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Morning Worship 8:00 and 10:45 am
Sunday School 9

Bulletins & Newsletters Available

There are church bulletins & newsletters available each week at the Information Center or on-line at castinecob.org.

Facility Usage Forms

Forms need to be completed for all facility use and for all equipment use for personal & church functions. Also equipment borrowed request forms need to be completed before equipment is picked up.

Administration Office Business

Monday – Friday
9:00 A.M. - 5:00 P.M.

There is an Administration folder in the ministry file cabinet where correspondence may be placed.

Note: Information sent by email & attachments are the most efficient form of communication to the Administration office.

Castine Ministry

Children’s Easter Bell Choir - Members Needed

Children’s Ministry will be having a children’s Easter bell choir perform on Easter Sunday. Any children ages 4 years old through 6th grade are invited to join the Easter bell choir. We will rehearse on Sundays, March 7, 14, 21, & 28th at 10:30 A.M. in Kidz Kingdom for 15 minutes. Also our final rehearsal will be on Wed. March 31st at 6:30 P.M. in the Life Center. Any questions, please contact Robin Oda at the church office at 678-9945 or by email at roda@castinecob.org.

Greeters and Welcome Center Workers

The second service Greeters & Welcome Center workers training & update will be held Sunday, March 7th at 9:20 am in the Sanctuary. The 2010-2011 schedule may be picked up today at the Welcome Center.

Altruist Class Meeting

The Altruist Sunday School Class will meet at the Fort Black Restaurant in New Madison for lunch and a meeting on March 14th at 12:30 p.m. Everyone is welcome to attend. If you have any questions please contact Phyllis Wetzal at 678-6832 or Shirley Oswald at 692-8962.

Tim Hawkins Comedy Show

The Tim Hawkins Comedy Show will be presented on August 15th at Fountain City Wesleyan Church, 5600 US 27N, Richmond, Indiana. His arsenal is unique: high energy stand-up, physical comedy, slick guitar skills, a thousand faces and voices, improvisational chops. The church office has purchased 20 tickets @ \$10 each for the 4 P.M. show and are available on a first come, first serve basis. Please contact the church office for these tickets.

Thank You

A very heartfelt thank-you to our church family for all the prayers, cards, phone calls and delicious meals you showered us with following my shoulder surgery last week. We appreciate so much your show of God’s love to us.

Sincerely, *Tammy Smith and family*

One Ministry to begin

The Sisters of the Vine Ministry is beginning a ministry called ONE. Why ONE? It’s called ONE because ONE person can make a difference for ONE other person. The idea is simple: ONE person. ONE item. ONE life made better. This ministry invites every person to get involved. Here's how it works. We designate one shopping item for every month of the year. Here is our item for the month of March - canned soup or broth. Simply drop off your item in the container marked ONE under the coat rack in the south hallway of the Worship Center. Each month we will have a reminder in the bulletin as to what the featured item is. All the items will go to the Castine Area Food Bank.

Thank You from the Elders

The Elders would like to say a heartfelt thank you for your participation in Castine's Leadership Retreat. We feel that the meeting was a very positive step. We look forward to working together with you to both assist and empower you to: Help lead people to Jesus as a result of carrying out your commission responsibilities. Help people grow in self-denial as they develop a closer relationship with Christ. We will contact you in the coming weeks to see how your Commission can be more productive for the Kingdom as we carry out our assignments. Thank you, *Church Elders*

Spring Adult Life Groups

I Kings – Teacher, Steve Bohn
A Study of Romans – Teacher, Linda Godown
James – Teacher, Gary Clawson
Focus on the Family Series, Essential of Marriage
Teacher, Gary Cloyd
Experiencing God – Teacher, Greg Hyre
Hebrews – Teacher, Tim Swensen
Student Life Curriculum on Reverb
Teachers, George Skidmore & Larry & Sandi Mercer
I John – Teachers, Bruce Kress & Lee Jackson

MARCH 2010

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	1 National Youth Leaders Conference	2 7:00 PM Church Board Meeting	3 5:30 AM Prayer 6:00 AM Bible Study @ Brumbaugh's 10:00 AM Women's Fellowship 5:45 PM Prayer 6:00 PM Hand in Hand Meal 6:45 PM Hand in Hand Classes Sr. Hi. Wed. Connect @ Smith's Coffeeshouse Jr. Hi. @ Castine Worship Team	4 7:00 PM Men's Share Group @ D Hollinger's Bible Study @ L. Godown's Bible Study @ Bob Farmer's	5 5:30 PM Women's Retreat	6 8:30 AM Women's Retreat
7 8:00 AM 1 st Worship Service 9:30 AM Sunday School Spring Life Groups 10:45 AM Kidz Bell Choir Practice 2 nd Worship Service Baptism	8 7:00 PM Nurture- Witness Meeting	9 6:30 PM Becoming A Part of Castine Class 6:30 PM Focus Team Meeting	10 5:30 AM Prayer 5:45 PM Prayer 6:00 PM Hand in Hand Meal 6:45 PM Hand in Hand Classes Jr. Hi & Sr. Hi. @ Castine Worship Team	11 7:00 PM Men's Share Group @ D Hollinger's Bible Study @ L. Godown's Bible Study @ Bob Farmer's	12 6:30 PM Marriage Ministry Couples Event	13 6:30 PM Point Men's Ministry Breakfast
14 8:00 AM 1 st Worship Service 9:30 AM Sunday School Spring Life Groups 10:45 AM Kidz Bell Choir Practice 2 nd Worship Service 2:00 PM Pure Rebellion Conference	15 6:45 PM Christian Education Meeting	16 6:30 PM Focus Team Meeting	17 5:30 AM Prayer 6:00 AM Bible Study @ Brumbaugh's 5:45 PM Prayer 6:00 PM Hand in Hand Meal 6:45 PM Hand in Hand Classes Sr. Hi. Wed. Connect @ Ft. Black, New Madison Jr. Hi. @ Castine Worship Team	18 7:00 PM Men's Share Group @ D Hollinger's Bible Study @ L. Godown's Bible Study @ Bob Farmer's	19 6:00 PM 30 Hour Famine	20 30 Hour Famine all day to 7:00 PM
21 New Members Rec'd 8:00 AM 1 st Worship Service 9:30 AM Sunday School Spring Life Groups 10:45 AM Kidz Bell Choir Practice 2 nd Worship Service 12:00 Student Fund- raiser Luncheon 6:00 PM Wavaires Cantata Concert	22	23 6:30 PM Focus Team Meeting 7:00 PM Extra Worship Team Rehearsal 7:00 PM Trustee Meeting	24 5:30 AM Prayer 9:00 AM Soup Kitchen 5:45 PM Prayer 6:00 PM Hand in Hand Meal 6:45 PM Hand in Hand Classes Jr. Hi & Sr. Hi. @ Castine Worship Team	25 12:00 Noon VBS Steering Team Meeting 7:00 PM Men's Share Group @ D Hollinger's Bible Study @ L. Godown's Bible Study @ Bob Farmer's	26	27 Van Reserved for Service Project until Saturday evening April 3 rd 9:00 AM Easter Egg Hunt
28 Van Reserved 8:00 AM 1 st Worship Service 9:30 AM Sunday School Spring Life Groups 10:45 AM Kidz Bell Choir Practice 2 nd Worship Service	29 Worship Center & Life Center Reserved for Easter preparations	30 Worship Center & Life Center Reserved for Easter preparations 6:30 PM Focus Team Meeting	31 Worship Center & Life Center Reserved for Easter preparations 5:30 AM Prayer 6:00 AM Bible Study @ Brumbaugh's 9:00 AM Soup Kitchen 5:45 PM Prayer 6:00 PM Hand in Hand Meal 6:45 PM Hand in Hand Classes Jr. Hi & Sr. Hi. @ Castine Worship Team			

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	1 Birthdays: Jackson Farmer Anniversaries: Ted & Diane Cobb	2	3 Birthdays: Caitlyn Eckstein Susan Miller	4 Anniversaries: Jim & Clara Jo Farmer	5 Birthdays: Gracie Copper Louise Henegan Deb Shoup	6 Birthdays: Dennis Eckstein Kyle Fellers Anna Loxley Josh Whittaker
7 Birthdays: Dawn Baldasare	8 Birthdays: Jordan Bevins Martin Freese Stephanie Hughes Isabella Smith	9 Anniversaries: Ned & Amy Harter	10 Birthdays: James Conway Michelle Dancer Anniversaries: Tom & Hope Bridenbaugh	11 Birthdays: Wanda Bright	12 Birthdays: Wyatt Schwartz	13 Birthdays: Jim Knick Jason Marion Rachel Watern Maggie Weiss
14 Birthdays: Madison Copper Steve French Larry Mercer Tami Yount	15 Birthdays: Christopher Brinley Everett Rogers	16 Birthdays: Dana Holzapfel Derrick Stump	17 Birthdays: Megan Brown	18 Birthdays: Terence Henegan	19 Birthdays: Carson Shahan Shelli Shahan	20 Birthdays: Zachariah Bevins Cindy Chrisman Micah Flores Anniversaries: Randy & Rhonda Brown Stan & Mary Johnson
21 Anniversaries: Ron & Mindy Buhrman	22 Birthdays: Tess Woodcock	23 Birthdays: Steve Bohn Lynne Myers	24	25 Birthdays: Alex Shahan	26	27 Birthdays: Terri Alley Dave Hollinger Richard Neil
28 Birthdays: Mady McDaniel James McDonald	29 Birthdays: Tom Farmer Allie Moore Anniversaries: David & Vanessa Faulkner Steve & Lynn Myers	30	31			