

Sermon Notes

Who am I?

Romans 1:16-32

August 1, 2021

Carl Sagan once captured the problem of understanding what it means to be human: "We humans are like a newborn baby left on a doorstep with no note explaining who it is." Thankfully, the Bible gives us that note. It explains our origin, our present condition, and our glorious hope through Christ.

Our Past:

- God _____
- Satan _____
- Adam and Eve _____

Our Present Condition:

- Human beings are _____ ... by _____ and by _____ .
- Human beings are _____ .
- Human beings are _____ .

Our Hope:

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God's Saving Work in Jesus Christ!

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Welcome to Crossroads Community Church!

We're glad you chose to worship with us this morning. If this is your first time visiting us, please take a moment to fill out visitors card and leave it in the offering box. You will find the visitor cards on the back table. You can also find us at nevadacrossroadschurch.org and on Facebook.

Order of Service for August 1, 2021

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From Pastor Tom

Good morning! I'm glad you're here!

Today's sermon will address the third article in the Statement of Faith of the Evangelical Free Church of America, the denomination to which Crossroads belongs. The subject of that third article is "The Human Condition":

We believe that God created Adam and Eve in His image, but they sinned when tempted by Satan. In union with Adam, human beings are sinners by nature and by choice, alienated from God, and under His wrath. Only through God's saving work in Jesus Christ can we be rescued, reconciled and renewed.

It's appropriate that we gather around the Communion table as we discuss the Human Condition ... since the only hope for our fallen condition is the person and work of Jesus Christ, the Savior. You do not have to be a member of Crossroads Church to receive the Communion meal. Communion is open to all who have a personal faith in Jesus Christ as Savior and Lord.

May God renew us and give us hope as we worship Him today!
-- Tom

Announcements

Evangelism Training

There is still time to register for the Billy Graham Christian Life & Witness course to be held in Springfield. The dates are Thursday, August 12, 6-9 pm, or Saturday, August 14, 9 am - 12 pm, at the Doubletree Hotel in Springfield. This course is an excellent course for anyone wanting to improve their skills and confidence in reaching out to others. The Franklin Graham Route 66 God Loves You Tour will be held Thursday, September 23, 7 pm, at the Ozark Empire Fairgrounds. More information at godlovesyoutour.com.

Todd Brooks

Todd Brooks, our new Associate Superintendent for the EFCA Central District, will be visiting Nevada August 23 to meet with Tom and our elders. If you would like to meet Todd some time that afternoon, please let Tom know. Todd has taken the place of Al Frank who is now serving Village Bible Church in Bella Vista, Arkansas. You can read more about Todd at efcacentral.org/team/todd-brooks.

"You Asked for It" Sermon Series

In October, Tom will be preaching his yearly "You Asked for It" sermon series. If there is a topic, or a Bible passage, you would like to ask Tom to preach on, please tell him so he can get it on the schedule. There will be four sermons in the "You Asked for It" series. Thank you!

Worship through Offerings & Tithes

**As a part of our worship today, an offering box is available on the back table. The ministry at Crossroads depends on the regular giving of the church family. Giving offers us a way to express our faith that God will care for us just as He cares for the lily and the sparrow.
Matthew 6:25-34**