table to invite family and friends. **RSVP** is now available on our website [www.crosstownfamily.org](http://www.crosstownfamily.org). Click on events.

**UPCOMING EVENTS**

**March**  
 3/24 Spring All Church Work Day  
 3/25 His Shoes. Her Shoes. DOOR HANGING 4pm  
 3/28 Mentor Wednesday: All mentors come to youth hang out time @ 6pm.

**BIRTHDAYS**

**Upcoming:**  
 3/20 Virginia Cannon  
 3/21 Keonte Spencer  
 3/22 Koby Wade  
 3/25 Steve Parker

**Leadership Training for Christ: March 25.**



1:00-1:50	Chorus	Rm. 123
1:00-1:50	Speech	Rm 121
1:55-2:45	Puppets	Rm Supply Room
1:55-2:30	Song Leading	Rm. 123
2:50-3:40	Bible Bowl	Rm. 123
6pm-Wed. 3/28	Signing	Youth Room

**Student Movement (6th - 12th Grade)**

**Wed. Night Hang Out:** on Wednesdays from 6pm-6:45pm in Youth Room. Bible Class will follow at 7pm.  
**GLAM:** Mar 24 at the home of Kay Imhoff (10319 E 12th St.). Mentors bring 2-3 face masks each. Girls bring various make-up items to share. Snacks provided. Van leaves building at 4:45pm and returns 7:15pm.  
**Contact Kids:** (Service Projects) Mar 27. Meet at Contact CoC at 5:45pm. Pick up at 7:30pm. Dinner provided.  
**Youth Area Wide Retreat:** April 6-8. Van leaves Friday at 6:30pm and will be returning Sunday at noon. March 23rd is the cut off date for shirts and for a discounted rate. Sign ups and medical release forms can be found at [Crosstownfamily.org](http://Crosstownfamily.org) under upcoming events. After March 23 you must pay the original price of \$65 to attend the retreat and you will not receive a shirt.

**CHURCH INFORMATION**

3400 East Admiral Place  
 Tulsa, OK 74115-8227  
 Phone: 918-834-1395

**CHURCH STATS**

**Sunday, March 11**

Bible Class Total	116
Worship Total	200
Weekly Budget	\$9,300
Contribution	\$7,105
Contribution YTD	\$84,914
Budget YTD	\$93,000
Difference	(\$8,086)

**Wednesday, March 14**

Bible Class Total	95
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**MEETING SCHEDULE**

**Sunday**  
 Bible Class . . . . . 9:15 am  
 Worship . . . . . 10:15 am  
**Wednesday**  
 Bible Class . . . . . 7:00 pm

**CONTACT US VIA EMAIL**  
 > [info@crosstownfamily.org](mailto:info@crosstownfamily.org)

**GIVE TO CROSSTOWN ONLINE**  
 > [www.crosstownfamily.org/donate](http://www.crosstownfamily.org/donate)

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- WHERE YOU WILL FIND**
- Info on events & ministries
  - Our roster of elders & staff
  - Sermon audio & other resources



**Take Home Lunches**

Donate breakfast & lunch items for families and children who come through our food Pantry Ministry. Place items around the pulpit each Sunday.

**Suggested Items:**

- Instant oatmeal packets
- Boxes of cereal
- Granola bars
- Macaroni & cheese
- Microwaveable single serve Chef-Boy-R-Dee
- Ramen Noodle soup, 3-Ounce Packages
- Variety packs Cookies, Mini-Oreos, etc. (individual packs)
- Chips (family size)
- Fruit snacks/Rollups
- Peanut Butter and Jelly containers
- Apple sauce (3.9-Ounce, 6-Count )
- Small bags of pretzels or Goldfish crackers