



Trinity Parish Newsletter

January/February 2022

Trinity United Methodist Parish

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Cabery UMC

Ames & Chester Sts, Cabery, IL 60919
815/949-1681

Cullom UMC

VanAlstyne & Walnut Sts.
Cullom, IL 60929
815/689-2484

Kempton UMC

305 Main Street
Kempton, IL 60946
815/253-6373

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Vickie Wright

Treasurer---Linda Haberkorn

Newsletter – Deb English

Bulletins – Vicki Allen

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It is that time of year to say Happy New Year everyone and let's hope it is a good one. Well, I for one, believe that we are due for a good year; it has been a little while since we had one.

So, I have an idea. Instead of wanting to have a good year, let's start this year off by just wanting to have a good day. And by that, I mean let's wake up each day, start by saying, "Good morning God, good morning, Jesus, good morning Holy Spirit." Do our devotionals, have our prayer time and ask God, "What can I do for you today?"

If we ask God every day to put us into a situation where we can help build His Kingdom here on earth, we will have a good day. When we put God first, helping others second, and ourselves third we will be taken care of. Taken care of for that day and taken care of for eternity.

What good is it, my brothers, if someone says he has faith but does not have works? Can that faith save him?" James 2:14

Will our works save us? Certainly not. What it is saying is faith without works is dead.

*"17 So also faith by itself, if it does not have works, is dead."
James 2:17*

If we go through life day by day without works, we will have a dead day. We live by faith; faith that says we believe in a God we cannot see. We believe in a Son that we have only read about. But to prove that faith, we help others, for that is what we were instructed to do.

Do you really want to have a good year in 2022? Let us start by having a good day each and every day. And then after we compile our days at the end of the year, all 365 days, I promise we will be able to look back and say, "That 2022 was a good year" no matter what happens.

May God's love bless you and keep you this coming year in your works based on your faith.

Pastor John

A close-up photograph of a hand with fingers spread in a prayer gesture, set against a background of soft, golden light and sparkling particles, creating a warm and ethereal atmosphere.

NEW YEAR PRAYER:

Thank You Lord for giving me
The brand new year ahead.
Help me live the way I should
As each new day I tread.
Give me gentle wisdom
That I might help a friend,
Give me strength and courage
So a shoulder I might lend.
The year ahead is empty,
Help me fill it with good things
Each new day filled with joy
And happiness it brings.
Amen.

Please keep the following in your prayers.....

Andrew Bergan, Agnes Schramm, Ron and Diane Shapland

The family of Mike Heiser

The family of Harold Pinnow

All those serving in the armed forces here and abroad.

Articles & news for the March/ April Newsletter should be sent to Deb English no later than February 15, 2022.
Address: PO Box 175, Kempton, IL 60946 e-mail: english6@frontiernet.net

Newsletter distribution is done by Meri Knapp. If you have an address change or would like to receive your newsletter by email, please contact her at maknapp@frontiernet.net

Please give Deb English and Vicki Allen all dates for your parish activities! They will strive very hard to get you a complete newsletter and bulletin. Thank you!!!

Vicki's address: 32951 E 1400 North Rd, Cullom, IL 60929 vkallen@maxwire.net

TRINITY PARISH REPORT November 2021

Checking Beginning Balance November 1, 2021		\$21,423.85
Deposits:		
Apportionments	\$ 2,731.92	
Interest from Checking Account	\$ 3.66	
Total Deposits	\$ 2,735.58	<u>\$2,735.58</u>
		\$24,159.43
Expenditures:		
Salary 11-1-21 thru 11-30-21	\$ 1,356.52	
IL 501 Tax-Pastor	\$ 67.81	
Pastor John-monthly phone reimburse	\$ 100.00	
IGRC Pension	\$ 290.00	
Westpath Pension	\$ 175.00	
	\$ 1,989.33	<u>\$1,989.33</u>
Ending Balance November 30,2021		\$22,170.10

CULLOM UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

November 2021
Bob Wright, Treasurer

GENERAL FUND

Balance November 1, 2021	\$ 7,942.70
Deposits	\$ 3,120.00
Expenses	\$ 2,498.92
Balance as of November 30, 2021	<u>\$ 8,563.78</u>

BUILDING FUND

Balance as of November 1, 2021	\$ 270.99
Deposits	\$ -
Expenses	\$ -
Balance November 30, 2021	\$ 270.99

CABERY UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

November 2021
Sue Bergan, Treasurer

Memorial Fund	\$ 2,956.66
Building Fund	\$ 964.96
Needy Fund	\$ 162.18
Sunday School Fund	\$ 162.19
General Fund	\$ 1,561.77

KEMPTON UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

November 2021
Deb English, Treasurer

Beginning Balance	\$ 861.15
Receipts	\$ 2,581.00
Expenses	\$ 1,494.85
Ending Balance	\$ 1,947.30

Accolade Health Care

300 W Lowell Ave
Pontiac, IL 61764
815-842-1181

Donna Haag-Cu,M



McLean Co Nursing Home

901 N Main St, Room 447
Normal, IL 61761

Evelyn Statler-K,M



**Prairieview Lutheran
Home Faith Center**

PO Box 4
Danforth, IL 60930 - 0004
Ph: 815-269-2970



**Evenglow Lodge &
Tjardes Health Care Center**

215 E Washington
Pontiac, IL 61764
Ph: 815-844-6131

Rosie Dietz-Cu,C
Pat Fagan-Cu,L
Eldon Flessner-Cu,L
Leslie Kopp, C,M
Gail Longmire, C,M
Agnes Schramm-Cu,L
Charles&Teresa Stark-Cu,C



Evenglow Inn

1200 Evenglow Lane
Pontiac, IL 61764
815-842-9040

Doris Lowe, K,M
Lois Wallrich, Cu,L



Meadows Mennonite Home

24588 Church St
Chenoa IL 61726

**Good Samaritan - Pontiac
(formerly Livingston Manor)**

1225 S Ewing Dr
Pontiac, IL 61764
Ph: 815-844-5121

Paula Rork-Cu,L



Harvest View

100 Harvest View Lane
Herscher, IL 60941
815-426-2000



Bridges at Butterfield

1485 Butterfield Trail
Kankakee IL 60901



Miller Center

Riverside Health Care
1601 Butterfield Trail
Kankakee, IL 60901
Ph: 815-936-6500



**Presence Merkle Knipprath
Countryside**

1198 E 2900 North Rd
Clifton, IL 60927
Ph: 815-694-2306

Esther Howland-K



Merkle Knipprath Apartments

1190 E 2900 Rd
Clifton, IL 60927
815-694-2306

Palmwood Health Care Center

600 S Maple St
Piper City, IL 60959

Alice Day-Cu,C
Margaret Spangler-C,M

**The Pointe in Pontiac
(formerly Woodridge Living)**

120 N Deerfield Rd
Pontiac, IL 61764

Lavon Wright-K,M



Illinois Veterans Home

1 Veterans Drive
Manteno, IL 60950

Roy Knapp-Cu,M

Vera Clifton
1191 Cricket Lane
Centralia, IL 62801

Please remember these folks!

Key:

- Ca - Cabery
- Cu - Cullom
- K - Kempton
- S - Saunemin

- C - Catholic
- L - Lutheran
- M - Methodist
- N - Nazarene

2021 Poinsettias
Trinity Methodist Churches

Rick & Vicki Allen & Family	In Memory	Richard & Jeweldean Allen Allen & Pauline Edwards
Dee Bergan	In Memory	Gail Clapp
Don & Deb English	In Memory	Harold Pinnow
Don & Bev English (2)	In Memory	Loved Ones
Linda Haberkorn	In Memory	Landon Olsen
Gary & Barb Hamilton	In Memory	Neal & Kathleen Hamilton Dan & Lois Smolkovich
Tate Hummel	In Memory	Bud & Meme Hummel Racie and Gregg Hummel
Kempton UM Women (2)	In Memory	Past Members
John & Susan Lyons	In Memory	Gene & Joan Lyons Ed Seal
Dale & Velma Murphy	In Memory	Eric Leiser Joann Sargeant
J Orin, Doug & Chris Taylor	In Memory	Diana Taylor Parents
Tim & Mary Jane Taylor	In Memory	Parents Claudia Kaiser
Leo & Kathy Weber	In Memory	Roy & Ann Clapp, Gary Clapp Randy Clapp, Sandy Walter
Robert & Vickie Wright & family	In Memory	Kenneth & Venita Lee Merlyn Wright





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2 HOLY COMMUNION Cabery - 8:30 am Kempton - 9:30 am Cullom 10:15 am	3	4	5	6	7	8
9 Cabery - 8:30 am Kempton - 9:30 am Cullom 10:15 am	10 SPRC Kempton 7:00 pm	11	12	13	14	15
16 Cabery - 8:30 am Kempton - 9:30 am Cullom 10:15 am	17 Ad Council Cabery 6:00 pm Cullom 7:00 pm	18	19	20	21	22
23 Cabery - 8:30 am Kempton - 9:30 am Cullom 10:15 am	24 Ad Council Kempton 6:00 pm	25	26 UMW Kempton 1:30 pm	27	28	29
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Birthdays

- 1 Dona Tharp
- 3 Alexa Jensen
- 4 Jennifer Crane
Deanna Myer
- 7 Tierra Turner
- 8 Jeremy Allen
- 11 Audrey Donley
Ron Shapland
- 13 Natalie Cox
- 17 Lavon Wright
Janine Loving
- 19 Gene Webster
- 20 Mike Frame
- 23 Brian Haren
Zach Taylor
- 28 Joyce Grotevant
Krystal Brown
- 30 Joshua Crane
Leo Weber
- 31 Brittany Jergens Leman

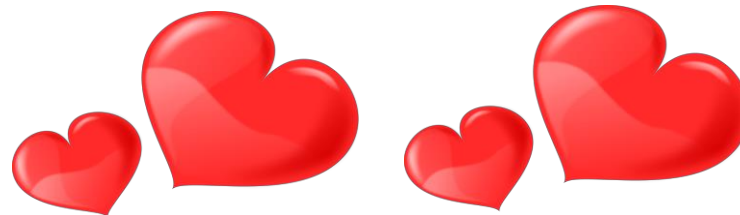
Anniversaries

- 1 Rodney & Candy Godbee
- 2 Don & Bev English
- 10 Brian & Chris Haren



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Birthdays

- 1 Jessica Haberkorn Olsen
- 2 Al Deany
- 6 Jordan Hamilton
- 7 Logan Haren
- 10 Cheryl Juergens
- 11 Luke Tompkins
- 12 Sydney Rasmussen
Meri Knapp
Devin McWhorter
- 13 Matt Weber
- 14 Emily Lowe Bull
- 18 Charlie Grotevant
Angie Turner
- 22 Karen Crane
- 23 Gena Hakerkorn
- 25 Martha Hills
Reagan Raelene Mackinson
- 28 Andrew English

Anniversaries

- 14 Aaron & Natalie Cox
- 17 Steve & Nancy Wright
- 18 Al and Tracy Deany
- 21 Tim & Mary Jane Taylor