

AUGUST 5, 2018

THIS WEEK AT CASTLETON UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

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Looking Ahead

Next Sunday:

August 12, 2018

Yearbook: A Lesson from Fourth Grade
 Rev. Jen S. Gibbs

August 5 - Fall Kickoff for Castleton Kids, Phao Student Ministries and Adult Education

August 5 - Blessing of the Backpacks during Worship

August 5 - Phao Band rehearsal

August 6 - Dine to Donate, Alibi's

August 9 - Dine to Donate, Steer-In

August 12-19 - IHN at Castleton

August 12 - CUMC Fair Night

August 19 - Bible Prep Gathering

August 19 - Women's Study Resumes

August 19 - Phao Family Worship

August 25 - CUMC Block Party

August 26 - 2nd Grade Bibles Presented

Dine To Donate

Our Still Waters Adult Day Center has a Dine to Donate at Alibi's Grill, Aug. 6, 3pm to closing and at Steer-In, Aug. 9, 7am to closing. Just mention Still Waters to your server, and a percentage will be donated to Still Waters.

Stephen Ministers Offer Prayer

At the close of each worship service today (and the first Sunday of every month), Stephen Ministers are available in the back of the sanctuary (northwest corner) for anyone who would appreciate a one-to-one prayer. Many of us face life challenges, and a prayer can be powerful when comfort and strength are needed.

Caregiver Support Group

Are you currently caring for a family member or do you know someone who is? We hope you will take advantage of this wonderful group led by a licensed counselor. It's important for those giving the care to take care of their own needs: To have a sounding board for the struggles, frustrations, and joys of having the responsibility of caring for another person. This group meets twice a month in the church Library - right outside the Sanctuary. The next meeting is on Wednesday, August 8, from 9:30 to 10:45 in the morning.

Church Night at the Fair

We are encouraging our whole church family to go to the Indiana State Fair on Sunday evening, August 12, from 6-9pm. There will be a free concert by Christian music artist For King & Country on the Chevrolet Stage at 7:30pm. Let's hang out and eat fried food together! You can visit the fair's website to purchase discounted tickets.

IHN/Family Promise

CUMC is hosting families experiencing homelessness through the IHN/Family Promise Program. We are hosting August 12-19 and still need volunteers to staff our week. We need 2 people or a family from 6pm-8pm on Sunday, August 12, and Saturday, August 18. You will eat dinner with the families and play with the children. We need 2 overnight hosts on Tuesday, August 14, and Thursday, August 16, from 8:30pm to 7am. You will spend the night, put food out for the families for breakfast and make sure that they leave on time. Stop by the table in the narthex or contact Mary Ann Schubert, maryannschubert@sbcglobal.net or 317-727-0459 Volunteer, donate, make a difference!

CUMC Community Block Party

August 25, 5-7pm, with free music, food and games for the whole family. Get involved! Join a volunteer team by contacting Tandya@castletonumc.org or jonthanc@castletonumc.org.

Serve At Roberts Park UMC

CUMC is serving 275 sack lunches on Labor Day at Roberts Park Soup's On. We need a few people to help prepare the meal on Sunday, September 2, in the CUMC kitchen from 8 - 10:30am, and we are requesting some various food donations for this meal. To sign up, visit signup.com/go/BZBBYUS or visit the Welcome Center. We will be back downtown serving another meal on Sunday, November 4.

Are You In The Loop?

If you are not receiving (or opening) our weekly EBulletin each week, you are missing out on many opportunities and important information. It's especially important if you can't attend worship. Sign up at castletonumc.org/churchupdates.

Baptism

This Sunday we join in the celebration of baptism with Nicole and Al Carroll as they baptize their son, Napoleon Richard Carroll. Grandparents are Napoleon and Glenda Carroll and Richard and Cathy Amodeo. Godparents are Robert Geoghan and Carli Johnson.

With Sympathy

We received word that member Barbara Bryant's brother, John Tucker, died on July 16. The service was private. Please keep Barbara and her family in your prayers.



0 – 3 yrs, RM 122
Nursery Care all services
Room Updates!

9 and 11am Kids' Church
3-10 yrs (start in service)
10am
Ages 3-5, Room 179
Grades K-4, Fellowship Hall

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THIS SUNDAY IS KICKOFF SUNDAY! Today many of our kids are moving into different classrooms! Preschoolers (who are 3 by 8/31/18) 3-5-year-olds will meet in room 179 from 10-10:55am, Kindergarteners will join older elementary kids in Fellowship Hall at 10am, and 5th graders will get to go to their first Phao Breakfast Club in the Ministries Center.

BIBLE PRESENTATION UPDATE 2nd grade parents/guardians and their children are invited to join Pastor Jen on August 19 from 10-10:50am in the Family Life Center for an interactive session in preparation for receiving a bible. The bible presentation will be during worship August 26. Please contact Tandy Adams with questions.

PARENTS Please be aware that we are diligently seeking a full-time Associate Director of Family Ministries who will have a unique focus on Children's Ministry and Music, Art and Drama. In the meantime, we ask for your patience, your grace, and your prayers as God is already preparing someone for ministry here at Castleton UMC.

PHAO STUDENT MINISTRIES

5-12 GRADE
SUNDAY SCHOOL
10am Ministries Center
Student Center
(formerly the Overtime)

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DISCIPLESHIP Grades 5-7, 8-12 at 10am, Student Center. New format begins today! Welcome new 5th graders! Don't know where to go? Ask someone!

WORSHIP TEAM MEETING TODAY, 1PM Meet in the Student Center, Eat before or bring your lunch. Open to all!

FAMILY WORSHIP NIGHT We kickoff this school year on Sunday, August 19 at 6pm, Family Life Center. We'll share a meal before worship led by our new Worship Team.

SMALL GROUP LEADER TRAINING Sunday, August 19 at 1pm, Student Center. Mandatory for adult leaders!

STUDENT SMALL GROUPS begin August 26 at 6pm, Student Center. Teenagers sign up with Tandy.

CHURCH WEEK AT A GLANCE

Sunday, August 5

8:30am Sunday Morning Prayer – Library
9:00am Traditional Worship Service, Sanctuary
9:00am Kids' Church, Sanctuary and Playground
10:00am Sunday Connections Hour

Awe/Seekers Adult Class, Legacy Room
Bible Discovery Class, Library
Care, Share & Reflect, Room 160B
Christian Crusaders Adult Bible Class, Room 112
College-Aged Sunday School, Room 1305 Ministries Ctr.
Perseverance: A Long Obedience, Room 180
Flawed Families of the Bible, Room 211 Armstrong Wing
Parenting Beyond Your Capacity, Room 1303 Ministries Ctr.
Discovering Jesus, Music Room in Armstrong Wing
5-7, 8-12 Student Discipleship, Student Ctr. Ministries Ctr.

11:00am Contemporary Worship Service, Sanctuary
11:00am Kids' Church, Sanctuary and Playground
11:00am Bible Discovery Class, Library
1:00pm Phao Worship Team Meeting, Student Ctr. (Overtime)

Monday, August 6 - Still Waters Dine to Donate at Alibi Grill

9:00am Puppy Pillow Group, Family Life Center
6:30pm First Place 4 Health, Room 1305
6:30pm Small Group - Line Dancing, Family Life Center
7:00pm Boy Scout Troop, Fellowship Hall, 176

Tuesday, August 7

7:00am Café Connect, Sunday Sermon Recap, Panera's 96th Street

Wednesday, August 8

7:00am CUMNS Kids Staff Orientation, Family Life Center
7:30am Sisters in Faith, MC Conference Room
9:00am Caregivers Support Group, Library
10:15am Variety Bunch, MC Room 1303
12:00pm Transitional Prayer Team, Room 112
6:00pm IHN Meeting, MC Room 1302

Thursday, August 9 - Still Waters Dine to Donate at Steer-In

7:00am CUMNS Kids Staff Orientation, Family Life Center
6:00pm Vintage People Choir Rehearsal, Choir Room
6:00pm Bell Choir Rehearsal, Bell Choir Room
7:00pm CUMNS Kids Parent Orientation, Family Life Center
7:30pm Chancel Choir Rehearsal, Choir Room
7:30pm Contemporary Band Rehearsal, Sanctuary

Friday, August 10

7:00am CUMNS Kids Staff Orientation, Family Life Center

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Our Faithfulness

July 29, 2018
Worship: 426
Sunday School: 95

Tithes and Offerings

Received: \$21,337.92
Goal: \$31,386.00
YTD: \$902,947.02
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