

## THIS WEEK AT CROSSROADS

### Today

Noisy Can Offering

### Today - Wednesday

6-8 p.m. VBS at Webberville UMC – Rolling River Rampage

### Tuesday

National Night Out - Williamston

### Wednesday

1 p.m. Bible Reading Discussion

### Thursday

11:30 a.m. Ladies Luncheon at Sunnyside Cafe

3:15 p.m. Tai Chi Class

### Thursday, Friday

9 a.m. – 7 p.m. Soaring Unlimited Rummage/Bake Sale at Plumbers Union Hall

### Saturday

9 a.m. – 1 p.m. Soaring Unlimited Rummage/Bake Sale at Plumbers Union Hall

## COMING EVENTS

### Sunday, August 12

UMW Hosting Hannah House

### Wednesday, August 15

1 p.m. Bible Reading Discussion

### Thursday, August 16

3:15 p.m. Tai Chi Class

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## Taking Jesus into the World

Please bring these items for City Rescue

Mission: Baby Bottles, Sippy Cups

Men's Deodorant

Women's Deodorant

Clean gently used clothing is also appreciated. You can place these items in the yellow barrel in the fellowship hall.

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## Crossroads' Mission Statement

*A Faithful Community Offering Christ to All*

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***Like us on Facebook....  
and invite your friends!***

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## Crossroads' Office Hours

Wednesdays: 12-3 p.m.

Thursdays: 9 a.m. – 12 p.m.

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**Attendance Last Sunday 36**  
**Average Attendance 35**



## Of Bread and Buildings

## CROSSROADS UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

**August 5, 2018**

### We are so glad you've joined us this morning!

As you enter this time of worship, we invite you to open your heart to God's Holy Spirit. We encourage you to take this time to focus on God and his great love for you.

You are invited and encouraged to join us for coffee, a snack, and conversation in the Fellowship Hall following the worship service this morning.

### Those Serving in Worship

**Pastor:** Pastor Marty Johnston

**Praise Team:** Barbara Obst, Les Dunckel, Bibi Taylor, Rikki Dawn Turner, Haley Turner, Dawn Smith, Roxi Bass

**Head Usher:** Dean Kitchenmaster

### Those Serving This Week

**Liturgist:** Joe Cole

**Greeters:** Larry and Ann Alchin

**Communion Servers:** Judy Marr, Dawn Smith, Karlena Dennis

### Those Serving Next Week

**Liturgist:** Judy Marr

**Greeters:** Karlena Dennis, Kyleigh Kitchenmaster

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## Crossroads United Methodist Church

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### Pastor

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*As the Deer (#92 PB)*  
*Blessed Be Your Name*

## WELCOME

### CENTERING WORDS

How do we lead lives worthy of our calling?  
How do we show the grace we have received? By conducting ourselves with humility, gentleness, patience, and love. By living as one body, one spirit. By building ourselves up in love.

### RAISING OUR PRAISE

#### \*CALL TO WORSHIP

\*\*There is one body, one spirit, one Lord of all.

**We are one body in Christ, bound together in holy love.**

There is one hope, one faith, one Father of all.

**We are one family of God, blessed with gifts of one Spirit.**

There is one baptism, one true home, one God of all.

**We are one people, nourished by God with the food of eternal life.**

Come! Let us worship.

#### \*PASTOR'S OPENING PRAYER

#### \*RAISING OUR VOICES IN SONG

*Never Alone*  
*Because He Lives (#364 UMH)*

### YOUTH MESSAGE

Noisy Can Offering

### SCRIPTURE

Ephesians 4:1-6, 11-13 ; John 6:24-35

The Word of God for the People of God

**Thanks be to God**

## MESSAGE

### Of Bread and Buildings

Pastor Marty Johnston

### TIME OF REFLECTION

*Speak Lord, for I Am Listening*

### HOLY COMMUNION

All Are Invited

### LIFTING OUR PRAYERS

The Lord's Prayer (#895 UMH)

### GIVING OUR GIFTS

\*\* Each one of us has been given gifts of the Spirit for the welfare of this congregation and the world. Let us share our gifts, our passions, our talents, and our treasure this day as we build ourselves into the family of God.

Tithes and Offerings  
\*Doxology (#95 UMH)

### ANNOUNCEMENTS

#### \*SENDING FORTH

*Victory in Jesus (#12 PB)*

#### \*BENEDICTION

\*\* Go forth to lead lives worthy of your calling.

**We go forth as one body, one spirit, to share the one Lord of all.**

Go forth to speak the truth in love.

**We go forth in one hope, one baptism, to share our gifts with the world.**

Go forth to build up the world in love.

\*Please stand as you are able or care to do so.

\*\*Taken from the Abington Worship Annual 2018

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**Conversation Starter for Refreshment**

**Time:** What's your favorite meal?