

Examples of the Early Church Praying Together in the Book of Acts

- They were devoted to prayer. (Acts 1:14)
- They prayed when they chose a new 12th disciple. (Acts 1:24)
- They were devoted to prayer. (Acts 2:42)
- Peter and John prayed together in the temple. (Acts 3:1)
- They prayed for boldness to preach the gospel. (Acts 4:23, 31)
- The apostles were devoted to prayer. (Acts 6:4)
- They prayed for those selected to care for the widows. (Acts 6:6)
- They prayed for the new believers in Samaria. (Acts 8:14-16)
- They prayed for Peter in prison. (Acts 12:5,12)
- They prayed for missionaries they were sending. (Acts 13:1-3)
- They prayed when they appointed new elders. (Acts 14:23)
- They prayed in prison. (Acts 16:25)
- Paul prayed with the Ephesian elders before saying goodbye. (Acts 20:36-38)
- Paul prayed with the believers in Tyre. (Acts 21:5-6)
- Paul prayed with others before eating. (Acts 27:35)

Two Lessons the Book of Acts Teaches Us About Corporate Prayer

- Corporate prayer was a top priority for the early church.
- Corporate prayer almost always preceded any great movement of God.

Two Ways We Can Prayer Corporately as a Church

- In scheduled times of prayer as a church:
 - Worship Gatherings
 - Prayer Gatherings
 - Discipleship Communities
 - Membership Directory
- In spontaneous times of prayer with others in the church



Welcome to Cross Fellowship Church!

We are grateful that you have come to worship with us today and pray you feel welcome. If you have any questions about our church, the service, the sermon, or anything else, we would love to talk to you! Stop by the Welcome Table in the lobby or talk to one of the elders. We also encourage you to complete a Visitor Information Card at the Welcome Table or online at crossfellowshipchurch.org/connect.

Order of Service

Call to Worship: Psalm 66:1-4

“Rejoice”

“Ancient of Days”

Prayer of Confession

“Man of Sorrows”

“Christ Is Mine Forevermore”

Prayer

Sermon: Acts

“Lord I Need You”

Partaking of the Lord’s Supper

Prayer and Benediction

Announcements

Members’ Meeting

Sunday, March 3 / 4-5:30 p.m. / New Haven

Current CFC members: Join us to hear a stewardship report, get updates from ministry team leaders, and vote to affirm new members into our church family.

Prospective New Church Members

We’re excited to announce that the following individuals are being recommended by the elders for membership: Sam Walhof, Ellie Stigall, Sarah Warnky, Lauren Evans, Kylie Hawkins, Grant Harding, Elle Min, Parker Raney, Marisol Espinoza

If you have concerns about membership requirements not being met, please contact the individual first. If you still have concerns after talking with them, please let the elders know.

Gospel Coalition Women’s Conference

June 20-22 / Indianapolis

Don’t forget to sign up for TGCW. Registration price increases March 1. Contact Amy Crawford for more details at 913-669-3481 or women@crossfellowship.org.

Elders

- John Crawford / john.crawford@crossfellowshipchurch.org
- Jared Chasteen / jared.chasteen@crossfellowshipchurch.org

Discipleship Communities

DCs gather in homes on Wednesday evenings to provide leadership, community, encouragement, and accountability as we live as disciples. For more information or to join a DC, visit crossfellowshipchurch.org/dc.

Nursing Mothers

We offer a nursing mothers’ room in the back left (as you face the stage) of the sanctuary.

Children’s Discipleship

To walk alongside parents in teaching children about the good news of Jesus, we offer the following classes.

Sundays at 9 a.m.

- K-2nd grade: rm. 202
- 3rd-6th grade: rm. 206

Sundays during the Worship Gathering

- Infants (ages 6-12 mo.)
- Toddlers (ages 1-2): rm. 206
- Pre-K (ages 3-4): rm. 202

Sundays at 6 p.m.

- Youth group: 7th-12th grade

Offering

Thank you for your generosity! There are a few ways you can give:

- In the offering box on Sundays
- Through the Church Center app (iPhone/Android)
- Online at crossfellowshipchurch.org/give (scan the QR code)

**Please refrain from eating and drinking in the sanctuary. Thank you!*

