

February 2, 2025 Sunday Morning Gathering

"The Greatest Treasure" Matthew 13:44-52

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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

Adult Bible Classes (January 5 - February 16)

Please see class descriptions of Adult Bible Classes below. All are welcome! Classes begin at **9:00 A.M.**; plan to arrive early to get kids checked-in on time.

Decision Making and the Will of God

Each day is filled with numerous decisions—a reality that can be overwhelming and stressful. In this 7-week course, we will consider what God has to say in His Word about His will for our lives and how we should go about making decisions. We will consider both healthy and unhealthy ways to approach decisions as well as the relationship between God's sovereign will and His revealed will. By the end of this course we hope that you will know how to honor God, apply Scripture, and be wise when you make decisions. This class is taught by Tristan Lengacher and Dan Voelker.

Knowing Jesus and Being Conformed to His Image

Join us as we consider who Jesus Christ is and what it means for Christians to be made more into his likeness. We will look to Scripture to understand who Jesus is as the God-man, what it means that he is truly and fully divine and human, and how this applies to Christians—who have been "predestined to be conformed into the image of his Son" (Romans 8:29). My hope is that your affections for Jesus and your confidence in God's sanctifying work in your life would increase. This class is taught by Kelly Wright.

Wednesday Evening Men's Bible Study

Wednesday evenings, 6:30-8:00 P.M., Room 205

Topic: Discussion of passages read in our church-wide Bible reading plan

Goal: By the end of 2025, we will have read and discussed the entire Bible

Led by Andy McNeilly

Women's Book Discussion Groups (February)

Women's 2025 Book Discussion Groups **start the week of February 3** and will run for four weeks. The book this year is <u>God's Big Picture: Tracing the Storyline of the Bible</u> by Vaughan Roberts. We still have a few copies left to give away or you can order a copy from Amazon. Various groups and times are available, and sign-up is expected. For more information on group meeting times/places, the reading schedule, or how to reserve a book, please contact Cid McNeilly.

March Men's Discipleship Reading (Mar. 12)

Our next Men's Discipleship Reading discussion will be **Wednesday**, **March 12th from 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>Conversion</u> by Michael Lawrence. 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.

Remember that each time together will stand alone. These are designed to be attended when it fits your schedule or the topic draws you in. Please reach out to Kelly Wright with any questions.

2024 Giving Statements

Your giving statement is available at anytime through <u>Castleview's online</u> <u>database</u>, <u>CCB</u>. Once logged in, click on the "My Giving" option on the left menu, then select the SCHEDULES/HISTORY tab at the top of the page. The next page will have a "Giving Statement" button at the top right. If you need more information, please <u>contact the church office</u> with any questions.

Pilgrims Talk Podcast – 2 New Episodes!

<u>Castleview's discipleship podcast has two new episodes available</u>: one is an interview with Dr. KJ Drake of Indianapolis Theological Seminary, and the other is a reflection on our past year with the staff pastors.

The podcast can be accessed through most of the normal podcast channels on mobile devices. Also, from our website under the Resources tab. Both our sermons and Pilgrims Talk episodes are fully searchable, so you can find the exact recording you want.

Send Relief

Looking for how to support gospel-driven relief efforts? Here's one way: <u>Send Relief</u>, a compassion ministry of the North American Mission Board.

Weather Closure Information

In general, Castleview will follow the weather closures declared by Lawrence schools for weekday and evening ministry events (including AWANA, CSM, and others like on-campus Fellowship Group gatherings, prayer meetings, etc.). Campus closures will be communicated via text (to church members) and email (to all who see this email).

Public worship gatherings will not be canceled outside of extreme circumstances.

Please use your own wisdom if weather conditions make it difficult for you to attend a ministry event.

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.

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