

The Newsletter

August 2021 Issue

Back School!

Pray for our teachers and students as they start back to school over the next few weeks!

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Special points of interest:

- Officer Nominations
- Care Calendar
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- Life Chain 2021

COMMUNION SUNDAY, AUGUST 1, 2021

The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be observed on Sunday, August I, during the worship service. This is one of the most significant events in our church life and we encourage you to take time and ask God to search your heart in preparation for communion.



VBS 2021 HIGHLIGHTS

- ▶97 children attended, with an additional 8 preschoolers on Wednesday morning
- ➤ 58 families represented, 13 who do not have a church home here in Chapin
- ➤57 daily adult and teen volunteers (including our pastor and youth director!) and over 30 more who helped with decorating, sending cupcakes and at the carnival
- >8 age appropriate Bibles given to children who did not have them
- >633 pounds of needed items taken to We Care
- ▶3 local ministries highlighted: We Care, Good Works, and The Hewitt Foundation
- >41 children and 14 moms stayed after VBS Tuesday for our 'Picnic and play" on the playground.
- SIPS coffee came Wednesday morning and all the volunteers and parents were invited to stop by and get a free beverage, thanks to a \$250 gift from Jackie's parents, Jack and Joyce Quattlebaum, through Thrivent.
- Family program and carnival Thursday night. 53 of the 58 families came. Over 300 people here. Children sang, Scott shared the Gospel, and we had lots of wonderful volunteers to help with fun games outside, and serving pizza, popcorn, cotton candy. Special thanks to the Bonnetts for bringing a large blow up slide and the snow cone machine.
- Daily 'treats' sent home thanks to the Jeffcoats (Chic-fil-A), Sonic, Zestos and Chris Kleckley and her mom (painted rocks of animals)
- >7th grade service project the kids made stuffed sunshines to give to the Hewitt Foundation to put in baskets for children, and the older elementary kids made notes and bookmarks to put in the books and Bibles that they give children.
- > |udy McMillin and Clare Steele: Two amazing directors who have done this for many years.
- The truth of Jesus and how much He loves them, the Gospel, taught daily!! Praise God!!

OFFICER NOMINATIONS

In the coming weeks the congregation of Chapin Presbyterian will begin the selection process for new Elders and Deacons. As you consider men that will lead our congregation, we invite you to consider the qualifications as outlined in the PCA Book of Church Order. Copies of the BCO are in our conference room/library. You can also download a copy of the BCO from our web site or the PCA website which is: www.pcaac.org/resources/bco/.

Nomination forms are available at the reception desk. Any questions, please call or email the church office.



Note from the Pastor:

Dear Saints.

There are several things cranking up soon that I want you to be aware of! We will have a **Community Group kick off on Sunday evening August 22 at 5:30 pm**. The goal of community groups is to provide a way for you to develop stronger relationships within the body of Christ. Be on the lookout for more information regarding this

launch, especially if you are not currently involved in a Community Group!

Secondly, our **Sunday School offerings will be expanding in September**. We will move from one class to four classes with the goal of Sunday School being to provide opportunities for you to grow in your understanding of the Christian faith. More information will be coming soon

on what those classes will be about and who will be teaching them!

I'm so thankful to be laboring among you. You are a precious body and the Lord's grace is evident among you!

- Pastor Dinkins



ANOTHER NEW CHAPTER IN OUR MUSIC MINISTRY STARTS AUGUST 18TH!

Our worship choir will start rehearsing on Wednesday, August 18th. It is finally time to begin again this exciting ministry.

I want to personally invite everyone High School age and up to this rehearsal. We will rehearse from 6:00 - 7:15 pm every Wednesday. We will not sing every Sunday but will focus on certain Sundays.

STUDENTS who are interested, you will be able to come from 6—6:45 PM and be dismissed early for Wednesday night Bible studies; this way you will be able to do both choir and Bible study without missing either one.

Mark the following scheduled choir performances on your calendars:

October 24th November 21st

December 5th and December 12th

You do not have to read music! You do not have to be in chorus now or choir when you were younger! You do not have to be the best singer in the world! You just have to have a love for worshipping God together and leading His people.

Come join us and give it a shot! If it is not for you, NO worries and NO judgment; you at least gave it a try.

I would love to see you starting August 18th...a new chapter begins!

Every Blessing, —Jon Barker, Music Director



BEGINS SEPTEMBER IST 9:30—11:30 AM

Women of the Word—Anchored in Christ will begin on September 1st and follow our usual schedule of 9:30—11:30 AM. We will travel back in time and stand unseen next to specific Bible characters from the Old and New Testaments as they cast shadows of God's grace and character across nations, communities, and beloved family members. Come join us for another exciting adventure in God's Word!

Call Judy McMillin to register at 803-413-0064. Loving childcare available.



GO TO: www.carecalendar.org

John & Dede Fischer Calendar ID: 299357 Security Code: Fischer

To sign-up to help the Fishers with meals go to the Care Calendar website, www.carecalendar.org and enter the above information in the appropriate spaces.



Livestreaming from our Website: go to <u>www.chapinpres.org</u> and click on media tab for livestream.

Online Giving is now available through our church website www.chapinpres.org, Realm Connect on your phone, or by texting 73256 and entering chapinpres.





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News & Events:

Did you know you can tithe with stock or bond donations to Chapin Pres?

Contributing securities directly to the church increases the amount of your gift as well as your tax deduction. If you would like more information about this option, contact Wanda Hein at the church



CPC MERCY MINISTRY READY TO SERVE!

If anyone hears of a project need within the church family or our community, please let the Mercy Team know. A form is available at the reception desk. Please fill out the form and return to the CPC office.



Talk about this in your Community Groups, too and let us know if you hear of a need!





DOOR GREETER JULY SCHEDULE — 9:30 AM

1st Sunday — Bill & Gail Calhoun

2nd Sunday — Weston & Beth Curtis

3rd Sunday — John & Frances Derrick

4th Sunday — Luke & Betsy Bonnett &

Family

5th Sunday — Don & Dolly Montgomery lames Taylor

RECEPTION DESK JULY SCHEDULE — 9:30 AM

Ist Sunday — Sheila Sargent

2nd Sunday — Brenda Cook

Steve & Reta Yandle

3rd Sunday — Louise Todd

4th Sunday — Judy Weathersbee

5th Sunday — TBD

| AUGUST I | Todd Howell Dianna Kubacz | AUGUST 10 | Bradford Kay Mary Ella Kay | AUGUST 19 | Doug Roberts |
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| | Judy Weathersbee Dan Zbytovsky | | Brent Silman | AUGUST 22 | Marsha Sumner |
| | , , | AUGUST 11 | Jacob Hawes | AUGUST 24 | Debbie Truluck |
| AUGUST 2 | Margaret Epting TJ Jennings William Kay | AUGUST 12 | Terry Bartman | AUGUST 26 | Bree Baker Cade Hein |
| | • | AUGUST 14 | Sutton Vick | | Lisa Parker |
| AUGUST 3 | Susan Bowers Evan Oseman | AUGUST 15 | Lauren Dunn Beth Gierhart | | Andy Steele Makenna Zbytovsky |
| AUGUST 5 | Isabella Oseman Beth Rich | AUGUST 16 | Joe Jeffcoat | AUGUST 28 | Andrew Oseman Louise Todd |
| AUGUST 7 | Dawn Weathersbee Jim Wilkins | AUGUST 17 | Neusa Lipsi Mitch Stephens | AUGUST 29 | Isaiah Grinnell |
| | • | | · | AUGUST 30 | Beth Curtis |
| AUGUST 8 | Anne Jennings | AUGUST 18 | Oscar Lovelace | | Mike Stauffer |
| AUGUST 9 | Sue Starke | | Vance Lovelace Jillian Vick Conner Weathersbee | AUGUST 31 | Hilda Crowe |

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News & Events:



HISKidZ News

>Taste and see how good the Lord is!" -Psalm 34:8 Our memory verse for the summer.

Also, Pastor Dinkins has challenged the kids to memorize $John\ 1:12-13$ — But to all who did receive Him, who believed in His name, He gave the right to become children of God, who were born, not of blood nor of the will of the flesh nor of the will of man, but of God.

During Sunday School we continue 'The Sweet Life'. This week is from Exodus 17:8-16, It's not good to be alone. Candy of the week is Twix.

>Moms Bible Study meets on Wednesdays in the parlor July 28th and August 4th and 11th from 9:30-11:00 AM. Ephesians 1-3, led by Mackenzie Van Thof. We still need adults to help with the children's program.

>Our children's ministry is growing! Contact Jackie or Andrea if you'd like to help us share the love of Jesus on Sunday mornings.

See you Sunday, I love you! - Mrs. Jackie

GRAVITY (5-6th graders)

No Sunday evening activities planned again until **August 22**nd, but all rising 5-6th graders are together upstairs each week during Sunday School, and Anna Mary Forrest continues through the RUF Bible 101 curriculum, diving into really learning more about the Bible. It's a great time for our kids to be together as they are learning some wonderful truths while being with great adults who pour into their lives.

➤Our fun fall kick-off will be on **August 29**th at the Bonnett's home. Save the date!!



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Student Ministry Stuff: (Mark your calendars)



AUGUST SCHEDULE

>Wed. Aug. 4th / 3-5 PM / ReFormed Olympics @ Crooked Creek

>Sat. Aug. 7th / TBD / Lake Day @ The Huggins

➤ Wed. Aug. 11th / 6-8 PM / Game Night @ CPC

>Wed. Aug. 18th / 3-5 PM / Hang Out @ The Colet's

For more information about our student ministry email Mitch Van Thof, Student Ministry Director at mitch@chapinpres.com

ReFormed Community Night! (7th-12th grade) Sunday nights 5-7 PM

Our student ministry meets every Sunday at CPC to share a meal, play games, and dig deeper into the Word. We will continue our study in Genesis.

MIDDLE & HIGH SCHOOL GIRLS BIBLE STUDY—SUMMER SCHEDULE

We are wrapping up our summer study in Galatians. Please bring your Bibles, swim gear and a beach towel.

- ♦ Wednesday, July 28th Stoker's home
- Wednesday, August 4th-Knowles' home

For info. contact: Terry Stoker: 803.730.8876

Cindy Knowles: 803.315.6230



SUNDAY SCHOOL SUNDAYS AT 10:45 AM

High School is studying Romans. Middle School is studying Bible 101.



MARK YOUR CALENDARS LIFE CHAIN 2021 SUNDAY, OCTOBER 3—TIME TBD

As we await the day when the Supreme Court vacates the "Row vs Wade" decision it is important for us to be consistently working towards God's plan. The issue of abortion can only be resolved by changing minds. On October 3 Chapin Presbyterian Church will be standing with God and forming for the third time our "Life Chain". Please mark your calendars now to reserve that day for God all that He expects of us.

NURSERY CAREGIVER NEEDED!

interested in applying.



Our children's ministry is looking for a loving, caring adult to be in our infant room twice a month, from 9:15-11:45 AM. This person heads up the care of our little ones in this room and has a volunteer serving with her. This is a paid position. Please email Jackie at jackiel@chapinpres.com if you are

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Phone: 803-345-0500 E-mail: secretary@chapinpres.com WWW.CHAPINPRES.ORG

> **Duty Deacon** for August Mark Morvay



Cornbread mix, Grits, Chili beans, Pancake mix/ Canned potatoes/

yams, Tuna, Canned peas, Tello, Canned tomatoes, Cereal, Cleaning supplies, Personal care items, Paper products, Dish & laundry detergent. Thank you!



Please notify the church office of any email, address or phone number changes so we can keep our records up to date. Thank you!

CPC STAFF INFORMATION:

MAIN TELEPHONE NUMBER: 803-345-0500

Scott Dinkins, Senior Pastor Helen Anderson, CARE Ministry Gingi Cook, Administrative Assistant Jon Barker, Music Director Jaclynn Goings, Nursery Care Giver Wanda Hein, Finance Administrator Jackie Linder, Children's Director Andrea Looney, Nursery Director Nicole Perricelli, Nursery Care Giver Leslie Pollock, Office Manager Mitch Van Thof, Student Ministry Director Ext. 203/scott@chapinpres.com hander2504@aol.com Ext. 206/gingic@chapinpres.com Ext. 209/jonb@chapinpres.com

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CPC Highlights of the Month:

SUNDAY—AUGUST I **COMMUNION SUNDAY**

9:30 A Worship Service (Each Sunday Morning) 10:45 A Sunday School (For all ages) 5:00 P ReFormed Community Night (7th-12th

grades) (Each Sunday night)

MONDAY—AUGUST 2

6:00 P Session Meeting

WEDNESDAY—AUGUST 4

Retired Men's Bible Study/RM 134 (Each Wednesday)

9:30 A Young Mom's Bible Study/CPC Parlor (Each Wednesday in July)

10:30 A MS & HS Girls Bible Study/Knowles home

2:00 P Women's Exercise Class/FC (Each Wednesday)

3:00 P ReFormed Students (7th-12th grades) @ Crooked Creek

6:00 P Choir Practice/WC (Each Wednesday) 7:30 P Praise Team Practice/WC (Each Wed.)

7:30 P Admin. Group Meeting (Each Wed.)

SATURDAY—AUGUST 7

ReFormed Students Lake Day @ Huggins

SUNDAY—AUGUST 8

9:30 A Worship Service (Each Sunday Morning) 10:45 A Sunday School (For all ages) ReFormed Community Night (7th-12th grades) (Each Sunday night)

MONDAY—AUGUST 9

Diaconate Meeting

6:30 P Women Seeking God Bible Study/Takachs (2nd & 4th Mondays)

TUESDAY—AUGUST 10

10:00 A HISKIDZ Picnic & Play at CPC

WEDNESDAY—AUGUST 11

12:15 P Chapin Ministerial Association Lunch @ CPC ReFormed Students (7th-12th grades) 6:00 P

Game Night @ CPC

SUNDAY—AUGUST 15

Regular Sunday Morning Schedule

ReFormed Community Night (7th-12th grades) (Each Sunday night)

MONDAY—AUGUST 16

6:00 P Chapin Academy Open House

WEDNESDAY—AUGUST 18

3:00 P ReFormed Students (7th-12th grades) Hang Out @ The Colet's

6:00 P Worship Choir Practice/WC (Each Wed.) 7:30 P

Praise Team Practice/WC (Each Wed.)

THURSDAY—AUGUST 19

8:00 A Chapin Academy Begins (Each Tues. & Thurs.)

SUNDAY—AUGUST 22

9:30 A Worship Service (Each Sunday Morning)

10:45 A Sunday School (For all ages)

Gravity (5th-6th grades) @ CPC 5:00 P

5:30 P Community Groups Kick Off

MONDAY—AUGUST 23

Women Seeking God Bible Study/Takachs 6:30 P (2nd & 4th Mondays)

TUESDAY—AUGUST 24

Chapin Academy (Each Tues. & Thurs.) 8:00 A 7:00 P Facilities Committee Meeting/RM 134

SUNDAY—AUGUST 29

9:30 A Worship Service (Each Sunday Morning) 10:45 A Sunday School (For all ages)

4:45 P Gravity (5th-6th grades) Fall Kickoff/Bonnetts

TUESDAY—AUGUST 31

6:30 P Facilities Committee Meeting/RM 134

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Check it out for more updates and information!

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