

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.

JULY 7, 2015

THIS WEEK AT CASTLETON UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

Frank J. Beard

Senior Pastor

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Jackie Chandler

Pastoral Counselor

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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
Indianapolis IN 46256
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Office hours:

8:30am – 4:30pm M – Th

8:30am – 3:30pm F

Prayer Chapel:

6am – 9pm daily

Childcare 849-2947 ext.212

Stephen Ministry Care Line
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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

Town Hall Meetings

At the recent Lay Leaders meeting a suggestion was made for the church to host a series of Town Hall Meetings. The meetings will be a “Celebration of Progress” and an open forum for sharing and updating what is happening in the life of Castleton Church. A few of the items to be discussed are:

- Fruitful Congregation Journey (FCJ) Update and Next Steps
- Re-Launch of Sunrise/Gateway Agreement
- Congregational Survey (please visit castletonumc.org/survey if you have not yet completed the survey)
- Worship Service and Sunday Schedule Proposal

Dates and times for the meetings are:

- Sun., July 26, 11:00am Family Life Ctr. (box lunch served)
- Sun., July 26, 12:15pm Family Life Ctr. (box lunch served)
- Wed., July 29, 10:00am, Family Life Ctr.
- Wed., July 29, 7:00pm, Family Life Ctr.

Sign-up on the computer at the Welcome Center or the church website for boxed lunch.

Church-wide Survey

We are gathering input from our members and attendees. Our goal is to have as many people as possible complete a survey available online from July 1 - 20. The purpose is to gather information about our current worship services and to develop a strategic plan for improving our them in the future. You can fill out the survey on the church website at castletonumc.org/survey.

Alibi's Dine To Donate

Have a meal out tomorrow! Join Still Waters at Alibi's, 75th and Shadeland, July 6 between 3 and 9pm. The restaurant is kid friendly! Dine in or carry out and mention Still Waters to your server. They will donate 25% back to Still Waters.

Roberts Park Help Needed

CUMC is serving at Roberts Park UMC next Sunday, July 12. As of now, we only have 5 servers and we need 15! We also need desserts. If you are available to help, please sign up at the Welcome Center or visit <http://vols.pt/rYgyojay> Questions? Please contact Suzanne Keithley at skeithley92@gmail.com.

Pick-A-Bus

Back to school sales will begin soon. Look for the yellow school buses in the Narthex. We are continuing our annual tradition of providing filled back packs for the children of the women incarcerated at the Indiana Women's Prison who are enrolled in the prison's Family Preservation Program. Please stop at the school bus display and “pick a bus”. All supplies and back packs need to be returned to the Narthex by Sunday, July 26. You can contact Carol Kornas, 823-7966 or carolawaynej@aol.com with any questions.

July Food Pantry Donations

Donations will go to Fletcher Place Community Center during the month of July. They are in particular need of: Rice, Beans, Canned Veggies, Peanut Butter, Jelly, Tuna, Pasta Sauce, and Toilet Paper. We thank CUMC for your continued support of our local pantries!



Sign Up TODAY
in the Narthex
or online at

castletonumc.org/fishfry

CHILDREN'S MINISTRIES

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
Nursery Care to 5 yrs.
Kindergarten - 4th Grade
Fellowship Hall
Katie Gilbert
Dir. of Children's Ministries
katieg@castletonumc.org

SUMMER SUNDAYS Children's programming will take place at 9:40 on Sundays: in room 190 for 3-5 year olds, and starting in the Family Life Center for K-4th graders. Both groups will have playground time most Sundays. New 3 year olds and kindergarteners will start in their new locations on September 13.

UPCOMING SUNDAY FUNDAYS July 5 - America Day, July 12 - Superhero Day, July 19 - Fish Fry Day, July 26 - Camp Sunday, August 2 - Last Hurrah Day (wet and messy games to celebrate the end of summer)

PHAO STUDENT MINISTRIES

phaostudentministries.com

5-12 GRADE
SUNDAY SCHOOL
9:40 Ministries Center

Stephanie Riebe
Director of
Student Ministries
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SUMMER SUNDAYS ARE HERE! This Summer there is NO 9:40am programming. We encourage you and your family to attend the 11am service. After the service on most Sundays we will have a pool party. No pool party this Sunday due to the holiday weekend! Next Sunday we will be hanging out at the Hennessey's family pool. Check the newsletters for details!

SUMMER PHAO WEDNESDAYS STARTS THIS WEEK Our weekly Wednesday programming that we call Summer Phao will kick off WEDNESDAY, JULY 8th and continue EVERY Wednesday through August 5th from 5:30-7:30pm in the Ministries Center Overtime. This is for incoming 5th grade students-high school graduates & will include dinner, lots of fellowship & games and a weekly devotion time focused on *LIVING LOVE: Living the Love of the Gospel*.

ADULT MINISTRIES

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: \$25,401.50
Goal: \$37,390.00

SUNDAY MORNING

CHRISTIAN CRUSADERS - 9:40am Room 112

(Book of Micah) **No Rest for the Wicked**

Jerry Robinson

BECOMING DISCIPLES TOGETHER - 9:40am Legacy Room

On summer break! See you in August.

Paul Bickle

AWE/SEEKERS - 9:40am Room 112

The Story (of the Bible) Join them!

Class Led

BIBLE DISCOVERY - 11:00am Room 112

Book of **John**

James Hinshaw & John Dinwiddie

KOINONIA - On summer break. See you in the fall.

THROUGHOUT THE WEEK

SUNDAY - 3:30pm On Summer break. **(Women's Group)**

A Woman's Heart:God's Dwelling Place Begins Aug. 9.

Sara Ellsworth - saraells@hotmail.com

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

James: A 12-Week Study (finishing up) Join us!

RJ Ponto - rjponto@umail.iu.edu

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

Cafe' Connect - Sermon Recap

Paul Bickle - pabickle@yahoo.com

David Ayers - ayersdk23@gmail.com

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

Spiritual Gifts Class - **Dorian Poole**

Myra Jean - myra@castletonumc.org

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

Variety Bunch - Pastor Frank will lead us.

Sue Ray - slray32@gmail.com

SATURDAY - 7:30am-Ministries Center Room 1303 **(Men's Group)** **July 11 we are visiting the Nur-Allah Islamic Center at 2046 east 46th Street.** Contact Chester Bailey - cb82954@comcast.net for details.

July 12, New Sermon Series on Freedom, "Out of Misery and Affliction"