

APRIL 23, 2017

THIS WEEK AT CASTLETON UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

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6am – 9pm daily

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Looking Ahead

New Sermon Series: *When You're a Christian, The Whole World is From Missouri!*

Next Sunday:

Show Me Your Love!

Pastor M. Bert Kite

April 23 - Membership Class

April 28 - Children's Production

"Godspell" 6:30pm Family Life

April 29 - Women's Prison Lunch

April 29 - Brag Work Day - meet at

Stanley, 75th & Binford - 9am.

April 30 - Children's Production

"Godspell" 10am Family Life

April 30 - New Members Received

May 5 - CUMNS Trivia Night & Silent Auction 4-8pm

May 7 - Youth & Senior Sunday

May 12 - Still Waters Flower Pick Up

May 14 - Celebrate Women Sunday!

VBS Ice Cream Social

May 21 - Confirmation Sunday 11am

June 18-21 - Vacation Bible School

July 20-22 - Fish Fry

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New Members Orientation

Join Pastor Bert and Pastor William after the 11am service, today in the Legacy Room for Membership Orientation. Childcare is available. There will be a time to meet and greet, share lunch and discussion before you decide if you would like to stay for the membership portion of the class. There is no obligation to join after attending the class. Membership reception will take place Sun., April 30.

PHAO Worship Tonight!

All students, families and friends are encouraged to attend the worship night tonight. A spaghetti dinner at 6pm in Fellowship Hall followed by worship until 7:30pm in the Sanctuary. Kiara Lee will talk about her experiences with bullying.

The Shack

The *Our Life Together Book Club* will meet to discuss the book/movie *The Shack* this Tuesday evening, April 25 at 7pm at George's Neighborhood Grill, 71st & Binford. Everyone is welcome! Please RSVP to Pastor William at williamn@castletonumc.org or catch him today after a service if you plan to attend! Books are available at the Welcome Center this morning.

They Did It!!

Congratulations to CUMNS Kids for achieving a new, five-year term of NAEYC Accreditation by successfully completing the renewal process. The NAEYC Accreditation of Early Learning Programs commends CUMNS Kids for its outstanding efforts in maintaining and renewing the NAEYC Accreditation. We are SO proud of Yvette Wills and her amazing team! They did it again!

Roberts Park, Soup's On Kitchen

CUMC is serving at Roberts Park United Methodist Church next Sunday. We still need desserts! Use <http://signup.com/go/wzEzUU> to sign up or visit the Welcome Center today!

LN Staff Appreciation

CUMC will be providing \$5-\$10 gift cards and notes of encouragement to the faculty and staff of Lawrence North High School and the McKenzie Institute for Careers and Technology. These cards and notes will be provided to teachers at the Faculty Staff Appreciation Event Thurs., May 4. You may purchase a card and write a note in the narthex between services today or next Sun., April 30 (if we still have cards left). If you want to support this event further, sign up at: signup.com/go/SvrhW to serve, donate money, gift cards or baked goods. Thanks in advance for partnering with the Mission Team to recognize the hard working faculty and staff at our neighborhood public high school. They are making a difference in our community by working tirelessly to provide every student who comes through their doors with an excellent education.

Silent Auction Donations

CUMNS Kids is holding an Adult Trivia Night and Silent Auction fundraiser on Friday, May 5 from 6-8pm. They are currently accepting items for the Silent Auction. If you have goodies you would be willing to donate, please drop them at the CUMNS front desk. Thank you!

Food Pantry Donations

Donations this month are going to The Cupboard of Lawrence Township. Drop items in the wooden box outside Fellowship Hall. Thank you!

Today

The altar flowers were donated by Wayne and Carol Kornas in loving memory of their daughter, Kathi Lyn Kornas.

The rose on the altar celebrates the birth of Jordan and Pamela Shew's daughter, Caroline Eutaw Shew, born April 6, 2017.

Our Sympathy and Prayers

Linda, Tom and Austin Smelser at the passing of Linda's father, Donald Taylor, on April 12. Services were held April 22, at Eaton UMC in Eaton, IN.

Tom, Tiffany, Sam and Morgan Ellefson at the passing of Tom's aunt, Carol J. Ellefson, April 18. Services were held April 22 in South Dakota.

Nissa, Michael, AJ, and Addison Ricafort at the passing of Nissa's mother, Nancy Wermund, on April 18. Services were held April 22 in Carmel, IN.



Godspell - A Musical Revue
CUMC Music Art & Drama
K-6th grade

Friday April 28 @ 6:30 PM
Sunday April 30 @ 10:00 AM
Located in the Family Life Center

CHILDREN'S MINISTRIES

Facebook.com/CastletonUMCKids

0 – 3 yrs, RM 122
Nursery Care all Services

9am Kid's Church
PK-1st (start in service)
10am SUNDAY SCHOOL
PK - room 190
K-4th Family Life Ctr.
11am Kid's Church
PK - 1st (start in service)

Katie Gilbert
Dir. of Children's Ministries
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APRIL CONNECTIONS In April our toddlers and preschoolers will be practicing their bottom line, "Jesus is the best!" and memory verse, John 3:16. Elementary kids will be learning about the life app *Humility* with memory verse Philippians 2:3.

THANK YOU To all of our awesome Easter Egg Volunteers! We were set up and ready to go about an hour before our first guest showed up! We had a beautiful day and welcomed over 275 people to our hunt. Thanks to everyone who made it go so smoothly, we have received many compliments.

VBS With spring break and Easter behind us, we're thinking SUMMER! VBS will be Sun. June 18 through Thursday June 22 in the evenings. We will have programming for kids entering grades K-6. We welcome volunteers who are adults or students in grades 7-12. You can find more information and sign up both kids and volunteers at castletonumc.org/kids/vbs-17.

GODSPELL Don't forget to join us April 28th at 6:30pm or April 30th at 10am for Music, Art and Drama's production of Godspell. This show will take place in the Family Life Center.

PHAO STUDENT MINISTRIES

Facebook.com/PhaoStuMin

5-12 GRADE
SUNDAY SCHOOL
10am Ministries Center

Andy Hayward
Dir. of Student Ministries
andyh@castletonumc.org

TODAY Breakfast Club is at 10am and you can join the 5th-12th grade students for breakfast before we break down into groups for 5/6th, 7/8th, and High School in the Ministries Center.

TEAM MEETING TODAY Student leaders will meet after the 11am service in the Sanctuary.

PHAO WORSHIP NIGHT Join us tonight with your family from 6-7:30pm for our April Phao Worship Night. We'll have dinner in the Fellowship Hall at 6pm and then transition to the Sanctuary where our Phao Band will lead us in worship!

CONFIRMATION SERVICE DAY The Confirmation Students and their parents will be serving at Robert's park next Sunday. Mentors are invited to attend as well. Please RSVP to Andy the number of people from your family that will be serving.

YOUTH SUNDAY/SENIOR SUNDAY Sunday, May 7th is Youth Sunday. Senior recognition is during the 11am service. Parents of seniors, please submit one baby photo and one senior photo for the recognition slideshow by Sunday, April 30th. Send pictures to Andy.

ADULT MINISTRIES

Feel free to join
these classes at
any time.

If you have questions
about any of our
Adult Ministries
contact:

Pastor William Nickrand
Williamn@castletonumc.org

Our Faithfulness

April 16, 2017
Worship: 1128
Sunday School: 68

Tithes and Offerings

Received: \$37,056.00
Goal: \$33,800.00

SUNDAY MORNING CONNECTIONS-

CHRISTIAN CRUSADERS - 10am Room 112

Awakening the meaning of grounding the ministry/Holy communion and baptism.

Jerry Robinson

PASTOR'S CLASS - 10am Fellowship Hall

Dig deeper into the sermon topic of the day.

Pastor William
Class Led

AWE/SEEKERS - 10am Legacy Room

Resuming study of Foundations of Freedom

BIBLE DISCOVERY - 10:15am Library, 11am Room 112

Beginning May 7, they will discuss The Existence of Hell. A HOT topic!

John Dinwiddie, 10:15am

Book of Galatians

Ken Glass, 11am

PARENT CONNECT GROUP - 10am Room 160B off Fellowship Hall (Elementary and Younger)

Resuming Effective Parenting in a Defective World

Todd Gilbert

BECOMING DISCIPLES TOGETHER - 10am Starbucks 75th & Shadeland

Class is now meeting for coffee and fellowship before the 11am service. Join them!

KOINONIA - 10am Room 110

The Book of Matthew

Jean Butler

THROUGHOUT THE WEEK

SUNDAY - 3:30pm

Sara Ellsworth - saraells@hotmail.com

The Sunday Afternoon Women's Group will have a Celebration Tea Sunday today at

Karolyn Edwards home. Email Sara for directions or more information.

SUNDAY - 3:30pm - (20's, 30's and Friends) Free Childcare. Library

Life Together Group - The Book of James

Pastor William Nickrand - williamn@castletonumc.org

MONDAY - 6:30pm - Ministries Center, Rm. 1305 (Wellness, Spiritual, Fellowship)

First Place 4-Health

Jackie Chandler - jackieatthewellcounseling@gmail.com

TUESDAY - 7am - Panera Bread, 8510 E. 96th St.

Cafe' Connect - Sermon Recap

Paul Bickle - pabickle@yahoo.com

David Ayers - ayersdk23@gmail.com

WEDNESDAY - 7:30am - Conference Room (Women's Group)

Forgive and Forget, Healing the Hurts We Don't Deserve

Karen Morse - kvm01@comcast.net

WEDNESDAY - 10:15am - Ministry Center Rm. 1303

Variety Bunch, Pastor William, The Book of Acts #1 of 4

Dave Riley - drlriley725@aol.com

SATURDAY - 7:30am - Ministries Center Room 1303 (Men's Group)

Onward: Engaging the Culture Without Losing the Gospel

Chester Bailey - cb82954@comcast.net