

# GOD. GIFTS. YOU.



Wednesdays @ 6.30-7:45pm

September 13, 20 & 27

with Pastor Linda in The Lounge

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GOD. GIFTS. YOU. IS A STUDY THAT WILL TAKE YOU ON A JOURNEY TO DISCOVER YOUR OWN UNIQUE CALLING AND DESIGN. LOOK AT EXAMPLES OF CALL IN SCRIPTURE, EXPLORE YOUR MOTIVATIONS AND INTERESTS, AND REVIEW YOUR GIFTS, GIVING NEW LIFE TO YOUR COMMITMENTS IN THE WORKPLACE, THE COMMUNITY, THE CHURCH, YOUR FAMILY, AND THE WORLD.

SEPTEMBER

23

9AM - 4PM



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Pastor  
Briant Cuffy  
September 10, 2023



## BREAKTHROUGH

God, I Want To  
Know You  
Colossians 1:9-14



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And so, from the day we heard, we have not ceased to pray for you, asking that you may be filled with the knowledge of his will in all spiritual wisdom and understanding, so as to walk in a manner worthy of the Lord, fully pleasing to him: bearing fruit in every good work and increasing in the knowledge of God; being strengthened with all power, according to his glorious might, for all endurance and patience with joy; giving thanks to the Father, who has qualified you to share in the inheritance of the saints in light. He has delivered us from the domain of darkness and transferred us to the kingdom of his beloved Son, in whom we have redemption, the forgiveness of sins.

BBQ  
PLAYGROUNDS 4 THE KIDS  
LAWN GAMES

WHAT TO BRING:  
- A SIDE DISH  
TO SHARE  
- BLANKETS OR CHAIRS FOR THE  
GRASS

**CHURCH  
PICNIC  
TODAY 12 NOON**

**Join Us For The Fun**  
Las Palmas Park  
850 Russet Drive Sunnyvale

# CROSSPOINT

October 1, 2023

11:30am - 1:00pm

A church should feel like a family. At Crosswalk Church we like to know each other, to learn about each other. Crosspoint is where this begins. It's the point of entry into our community, where you cross over from where you met us to where you're going in God's new community. Crosspoint is a place to ask questions about who we are and what we're about. It's also a place to make friends, share stories and make connections for the journey ahead.

Lunch is provided.  
We hope to see you there!



# Journey Notes

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