

Weekly Update

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COLLEGE FIRST
CHURCH OF GOD

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April 15, 2026



Dear College First family,

This Sunday we will celebrate our **college graduates**.

Pastor Nancy is featured in the latest issue of the CGGC Global Advocate. Paper editions are coming soon, but you can view it online at <https://cggc.org/the-global-advocate-online/spring-2026/>

The **National Day of Prayer** is Thursday, May 7. We will join other Findlay congregations at Winebrenner for a prayer/praise breakfast at 7:30 AM. All are welcome.

Pentecost Sunday is May 24. We will have one joint worship gathering at 10:30 AM at Winebrenner followed by our annual picnic.

Save the dates! We will be doing the **Habitat for Humanity** Apostle's build on Wednesday, August 26 (8 AM to noon, 1-5 PM, siding) and Wednesday, September 16 (8 AM to noon, interior painting). It's not too late to give to our Easter offering supporting the build.

He is (still) risen!

Blessings,

Kirk



Katie Spikes 4/17
Heather Heilman 4/18
Diana Sprouse 4/18
Bob Nietz 4/19
Donna Markel 4/19
David Green 4/21
Rosemary Myers 4/21
Alex Miller 4/23
Adam Sielschott 4/24
Robert Wilson 4/27
Daisy Mamidi 4/28

Upcoming Events

4/15: Missions Jump Rope Craft Night, 8 PM
4/19: Young Adult Lunch, 11:30 AM
4/24: Finally Friday, 6 PM

TITHES/OFFERINGS....\$29,111.45
ADDITIONAL OFFERINGS....\$2,780.62
BUDGET....\$22,749.40

You can give online via PayPal, in addition to giving on the church website. Please scan the QR Code provided. Any questions, please call the church office.



Congratulations!

Congrats are in order for Carson and Victoria (Golden) Houck as they welcomed their daughter, Blair Nicole, weighing at 8 lbs. For Naomi Golden, this is the birth of her ninth great-grandchild! Again, congrats to the Golden and Houck families!

Love To Drum? We Need You!

Are you a drummer with a passion for worship? **College First: Winebrenner** is looking for talented and dedicated individuals to join our worship team and help lead our community in praise!

If you have a heart for ministry and want to use your musical gifts to serve, we would love to hear from you.

For more details or to express your interest, please reach out to our worship leader:

Contact: Donald Daboiko

Email: donald.daboiko@gmail.com

Ladies Spring Luncheon

The annual Ladies Spring Luncheon at College First will be in the Fellowship Hall on Saturday, April 25 starting at 11AM. *All ladies are invited to join!*

Have an enjoyable lunch and get to know other ladies of College First. Then after lunch, listen to Kim Rozelle, Vice President of the Northwest Ohio Beekeeper Association! She will be talking about ways to use honey and cooking with honey, as well as selling her own honey from her hive (\$7.50-\$16). *Last day to sign up is Sunday, April 19.* Sign-ups are outside the church office or the Winebrenner Resource Table. Any questions, please call the church office.

The POWER of PRAYER

- Mike August
- Nancy Baughman
- Linda Bratt
- Christine Cole
- Briella Fletcher
- Jill Gordon
- Ledger Han
- Randy Jones
- Grayce Meindardi
- Lee Osmun
- Cindy Sims-Perry
- Penny Prigge
- Doug Rosendale
- Karen Scheiderer
- Heather Tussing
- Beppie Walerius
- Susan Williams
- Phyllis Wolford

E-MAIL PRAYER GROUP - Praises and prayer concerns for the church body as a whole are sent out via e-mail by Connections Pastor Kimberly Reese. To submit a prayer request or to be added to the Prayer Chain recipient e-mail list please contact Pastor Kimberly at kreese@collegefirst.org.

Time for an updated family photo?



Sign up for the
College First pictorial
directory today!

APRIL 27-28



1. Go to <https://ucdir.com/> or scan the QR code
2. Click on the **red** box labeled "Photography Session Sign Up"
3. Enter the following information:
Church Code: OH2944 **Password: photos2**
4. Follow the prompts to choose your preferred date and time.

Free 8 x 10 photo included with session!

Online sign ups for the pictorial directory are available Monday through Friday by using the QR Code above or go to ucdir.com. Paper sign ups will be available following each worship service on Sunday morning.

CF Kids: April Finally Friday

Come join us this month in the Fellowship Hall for some “totally rad” tie-dye fun for Finally Friday! For grades K-5th.



Join Our Nursery Team!

Are you looking for a meaningful way to serve our families? We are looking for a dedicated Nursery Worker to help during our Wednesday night Encounter sessions (6:00–7:30 PM) on the 4th and 5th Wednesdays of each month (when there is a 5th Wednesday). This would be for children birth through toddlers. There would be approximately three children in the room.

By caring for our kiddos, you enable parents to be fed by God's Word in their own small group gathering that will be meeting in the church building. If you love working with children and want to share God's love through your service, we'd love to talk to you!

Requirements: 18+, background check required, and a heart for ministry.

Interested? Contact Pastor Kimberly Reese at kreese@collegefirst.org.

Coming Up: VBS 2026

Get ready for VBS @ College First! Questions or to sign up? Please contact Nicky, Director of Kids & Family Ministries at ninman@collegefirst.org.



Graduation Time!

College/University Graduation Recognition is on April 19th. Parents and graduates should send the below information along with a digital photo to Pastor Nancy at nhiser@collegefirst.org no later than TODAY, April 15.

Student Name:

Parents:

Name of School:

Degree Completed:

Special Honor or Awards:

Future Plans:

Which Service do you plan to attend on April 19th:



IF YOU FIND JESUS - TAKE HIM WITH YOU.



CAMP Otyokwah FOR THE KINGDOM COLOSSIANS 1:13-14

SUMMER 2026

WORTHY
Phil. 2:10-11

2026 CAMP DATES

June 4-5: Pioneer	-----	2nd-3rd
June 7-12: Jr. High 1	-----	7th-9th
June 14-19: Junior 1	-----	4th-6th
June 21-26: Sr. High	-----	10th-Grad
July 5-10: Junior 2	-----	4th-6th
July 12-17: Jr. High 2	-----	7th-9th

Registration & More Info 

Fees:
\$440/wk (\$390 before 4/13)
Pioneer: \$100

Scholarships are available For Camp O! Please email Pastor Nancy at nhiser@collegefirst.org for more info.



SIGN UP TO MAKE AN IMPACT!

STUDENT MISSION TRIP
TO MILWAUKEE | JUNE 14-20

Scholarships are Available for Ages 11-25

For more info: Connect with Pastor Nancy at nhiser@collegefirst.org

www.collegefirst.org

Donations Needed

Our church and community are in need of: a computer chair, a clothes rack, electric stove, a bicycle, and mattresses. If you have any of these items to donate, please contact Pastor Nancy at nhiser@collegefirst.org.



MISSIONS JUMP ROPE CRAFT NIGHT

April 15, 2026
8 PM - 9:30 PM

Location:
College First Fellowship Hall

*Bring your old T-shirts.
Help us make jump ropes for kids in Nicaragua
Come serve, create, and make a difference!*

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Any age is welcome to make jump ropes **TONIGHT!**
See you soon!



COLLEGEFIRST CHURCH

Young Adults Lunch

April 19th, 2026 | 11:30AM - 1:00PM

Food • Community • Fellowship

College First Fellowship Hall

CHICKEN CATERING FROM: CANES & PANDA EXPRESS

PANDA

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Nate Tice, Outreach and Missions

Randy Ewing, Property Management

Jon Rupp, Stewardship and Finance

Dave Green, Worship

SUNDAY WORSHIP SCHEDULE

TRADITIONAL WORSHIP

9:00AM 11:00AM

SERVICES IN THE SANCTUARY, 1100 N. MAIN ST.

CONTEMPORARY WORSHIP

10:00AM @ WINEBRENNER

WINEBRENNER TLB AUDITORIUM, 950 N. MAIN ST.

SUNDAY WORSHIP ONLINE

LIVESTREAM 9 AM & 10 AM

FACEBOOK PAGE & YOUTUBE CHANNEL

GO TO THE WEBSITE 'ONLINE WORSHIP' PAGE FOR LINKS

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OFFICE HOURS: Monday-Thursday 9AM-4 PM, Friday 9 AM-2 PM



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College First Interns: Spring 2026

Rebekah Newman

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