

# Back to School!

Train children in  
the right way,  
and when old,  
they will not  
stray.

Proverbs 22:6





## Birthdays

- Aug 2 Nicole Colclessner
- Aug 5 Wendall Law
- Aug 6 Derrick Fields
- Aug 9 Jim Bowman
- Aug 12 Dan Hunter
- Aug 15 Pam Fields
- Aug 17 Joel Yeager
- Aug 18 Matt Johnson
- Aug 19 Matt Hicks
- Aug 19 Sally Truitt
- Aug 20 Hope Henline
- Aug 24 Jill Robertson
- Aug 26 Nancy Lutz Scott
- Aug 28 Rev. Rex Charles
- Aug 30 Joyce Hand
- Aug 30 Jennifer Sherbahn
- Aug 30 Reece Colclessner
- Aug 31 Julie Wegmann

## Greeters

- Aug 1 Larry and Joyce
- Aug 8 Jim and Cynthia
- Aug 15 Nick and Kasey
- Aug 22 Tom and Tammy L.
- Aug 29 Harley and Ann
- Sep 5 Cindy and Vicki
- Sep 12 John and Deloris
- Sep 19 Andy and Andrea
- Sep 26 Mike and Cory

## Acolytes

- Aug 1 Wisels
- Aug 8 Amicks
- Aug 15 Colclessers
- Aug 22 Magnusons
- Aug 29 Amicks
- Sep 5 Hands
- Sep 12 Ayers
- Sep 19 Hands
- Sep 26 Wisels

# 2021 AUGUST

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
8	9	10	11	12	13	14
15	16	17	18	19	20	21
22	23	24	25	26	27	28
29	30	31	1	2	3	4

## Events

- Aug 2** –Bible Study @ Parsons 6:30
- Aug 4** – Brofest 7:00 am
- Aug 4** - “Can You Believe It?” Bible Study 6:30 pm
- Aug 6-7** The Northmen & Cathy at Sunny Crest Baptist Family Life Center
- Aug 9** –Bible Study @ Parsons 6:30
- Aug 10** – GRYP Middle/High 6:30
- Aug 11** – Pleasant Chapel Women’s meeting. See Jill for details.
- Aug 16** –Bible Study @ Parsons 6:30
- Aug 17** – GRYP Elementary 6:30
- Aug 18** – Brofest 7:00 am
- Aug 18** - “Can You Believe It?” Bible Study 6:30 pm
- Aug 23** –Bible Study @ Parsons 6:30
- Aug 24** – GRYP Middle/High 6:30
- Aug 30** –Bible Study @ Parsons 6:30
- Aug 17** – GRYP Elementary 6:30

## Anniversaries

- Aug 2 Richard and Vicki Giordano
- Aug 19 Tom and Sherry Rupert

**Bible Studies** - All are invited to Parson’s home each Monday at 6:30 (unless otherwise announced) for an hour of study and discussion.

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

**Congratulations** to all 4-Hers from Pleasant Chapel. We hope you enjoyed all your projects. We know you worked hard. Also, thank you to all the 4-H Junior Leaders that worked and helped in any way before, during and after the 4-H fair.

## Pleasant Chapel Women

The Pleasant Chapel Women met on Wednesday, July 14th at 1:00 at Jill Law’s home.

President Jill Law opened the meeting by reading a devotion and leading in prayer.

Roll call was answered by 6 ladies saying “What we are thankful for about our country.”

Minutes were read and approved. Correspondence: a thank you from “Church World” for our donation to the blanket fund; a thank you from Tammy Thornburg and a letter from John Chesterman. Treasurer’s report was given.

A thankyou was sent to Tom and Tammy looking for hosting the ladies for a “day at the lake” on July 3rd.

We signed cards to send for birthdays, shut-ins and friends.

Jill presented the program about “Every good and perfect gift is from above” reading James 1:17.

Delicious refreshments were served.

**During the Reformation,** William Tyndale’s mantra was that every ploughboy should be able to pick up the Bible and read it. The Bible had been translated to other languages in Europe, but this was prohibited by the Catholic Church in England. Access to the Bible was also kept from the common folk, but Tyndale had a fervent desire to make it accessible to everyone in England. Even though he was burned at the stake for his efforts, the legacy he leaves behind is being the first to translate the Bible into English. Hugh Latimer and Nicholas Ridley were instrumental in Tyndale’s translation project. They were also burned at the stake and during their execution, there was a report of Latimer calling out to Ridley, “Be of good comfort, Master Ridley, and play

the man; we shall this day light such a candle by God’s grace in England as shall never be put out.”

*We have the Bible in English today because these three men, and many others like them, were willing to sacrifice their lives so God’s Word would be accessible to as many people as possible. But if Tyndale, Latimer and Ridley could see the amount of respect and attention some of us give the Bible today, they may wonder if they died in vain. Although the Bible continues to be the best-selling book of all time, with many homes having several copies, they remain motionless on bookshelves and gathering dust, even on Christian bookshelves!*

A number of years ago, I preached in Angola, but could not start my

sermon the way I usually do. There were no Bibles for the people to read because it had never been translated into the Mungambwe language. Every time there was an attempt to translate it, the project came under satanic attack and was never completed. Even if it had been completed, only a few of the Mungambwe people were educated enough to read it.

*What a sobering reminder of the immense blessing of Scripture God has given us! This should serve to inspire and motivate us to dive deeper into God’s Word, never taking for granted the privilege of having the Bible not only in our own language and in our own homes but also having the freedom and ability to read it.*

(from the living truth - <https://livingtruth.ca/blogs/devotionals/the-privilege-of-having-the-bible-1>)

**Where:** Pleasant Chapel Community Church  
880 E. 1100 N. Roanoke, IN 46783

**When:**  
Tuesday’s 6:30 to 7:30pm.

**Who:** 1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Tuesday – Elementary Students  
2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Tuesday – Middle and High School  
5<sup>th</sup> Tuesday – Family Fun Night everyone’s invited

Join us as we learn about getting a GRYP on God.

August Dates are:  
August 10<sup>th</sup> – Middle and High School Youth  
August 17<sup>th</sup> – Elementary School Youth  
August 24<sup>th</sup> – Middle and High School Youth  
August 31<sup>st</sup> – Family Fun Night – Food, Games, and Fellowship

	May 2, 2021	May 9, 2021	May 16, 2021	May 23, 2021	May 30, 2021	June 6, 2021	June 13, 2021	June 20, 2021	June 27, 2021	July 4, 2021	July 11, 2021	July 18, 2021	July 25, 2021
Attendance	65	58	42	42	45	50	45	48	37	33	41	46	46
Giving	1675	1609	813	936	920	1581	1779	1931	1863	1300	1616	1786	1152



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The story is told of a farmer, with a mule that was stubborn as glue.

He talked in his traces, rebel at fast paces, move only when he wanted to.

The farmer would feed every evening, fill the watering trough to the brink.

He would pull him up close, splash it onto his nose, but that stubborn old mule would not drink.

Now each living thing requires water, or else it will shrivel and die. Though refreshing and cool, that cranky old mule wouldn't drink of the water supply.

The mule became gradually weaker; he stumbled and fell in a heap. With a sigh and a groan, through no fault but his own, he slipped into final sleep.

God's word is referred to as water, with life-giving power within. But each must partake for his spiritual life sake, or stumble and died in his sin.

