

## The New Heaven and New Earth

Revelation 21:1-8 John Crawford November 24, 2024

Five Realities That Await Those Who Endure	
•	We will live in a new heaven and new earth. (v. 1)
•	We will live in the new Jerusalem. (v. 2)
-	We will live in God's presence. (v. 3)
•	We will be free from suffering. (v. 4-5)
	We will be completely satisfied. (v. 6)
One Stipulation for Inheriting These Realities	
	Those who endure will inherit the new creation to come. (v. 7)
•	Those who don't endure will inherit the lake of fire. (v. 8)



# 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 105:1-4

"Rejoice"

"Holy, Holy, Holy"

Scripture Reading: Titus 3:4-7

"The Goodness of Jesus"

"Jesus Is Better"

Prayer

Sermon: Revelation 21:1-8 "All Glory Be to Christ"

Partaking of the Lord's Supper

**Prayer and Benediction** 

### **Announcements**

### **Members' Meeting**

Sunday, Dec. 1 / 4-5:30 p.m. / New Haven

CFC Members, join us to hear ministry updates, vote to affirm new members, and vote on next year's budget.

#### **Prospective New Church Members**

We're excited to announce that the following individuals are being recommended by the elders for membership:

- Vika Freitakas
- Garrett Newton

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.

#### **Christmas Eve Service**

Tuesday, Dec. 24 / 5-6 p.m. / New Haven

Join us for a time of singing, fellowship, and a brief message as we celebrate our Lord Jesus' birth. There will be no childcare.

#### 2025 Women's Conference

Fri.-Sat., Jan. 17-18 / Heartland Retreat Center

Women of CFC, join us as we fellowship, sing, pray, and study what God's Word says about handling our emotions biblically. Register via Church Center before Dec. 15.

#### **Elders**

- Matt Campbell / matt.campbell@ crossfellowshipchurch.org
- John Crawford / john.crawford@ crossfellowshipchurch.org
- Jared Chasteen / jared.chasteen@ crossfellowshipchurch.org
- Josh Reasons / josh.reasons@ crossfellowshipchurch.org
- Daniel Sylvester / daniel.sylvester@ 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 Sunday
- Through the Church Center app (iPhone/Android)
- Online at crossfellowship church.org/give (scan the QR code)



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