

Six Questions About the Book of Revelation

- What is the book of Revelation?
 - The book of Revelation is a revelation.
 - The book of Revelation is the revelation of Jesus Christ.
 - The revelation “from” Jesus Christ.
 - The revelation “about” Jesus Christ.
- How was the book of Revelation revealed?
 - The book of Revelation was revealed through a series of apocalyptic visions.
 - Most of the visions aren’t to be read literally, they’re to be read symbolically.
 - Most of the visions aren’t to be read chronologically, they’re to be read repetitively.
- When will the book of Revelation be fulfilled?
 - Preterist - Most of the visions were fulfilled in the first few centuries of the church.
 - Historicist - The visions have been and are being fulfilled throughout the history of the church.
 - Futurist - The visions are future events that are yet to be fulfilled.
 - Idealist - The visions are being, and have been, fulfilled symbolically throughout the history of the church.
 - Eclectic - There are elements of truth in each of the four views.
- Who was the book of Revelation revealed to?
 - The chain of revelation: From God -> to Jesus -> to angels -> to John -> to servants of Jesus.
 - The seven churches in Asia were tempted to abandon or compromise their faith as they were being persecuted, enticed by worldly pleasures, and bombarded with false teaching.
- Why was the book of Revelation written?
 - To encourage Christians to faithfully persevere in the midst of suffering, the enticement of worldly pleasures, and the deception of false teaching.
- What is the promise for those who read, hear, and keep this revelation?
 - You’ll be blessed!



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 47:1-7

“Sing”

Scripture Reading: Exodus 15:1-2, 11-12, 19-21

“Song of Moses”

Scripture Reading: Psalm 79:8-9; Ephesians 2:4-5

“His Mercy Is More”

“Jesus Is Better”

Prayer

Sermon: Revelation 1:1-3

“We Will Feast in the House of Zion”

Partaking of the Lord’s Supper

Prayer and Benediction

Announcements

Elder Recommendations

At our most recent Members’ Meeting, the elders recommended three men as prospective new elders: Matt Campbell, Josh Reasons, and Daniel Sylvester. We will vote on these recommendations following the Worship Gathering today.

Prayer Gathering

Today / 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 21 & 28 / 12:15-2:30 p.m. / Social Room

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 April 14 at crossfellowshipchurch.org/membership.

Elders

- John Crawford / john.crawford@crossfellowshipchurch.org
- Jared Chasteen / jared.chasteen@crossfellowshipchurch.org

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 the following classes.

Sundays at 9 a.m.

- K-2nd grade: rm. 202
- 3rd-6th grade: rm. 206

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 (scan the QR code)

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

