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Crossroads PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Second Sunday

November 12, 2023 11:00 A.M.

CURRENT RULING ELDERS Class of 2025

Ephram Curry Pamela Gruduah Judie Morgan Nancy Scott Susan Small John Matthews

Class of 2024

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COMMUNITY NEWS, ANNOUNCEMENTS AND WELCOME **Angelo Hairston**

Anjola Akintimehin +CALL TO WORSHIP Poem: As Long as I am Living

OPENING SONG Ebezina (Don't Cry) Preye Daniel Ugbaja

+PRAYER OF CONFESSION Aiden Kittrell Leader: For all the times we make you feel sad... Congregation: We want to say, sorry Lord. Leader: For the times we lie and cheat... Congregation: We want to say, sorry Lord. Leader: For the times when we are angry and grumpy... Congregation: We want to say, sorry Lord. Leader: For the times when we are rude and naughty Congregation: We want to say, sorry Lord. Leader: For the times when we deliberately disobey... Congregation: We want to say, sorry Lord. Leader: For the times when we are selfish or unkind.... Congregation: We want to say, sorry Lord. Leader: For all the wrong things that we do... Congregation: We want to say, sorry Lord. Amen.

+ASSURANCE OF PARDON

Cailyn Blowe

The Lord is compassionate and gracious, slow to anger, abounding in love. He will not always accuse, nor will He harbor His anger forever; He does not treat us as our sins deserve or repay us according to our iniquities. For as high as the heavens are above the earth, so great is His love for those who fear Him; as far as the east is from the west, so far has He removed our transgressions from us. Thank you, Lord. (Psalm 103:8-12)

OFFERING OF PRAISE

Darling Jesus Way Maker

+PASTORAL PRAYER

RECOGNITION OF VISITORS

MISSIONAL MOMENT: PASSING THE BREAD VIA TEXT

GRATEFUL GIVING OF OUR TITHES AND OFFERINGS

Text and online giving available. See the website for information.

OFFERTORY SONG Video: Church by Evvie McKinney

OFFERTORY RESPONSE Thank You, Lord

MINISTRY OF MUSIC **Chancel Choir**

> Wonderful to Me Soloist: Susan Small By Cymbala, Jefferson & Webb

AFRICAN MEDLEY SONG

Children's Ministry

CHILDREN'S CHURCH (Children ages 4 & 5 and grades 1st-5th are dismissed to class)

+SCRIPTURE READING

If you are able, please stand for the reading of the Word of God.

Malachi 3:8-12

The Word of the Lord Reader: Thanks be to God Response:

SER v. Richard Allen Farmer

MOMENT OF REFLECTION/CALL TO COMMITMENT

Hymn No. 571 **CLOSING HYMN** Thanks to God for My Redeemer

BENEDICTION

People: Amen

POSTLUDE

WHEN THE GATHERING ENDS, THE SERVICE BEGINS. GO IN PEACE, TO LOVE AND SERVE THE LORD.

Hymn= Hymns for the Living Church. (All music and words approved by CCLI License No. 58738)

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DARLING JESUS

Chorus

Darling Jesus Darling Jesus. Oh my Darling Jesus you are wonderful Lord. I love you so much Darling Jesus. Oh my Darling Jesus you are wonderful Lord. (Repeat)

Verse 1 Darling Jesus you never fail. Oh darling Jesus. You are always on my case. You give me joy. You give me peace. You give me grace. Thank you my Jesus. Thank you my Lord.

Chorus

Verse 2 You never leave me. Never forsake me. I can count on you. when everyone else fails me. You never tire to shower me with blessings. I love you my Jesus. I love you my Lord.

Chorus

WAY MAKER

You are here, moving in our midst We worship you, we worship you You are here, working in this place We worship you, we worship you (Repeat)

Way Maker, Miracle Worker, Promise Keeper Light in the darkness, my God... That is who you are Way Maker, Miracle Worker, Promise Keeper Light in the darkness, my God... That is who you are

You are here, touching every heart We worship you, we worship you You are here, healing every heart We worship you, we worship you

You are here, turning lives around We worship you, we worship you You are here, mending every heart We worship you, we worship you

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THANKS TO GOD FOR MY REDEEMER

Thanks to God for my redeemer, Thanks for all Thou dost provide! Thanks for times now but a mem'ry, Thanks for Jesus by my side! Thanks for pleasant, balmy springtime, Thanks for dark and dreary fall! Thanks for tears by now forgotten, Thanks for peace within my soul!

Thanks for prayers that Thou hast answered, Thanks for what Thou dost deny! Thanks for storms that I have weathered, Thanks for all Thou dost supply! Thanks for pain, and thanks for pleasure, Thanks for comfort in despair! Thanks for grace that none can measure, Thanks for love beyond compare!

Thanks for roses by the wayside, Thanks for thorns their stems contain! Thanks for homes and thanks for fireside, Thanks for hope, that sweet refrain! Thanks for joy and thanks for sorrow, Thanks for heavenly peace with thee! Thanks for hope in the tomorrow, Thanks thro' all eternity!