

## **“Generous Church”**

**Acts 11:23-30; 13:1-3**

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### **Acts 11:23-30**

23 When he came and saw the grace of God, he was glad, and he exhorted them all to remain faithful to the Lord with steadfast purpose, 24 for he was a good man, full of the Holy Spirit and of faith. And a great many people were added to the Lord. 25 So Barnabas went to Tarsus to look for Saul, 26 and when he had found him, he brought him to Antioch. For a whole year they met with the church and taught a great many people. And in Antioch the disciples were first called Christians.

27 Now in these days prophets came down from Jerusalem to Antioch. 28 And one of them named Agabus stood up and foretold by the Spirit that there would be a great famine over all the world (this took place in the days of Claudius). 29 So the disciples determined, every one according to his ability, to send relief to the brothers living in Judea. 30 And they did so, sending it to the elders by the hand of Barnabas and Saul.

### **Acts 13:1-3**

13:1 Now there were in the church at Antioch prophets and teachers, Barnabas, Simeon who was called Niger, Lucius of Cyrene, Manaen a lifelong friend of Herod the tetrarch, and Saul. 2 While they were worshiping the Lord and fasting, the Holy Spirit said, “Set apart for me Barnabas and Saul for the work to which I have called them.” 3 Then after fasting and praying they laid their hands on them and sent them off.

## **CrossWinds Church’s Mission Statement:**

**Passion for God. Compassion for Neighbor. Reaching our region and beyond with the life-changing message of Jesus. Christ.**

## **What is God calling CrossWinds Church to be?**

**A healthy church planting healthy churches.**

## **Gospel-centered Church**

**The Local Church is the hope of the world.**

**Passion**

**Compassion**

Region

World



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December 4, 2016

**Sundays**

9:30 a.m.  
10:30 a.m.

CW Classes Hour  
Worship Service



**God uses small churches with big dreams for eternal impact.**

Dec 11 - Genesis 48 • Dec 18 - Christmas Program