



**Message:** Neil Downey, Spiritual Development Pastor

**Worship Set:** My King Forever, Faithful, Oh The Cross,  
All Hail King Jesus

## That's a Great Question!

#20 - Why Do I Need Community?  
Colossians 3:11-17

**Everyone asks these questions, and expresses these needs...**

Who am I? \_\_\_\_\_

-Colossians 3:12

Where do I fit? \_\_\_\_\_

-Colossians 3:11,13-14

What difference can I make? \_\_\_\_\_

-Colossians 3:17

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### INFORMATION & EVENTS | [centralsf.org](https://centralsf.org)

**Reveal Night** | Join us *THIS* Sunday, September 10 at 6:00pm for a night of worship, prayer, and praise. These nights have been POWERFUL, so put it on your calendar, invite a friend, and we'll see you there! Childcare will be provided for ages 5 & under.

**Fall Bible Studies for Men** | We are forming small group Bible studies for this fall that will start the middle of September. We have a discipleship huddle for men called Followers Made or a Bible study of the book of I Samuel. To register, please visit [centralsf.org/mensbiblestudy](https://centralsf.org/mensbiblestudy).

**Discover Central Lunch** | On Sunday, September 17, we're hosting a FREE LUNCH for newcomers looking to get plugged in and meet some of our Central staff. The event is 12:15pm-1:15pm in the Hearth Room, and along with a meal, you'll get to connect with others and learn a little more about Central. Childcare IS provided after the lunch portion of our time. Visit [centralsf.org/connect](https://centralsf.org/connect) to register.

**Betrayal & Beyond** | If you've been hurt or betrayed by a spouse's addiction, the Betrayal & Beyond series is designed to give hope and healing to women. Classes meet weekly beginning Monday, September 18 at 6:30pm. For more information, email Pastor Roger Anderson at [roger.anderson@centralsf.org](mailto:roger.anderson@centralsf.org).

**Young Adult Large Group** | Young Adult programming kicks off on Monday, September 18 at 7:00pm! A new thing we are trying this year is called “Meet Up and Read Up,” where the 2nd and 4th Tuesdays every month, over the lunch hour, we will gather (location TBD) to read the Bible and explore tools for engaging with the Bible from a transformative lens. If you have questions about joining a Young Adult LifeGroup, email [haley.wiggers@centralsf.org](mailto:haley.wiggers@centralsf.org). Young Adult LifeGroups typically meet Monday nights.

**Mission Expansion** | Our church is investigating expanding its current facility to further accommodate the good work that God is doing through our church. For more information, prayer points and frequently asked questions about this project, please visit [centralsf.org/mission-expansion](https://centralsf.org/mission-expansion).

## ATTENDANCE & STEWARDSHIP | SEPTEMBER 2-3, 2023

### Weekend Attendance

SW/DT Attendance	2,833
Kids' Attendance	177
Live Stream/Facebook	1,119
<b>Total</b>	<b>4,129</b>

### Ministry & Missions

Weekly Donations Goal	\$128,626
Actual Donations	\$118,759
YTD Donations Goal	\$643,130
YTD Actual Donations	\$1,020,597
YTD Income vs Expense (7/31/23)	\$2,808,813

— To give online, visit [centralsf.org/giving](https://centralsf.org/giving) —

## [Click here](#) to fill out our ONLINE COMMUNICATION CARD

If you are new, want to sign up for our weekly email, or just need to update your contact information, this is the place to go! Thank you for taking the time to check-in and connect with us.

### PRAYER REQUESTS & PRAISES | [Click here](#)

Prayer is a vital and important part of life at Central. Click the link above to submit your request and know we will be praying for you.

*If you have a **personal or private request** and would like someone from our Central staff to privately reach out to you, email [prayer@centralsf.org](mailto:prayer@centralsf.org).*

### NEW TO CENTRAL? | [Click here](#)

If you're new to Central—Welcome! We can't wait to meet you! Find out how you can connect more deeply at Central by visiting the Welcome Desk, attending the Discover Central lunch, and signing up for the Connection Class.

### MAKE DEEPER CONNECTIONS BY SERVING | [Click here](#)

Another great way to connect with people at Central is by serving in one of our many ministry areas. Email [connectme@centralsf.org](mailto:connectme@centralsf.org) if you would like to find out how you can serve.

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### LIFEGROUPS | [Click here](#)

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### MY DECISION | [Click here](#)

Did you make a decision for Jesus Christ today? Whether you accepted Him as your Savior, or recommitted your life to Him, it would make us so happy if you shared it with us! Or if you want to talk to someone about becoming a Christian, getting baptized, or becoming a member, email [connectme@centralsf.org](mailto:connectme@centralsf.org).

