

Crossroads United Methodist Church in Waunakee, WI Hosts Multi-generational, Upbeat, Family-Friendly Musical Worship Event on Sunday, September 3 at 9:30am featuring Pastor Rich Rubietta!



United Methodist Pastor Rich Rubietta from Park Ridge, Illinois will lead a special musical service of worship hosted by **Crossroads United Methodist Church of Waunakee**. Rubietta is a songwriter and worship consultant who conducts high-energy, interactive worship experiences which include audience participation and upbeat versions of familiar Hymns and original material.

A graduate of Northwestern University with a degree in Music and an Illinois Arts Council *ArtsTour* artist, Rubietta has been offering new styles to traditional Church Hymns and songs. “I’m finding that folks in the church of all ages and all denominations are yearning to sing their faith using music that moves them on a deeper emotional and spiritual level,” he says. “My goal is give everyone freedom to try new things or not, without any pressure. As long as the local musicians and I can facilitate an experience that helps people feel God’s presence, then its mission accomplished!”

Rich is married to Jane Rubietta and the couple have three children together. Jane is the author of popular devotional books like best-seller *Quiet Places, Finding Your Dream, Worry Less – Live More* and is in demand as an international, cross-denominational speaker.

Rev. Rubietta has produced the CD called *Quiet Places: God’s Music to Restore Your Soul*, which is a companion resource to accompany the book. The songs on the CD are meditative, musical arrangements of scriptures, one for each chapter in the book. His CD for Children and the young at heart, *Room 4U & Me* received **Parents’ Choice Approved** award and contains Character Education songs from his Public School Music Assemblies.



Rev. Kristen Lowe, pastor of Crossroads United Methodist Church says, “*Having Rich Rubietta here is one of the ways we can open ourselves to fresh ways of worshiping God and also reach out to our community and share a special experience together.*”

Refreshments will be served afterwards and a Resource Table will be available to purchase books and order CDs/Cassettes. For more information, please contact the church office at 608-849-9599.