



Meeting Sundays  
10:00 AM  
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April, 2014

REAL GOD

REAL PEOPLE

REAL LIFE

# APRIL



Saturday the 5th,  
Men's Breakfast at 7:30 a.m.  
At the church.

(Contact Don Adams  
for information.)



Saturday the 5th,  
Game Night at 6:30 p.m.  
At the church.



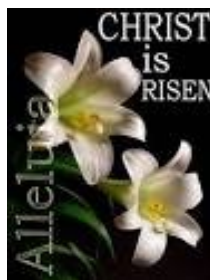
Join us for week two of a  
message series on praying  
Sunday the 6th at 10 a.m.

Join us for the second  
annual Easter Egg hunt at  
Hy-Vee at on  
Saturday the 12th 1 p.m.  
(Contact Nichole Eiler or  
Annette Stenger for information)



Join us as we celebrate  
Palm Sunday service  
Sunday the 13th at 10 a.m.

Join us as we reflect on what  
the cross means to us for a  
special Good Friday Service.  
Friday the 18th at 7 p.m.



**HE IS RISEN INDEED!**  
Join us as we celebrate Easter  
Sunday morning with  
Brunch and service.  
Easter Sunday service  
Sunday the 20th at 10 a.m.





Wow I can't believe I have been your Interim Pastor for almost 2 months! Time goes by fast when your having fun. I have really appreciated your warm welcome of me and my family. I am encouraged by many of your comments and challenges regarding the messages. A congregation that is engaged with the message is always a delight to the pastor.

I hope you enjoyed the Ephesians series. It was good for me to be reminded again of the great doctrine parts of the letter and also be challenged again on how I live out those doctrines.

In April I am going to change gears a little and not go through a single book. Being that Palm Sunday and Easter are in the middle of the month, we are going to spend the first Sunday on prayer (continuing from that last Sunday in March), and then the last Sunday in Acts.

We are planning a Good Friday service to be a time to remember again what the Cross of Christ is all about. Just a heads up here; we will be looking at the seven last words of Christ as we sing and spend time in prayer.

As I mentioned earlier we will be starting a new series called "The Mulit-faced Bride of Christ- A study in Acts" on the last Sunday of April. As always my passion is to help people in their relationship with God.

Please feel free to contact me if I can help.

@DouglasPConrad is my twitter account if you would like to follow. I try to write a thought each day from my quiet time with God. You can ask me about my #90daychallenge.

If you need to get a hold of me here is some contact info:

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Making Much of Jesus,

Pastor Doug

## Your Handy Dandy Pull Out Section for the Refrigerator

### Volunteer Schedule for April

	AV Sound	Offering	Coffee	Greeting	Prayer	Nursery	Back- yard	
<b>April 6</b>	C-Micah S-Jason	TBA	Les	Don & Ann	Tammy	TBA	Kelley T.	
<b>April 13</b>	C-Micah S-Jason	Deb V & Don	Heide's	Don & Ann	Tammy	Holly	Cheryl C.	
<b>April 20</b>	C-Micah S-Jason	Andrea & Michelle	Ann	Deb & Dale H.	Tammy	TBA	Kelley T.	
<b>April 27</b>	C-Micah S-Jason	Deb V & Zeke	TBA	Zeke & John	Woody & Lisa	Andrea	Kelley T.	

## APRIL 2014

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
		<b>1</b>	<b>2</b> Connection Zone 6:30	<b>3</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>5</b> Men's Breakfast 7:30 a.m. Game Night 6:30 p.m.
<b>6</b>	<b>7</b> Band of Brothers 6:30 Women's Bible Study 6:30	<b>8</b>	<b>9</b> Connection Zone 6:30	<b>10</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>12</b> Hy-Vee Easter Egg Hunt 1p.m.
<b>13</b> Palm Sunday	<b>14</b> Band of Brothers 6:30 Women's Bible Study 6:30	<b>15</b>	<b>16</b> Connection Zone 6:30	<b>17</b>	<b>18</b> Good Friday Service 7 p.m.	<b>19</b>
<b>20</b> Easter Sunday	<b>21</b> Band of Brothers 6:30 Women's Bible Study 6:30	<b>22</b>	<b>23</b> Connection Zone 6:30	<b>24</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>26</b>
<b>27</b> Blessing of the Bikes 11 a.m.	<b>28</b> Band of Brothers 6:30 Women's Bible Study 6:30	<b>29</b>	<b>30</b> Connection Zone 6:30			

# Join Us!!!

## **The Backyard (4 yrs-5th Grade)**

The Backyard is a children's program using creative and fun approaches to learning Bible stories and applying them to life. The children stay and worship with their families and then go to the back for a fun filled time of learning about God.

## **Connection Zone**

The Construction is done, we are ready to make a Connection. The Connection Zone is a place where we can connect with God and other people. It is a program designed for all ages. We starts with dinner together, and then breaks up into children, teen, and adult groups for an age appropriate Bible Study.

## **Band of Brothers**

We have a men's group that meet Monday nights at the church at 6:30. This is a chance to get together as men and learn how to be godly men in today's world. For more information please contact Don Adams at [d.adams@charter.net](mailto:d.adams@charter.net)

## **Women's Bible Study**

If you are serious about getting to know God and His Word, then this group is for you! This group will meet every Monday night at the church at 6:30 p.m. For more information contact Lisa Buchanan or Kelly Palmer.

**If you have information you would like to put in the newsletter please email all details to the office by the 20th of the month. Email: [office@thecruxchurch.org](mailto:office@thecruxchurch.org)**

## Need More Info...???

### **Church Contact Information:**

For your convenience, please call to verify somebody is there before stopping by. If you need to get a hold of us, please contact us at the following:

#### **Church Office:**

Phone: 507-334-5211

#### **Tammy:**

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Email: [teiler@liberty.edu](mailto:teiler@liberty.edu)

**TAG:** Doug Conrad, Woody Buchanan, Lee Palmer, Paul Kelm.

## Updates

### **Prayer Requests:**

- Please pray for the pastoral Search Team as they come closer to the completion process of selecting the next pastor for the church. Pray for discernment and unity in the decision. Pray that God will speak to them and to the next pastor.

If you have a prayer request for the bulletin or newsletter please put it on the back of the feedback card on Sunday mornings or contact the office with your request.