

Ask The Expert

New Features + ConnectNow Q&A

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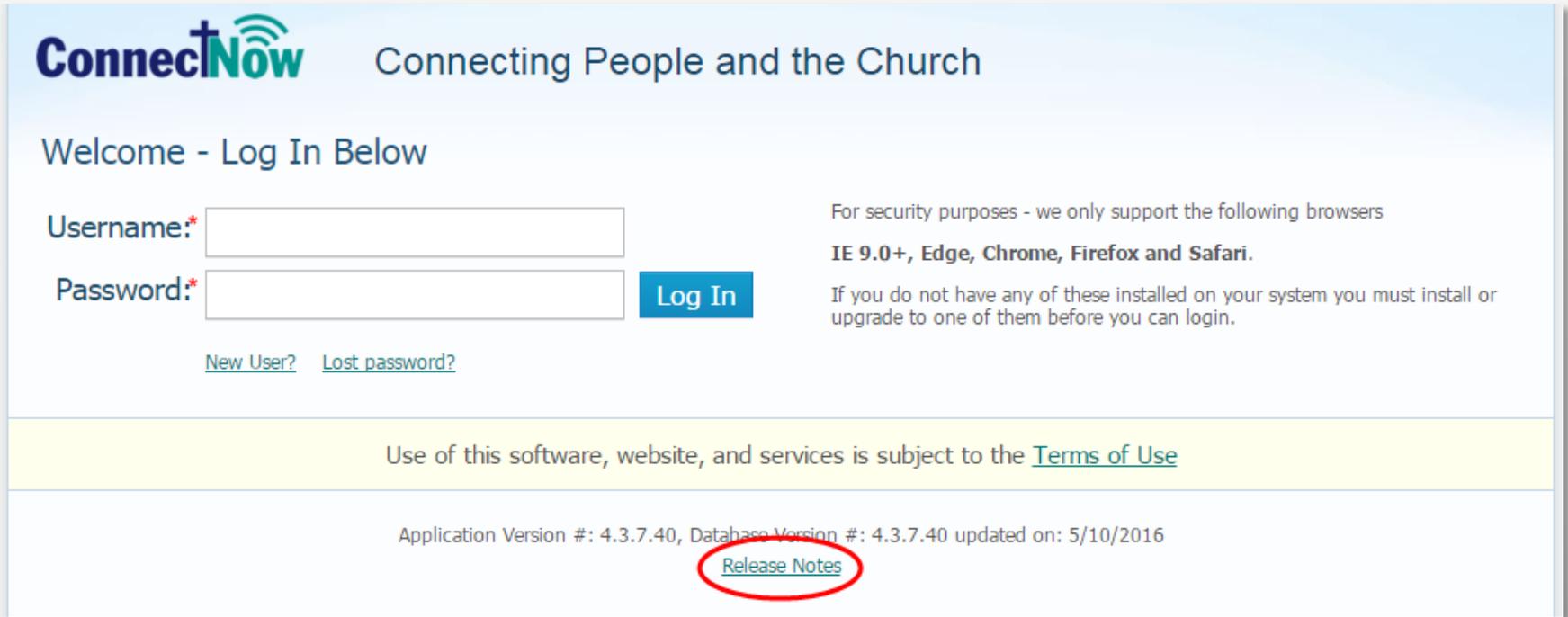
What's New

- ▶ **Four Updates Since Last Fall**
 - ▶ 4.3.8 – December 2016
 - ▶ 4.3.9 – March 2017
 - ▶ 4.4.0 – July 2017
 - ▶ 4.4.1 – August 2017



What's New

- ▶ See the Release Notes for full details



ConnectNow Connecting People and the Church

Welcome - Log In Below

Username:*

Password:* [Log In](#)

[New User?](#) [Lost password?](#)

For security purposes - we only support the following browsers
IE 9.0+, Edge, Chrome, Firefox and Safari.

If you do not have any of these installed on your system you must install or upgrade to one of them before you can login.

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Application Version #: 4.3.7.40, Database Version #: 4.3.7.40 updated on: 5/10/2016

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What's New

- ▶ **Entire Suite**
 - ▶ Internal site changes to improve report performance
 - ▶ Internal site changes to improve loading times
 - ▶ New load testing processes



What's New

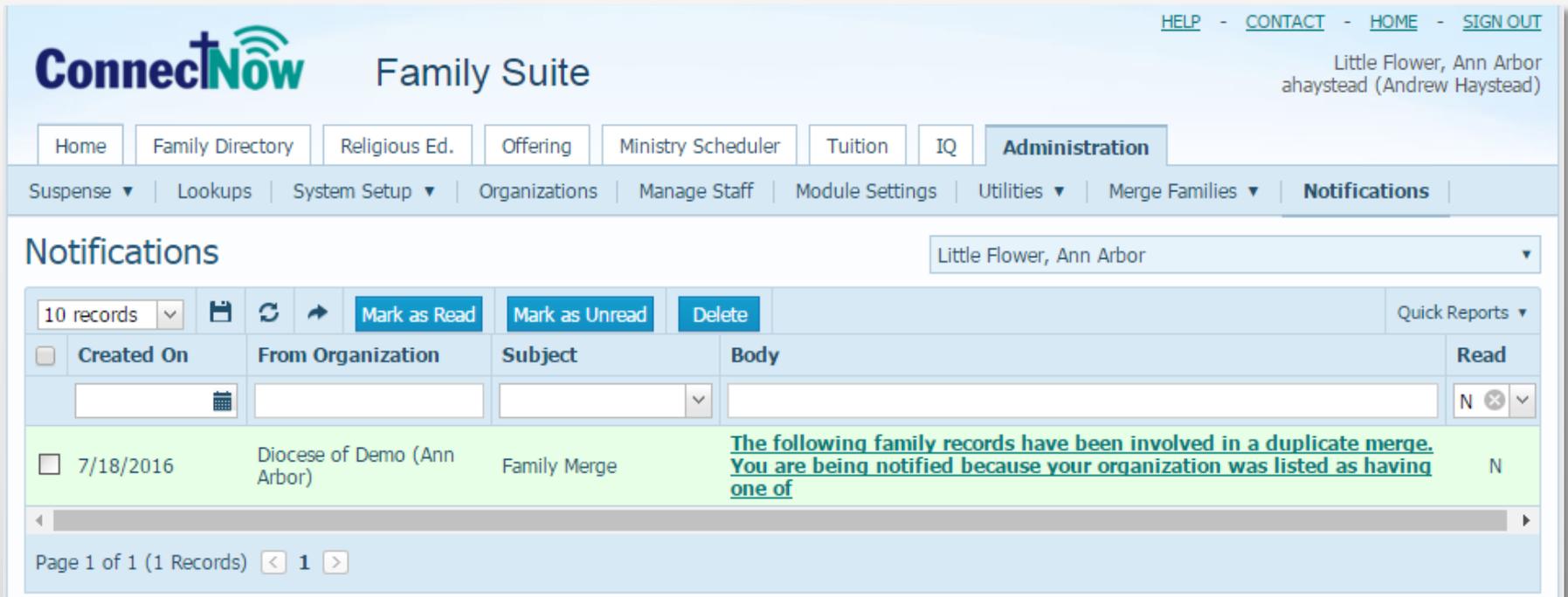
- ▶ Home Screen
 - ▶ Notifications



The screenshot shows the 'ConnectNow Family Suite' interface. At the top right, there are links for [HELP](#), [CONTACT](#), [HOME](#), and [SIGN OUT](#). Below these links, the user's location and name are displayed: 'Little Flower, Ann Arbor ahaystead (Andrew Haystead)'. A navigation bar contains buttons for 'Home', 'Family Directory', 'Religious Ed.', 'Offering', 'Ministry Scheduler', 'Tuition', 'IQ', and 'Administration'. A secondary navigation bar includes 'Home', 'Pictorial Directory', 'Organization Directory', and 'Giving History'. The main content area is titled 'Home' and is divided into two columns. The left column, 'Quick Links', contains links for 'Home', 'My Own Church', 'Family List', and 'Member List'. The right column, 'Suspense Activity', features two summary cards. The first card, 'Notifications', shows a count of 1 notification for the organization 'Little Flower, Ann Arbor'. The second card, 'Family Updates', shows a count of 2 family updates for the same organization.

What's New

- ▶ Administration screen
 - ▶ Notifications



The screenshot shows the 'ConnectNow Family Suite' interface. At the top, there are navigation links for 'HELP', 'CONTACT', 'HOME', and 'SIGN OUT'. The user is identified as 'Little Flower, Ann Arbor' with the user ID 'ahaystead (Andrew Haystead)'. The 'Administration' tab is selected, and the 'Notifications' sub-tab is active. The notification list shows one record from 'Diocese of Demo (Ann Arbor)' regarding a 'Family Merge' on 7/18/2016. The notification body states: 'The following family records have been involved in a duplicate merge. You are being notified because your organization was listed as having one of'. The record is marked as 'N' (Not Read).

ConnectNow Family Suite HELP - CONTACT - HOME - SIGN OUT
 Little Flower, Ann Arbor
 ahaystead (Andrew Haystead)

Home | Family Directory | Religious Ed. | Offering | Ministry Scheduler | Tuition | IQ | **Administration**

Suspense ▼ | Lookups | System Setup ▼ | Organizations | Manage Staff | Module Settings | Utilities ▼ | Merge Families ▼ | **Notifications**

Notifications Little Flower, Ann Arbor ▼

10 records ▼ | [Icons] | **Mark as Read** | **Mark as Unread** | **Delete** | Quick Reports ▼

<input type="checkbox"/>	Created On	From Organization	Subject	Body	Read
<input type="checkbox"/>	7/18/2016	Diocese of Demo (Ann Arbor)	Family Merge	<u>The following family records have been involved in a duplicate merge. You are being notified because your organization was listed as having one of</u>	N

Page 1 of 1 (1 Records) < 1 >

What's New

- ▶ Family Directory
 - ▶ Postal Code changes

Home Mailing Other

Country: United States

Postal Code: 48104 ... ✖

Address Line 1: 6586 Jeremie Dr123

Address Line 2:

City: Ann Arbor

State/Region: Michigan

Phone Number:

What's New

- ▶ **ConnectNow Giving**
 - ▶ New CN Giving Added Families report
 - ▶ New CN Giving filter in Contribution List

Family Directory Reports

Select Report - CN Giving Added Families

Report Type	Report
Sacrament	Parish Directory
Statistics	Registration Forms
Census	CN Giving Added Families

Contribution List

Contribution List Filters

Start Date: 01/01/2017  End Date: 06/20/2018  CN Giving Only: [View Contributions](#)

What's New

▶ Offering

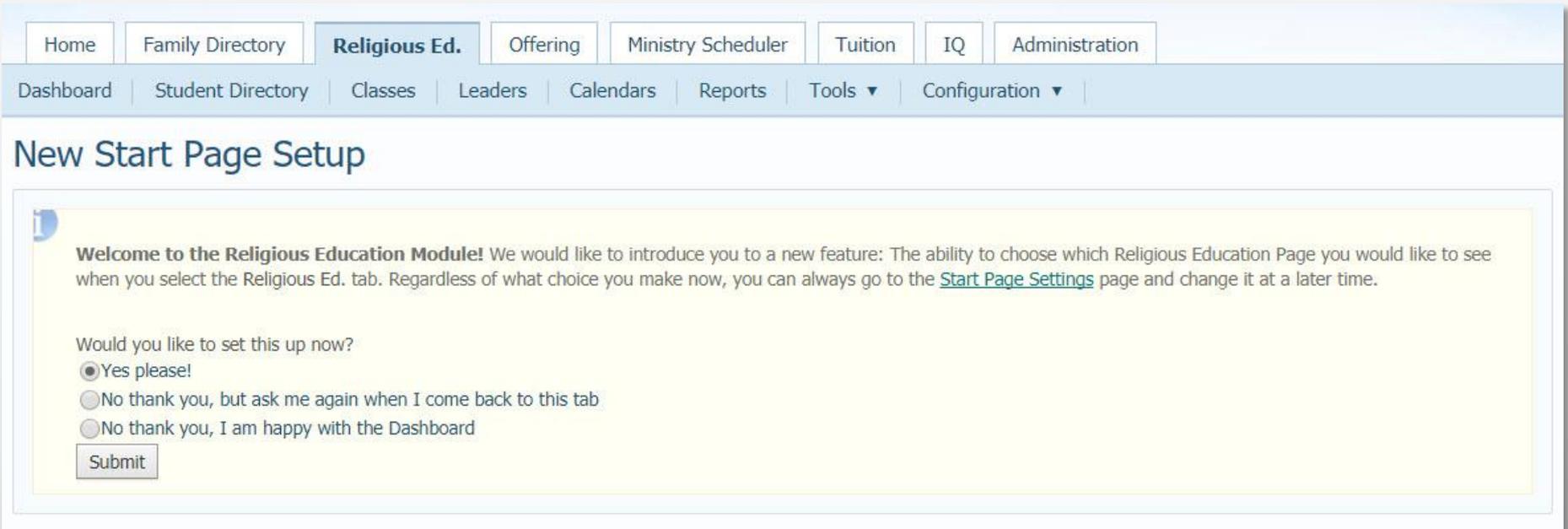
- ▶ Added Adjustments column to Pledger List report

Family / Member	Address	PledgeID	Start Date	Amount	Adjustments	Paid	Balance
Aabbey, William ()	3859 Manitou Ct Christchurch - Merivale, NZ-CAN 8011	1227192	05/27/2016	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Aadams, Thomas (159)	8899 Victors Way Ann Arbor, MI 48108 - 7779	1227152	05/27/2016	250.00	2,250.00	2,500.00	0.00
Aalways, Allan ()	825 Victors Way Apt 22 Ann Arbor, MI 48108 - 2830	1227215	05/27/2016	10,000.00	700.00	10,900.00	-200.00



What's New

- ▶ Religious Education
 - ▶ Added Start Page options



The screenshot shows the P.A.C.E. web application interface. At the top, there is a navigation bar with tabs for Home, Family Directory, Religious Ed. (selected), Offering, Ministry Scheduler, Tuition, IQ, and Administration. Below this is a secondary navigation bar with links for Dashboard, Student Directory, Classes, Leaders, Calendars, Reports, Tools (with a dropdown arrow), and Configuration (with a dropdown arrow). The main content area is titled "New Start Page Setup" and contains a yellow informational box with the following text:

Welcome to the Religious Education Module! We would like to introduce you to a new feature: The ability to choose which Religious Education Page you would like to see when you select the Religious Ed. tab. Regardless of what choice you make now, you can always go to the [Start Page Settings](#) page and change it at a later time.

Would you like to set this up now?

- Yes please!
- No thank you, but ask me again when I come back to this tab
- No thank you, I am happy with the Dashboard

Submit

Questions



Thank you!

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