

*JESUS WAS IN A CONNECT GROUP...
JUST SAYING...*



Join One Today!

SouthNaz CATALOG



what are *connect groups*?

Connect Groups are the way to connect with our imperfect but forgiven body of believers here at SouthNaz and to share the journey of becoming more and more like Jesus. Connect Groups are places where people of similar interests grow in relationship with Jesus and one another. It is through Connect Groups that we do life together. We study the Bible together, apply God's Word together, encourage one another to spiritual maturity, pray together, support one another during the trials of life, rejoice together, and serve together. Connect Groups are where you will find true fulfillment in the life God has for you.

when can i join a *connect group*?

New Connect Groups begin twice a year—September and January. Some are offered year 'round, most can be joined at anytime. Contact the Connect Group leader and get connected today or email Brenda Kyriakou at bkyriakou@southnaz.org.

our connect (disciple-making) leadership team

Brad Dyrness, Lead Pastor

Travis Myers, Pastor to Families with Youth

Jesi Myers, Assistant Pastor to Families with Youth

Gretchen Hand, Pastor to Families with Children

Aaron Roehm, Worship Arts Pastor

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bible studies

12 Men

Once a week 12 men gather for a time of community, accountability, and learning. This group meets off campus over a meal for no more than an hour and a half. If you are interested in a group like this call the church office at 517-882-5775.

Facilitators: Pastor Brad/ Ken McNulty
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Where: Off Campus

When: Mondays, 6:30-8:00pm,

Cost: Price of your meal and book.

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Bible Study Fellowship *Community Bible Study Fellowship is not sponsored by SouthNaz.

Men's Bible study for all Christian faiths. This group will be studying the book of Romans. Sponsored by Missionary Baptist Church. Child care provided for 1st-6th grades.

Where: 500 Martin Luther King Blvd., Lansing 48915

When: Tuesday Evenings

Time: 6:55-8:40pm

Contact Person: Mike Castilla

517-230-0534

bible studies

Catalyst Young Married Adult Ministries

This group is designed to build strong godly marriages and families to equip and make a difference in our world. We will share lunch together as families and a time of adult spiritual growth for the adults through Biblical Book Study.

Facilitators: Alex and Rachel Joslin ajoslin@southnaz.org

Where: Fellowship Hall

When: Sundays

Time: 12:15-1:45pm

Place: Fellowship Hall

Cost: Price of your book & dish to pass

Childcare will be provided.

Couples Home Bible Study

These groups consists of married couples. The purpose of these groups are to support strong marriages, connect with others, and connect with God through varies biblical marriage studies and other biblical study books.

The Groups will meet every-other Saturday or Sunday Night at various homes. The evening look a little like this:

5:00pm-6:30pm will be Bible study, sharing, and prayer. Then at 6:30-8:30pm dinner together and everyone brings a dish to share. Our goal is to have 6 couples in a group with multiple groups.

Contact: mhamlin@southnaz.org **Cost:** Price of your book

JOY (Just Older Youth)

The J.O.Y. Sr. Adult Class is primarily comprised of retired adults but open to adults of all ages. The class objective is to study and share God's word utilizing the Nazarene Word Action publication using power point, outlines & class interaction.

Facilitator: Larry Dexter 517.213.6343 cell 517.645.7316 hm

Where: On Campus, Conference Room A

When: Sundays @ 9:30 a.m.

Cost: Offering taken

bible studies

Women's Tuesday Bible Study

Women joining together to learn more about God's word while getting to know each other and building relationships.

New Study Kingdom Culture -The Sermon on the Mount

Facilitator: Barb Bloomer 517.281.2320

Teresa Allen

Where: On Campus, Room 200

When: Tuesday evenings, September 4—November 6th

Cost: Price of your book.

Young Adult Ages 18-30

G.P.S. "God's Purpose for Singles"

GPS or God's Purpose for Singles, is a ministry for single adults ages 18 through 30. Going through life together and learning about Jesus. We also connect frequently for holiday celebrations, sporting events, concerts, game/movie nights, etc. Our primary focus is community with other adults in this similar stage of life.

Contact: Jenna Ralston jgralston703@gmail.com

Faith Ralston fmralston@yahoo.com

Every scripture is inspired by God and useful for teaching, for reproof, for correction, and for training in righteousness, that the person dedicated to God may be capable and equipped for every good work.

2 Timothy 3:16-17

fellowship

Bridge Builders

Fellowship, encouragement, and sharing for those primarily over 50, retired or nearing retirement, but open to everyone! Along with day trips and activities, this group meets monthly for board & table games, a meal, and a great program.

Facilitators: Glen and Karen Neal and team

Where: On Campus, Fellowship Hall and off campus

When: Fridays once a month.

Cost: \$5 for lunch, sign-up appreciated for accurate count for lunch. Day trips vary in cost.

Men's Breakfast

Join us in the "Man Cave" for breakfast and fellowship! This is an informal gathering of men and boys. We encourage you to come and invite other men not yet associated with SouthNaz.

Where: On Campus, "Man Cave" Fellowship Hall

When: Second Saturday of the Month @ 8:00am

Cost: Donations taken

**Love the Lord your God with all
your heart and with all your soul
and with all your strength.
Deuteronomy 6:5**



Our Purpose:

We **FOLLOW**

God In obedience,

gather to

CONNECT

in relationships,

and **SHARE**

God's love

with the world.

prayer

Wednesday Evening Prayer Gathering

Intercede for the people and needs of the church, community, and the world. Learn ways to pray and join others in lifting up to God the praises and requests of our church, families, and individuals. Pray aloud or silently as you follow the leading of the Holy Spirit.

Facilitator: Doris Redmond

Where: On Campus, Room 209

When: Wednesdays @ 7:00—8:15 p.m.

Cost: Free

Weekly Men's Prayer Breakfast

This group meets for encouragement, prayer, and breakfast all year.

Facilitator: Steve Reader sreader58@gmail.com

Where: Off Campus, Flapjack Restaurant on S. Cedar, Lansing

When: Tuesdays @ 6:30 a.m.

Cost: Price of your own food

Therefore confess your sins to each other and pray for each other so that you may be healed.

The prayer of a righteous man is powerful and effective.

James 5:16

**Jesus Answered, “I am the way
and the truth and the life. No
one comes to the Father except
through me.”**

John 14:6

**May the words of my mouth and
the meditation of my heart be
pleasing in your sight, O Lord, My
Rock and My Redeemer.**

Psalms 19:14

**Behold, I am coming soon!
Blessed is he who keeps the
words of the prophecy
in this book.”**

Revelation 22:7

support groups

Grief Support Group

Learn about grief and share with others going through their grief experience. This group is appropriate for anyone who has experienced loss regardless of denomination, church affiliation, or spiritual beliefs. The group meets for six weeks.

Facilitator: Larry Vert 517.323.4355 lvert98@michcom.net

Where: On Campus, 321 House

When: October 1– November 5, 2018.

Time: 6:30-8:30pm

Cost: Free

Men's Christian Grief Support

This group is for widowers—men whose wives have passed. It is open to any religious denomination and non-believers. We share time together over dinner and provide support to those who are grieving their loss and growing as a Christian. Following dinner, a specific grief or spiritual topic is discussed by the group. This group meets year 'round.

Facilitator: Larry Vert 517.323.4355 lvert98@michcom.net

Where: Delhi Café, Holt

When: Second Tuesday of the month @ 5:30 pm

Cost: Price of your own meal

**Praise be to the God and Father of
our Lord Jesus Christ, the
Father of compassion and the God of
all comfort.
2 Corinthians 1:3**

Contact: Travis Myers, Pastor to Families with Youth

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Through FUSE, our SouthNaz student ministry, we seek Jesus and build relationships with each other as we connect in worship, fellowship, discipleship and ministry. By doing these things, we FUSE together. (1 Timothy 4:12)

Connect Groups (Isaiah 40: 6-8)

God renews us with His lasting word and we exist to be in relationship with Him and each other. Here we come together to deepen relationships and grow spiritually.

Sunday Mornings at 9:30 a.m.

Fuse (2 Chronicles 5:13-14)

We believe that getting together regularly is essential to our faith. Fuse students get together and worship in a casual atmosphere that bonds us together in song and message. Come as you are, who you are, and learn why you are the way you are. We get together Wednesday nights on campus at 6:30 p.m.

TEEN QUIZZING (Leaders: Jillian & Kirk Rennaker 517.515.7725)

In an atmosphere of friendly competition, get to know other teens at South and other churches, learn to study the Bible and memorize Bible verses, learn life application skills and grow in relationship with Jesus. Wednesdays on campus at 5:15 pm, Lower Level.

Big Comfy Couch

Everyone likes doing things without supervision. Well, here's your chance! Big Comfy Couch is student led worship where YOU pick the music and YOU pick the message. We provide the food, fun and great atmosphere. Meet us at SouthNaz on the second Sunday night of the month at 5:30 pm and we will provide the ride to the location off campus.



Children's Ministries

(infants through 6th grade)

Contact: Gretchen Hand, Pastor to Families with Children

Phone: 517.882.5775 **E-mail:** ghand@southnaz.org

Children's Ministries are offered On Campus and are cost free.

Sunday Morning Connect Groups

With an atmosphere of a small group, Sunday morning connect groups help teach and grow your child in a deeper knowledge and understanding of the Bible and the life-changing stories it has to share.

When: Sundays @ 9:30 a.m.

Power Factory (ages 4 years to 6th grade)

Kids will experience worship created just for them! Using media, games, music, drama, small groups and *lots of energy*, kids will discover the truth in the Bible. Your children will love all the excitement that Power Factory has to offer!

When: Sundays @ 10:30 a.m. Room 102

Bible Quizzing (kindergarten -6th grades)

Children's Bible Quizzing is a fun and competitive way to learn and memorize the Bible. Focusing each year on a specific book of the Bible, quizzing invites children to a friendly competition against kids from other churches.

When: Wednesdays @ 5:30 p.m. Room 105

Leader: Karen Olivier

Faith Factory (ages 4 years to 6th grades)

The place where kids learn to serve God and others while putting their faith to work! Using media, games, drama, kids will discover the truth in the Bible.

When: Wednesdays @ 6:30p.m. Room 102

Nursery and Toddler Care (0-3 year olds)

Sunday mornings and Wednesday evenings (except for Bible Quizzing) during the times of the children's activities above.

membership and baptism

membership class explores the history, beliefs of a Nazarene, our governance, and ethics of a Nazarene. You'll learn about the covenant relationship, and you will have an opportunity to take the step toward becoming a member. Class will be held four Sunday Mornings 9:30-10:15am in room 200

When: September 23,30, October 7,14

We will receive new members on Sunday, October 21 .

baptism class helps you understand the three reasons for baptism, the meaning of baptism and the process for baptism at SouthNaz.

When: Wednesday, September 26 at 7:00pm in Room 200.

Baptism Service is on Sunday, October 7.

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