

For detailed history and information about Vandalia, the Schoolhouse and Chapel, and the **Vandalia Community Preservation Association**, its purpose and goals, please visit the **VCPA** website:

<http://vandaliacpa.org/>

and



DO all the good you can, **BY** all the means you can, **IN** all the ways you can, **IN** all the places you can, **AT** all the times you can, **TO** all the people you can, **AS** long as ever you can.

—John Wesley, English Evangelist, 1703 – 1791

How to Join, Donate, or Volunteer!

Just complete and return the following form to:

**Vandalia Community
Preservation Association
5471 Vandalia Road
Spencer, IN 47460**

Checks may be made payable to the **VCPA**.

Your gift will help to preserve two historically significant structures in Vandalia, Indiana (recognized on the National Register of Historic Places and the Indiana Registry of Historic Sites and Structures) for the education, use, and enjoyment of future generations and keep the **Vandalia Community Preservation Association** going strong!

Thank you!



☐ **\$25** – for **VCPA Membership** (one year)

☐ \$ _____ – for the **VCPA General Operating Fund** for upkeep, maintenance, and preservation of the Vandalia Chapel and Schoolhouse.

Total Enclosed: \$ _____

☐ Please send a receipt for my tax-deductible donation to the address below. [The **VCPA** is a nonprofit 501(c)(3) organization.]

☐ I am declining the opportunity to become a member or donate at this time, but will consider volunteering my time and talents to the VCPA. You may contact me at this address.

Name:

Address:

City:

State: _____ **Zip:** _____

Phone: _____

Email: _____

Built in 1895, the **Vandalia Chapel** is well suited and most frequently used for small old-fashioned wedding ceremonies or intimate funeral services but can also serve as a gathering place for other approved groups.

The **Vandalia Schoolhouse**, built around 1863, is furnished with antique school desks, benches, tables and chairs, an old pot-belly stove, and still has the original blackboards in place. It offers students (young and old) a trip back into history and is ideal for educational field trips.

In this building there is also a working range (with oven) and a refrigerator. Furnishings can be slightly rearranged, if necessary, to use it alone as a cozy meeting room or in conjunction with the Chapel (i.e., for a small wedding reception or as a pre- or post-funeral gathering place for friends and family).

Note: While there are convenient primitive outhouses on site, neither of the historic buildings has indoor plumbing or running water.



Do keep us in mind and get in touch with any questions you may have about scheduling and our policies for use.



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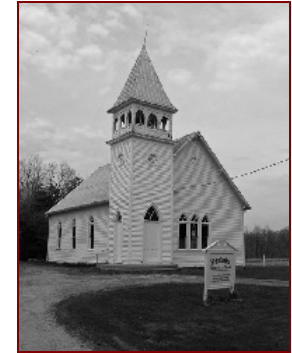
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These Historic Buildings Are Available For Public & Private Gatherings

The **Vandalia Community Preservation Association** welcomes and encourages responsible family, community, educational, private and public groups to use the two historic buildings it strives to preserve and maintain in Vandalia, Indiana. For a donation to the **VCPA** [a nonprofit, 501 (c)(3) organization] to assist with maintenance and utilities, we are happy to make them available to folks who appreciate and will enjoy the unique opportunity to gather here and take a step back in time.

