

Vision

We are called to be an outward facing circle of people; seeking, reaching, and welcoming others to join us in serving Jesus Christ.

Mission

The mission of Castleton United Methodist Church is to make disciples of Jesus Christ for the transformation of the world.

NOVEMBER 15, 2015

THIS WEEK AT CASTLETON UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

Frank J. Beard

Senior Pastor

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Castleton Worship Center 71st & Shadeland Ave. Sunday Morning Services

8:30 and 9:40am*

Traditional Worship

11 am

Contemporary Worship

*ASL interpreter is available for Deaf and Hard of Hearing.

Castleton United Methodist Church

7160 Shadeland Station
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Office hours:

8:30am – 4:30pm M – Th

8:30am – 3:30pm F

Prayer Chapel:

6am – 9pm daily

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Contact us

Weekly Announcements

bulletin@castletonumc.org

Deadline is close of business Mondays

Newsletter Announcements

newsletter@castletonumc.org

Room Reservations

roommanager@castletonumc.org

Information Changes

informationmanager@castletonumc.org

Prayer Requests

myra@castletonumc.org

Pick-A-Star

The tree is up in the Legacy Room today! Giving to families who really need our help is heartwarming so grab a star or snowflake off the Pick-A-Star Tree and support our community during the holidays by supplying gifts to families in need. Pick a snowflake (gift card) and buy Script today from CUMNS Kids. You can have your Pick-A-Star shopping completed right on the spot! Our gifts this year will support Barnes United Methodist Church and the Crestview Angel Fund.

Phao Worship Night

Tonight our student ministry is holding their second special Worship Night of the school year. Students ages 5th-12th grade, their parents and friends are invited to join our student ministry family as they share a meal in Fellowship Hall before having worship in the Family Life Center. This is a great way for new families to meet other families, see what Phao is all about, and celebrate this community worship experience. Join in tonight! Dinner at 6 and worship is over at 7:30pm.

Live Nativity Sign Up Today!

Live Nativity is Friday, Dec. 4 and Saturday, Dec. 5. We will need your help! Set up is Saturday, Nov. 21 from 8-2pm. We will also need volunteers to play the various biblical roles and do refreshments. Do it as a family! Visit the Narthex today and register to participate. Questions? Contact Kathy Rima, klrima@indesign-llc.com or Sara Ellsworth, saraells@hotmail.com.

Special Ladies Brunch!

You need to RSVP by Wednesday, Nov. 18 for the Ladies Brunch on Saturday, Nov. 21, hosted by Melissa Beard and Lindsey Nickrand. Join them at 10am in the Family Life Center. Joy Griffin from the International Leadership Institute (ILI) will speak on "Inspiring women to seek God's full purpose for their lives." Please register for the brunch in the Narthex today.

Online Giving On Your Phone!

A Recent Survey said that 60% of church goers (across all age brackets) prefer giving electronically. We know you are busy and are excited to offer you an easy way to give electronically through your phone! Download the [Joyfully2UMC](#) app for your phone and add Castleton UMC as your Home Church to start giving through your phone!

Christmas Flowers

We are offering poinsettias to be purchased by congregates and displayed in the sanctuary for Christmas. Order forms are with this bulletin. Cost is \$9.25 per plant. Colors this year are red and white. You can drop your order form and check (to CUMC/Flowers) in the offering plate, mail it, or drop it by the office as long as we receive it by noon Nov. 23. If you have any questions, please contact Myra Jean, myra@castletonumc.org or 849-2947. Flowers can be taken home after Christmas Eve services.

InGathering Is NEXT SUNDAY!

Gifts will be brought to the altar during each service.

CASTLETON MIDWEEK CONNECTION (CMC)

DINNER: 5:30-6:30PM IN FELLOWSHIP HALL. COST: \$3.00. CLASSES: 6:30-7:30PM. JOIN IN THIS WEEK!

NOV. 18, SERVING GROUPS: BECOMING DISCIPLES & SAT. MEN'S STUDY: PAUL BICKLE AND CHESTER BAILEY

MENU: TURKEY & DRESSING, SWEET POTATOES, GREEN BEAN CASSEROLE & PUMPKIN DELIGHT

CHILDREN'S MENU: CHEESE PIZZA ALWAYS AVAILABLE: SALAD BAR, PBJ

THEOLOGY: SURPRISED BY HOPE — LED BY JONATHAN AND DR. MIRANDA CRUZ

CHRISTIAN LIFE: "REEL" LIFE FAITH — LED BY REV. KAREN POWELL

COUNSELING: CALM IN THE STORM — LED BY REV. DR. JACKIE CHANDLER

RUN FOR GOD: THE 5K CHALLENGE (CONTINUED) — LED BY PASTOR BILLY NICKRAND

KEEPING CURRENT — LED BY JERRY ROBINSON AND MIKE CANFIELD

ROOM 110

ROOM 112

LIBRARY

RESOURCE ROOM (UPSTAIRS)

LEGACY ROOM

Attendance Nov. 8: Worship 746, Sunday School 197 The flowers on the altar were donated by the Preston Family in celebration of the life of Marianna Preston.

CHILDREN'S MINISTRIES

Facebook.com/CastletonUMCKids

0 – 3 yrs, RM 122
Nursery Care all Services

9:40 SUNDAY SCHOOL
3-5 yrs. - RM 190
K-4th - Family Life Ctr.

11:00 SUNDAY CLASS
Children's Church
Sanctuary
Katie Gilbert
Dir. of Children's Ministries
katieg@castletonumc.org

CHILDREN'S SUNDAY Thank you to all of our children who helped lead two beautiful services on Sunday, November 8th, and thank you to their families for your support and care.

ADVENT FAMILY NIGHT On Nov. 29 from 4:00-5:30, find out more about how your family can focus on Jesus's coming this Advent season through games, activities, crafts, and a meal for the whole family. Programming will be appropriate for preschool and up, childcare will be available for infants and toddlers if interested. Email Katie for more information or if you could help set up that day starting at 3:00.

11:00 KIDS' CHURCH Children in K - 4th grade will be invited to come forward during the 11:00 service for a Children's Message. After that, children may return to the pew with their families or be dismissed to Kids' Church to be picked up in the Family Life Center.

CASTLETON KIDS is having a great year! We invite all church members to join the fun by volunteering! Check castletonumc.org/kids for opportunities.

PHAO STUDENT MINISTRIES

5-12 GRADE
SUNDAY SCHOOL
9:40 Ministries Center

Stephanie Riebe
Will Deeds
Directors of
Student Ministries
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wild@castletonumc.org

TODAY Breakfast Club (Sunday School) is back for grades 5-12 in the Ministries Center. Grades 5-8 please check-in at Door 3. Grades 9-12 check-in at Door 4. We have breakfast (beginning at 9:30) before breaking into to our class groups.

CONFIRMATION INFO TODAY! If you have a student in 7th grade or older interested in joining the 2016 Confirmation Class we are having two information meetings today: one at 9:40am and the other at 12:15pm, in the Ministries Center Overtime! If you and your student cannot attend one of our info meetings, email Steph: steph@castletonumc.org.

P58 (5TH-8TH) Fri. Nov. 20 is **Random Acts of Kindness** Night! Our fav!! 6-8pm in the Overtime. Invite your friends!

HELP SET UP FOR LIVE NATIVITY The Live Nativity team needs your help next Saturday, Nov. 21. between 8am and 2pm. Come knock out those service hours!

ADULT MINISTRIES

SUNDAY MORNING

CHRISTIAN CRUSADERS - 9:40am Room 112

Today's Topic: From Derbe to Philippi

Jerry Robinson

BECOMING DISCIPLES TOGETHER - 9:40am Legacy Room

Becoming a Disciple by Adolf Hansen and Colleagues

Paul Bickle

AWE/SEEKERS - 9:40am Room 110

The Story (of the Bible) Join them!

Class Led

BIBLE DISCOVERY - 11:00am Room 112

Book of John

James Hinshaw & John Dinwiddie

KOINONIA - 11:00am Room 110

The Parables of Jesus

Class Led

THROUGHOUT THE WEEK

SUNDAY - Next study, "*Gideon, Your weakness. God's Strength.*" by Priscilla Shirer will begin January 10.

All women of the church are welcomed. Contact Sara for Info. Sara Ellsworth - saraells@hotmail.com

SUNDAY - 3:30pm - Church Library (**Young Adult Discussion Group**) **Join anytime!** Childcare available.

Help My Unbelief by Barnabas Piper

RJ Ponto - rjponto@umail.iu.edu

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

First Place 4-Health

Jackie Chandler - jackieatthewellcounseling@gmail.com

TUESDAY - 7:00am - Panera Bread, 8510 E. 96th St.

Paul Bickle - pabickle@yahoo.com

Cafe' Connect - Sermon Recap

David Ayers - ayersdk23@gmail.com

WEDNESDAY - **Sisters In Faith** - 7:30am - Conference Room (**Women's Group**)

This I Know for Sure, by Babbie Mason

Myra Jean - myra@castletonumc.org

WEDNESDAY - 10:15am - Ministries Center, room 1303

Variety Bunch - Rev. Karen Powell will speak on Adam Hamilton's, Not a Silent Night.

Margaret Craft - margaretcraft@sbcglobal.net Sue Ray - slray32@gmail.com

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

The Great Omission by Steve Saint

Contact Chester Bailey - cb82954@comcast.net

Feel free to join
these classes at
any time.

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

Pastor Billy Nickrand
billyn@castletonumc.org

Last Week's Offering

Received: \$25,540.00
Goal: \$37,390.00

Nov. 22, Sermon Series - Focus on Generosity
Guest Speaker - Joy Griffin