

## **Eight Characteristics That Are Exuded by Those Who Are United with Christ**

- Those who are united with Christ obey from position, not for position. (3:12a)
  
- Those who are united with Christ forgive. (3:12b-13)
  - With compassionate hearts
  - With kindness
  - With humility
  - With meekness
  - With patience
  
- Those who are united with Christ love. (3:14)
  
- Those who are united with Christ let the peace of Christ rule in their hearts. (3:15a)
  
- Those who are united with Christ are thankful. (3:15b)
  
- Those who are united with Christ let the word of Christ dwell in them richly. (3:16)
  - Through teaching
  - Through admonishing
  - Through song
  - With thankfulness
  
- Those who are united with Christ do everything in the name of the Lord Jesus. (3:17a)
  
- Those who are united with Christ give thanks. (3:17b)



# 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](http://crossfellowshipchurch.org/connect).

## Order of Service

**Call to Worship:** Psalm 150

“Rejoice”

“Behold Our God”

**Scripture Reading:** Isaiah 6:1-5

**Scripture Reading:** Colossians 1:21-22

**Prayer**

“All Sufficient Merit”

“My Worth Is Not I What I Own”

**Prayer**

**Sermon:** Colossians 3:12-17

“How Deep The Father’s Love For Us”

**Partaking of the Lord’s Supper**

## Announcements

### Elder Recommendations

At our Members’ Meeting on March 2, the elders recommended Nate Gutwein and Jonathan Phillips to join the elder team. The recommendation is for Jonathan to serve as a lay elder and for Nate to serve as a full-time staff elder. Please be prayerfully considering whether these men meet the Biblical qualifications of elders found in 1 Timothy 3:1-7 and Titus 1:5-9. If you have any questions or concerns about these recommendations, please reach out to the elder candidate or one of the elders. We will vote on these recommendations at our June Members’ Meeting.

### Prayer Gathering

*Sunday, April 6 / 4-5:30 p.m. / New Haven*

Join us for our church-wide Prayer Gathering. During our time together, we’ll pray for one another and our church, and hear specific testimonies of how God is at work in the lives of some of our members.

### Exploring Membership Class

*Sundays, April 6 & 13 / 12:15-2:30 p.m. / Social Room (201)*

Are you interested in membership at CFC, or would you simply like to learn about our church? Join us for this two-part class. Lunch will be provided. Sign up by March 30th at [crossfellowshipchurch.org/membership](http://crossfellowshipchurch.org/membership)

### Elders

- Matt Campbell / [matt.campbell@crossfellowshipchurch.org](mailto:matt.campbell@crossfellowshipchurch.org)
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### 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](http://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. 203

*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](http://crossfellowshipchurch.org/give) (scan the QR code)



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