

# APRIL 3, 2022 | 9:30 AM WORSHIP

# THE STORY Chapter 26 | The Lord's Supper by Pastor Don Porter

Now as they were eating, Jesus took bread, and after blessing it broke it and gave it to the disciples, and said, "Take, eat; this is my body." And he took a cup, and when he had given thanks he gave it to them, saying, "Drink of it, all of you, for this is my blood of the covenant, which is poured out for many for the forgiveness of sins. Matthew 26:26-28

# THIS SUNDAY AT CROSSPOINT

10:45 AM Connection Cafe New here? Drop in and say hello!

No King's Kids Grades K-6th in worship

Nursery ages 0-5 yrs

11:00 AM Easter Choir Practice Music Room

11:00 AM The Story Bible Study Worship Center

# COMMUNION SUNDAY

We celebrate communion together today. The Lord's Supper is the sacrament that is a symbol of continuing fellowship with Christ, a repeated act in which we remember the Lord's death and renew our commitment to be united with Jesus and His Church. Communion should be received by those who believe in Christ and trust in Him for the complete forgiveness of sins. We will resume the passing of communion elements during the worship service today with the exception of the mask required section. Individual, pre-packaged communion may be received from an elder located near the tech booth prior to the worship service and during communion.

# FAMILY WORSHIP

The first Sunday of the month is our family service! Nursery is provided for ages 0-5 and children in grades Kinder-6th and up are in worship with us. We praise God for so many children and youth at CrossPoint and for the opportunity to worship together!

#### young adult small group

Our young adult small group is meeting this coming Monday night from 7-8:30 at Adam and Haley Verhoeven's home in Ontario. We invite you to join us for a great time of hanging out, time in the scriptures and growing in friendship with one another. You can email Danny Unterkofler to get the full details at dunterkofler@crosspointchino.org.

### next steps gathering

What do we believe God is doing through CrossPoint and how are you a part of that story? We invite you to join us for a time of lunch and learning about membership at CrossPoint. We're gathering on Sunday, April 24 at 12 PM. You will meet others new to CrossPoint, pastors and staff, and learn about our mission and vision as a church. We hope you will join us for lunch and fellowship! Learn more or sign up today at Guest Central or online at crosspointchino.org/nextsteps.

GOOD FRIDAY Communion Service

APRIL 15 AT 7 PM

## thank you

This month we celebrate Maria Haro serving for 30 years in our CrossPoint Nursery! She has a passion for children and has been a gift to all of our families throughout the years.

Not only does Maria serve on Sundays, she provides childcare for our MOPS families, women's Bible studies and other events. She always serves with the joy of the Lord!

We will be giving Maria a special gift and flowers on April 10 to recognize her years of service. To contribute, please drop off cards or gifts of appreciation to Kaylyn or Tori in the nursery so we can bless her!

Congratulations to the Chinese Congregation, celebrating four years of ministry at CrossPoint!



# EASTERAT CROSSPOINT

# SUNDAY, APRIL 17



# EASTER CHOIR

# JOIN THE CROSSPOINT EASTER CHOIR

All ages are welcome; kids and youth, please join us!

Rehearsal after worship TODAY April 3 at 11 AM - Music Room April 10 at 11 AM - Worship Center

# EASTER LILY MEMORIALS

Remember a loved one on Easter Sunday with a memorial lily and a donation to the endowment fund. Reserve yours today!

ORDER IN PERSON TODAY AT THE LOBBY TABLE CROSSPOINTCHINO.ORG/LILY

# CONNECTION

# New here? Drop by after the service and say hello!

On the first Sunday of the month we host the Connection Cafe, an informal space for those relatively new to CrossPoint to meet some staff and make real connections. There will be coffee and treats and an opportunity to ask any questions you might have. We invite you to join us after the service at the Cafe, located just off the main lobby!

elcome

Welcome to CrossPoint, we're glad you came to worship with us today! We would love to connect with you and give you a welcome gift if you would like to stop by Guest Central in the lobby after the service. You can also send us an online Connection Card using the QR code below. We look forward to meeting you!

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#### Sermon Notes

- 1. The Connection between the Passover and the Lord's Supper Matthew 26:17-19
- 2. The Meaning of the Lord's Supper Matthew 26:26-29
- Proclaiming Christ's \_\_\_\_\_
  - Participating in the \_\_\_\_\_\_ of Christ's Death Matthew 26:27-28
  - Receiving \_\_\_\_\_ Nourishment John 6:53-56
  - Celebrating the \_\_\_\_\_ of Believers 1 Corinthians 10:16-17
- 3. Receive the Bread and Cup in a \_\_\_\_\_\_ 1 *Cor 11:27-29* 
  - Coming to the table without engaging my mind or heart
  - Coming to the table without understanding what I am doing
  - Coming to the table without faith in Jesus
  - Coming to the table without examining myself and repenting of my sin

sermon discussion and readings	John 13	John 15	Matthew 22	Matthew 25
	John 14	Matthew 21	Matthew 23	

- What are words and phrases that come to mind when you think about the Lord's Supper?
- Imagine you are explaining to a teenager the meaning of the Lord's Supper. What would you say?
- What connections do you see between the Lord's Supper and the Passover?
- What would you say are the spiritual blessings that come from participating in the Lord's Supper?
- Read 1 Corinthians 11:27-29. What does this passage teach about the Lord's Supper? What changes will you make in your communion preparation in light of this passage?

### in the library

Check out these titles relating to the sermon. The library is open every Sunday!

- SuperBook: The Last Supper DVD for children
- No Wonder They Call Him the Savior / God came near Two books by Max Lucado
- Choose the Life: Exploring a faith that embraces discipleship by Bill Hull
- For Sinners Only: Perspectives on the Lord's Supper from the life of St. Paul by Jacob D. Eppinga
- The Island at the Center of the World: The epic story of Dutch Manhattan by Russell Shorto
- A Miracle for St Cecilia's plus four more titles in the Dorsetville Series by Katherine Valentine
- Courageous: Honor begins at home A novel and DVD by Randy Alcorn & the Kendrick Brothers