



CONNECTIONS
CHRISTIAN CHURCH
COMMUNITY | KINGDOM | CALLING

SEPTEMBER 27

MESSAGE SERIES

A Better _____ ●

Since his first encounter with humanity in the garden Satan has been working to distract, discourage, and deceive us. In recent years his attacks have become more vicious, targeting the very core of our existence: our identity. In this series, we will expose his lies and deceit and learn to embrace the blessing and faithfulness of our Father God. Join us as we pursue the things that are better.

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

KIDMIN PARENT OPEN HOUSE

Sunday, September 27 and/or October 4 in KidMin area

GUYS GROUP

Monday, September 28, 6:30 p.m. at the Connecting Place

WOMEN2WOMEN BIBLE STUDIES

Mondays, Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Thursdays
See inside for study titles, times, and locations

LIFEGROUPS FALL SESSIONS NOW AVAILABLE

Various dates, times and locations

(details for above events are located below)



WE ARE SO GLAD YOU'RE HERE

At Connections we invite you to join us so you can:

BELONG to a **COMMUNITY** who cares about you

BELIEVE the Truth about God's **KINGDOM**

BECOME who God created you to be and follow His **CALLING**

We strive to faithfully teach the message of the Gospel from God's Word, to encourage relationships among our church family and our surrounding community, and to impact the world around us with the hope and power of the Gospel through community partnerships.

Please stop by the *Welcome Table* in the Lobby to speak with one of our ministry partners, or contact us at info@connections.cc. We would be happy to answer any questions.

FEATURED EVENT



KIDMIN PARENT OPEN HOUSE

Hey **KidMin** parents,

You are invited and encouraged to join your kids in our **KidMin** environment area during our worship service **TODAY** or next week - **Sunday, October 4!** During your visit with us, you will see the process we take in partnering in the discipleship of your kids each week. You will also receive information about more ways our **KidMin Team** will be partnering with your family throughout the course of this upcoming year.

Please email any questions to kidmin@connections.cc and someone from our **KidMin Team** will get back to you as soon as possible. Come spend the morning with us - we are excited to see you there!

EVENT DETAILS

GUYS GROUP

Hey guys - we are back together and invite YOU to join us every 2nd and 4th Monday of the month when we meet to encourage, equip, and support each other as we grow as men following Christ. We come together to learn more about being a man in Christ, and how we apply these teachings to our every day lives through study, fellowship, sharing, and fun planned events. Bring a friend **Monday, September 28, 6:30-8 p.m. to the Connecting Place** and be a part of this great ministry! If you have questions please contact us at men@connections.cc.

WOMEN2WOMEN BIBLE STUDIES

Our 4th fall study begins this week!

“TAKE COURAGE” by Jennifer Rothchild

Thursday, October 1, 7:30 p.m. at 2031 Overland Dr, Johnstown

Other studies, dates, times and locations available are:

“12 MORE WOMEN OF THE BIBLE”

Mondays, 6:30 p.m. at 359 Saxony Rd, Johnstown

“BETTER” by Jen Wilken

Tuesdays, 9:15 a.m. at 2124 Black Duck Ave, Johnstown

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Wednesdays, 9:15 a.m. at 2124 Black Duck Ave, Johnstown

Come for great fellowship and opportunities to grow in relationships and in the Spirit. With 4 studies being offered, there is one just right for YOU! If you have questions please contact us at women@connections.cc.

LIFEGROUPS

Do you want to get connected? **LifeGroups** has a group that is perfect for you! Life is better together and **LifeGroups** are all about growing together as followers of Jesus. They are wonderful ways to connect with people who are on the same journey as you, and build lifelong relationships at the same time!

Contact us at lifegroups@connections.cc and we will contact you with group information.

FOR YOU

Do you want to know God better and become who He's created you to be? Here are some places to start:

- **LifeGroups:** Weekly small groups for community, encouragement, and growth.
- **Partnering in Ministry:** Weekly or monthly service opportunities to use your gifts and passions to change lives. Any experience level is welcome!

Speak to a ministry partner in the Lobby or email the ministry team listed in the **Contact Us** area of this bulletin.

FOR YOUR FAMILY

We believe strong families start with a solid foundation. Our mission is to partner with parents in their God-given role as Spiritual leaders and aid in helping children meet Jesus and grow in their relationship with Him.

- **Family Ministry**

Stay up-to-date with family ministry by signing up for the Parent Text Messages by texting the following key words to **970-644-6800**:

HSParent for High School Parents

MSParent for Middle School Parents

KMParent for Early Childhood or Elementary Parents

- **KidMin**

Each Sunday, children birth - 5th grade, are guided through age appropriate curriculum and activities by our ministry partners.

- **Student Ministry**

- Middle School Youth Group -**

Middle schoolers meet Wednesdays in whole groups, individual small groups, guys & girls small groups and grade level groups. Coaches will contact students with time and location details each week!

- High School Youth Group -**

Through the month of August high schoolers will meet Thursdays, from 7-8 p.m. in our small family groups, divided by grade, at various outdoor locations! Coaches will contact students regarding locations each week!

BECOMING A DISCIPLE

Discipleship is more than just knowing about the Bible; it's about surrendering our lives to our Lord and choosing to pattern our actions, attitudes, priorities, and values after His example.

It's our goal to not only communicate Biblical Truths, but strive to consistently live out that Truth in our lives. We're not perfect, but we are grateful that God sees each of us as a work in progress. We're honest about our journey and eager to have others join us, including you and your family!

We hope you will join us on the journey of Discipleship and will choose to be actively engaged in your own transformation. We look forward to journeying with you.

PRAYERS AND PRAISES

Our prayer team is available to meet with you at the cross in the Gym during and after our Worship Gathering. To submit a Prayer Request, please email to prayer@connections.cc

Keep Eric Schumacher and his family and friends in prayer as they are in this season of loss. May they find strength and peace in God's presence and may we as their church family surround them with love and support in the days ahead.

Continued prayer for Curtis and Char Parmer for complete healing and acceptance of his new kidney, good health, peace and patience during this time of recovery.

Pray for students, teachers and parents as they continue to maneuver the uncharted waters of education.

Pray for others that are struggling with various health and personal challenges.

GIVING

When you invest in Connections, you support local ministry, regional partnerships, and global missionaries all focused on expanding the Kingdom. We're grateful for your generosity. If you'd like to explore on-line giving, you can set it up here: connections.cc/give

| Giving Summary | September | YTD Sept - August |
|----------------|-----------|-------------------|
| Budget | \$36,000 | \$440,000 |
| Actual | \$ 36,237 | \$ 36,237 |

GATHER WITH US!

SUNDAY MORNINGS

10 a.m. Worship Gathering

(Livestream available on FaceBook and our webpage)

Roosevelt High School

616 N. 2nd St., Johnstown, CO 80534

WEEKLY STUDIES AND GROUPS

Church Office/Connecting Place

1011 S. Jay Ave., Johnstown, CO 80534

CONTACT US

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General Questions:

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Pastoral Support:

pastors@connections.cc
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Adult Ministry:

men@connections.cc
women@connections.cc
lifegroups@connections.cc

Family Ministry:

kidmin@connections.cc (Babies - Elementary)
msm@connections.cc (Middle School)
hsm@connections.cc (High School)

Contact staff members directly at:

connections.cc/staffdirectory

If you are new and would like to learn more about our church,
text **WELCOME** to 970-644-6800.

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