

## **Finding Us**

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The Colossian Forum is located in the **John Widdicomb Building** on the north side of 5<sup>th</sup> Street (note: the building straddles 5<sup>th</sup> Street and we are in the north-most building).

## **DRIVING DIRECTIONS:**

**From the North**: Take US Highway 131 south to Leonard Street (Exit 87). Turn right on Leonard Street and travel to Seward Avenue and turn left. Travel on Seward Avenue to 5<sup>th</sup> Street and turn right. The Colossian Forum parking lot is the first entrance on the right when you turn on 5<sup>th</sup> Street.

**From the South**: Take US Highway 131 north to Pearl Street (Exit 85B). Turn left onto Pearl Street and after the US Highway 131 underpass Pearl becomes Lake Michigan Drive. Follow Lake Michigan Drive past the Downtown YMCA building to Seward Avenue. Turn right on Seward Avenue and follow north under I-196 to 5<sup>th</sup> Street and turn left. The Colossian Forum parking lot is the first entrance on the right when you turn on 5<sup>th</sup> Street.

**From the East**: Take Interstate 196 west to Ottawa Street (Exit 77C). At the first stop light, turn right onto Michigan Street. Follow Michigan Street over the Grand River under the US 131 underpass to Seward Avenue (note: Michigan Street becomes Bridge Street after the underpass). Turn right on Seward Avenue and follow north under I-196 to 5<sup>th</sup> Street and turn left. The Colossian Forum parking lot is the first entrance on the right when you turn on 5<sup>th</sup> Street.

**From the West**: Take Interstate 196 east to the Lane Avenue Exit (Exit 76). Off the exit ramp you will be on 1<sup>st</sup> Street. Follow 1<sup>st</sup> Street past Lane Avenue (do not turn on Lane Avenue). Continue on 1<sup>st</sup> Street (stay right and do not re-enter the interstate via the on-ramp). 1<sup>st</sup> Street becomes 2<sup>nd</sup> Street near Stocking Avenue. Continue on 2<sup>nd</sup> Street past Stocking Avenue until you reach Seward Avenue. Turn left onto Seward Avenue and immediately go under the I-196 underpass. Continue on Seward Avenue to 5<sup>th</sup> Street and turn left. The Colossian Forum parking lot is the first entrance on the right when you turn on 5<sup>th</sup> Street.

## PARKING INFORMATION:

After turning onto 5<sup>th</sup> Street, take the first entrance on the right and visitor and physically-disabled parking is located on the right along the Widdicomb building (a small number of visitor spaces are also located on the left across from the building entrance). All visitor and physically-disabled parking is clearly marked. Unmetered street parking is also available for visitors along 5<sup>th</sup> Street.

## FINDING US IN THE WIDDICOMB BUILDING:

There are two entrances into The Colossian Forum suite (located on the first floor). The main entrance is on the west side of the Widdicomb building. Come through the lobby doors and we are the first suite on the right. For after hour events, visitors are welcome to use the south entrance (off of 5<sup>th</sup> Street) as the main lobby doors may be locked.

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