

THE PLEASANT TRAVELER

June 2019

Pleasant Chapel
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Sunday School 9:00 am

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Worship 10:00am



*Summer
Time*



June 2 Karen Rupert
 June 2 June Swing
 June 3 Ann Henline
 June 4 Isaac MacDonald
 June 8 Robert Weaver
 June 14 Rev. Tom Ford
 June 14 Marcina Simons
 June 18 Seth Johnson
 June 22 Suzanne Butler
 June 22 Karen Hull
 June 23 Ashley Giordano
 June 24 Alex MacDonald
 June 26 Arden Rogers
 June 26 Rachel Stocker
 June 28 Dalen Johnson
 June 29 Gerald O'Brien

Happy Anniversary

June 12 Dave and Pam Fields
 June 15 Roger and Ellen Colclessner
 June 23 Larry and Joyce Hand

June Greeters

Griffin and Kendall
 Aaron and Austin
 Ryon and Gavin
 Heather and Sarah
 Reece and Lizzie

June Acolytes

Hands
 Wisels
 Amicks
 Colclessers
 Magnusons

July Greeters

Karla and Candy
 Phil and Nicole
 John R. and Brent
 Tammy S. and Julie

July Acolytes

Amicks
 Hands
 Ayers
 Hands

| <div>June 2019</div> | | | | | | |
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| Sunday | Monday | Tuesday | Wednesday | Thursday | Friday | Saturday |
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| 9 | 10 | 11 | 12 | 13 | 14 | 15 |
| 16 | 17 | 18 | 19 | 20 | 21 | 22 |
| Father's Day | | | | | | |
| 23 | 24 | 25 | 26 | 27 | 28 | 29 |
| 30 | | | | | | |

Events

June 3 – Bible Study at Parsons 6:30
 - SouthSide Bible Study 6:30
 June 5 – Brofest 7:00am
 June 10 – Bible Study at Parsons 6:30
 June 10-14 VBS at Pleasant Chapel 9-11:30
 June 16 – Father's Day
 June 17 – Bible Study at Parsons 6:30
 June 19 – Brofest 7:00am
 June 24 – Bible Study at Parsons 6:30
 July 25 - 26, GO 175 at Love In the Name of Christ

Sign up papers for the coffee/cookie table snacks and also children's church are on the table in front of the mailboxes. Everyone's help is appreciated!

Bible Studies - All are invited to Parson's home each Monday at 6:30 (unless otherwise announced)



for an hour of study and discussion. The Southside Bible Study is planning on meeting the 1st and 3rd Mondays of each month. See Magnusons for details.

Thank you to each one who has furnished snacks for the coffee/cookie table. Everyone enjoys this!

Thank you to each one who has been leading the children's church during the worship service.

Thank you Sonny Henline for the beautiful corsage and coronations you gave each lady at Pleasant Chapel on Mother's Day Sunday. All the memory of Dee.

Thank you from Carolyn Sherbahn for the Easter lily from the United Methodist women. Also she thanks Matt for the Easter candy. She is doing well and says hello to all our church family

United Methodist Women

On Friday, May 17th, ladies from Pleasant Chapel and two guests met at the church and traveled to Wabash for the day.

The group toured the Doctor James Ford historical house and home of the medical doctor in early Wabash. A tour guide made it all very interesting.

Lunch was enjoyed at a restaurant. After lunch shopping was done at stores in downtown Wabash. A very enjoyable time was had by everyone.

Vacation Bible School at Pleasant Chapel on June 10th through 14th, 2019 from 9:00 to 11:30 each day. Classes will be held for boys and girls 3 years old through sixth grade. Each and every one of our youth is invited to come and bring a friend too.

Vacation Bible School Needs for crafts: smaller than pint size jars with lids. Please remove labels (jars such as jelly, pickles, etc.). Also buttons - any size buttons. Have at the church by June 9th. Give to Joyce Hand.

Cookies for VBS - We will need cookies for a snacks each day on June 10th through 14th. If you want to furnish some, please sign the clipboard that is being passed around or call Joann. Three dozen are needed each day.

Fly by Faith

I'm not a pilot but I know that pilots of an airplane have two

methods to fly or navigate an airplane - either VFR or IFR.

VFR - Visual Flight Rules

IFR - Instrument Flight Rules

To fly with VFR means the pilot depends upon seeing (Visual) things around the plane: other planes, the horizon, reference points on the ground, etc. Smaller, simpler planes primarily fly with VFR and beginning pilots learn to fly *visually*.

IFR relies on instruments to fly. Radio beacons, radar, GPS, altimeters, are systems within the craft that provide the pilot data they may not be able to acquire by sight.

The weather conditions can determine which plan a pilot uses. If visibility is limited by fog or clouds or darkness, a pilot may be required to use the instruments in the plane since reference points cannot be determined visually.

I would imagine that beginning pilots who have mastered flying visually and are learning to fly solely by instruments, go through a time of difficulty to learn to trust the instruments.

To me that would be scary! I would want to be able to see and sense where I am and what I am doing.

At first I would think that flying IFR would be "flying blindly." But really that is not true. They are not blind. They are merely using their sight and other senses in another way. They are *depending* on systems to guide them in take-off, flight, and landing. They learn *confidence* and *trust* in things they cannot perceive naturally.

Not too different from our lives. We want to see where we are going, what is around us, what others are doing, etc. But we are also people of *faith*. We depend on not knowing everything about this life journey. We cannot see all there is. We *depend* on and *trust* God for his direction. It isn't flying blindly, it is living and walking by faith.

In 2 Corinthians 5, Paul writes about our *confidence* in living in Christ. He says that even though we live in these



mortal bodies, we live knowing that when these mortal bodies are done, there is much more to come. We live in that faith.

The author of Hebrews says:

Hebrews 11:1 (NIV) ¹ Now faith is being sure of what we hope for and certain of what we do not see.

IFR pilots no doubt have a sureness about their hopes of a successful flight and are certain of what their instruments indicate regarding the things they cannot see. As followers of Christ we too walk with this confidence, this sureness of life. But that is because we are constantly in “flight school”. We are learning our instruments of the Bible and how to interpret it for our journey. We stay in community with others on the same journey through the relationships we share in this church and in our small groups. We are in constant radio contact with God as we maintain a continuous conversation with him in prayer.

As we learn the instruments, we trust what we learn. That is submitting to him. We alter *our* course to stay on *his* course – that is called repentance. And we fly with joy and with purpose anticipating the great destination.

World Vision Update

One of the ministries Pleasant Chapel supports in World Vision. Through this ministry, the church provides support for a Lenny Fernandez Cayola, a young woman living in Bolivia.

She sends the following update:

Hello dear sponsor

How are you? I thank you for the gift you sent me, with that gift I bought clothing like a T-shirt, sport pants, a sweater, shoes and also a coat.

I am doing well at school and I am in 2nd grade “A” of secondary school and I am doing well in my studies. I like it so much.

I help my mother with her work. I will turn 14 years old and I have grown up. My parents and my siblings send you greetings; they are so glad for everything. I hope you to come to visit my house someday.

Beloved sponsor I send kisses and hugs to both of you and to your entire family.

So long
God take care of all of you



Tee Shirts.



The church has acquired tee shirts commemorating the 175th anniversary year.

These shirts can be used when we are doing church events like the Tin-Caps game (hopefully they are here), suppers, parades, service events, etc. See Tammy Lickey about getting yours.



Repurposing Lives Since 1844

| | March 3, 2019 | March 10, 2019 | March 17, 2019 | March 24, 2019 | March 31, 2019 | April 7, 2019 | April 14, 2019 | April 21, 2019 | April 28, 2019 | May 5, 2019 | May 12, 2019 | May 19, 2019 | May 26, 2019 | | |
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| Attendance | 47 | 35 | 39 | 52 | 38 | 48 | 42 | 74 | 31 | 64 | 54 | 50 | 40 | | |
| Giving | 1940 | 1821 | 442 | 867 | 603 | 2555 | 2455 | 970 | 255 | 2816 | 1221 | 1410 | 854 | | |

Vacation Bible School



Vector Verse: Glory to God, who is able to do far beyond all that we could ask or imagine by his power at work within us - Ephesians 3:20

Pleasant Chapel

880 E 1100 North

Roanoke

June 10 - June 14

9:00 am to 11:30 am

For more information call Joann at 672-2611

All children in the community are invited

Classes for children 3 years old through 6th grade

The little boy was found by his mother with pencil and paper, making a sketch. When asked what he was doing, he answered promptly, and with considerable pride:

"I'm drawing a picture of God."



"But," gasped the shocked mother, "you cannot do that. No one has seen God. No one knows how God looks."

"Well," the little boy replied, complacently, "when I get through they will."

