



January 28, 2016

Dear James & Denise,

As you know, we exist so that "people far from God can experience life in Christ." Isn't it great to know that God allows us to get in on His plan to revolutionize this community through our generosity?

2015 was an incredible year! God has moved within Cross Church in a powerful way. In June, we had the honor of baptizing 38 people! That's 38 more people who are now experiencing a life with Christ as a result of an investment that you made.

In fact, below is a letter from someone who was baptized on that day:

I've been attending Cross Church with my husband since March. I did not have a Christian upbringing and was not sure what I believed... I wanted to accept Jesus Christ into own heart, but I felt like I would be doing it just because I thought it was the right thing to do, until April 12, 2015.

It was Easter and all of our boys (there are four) were in attendance. When you were delivering the message, I was so focused that it was like tunnel vision. I felt a warmth and I felt love and I felt like there was no place else in the world that I should be. When you asked for those who wished to accept Christ into their hearts to pray with you, I did!

I was baptized at the 9:30 experience this morning with my family and some close friends in attendance. I just wanted to take this opportunity to thank you...

Robyn

Thanks, so much for your generosity this year! Lives are being changed, marriages have been restored, and we are just getting started. On behalf of those whose lives have been changed, I thank you! None of this would be possible without your willingness to partner with us financially.

God has done great things so far and I can't wait to see what He has in store for next year.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "J.J. Watt". The signature is fluid and cursive, with the first name "J.J." and the last name "Watt" clearly distinguishable.

J.J. Watt
Lead Pastor
Cross Church