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Welcome

About Columbia First Nazarene

At CFN you're welcome no matter where you are in life and in your journey with God. You'll find genuine worship, Bible-based teaching, and a challenge to live an authentic life.

First Time Here? Relax...

No one is going to single you out. Most weekends start off with a time of singing followed by teaching. We'll also worship God with our giving through our offering at the end of the service. Ushers are stationed at the sanctuary doors to accept your offering.

As you leave, we would love to welcome you personally. Just stop by Guest Services in the Main Lobby. We're so glad you're here!

Connection

We believe that spiritual growth happens best in the context of community. Connection Groups meet weekly for encouragement and spiritual growth.

A variety of groups meet following our service (10:45 a.m.), as well as throughout the week. For a complete listing, visit the Connections Kiosk in the Main Lobby.

Children from Infant through 5th grade

We want kids to see how God's word fits into their lives, and build friendships that will last. Children's worship is offered at 9:30 a.m. and Connection Groups begin at 10:45 a.m.

Students from 6th through 12th grade

Our purpose is to lead students into a relevant relationship with God and a ministry of learning to serve others. Connection Groups begin at 10:45 a.m., and student worship is offered on Wednesday nights.

If you're new...

We'd love to know you're here!

Connect Card

Fill out a connect card located at your seat and bring it to Guest Services as you leave.

We'd love to welcome you and answer any questions you may have.

Need Info?

Stop by the Connections Kiosk for information on everything from Wednesday classes, registration forms, or a current prayer list. You may also sign up for our weekly e-mail update or text alerts.



THIS WEEKEND

Thank you for making CFN a part of your weekend! We're glad you're joining us as we continue with our series, The Story, our current journey through the Bible. Today, Pastor Kyle Himmelwright will introduce us to Week 16, as we learn how much God wants to have a relationship with us.

TODAY is Candy Collection day for our upcoming FALL FESTIVAL on October 25. We are planning on 600-700 church and community children to attend.

You have received an INVITATION to the Fall Festival in your bulletin. Please share or give it to someone that may want to join in the festivities.

TODAY is the last Sunday to give towards the Alabaster Offering which provides funding for buildings, schools, churches, medical facilities and homes for national workers and missionaries. Please mark your envelope "Alabaster" and give it to an usher or place it in the offering plate.

Christmas Bazaar :: December 2

VENDOR applications are now being accepted for the Annual Christmas Bazaar that will be held on Dec. 2 from 9 a.m. - 2 p.m. in the Gym. If you would like to showcase your craft or business, please contact Becky Reese at air_tight_sc@yahoo.com or call 803.796.0984.

WEDNESDAY NIGHT : A Time to Connect

Join us mid-week for dinner and activities. Each Wednesday we join together for a meal between 5 & 6 p.m. The menu this week is:

Chicken Tenders, Mashed Potatoes/Gravy,
String Beans, Biscuit, Salad

Cost is \$5 for 6th grade - adult and \$3.50 for children with a \$20 maximum per family.

After dinner at 6:15 p.m., there are several options you can participate in.

Choir/Worship Arts	Room 103
Life's Healing Choices	Room 204
Life Skills (Financial Management)	Room 201
Prayer	Prayer Chapel
Women's Bible Study	Room 205

Children & Student Activities

Nursery/Preschool | Rooms 100-102, 104
Elementary | Student Worship Center
Middle & High School | High School Center

Prayer

If you need someone to pray with, we welcome the opportunity. Please join us immediately following the service. The Prayer Chapel, located off the Main Lobby, is available for women and Room 101 for men.

HOLIDAY GATHERING MEAL

Our Holiday Gathering Meal will take place in the gym on Sunday, Nov. 5, immediately following Connections Classes. If you are new to the church, we would love to have you join us so we can get to know each other. The meal is complimentary, and we contribute a side or dessert.

The church will provide Turkey, Ham, Rolls and Drinks.
If your last name begins with A-N -- Bring a LARGE SIDE to share.
If your last name begins with O-Z -- Bring a DESSERT to share.
We look forward to seeing YOU there.

Men's Outdoorsman "Evening" Breakfast

Men and boys of all ages are invited to the kick-off of the Men's Fellowship events. Join us on Friday, Nov. 10, from 6 - 8 p.m. for an OUTDOORSMAN BREAKFAST around a camp fire in the Gym. Registration begins today and ends Nov. 5. Please fill out a registration card at the Welcome Kiosk or call the church office at 803.772.2461. Cost is \$5 if pre-registered; \$6 if not. Pay at the door.

Special speaker will be Lew Wayburn, a leader and encourager in the Midlands for many years.

Planning Ahead

Celebrate Recovery | Thurs., Oct. 18 | 6:15 p.m. | Gym

This program is Biblically balanced to help us overcome our hurts, hang-ups and habits. The group meets every THURSDAY at 6:15 p.m. in the Gym for dinner (\$3) followed by worship, small groups and dessert.

Senior Game Day | Thurs. Nov. 2 | 11:30 a.m. | Room 109

Men's Breakfast | Thurs. Nov. 2 | 7 a.m. | IHOP on St. Andrews

Sunday Nov. 5 | Daylight Saving Time Ends

Turn your clocks back 1 hour.

Sunday Nov. 5 | #sundayfunday @ Cola Shelter

Students 6th - 12 grade will meet at the church at 6:30 p.m. and head to Columbia Women's Shelter to host an ice cream social and games.

Save the Date | Sat., Nov. 18 | School of Prayer | CFN Campus

Led by David Nixon, this seminar will guide you to a deeper level of prayer. The event hours are 9 a.m. - 12:30 p.m. More details will

Financial Update

Sept Tithes & Offerings Received (minus Missions)	\$70,404
Sept Expenses	\$75,826
Sept. Missions Received	\$ 4,388
Received YTD (June-Aug)	\$324,071
Expenses YTD (June-Aug)	\$309,476