

August 3, 2025 Sunday Morning Gathering

"Greatest in the Kingdom" Matthew 18:1-9

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Sunday Evening Gathering

Our evening gathering begins at **5:30 P.M.** every Sunday evening. Join us as we pray through the morning's sermon passage, pray for one another, encourage one another in song, and hear a short message from God's Word.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Summer Picnic (Aug 10)

Our third, and final, Summer Picnic is coming up. Join us in the evening on August 10! We will sing together and enjoy good food and fellowship. Scheduled activities begin at 5:15 P.M. **Please bring a suitable cookout side dish to share.** Desserts and "Hot Dog of the World" will be provided!

Upcoming Adult Bible Class (Aug 10–Sep 14)

A new Adult Bible Class will begin on **August 10**. Please see the description below. Class begins at **9:00 A.M.** All are welcome!

Scripture and Our Sanctification

The Bible is God's revelation of Himself and the gospel; it is also a primary means of saving and maturing His people. It contains a record of His activities in redemptive history and reveals what He will do in the future. Our six-week class will study what the Bible is, how to read it wisely, and how God uses it to change us. You will grow in your appreciation for the Bible, your confidence in reading and applying it, and your eagerness for how it will sanctify you more into the image of Jesus. This class will be taught by Pastor Kelly Wright.

AWANA

We are excited to announce that AWANA is starting up again on **Wednesday**, **September 3rd!** This is our midweek program for learning the discipline of memorizing God's Word for children ranging from PreK-6th grade. <u>Registration</u> is now open, and the cost is \$45 per child.

We are in need of assistants and table leaders. If you are interested, please contact Judy Testin or Stephen Dick.

Men's Discipleship Reading (Sept 17)

Our next Men's Discipleship Reading will be **Wednesday**, **September 17th**, **12:00-1:00pm**. This is another opportunity for men to gather, be equipped for discipleship, and continue to strengthen our relationships at Castleview.

Our next book will be <u>The Doctrine of Scripture: An Introduction</u> by Mark Thompson. Please read the book before the meeting date. We will use our hour together to review the material and consider how the lessons apply in our personal lives and in the life of the church.

Please reach out to Kelly Wright with any questions. I look forward to seeing those of you who are able to join.

Missionary Article: Imprint (Tommie van der Walt)

<u>Click here</u> to read an encouraging article featuring the work of one of our supported gospel workers.

Castleview Hymns Playlists

Castleview has two new Spotify playlists! <u>Sunday Morning Hymns</u> is outfitted with the songs we will sing during our upcoming Sunday Morning Gathering in the hopes of preparing our hearts to sing boldly and joyfully when we are gathered together.

The second playlist, <u>Castleview Hymns</u>, is an ongoing compilation of many of the songs we sing regularly in both our Morning and Evening Gatherings. These are songs that we would happily recommend for your personal listening throughout the daily rhythms and seasons of life.

Learning to Love Wisely

As Christians, God's Word calls us to care for one another in the context of our local church. This happens anywhere from everyday conversations to intentional discipling relationships. One way to grow in caring well for others is by taking advantage of courses offered by the **Christian Counseling & Educational Foundation (CCEF)**.

Upcoming course offering by CCEF:

Dynamics of Biblical Change - Starting on September 15th

The way that you counsel other people is determined by how you understand God, yourself, other people, life's pressures, and change. This course addresses the depth, breadth, and balance of your understanding. How does Christ's past grace, present grace, and future grace speak to our hearts and change how we live our daily lives? This course is about people. It is about how we face the troubles of life. It is about how we deal with our inner struggles. It is about how we change into Jesus's image.

Registration open: June 6th - August 11th

If you have questions, please reach out to Kelly Wright. Please note that there are scholarship funds available to help pay for courses. For more information from CCEF, please see the following links:

<u>CCEF Website</u>
Course Schedule & Important Dates

Upcoming Events

CSM Parent Meeting

Wednesday, August 6

Bible Classes begin for Adults, Students, and Children Sunday, August 10

Summer Picnic

Sunday, August 10 in place of Evening Gathering

CSM Midweek resumes

Wednesday, August 13

Members Meeting

Sunday, September 21 at 5:30 P.M.

Thanksgiving Meal

Sunday, November 2, after Evening Gathering

Women's Retreat (at Castleview)

Fri-Sat. November 7-8

Members Meeting

Sunday, November 16 at 5:30 P.M.



Indianapolis Theological Seminary is offering a three-night apologetics series led by Dr. Nicholas Piotrowski, where each evening will tackle a key question commonly raised on college campuses:

• Friday, August 8th – Isn't the Bible just a bunch of myths?

Each session will run from **6–8 PM at New City Church**. Food will be provided, and there will be plenty of time for fellowship and Q&A.

Please sign up and select your food preferences

here: https://forms.gle/p78dVVLu1o9DyxXH8.

2025 Church-Wide Bible Reading Plan

The Bible is God's very words that powerfully bring change. God uses it to bring life, give wisdom, cultivate joy, and nurture vitality (Ps 19:7-9). Join us as we take time to read through the Bible as a church family in 2025, and may your affections for God and your appreciation for his Word increase. If you would like a digital copy of the reading plan and other recommended resources, please visit https://www.castleview.org/bible-reading-plan.

Castleview 101

Castleview 101 is the best place to learn who we are as a church, what we believe, and how you can participate in our life together. It also functions as the first step towards membership at Castleview.

Your help is needed to encourage new visitors and long-attending non-members to attend this class. You can share this registration link with others. Childcare will be available through Family Ministries.

The next sessions begin on August 10.

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