

Wisdom for the Kings Court

- Wisdom interprets the dreams of the king and makes a face shine. (8:1)
- Wisdom understands the authority of the king and obeys him. (8:2-5)
 - Three exhortations to those in the kings court:
 - Obey the king's command. (8:2)
 - Don't be quick to depart from the king's presence. (8:3)
 - Don't stand against the king in an evil cause. (8:3)
 - Four reasons to obey and not oppose the king:
 - Because God has placed the king on the throne. (8:2)
 - Because the king does whatever he pleases. (8:3)
 - Because the word of the king is supreme and isn't to be questioned. (8:4)
 - So you won't be harmed. (8:5)
- Wisdom discerns the right time and the right way to respond to the king. (8:5-6)
- Wisdom doesn't know how the king will respond, but knows that God is ultimately in control. (8:7-8)

Wisdom for Our Lives

- Obey the governing authorities God has placed over you.
- Resist the governing authorities whenever their commands conflict with God's commands.
- Be wise and discerning in how you respond to the government authorities and their decisions.
- Rest and rejoice in the fact that Jesus is the ultimate king in our lives.



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 150

"Psalm 150 (Praise The Lord)"

Baptism

"How Deep The Father's Love For Us"

"Christ Our Hope In Life And Death"

Prayer

Sermon: Ecclesiastes 8:1-9

"All Glory Be To Christ"

Partaking of the Lord's Supper

Prayer and Benediction

Announcements

Prayer Gathering

Sunday, August 2 / 4-5:30 pm / New Haven

Women's Bible Study: A Study of Hebrews

Tuesdays, August 25-December 15 / 9-10:30 am / The Light KC

Ladies, join us as we study Hebrews together to encourage us to persevere in the faith as we see the many ways that Jesus is better. There will be a lunch after the service on August 16 to launch the study and hand out materials. Sign up on Church Center by August 12.

Church Picnic

Sunday, August 30 / 5-8 pm / Franklin Park

We've reserved the pavilion at Franklin Park from 5-8 p.m. for a fun time of fellowship. Please bring any lawn/outdoor games that you would like to play at the picnic. The church will be providing the main dish and water. DC groups will be assigned everything else to round out the meal!

Equipping Classes

Sundays, September 13 - November 22 / 9-10 am / New Haven

Join us this fall for one of our two classes. We are offering an Intro to Missions Class and a Spiritual Disciplines Class. Sign up on church center!

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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.

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 classes for the following ages & grade levels.

Sundays at 9 a.m.

Our K-6th grade classes will resume in the fall

Sundays during the Worship Gathering

Infants (6 mo.) - Pre-K (4 yrs.)

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 (scan the QR code)

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

