

**THIS WEEK AT CROSSROADS**

**Today**

Noisy Can Offering  
World Communion Sunday – Special Offering  
10:45 a.m. Sunday School

**Monday**

7:30-8:30 a.m. Coffee & Donuts for Passersby

**Wednesday**

1 p.m. Bible Reading Discussion

**Thursday**

11:30 a.m. Ladies' Luncheon at Sunnyside Cafe  
3:15 p.m. Tai Chi Class

**Saturday**

10:00 a.m. UMW Halloween Baskets to Seniors

**COMING EVENTS**

**Sunday, October 14**

10:45 a.m. Sunday School

**Monday, October 15**

7:30-8:30 a.m. Coffee & Donuts for Passersby

**Wednesday, October 17**

1 p.m. Bible Reading Discussion

**Thursday, October 18**

3:15 p.m. Tai Chi Class  
7 p.m. Crossroad's Charge Conference at  
Webberville UMC

**Saturday, October 20**

12:30-4:30 p.m. Circle of Friends Monthly Jam  
4-7 p.m. Harvest Dinner at Webberville UMC

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**Taking Jesus into the World**

Please bring these items for City Rescue

- Mission: Women's Socks  
Baby Bottles  
Pull Ups

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 30**  
**Average Attendance 35**



**The Bread of Life**

**CROSSROADS UNITED  
METHODIST CHURCH  
October 7, 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,  
Rikki Dawn Turner, Haley Turner,  
Dawn Smith, Roxi Bass

**Head Usher:** Dean Kitchenmaster

**Those Serving This Week**

- Liturgist:** Perry / Dawn Smith
- Greeters:** Dean & Helen Kitchenmaster
- Communion Servers:** Judy Marr, Dawn Smith,  
Karlana Dennis

**Those Serving Next Week**

- Liturgist:** Joe Cole
- Greeters:** Larry & Ann Alchin

**Crossroads United Methodist Church**

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*The Old Rugged Cross (#100 PB)*

## WELCOME

### CENTERING WORDS

Come to Christ, children of God, for all are welcome here.

### RAISING OUR PRAISE

#### \*CALL TO WORSHIP

From troubled times and difficult walks,  
**we come to the arms of Christ.**

From separate journeys and diverse experiences,  
**we gather to worship as one.**

As brothers and sisters in Christ,  
**we come to God, who welcomes us here.**

#### \*PASTOR'S OPENING PRAYER

#### \*RAISING OUR VOICES IN SONG

*All Hail King Jesus*  
*Precious Lord, Take My Hand (#474 UMH)*

### OLD TESTAMENT READING

Exodus 16:4-5, 14-16

### YOUTH MESSAGE

### NEW TESTAMENT READING

John 6:22-35

The Word of God for the People of God

### Thanks be to God MESSAGE

#### The Bread of Life

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

\*\*God invites us to give of ourselves to others. Our gratitude prompts us to give of ourselves to God. We do all of this with hearts of love. May we give with passion refined by faith.

Tithes and Offerings

\*Doxology (#95 UMH)

### ANNOUNCEMENTS

#### \*SENDING FORTH

*Forever*

#### \*BENEDICTION

Even as we scatter to live our separate lives,  
**we are still one body of Christ.**

Even as we go our separate ways,  
**we travel this journey together.**

Go now to share the miraculous truth of God's Word.

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

\*\*Taken from the Abington Worship Annual 2018

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**Conversation Starter:** Have you visited any other countries? What country would you like to see?