

June 11, 2022

QUESTIONS WORTH ASKING

Our world is full of questions, and there are many competing answers. What does God's word say about the things in our culture and our every day lives?

This summer we're giving insights rooted in scripture to the questions you've asked, as together we earnestly seek God to renew our community and world for Christ.

TODAY AT CP

CPittles ages 0-5
Nursery

CPkids grades K-6th
Fellowship Hall

Prayer Partners
Front of Worship Center

Sri Lanka Mission Fundraiser
Outside courtyard

VBS Volunteer Meeting
11 AM | Worship Center



What does the Bible teach about politics?

MISSION FUNDRAISER TODAY

Pastor Dae and members of the Korean Congregation are leaving for missions in Sri Lanka in July. You can support them today after the service by purchasing a delicious mixed rice and vegetable Korean dish of bi-bim-bap for \$15. Get yours to go or stay and eat with your church family!

CP YOUTH HIGH SCHOOL CAMP



This week, over 50 high school students and leaders from CrossPoint and the Chino Valley were at youth camp in Arizona! Today we'll have an update from Youth Pastor Chris Avery about this incredible week.

We are thankful for this time at camp set aside for our students to be earnestly seeking God and growing in relationships with each other.

WELCOME, GUESTS

Welcome to CrossPoint, we're so glad you are here! We believe that your life has a purpose, and we're here to encourage and walk alongside you no matter where you are in your faith journey. We would love to meet you, so please stop by Connection Point in the lobby after the service. You can also let us know you visited by completing the Connection Card or online at the QR code on the back of the bulletin. Thank you for joining us for worship!

SYNOD 2023

CrossPoint is a member of the Christian Reformed Church, a denomination of congregations across the U.S. and Canada. It is governed by an annual meeting called Synod that includes regional groupings of churches. This meeting is a time of prayerful discernment, discussion, and decision-making. Pastor Charlie Wang, Serene Rao, and John Jansen will be attending Synod in Grand Rapids, MI from June 9-15 where several significant issues will be determined. Please pray for Synod and the leaders who attend. See updates at crcna.org/synod.



STARTING POINT

Are you new to CrossPoint? We're making a place for you! Starting Point is a short time together to learn more about the history of CrossPoint, our vision for ministry, and where you fit in!

Hosted by Danny Unterkofler,
Pastor of Community Life

Join us in two weeks!
Sunday, June 25 at 11 AM

IN THE LIBRARY

It's time for summer reading! The CrossPoint Library is open every Sunday and has great books for kids of all ages. Stop in or look for a book at crosspointchino.org/library

- *My Heart – Christ's Home* by Robert B. Munger
- *Living in Christ's Presence* by Dallas Willard – book and DVD
- *Everybody's Normal Till You Get to Know Them* by John Ortberg
- *Mere Morality: What God expects from ordinary people* by Lewis B. Smedes
- *Elijah of Buxton* – A Newbery Medal winner by Christopher P. Curtis
- *What Came from the Stars / Orbiting Jupiter* – 2 AR novels by Gary D. Schmidt
- *Double Indemnity: A novel* by Robert Whitlow
- Six novels by Cathy Gohlke

SUMMER VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!



CPkids and CPLittles are full, Full, FULL with an average of 140 children each Sunday. We want to give our amazing teachers and nursery volunteers a summer break and still run these programs, will you help us do that? We're looking for volunteers for just once a month in CPkids and CPLittles. Stop into our kids spaces to talk with Kaylyn or Tori or give them a call at 909.606.9833. You will love spending time with our kids this summer!



HELP US HAVE A STELLAR VBS!

JUNE 19-22 FROM 6-8:30 PM

Thank you for all the donations for VBS, your generosity has been overwhelming!

Registration is full but we still need Crew Leaders to make this the best VBS ever!

Will you serve as a Crew Leader?

Stop by the volunteer meeting today at 11 AM to let us know if you can serve or volunteer at crosspointchino.org/vbs!

STELLAR
SHINE JESUS' LIGHT



SOCCER CAMP

July 25-29

9 AM-12:30 PM

AGES 4-14

CrossPoint Church

crosspointchino.org/soccer



**HOST HOMES
ARE NEEDED
FOR OUR
INTERNATIONAL
COACHES!
CONTACT US
FOR DETAILS**

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sri lanka mission team



(from L to R) Henry Leon, Eunice Hahn, Anabelle Kim, Pastor Dae Hoon Kim, Angela Kim, Caris Oh, Sol Kim



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Questions Worth Asking | *What does the Bible teach about politics?*

Don Porter, Lead Pastor

Overarching principle: rulers are _____ by the Lord. Romans 13:1

The responsibility of government to its people:

NOTES

1. Governments are to _____ and promote _____. Romans 13:4

2. Government is to _____ the oppressed. Psalm 72:1,4

3. Government is to establish and _____. 1 Timothy 2:1-2

The responsibility of the people to their government:

1. As a general rule, we are to _____ to those who _____ over us. Rom 13:1-2, 5

2. There are occasions when we must choose to _____ the government. Acts 5:27-29

3. Our hope comes from _____ and not from the government. Psalm 146:3 and Jeremiah 9:23-24

READINGS

- M Psalm 78
- T Deuteronomy 11
- W Acts 2:17-42
- Th Acts 17:16-34
- F Genesis 6:5-7:5
- Sa Colossians 3:1-17
- Su 1 Corinthians 8

QUESTIONS

- o What was something you heard in the passages or message that made an impact on you?
- o Read Rom. 13:1-7. What does this passage teach about how we are to relate to government?
- o As you consider the Romans 13 passage, what questions would you like to ask the Lord?
- o In the sermon we looked at the responsibility of government to its people. Is there anything you would want to add to this list? How do you think governments tend to get off track?
- o In the sermon we looked at the responsibility of people to their government. What specifically was mentioned? Where or when is it difficult for you to submit to the government? What do you think the Lord would say to you regarding these challenges?
- o We need to make sure our hope is in the Lord and not in our government. Why might this become an issue for many in our nation?
- o What will you do about this sermon and Romans 13:1-7?