The Pleasant Traveler January 2023

Pleasant Chapel Community Church 880 £ 1100 N Roanoke, IN 46783 www.pleasantchapel.org info@pleasantchapel.org Worship 10:00 am



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				

Events

Jan 2 – Bible Study @ Parsons 6:30

Jan 4 – NO Brofest

Jan 9 – Bible Study @ Parsons 6:30

Jan 11 – PC Women time and place TBD

Jan 15 – Pleasant Chapel Cemetery Association meeting at 3:00pm at the church

Jan 16 – Bible Study @ Parsons 6:30

Jan 18 – Brofest @7 am

Jan 23 – Bible Study @ Parsons 6:30

Jan 30 – Bible Study @ Parsons 6:30

Dec 14 – PC Women's meeting at Jill
Law's 1pm

Feb 12th Souper Bowl following worship

Greeters

Jan 1 Roger and Ellen
Jan 8 Troy and Gayl
Jan 15 Andy and Andrea
Jan 22 Leona And Sarah
Feb 5 Reece and Lizzie
Feb 12 Andy and Andrea

Feb 19 Sarah and Zach Feb 26 Phil and Nicole

Acolytes

Jan 1 Hoffmans Jan 8 Roehms Jan 15 Amicks Jan 22 Hands Feb 5 Hands Feb 12 Wisels Feb 19 Amicks Feb 26 Hoffmans

Birthdays

Jan 1 Brent Hammel

Jan 2 Abby Hoffman

Jan 3 Sally Knuckles

Jan 6 Becky Fritchman

Jan 8 Craig Simon

Jan 9 Kevin Raichart

Jan 10 Jayson Morris

Jan 12 Cynthia Chesterman

Jan 17 Gary Raichart

Jan 21 Heather Parsons

Jan 21 Chris Sherbahn

Jan 23 Joy Sheets

Jan 23 Dan Sherbahn

Jan 24 Barry Knuckles

Jan 25 John Chesterman

Jan 29 Ryan Dinius

Jan 30 Sherry Ruppert

Anniversaries

Jan 3 Tom and Tammy Lickey

Jan 3 Bill and Diane Sherbahn

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! Sign-up papers for 2023 snacks are on the table in front of the mailboxes.

Children's Church is held each Sunday morning after the children's story for preschoolers and up to third grade. Thank you to Gayl, Breanne, Ellen, Sherry and all the helpers who make children's church a great experience for our young saints!

THANK YOU, CHURCH, for the very generous Christmas gift. It is truly an honor to serve alongside all of you at PC. We greatly appreciate the love and encouragement you have given to us.

Joel & Karla

Please check your mailbox at the back of the church.

PC Women's Group

The Pleasant Chapel Women met on Wednesday, December 14th at 1:00 PM at Jill Law's home.

Jill served delicious lunch to six ladies. After the lunch Jill opened our meeting by handing each one a plate painted and decorated by Havland. Each plate was painted differently. She then read Matthew 21:15 from the Bible. The minutes were read and approved. The Treasurer's report was given. Cards were signed to send to friends, for birthdays and shut ins.

Mission contribution for 2023 will be decided at the January meeting.

Thank you to everyone who prepared the food for our noon meal after church on Sunday, December 25th. Because of the very cold weather, church at PC was cancelled. But meals were delivered to every person that had said they would stay for this at church on Christmas Day. The food was delicious and brightened our Christmas Day.

A big thank you to children's church for their program on Sunday morning, December 18th. You sang very well! Also thank you for the teachers and director. We would like to hear you again any time!

Thank you to Rolla Parsons and his family for hosting *Breakfast with Santa* on Saturday December 10th at Pleasant Chapel. The breakfast tasted good and persons young and older had an enjoyable time!

Patriot Academy - Now more than ever, our nation is in need of Biblical citizens who grasp the dynamic unity



of citizens of the Kingdom of God and citizens of this great nation!

This course offers the quick-start guide to the longest-standing Constitution in history, complete with an overview of all the Articles, and Amendments. What sets this apart from other U.S. Constitution courses is the interactive, fast-paced presentations; the fabulous locations of Independence Hall and the Wallbuilders' Library; and finally our Biblical heritage intricately woven throughout the entire course!

You will learn how the founders relied on their Christian moorings and Biblical worldview to secure the blessings of liberty to ourselves and our posterity. You will also be treated to encouraging historical facts and inspirational true stories that are not taught in our educational institutions today. All in all you will be edified and equipped to operationalize your faith and practice Biblical Citizenship in Modern America!

The Course is managed by Heather Parsons and Great Race. The schedule of the course with Lunch will being provided.

Saturday, January 7th, 2023 to Saturday, January 28th at Pleasant Chapel. The meetings are also available remotely via Zoom.

Lesson 10 to 11:30 am (doors will open at 9:30am)

Lunch 11:30 to 12:30 pm discussion during lunch

Lesson 12:30 to 2:30 pm, depending on the discussion time

Books are available for purchase from Heather Parsons, youth books are available. Books are \$20 per book including shipping and handling. Registration to sign up for the class is available online and a link for that can be found on our homepage.

Heather G. Parsons (260) 227-1874

2023

A new year will give us 12 months, 52 Sundays to worship together, 365 days of choices to make, 525,600 minutes (your humming that song from *Rent*) to think thoughts, 2 Tenderloin Suppers, 2 Soup Suppers, 957 pies (maybe an exaggeration) to eat, ball games and practice, animal shows, term papers and final exams, acreage to farm, quotas to meet, relationships to develop,

As the song goes "How do you measure a year in the life?" There really are many ways to evaluate or reflect on the year past or the year that is coming. How do we do that? The song suggests "how about love?" as an answer to how we do measure our years. The play's song, question, and answer probably points to a different direction, but the essence is appropriate for followers of Christ as we reflect on the past year and consider the next. How do we measure our years? "what about love?"

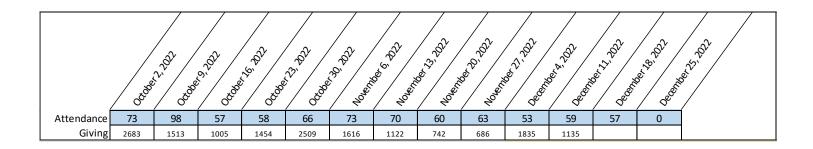
John 13:34–35 (NRSV) ³⁴ I give you a new commandment, that you love one another. Just as I have loved you, you also should love one another. ³⁵ By this everyone will know that you are my disciples, if you have love for one another."

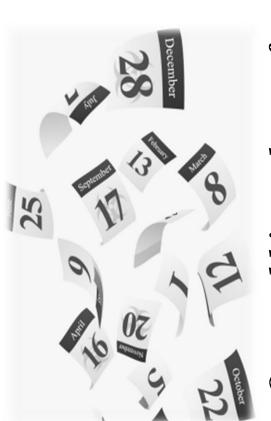
As we consider our years, and as we think about how we prioritize and choose to live out our gift of life, may we consider true Christ discipleship by loving him fully and loving others.

Happiest of New Years to you!

PLEASANT CHAPEL OFFERING & ESPENSE REPORT 11/30/22

	11/30/22								
Opening Checking Balance (STD/NON-PROFIT/BSB)	\$:	112,957.11			Y	TD BALANCE			
TRANSFERS FROM SAVINGS/CD	\$	-							
TRANSFERS TO SAVINGS BSB	\$				\$	102,200.72			
INTEREST EARNED (savings)									
INTEREST EARNED (checking)	\$	16.71							
CHURCH OFFERING	Ś	6,675.00							
COMMUNITY AID/GO175 OFFERING		,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,							
SPECIAL OFFERINGS					\$	2.000.00	Karen's Christ	mas Fi	und
ONE GREAT HOUR OF SHARING	\$					_,			
VBS OFFERING	\$				\$	100.00			
BIRTHDAY OFFERING					Ś	4.00			
TRAVELLER OFFERING					_				
MISSIONS OFFERING									
MEMORIAL OFFERING	\$				\$	610.00			
TOTAL OFFERINGS	Ś	6,691.71	•		~	010.00			
AVERAGE WEEKLY OFFERING	Ś	1,545.43							
NEEDED EACH WEEK	\$	1,200.00							
OVERAGE OR DEFICIT	Ś	345.43	•						
OVERNOE ON DETICAL	7	545.45							
	No	vember				2022	PERCENT	DOLL	ARS
		ACTUAL		YTD TOTAL		BUDGET	SPENT	REMAINING	
SPECIALS PAID TO IC									
BIBLE SCHOOL SUPPLIES	\$	61.06	Ś	900.86	\$	800.00	113%	Ś	(100.8
CUSTODIAN	\$	175.00	\$	1,925.00		2,100.00			175.0
GUEST MINISTER	\$	-	Ś	1,350.00		2,000.00		•	650.0
INSURANCE PROPERTY	\$		Ś	5,106.07		4,500.00			(606.0
MISCELLANEOUS (Flowers, Bank Fees)	\$	100.00	Ś	454.80		750.00		•	295.2
OFFICE SUPPLIES (Advertising, Postage)	Ś	118.98	Ś	1,574.93		1,500.00			(74.9
PASTOR'S COMPENSATION	\$	2,261.66		23,459.92		23,000.00			(459.9
PAYROLL EXPENSE (TAXES)	\$,	Ś	2,922.90		2,400.00		•	(522.9
PASTOR'S EXPENSES/Ministry Exp.	\$	689.88	\$	1,336.52		2,000.00	67%		663.4
PLEASANT CHAPEL FOUND/TRU	\$	-	\$	1,550.52	\$	2,000.00	0770	Ś	005.4
SUNDAY SCHOOL SUPPLIES	\$		\$		\$	600.00	0%		600.0
CHILDREN'S COMMITTEE	\$		\$		Ś	1,200.00		•	1,200.0
CHURCH LIGHTS (UTILITIES)	\$	152.36	\$	2,310.04		3,200.00	72%		889.9
CHURCH FUEL	\$	132.30	\$	4,094.88		6,000.00	68%		1,905.1
Telecommunications/Internet (FB)	\$		\$	568.75		900.00	63%	•	331.2
KAREN'S CHRISTMAS FUND	\$		Ś	2,250.00		1,463.06	154%		(786.9
COMMUNITY AID/GO175 FUND (Evang/Spec Events/Worship Comm		499.72	\$	1,809.40		4,000.00			2.190.6
ACCOUNTANT FEES (CULP)	\$ \$	499.72	\$		\$	1,920.00	45% 95%		105.0
SCHOLARSHIPS	\$		Ś	1,015.00	\$	660.00	95%		660.0
OUTOLANDRIES	\$	4,142.16	_	51,879.07	\$	58,993.06	88%		7,113.9
AVERAGE WEEKLY EXPENSES					\$	1,200.00			
WEEKS 52									
CHECKING BALANCE AS OF 11/30/22	\$:	115,673.67							
SAVINGS BALANCE AS OF 11/30/22	\$:	102,224.66							





Our world is made-up of Yesterday's, Today's, and Tomorrow's. If we still look back on our yesterdays and see them in their various colors and hues, and can envision those that were the brightest and most happy, it will make our todays more wonderful and illumination.