



KEMPTON NEW CHURCH NOTE HOME – December 16, 2021

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The Note Home will NOT go out next week.

Please submit notices for the January newsletter by Monday, December 27.

- Thurs., Dec. 16* KNCS Christmas Break begins today after classes, which resume on Monday, January 3.
- Fri., Dec. 17* 8:00 A.M. to 12:00 P.M. – Caleb's Café is open. Please see below.
6:30 P.M. HOLY SUPPER. Please contact Brett on the 16th if wanting to partake.
- Sun., Dec. 19* 10:00 A.M. Adult Service. *Usher/Setup*: Luke Heiter
5:00, 6:00, and 7:30 P.M. Tableaux Services, outdoors. Please see below about seating.
- Fri., Dec. 24* 8:00 A.M. to 12:00 P.M. – Caleb's Café is open. Please see below.
5:00 P.M. Family CHRISTMAS Service
Ushers/Setup: Thos Powell and Gerald van Zyverden
- Sat., Dec. 25* HAPPY CHRISTMAS!
- Sun., Dec. 26* 10:00 A.M. Family Service. *Usher/Setup*: Bengt Boyesen

A Few of the Dates in January

- Sun., Jan. 2* 10:00 A.M. Sunday School Service w/HOLY SUPPER. *Usher/Setup*: George Cauffman
- Mon., Jan. 3* School starts up again.
- Wed., Jan. 5* 10:30 A.M. Winter Study Class at OSV (and every Wednesday morning all month)
- Fri., Jan. 7* 7:15 P.M. Youth Group *Conjugal Love* Class. Location TBD.
- Fri., Jan. 14* Shop Night (see below)
- Sat., Jan. 22* Kempton's Got Talent! (see below)
- Fri., Jan. 28* HOLY SUPPER in the evening

We Wish to Say a Big Thank You for all the yummy and thoughtful gifts in our welcome basket – it is all much appreciated! – Matt and Sara Smith

To Attend One of Our Tableaux Services on Sunday the 19th, being held outdoors, please register for seating ahead of time: 5:00, 6:00, or 7:30 P.M. The form can be found on the church's website (see above). It should be straightforward, but if you have difficulty, feel free to call me. – Brett

2022 Usher Schedule: Paper copies have been put into society Christmas mail boxes, and one's attached here.

Six-Week Winter Study – *The Parables*: This will begin as soon in 2022 as each group is ready to start, so it's not too early to start gathering yourselves together. If you would like to host a group and have seats to offer, or if you want to join a class, please let me or Carla Kerr know so we can help people get connected if needed. Groups are free to invite a minister to lead their discussion if they like. They can also meet in the school library or commons if a home isn't available, and arrange for Zoom attendance if desired. (Due to COVID, meeting protocols should be made clear to everyone in the groups.)

Reading booklets can be picked up after church each week (or at the church office) starting this Sunday, December 19. Will also be posted on our website. – Brett

A Welcome Basket for the Princes: Might you have a welcome-y item for this family of seven that will have moved here by the end of December? A container awaits in the church kitchen for donations. Any time. Deadline: Sunday, January 9. Thanks very much!

[Repeat] The 2022 KNC Wall-Calendars are Still Available: With quotes from the Sacred Scripture and Heavenly Doctrine. In the society room on Sundays and on the office counter during the week. ALL proceeds benefit KNC and KNCS. \$10 each or 10 for \$90. You can pay with cash or a check made out to *Kempton New Church*. Please contact Mark Wyncoll with any questions.

Missing: Hebrew scroll in a blue box. Might you know where it is? – Andy Heilman

Caleb's Café Holiday Hours: Open from 8:00 A.M. to 12:00 P.M. tomorrow, Friday, December 17, and on Friday, December 24. Gift cards and Caleb's Café mugs (and coffee!) will be for sale. Come share some Christmas spirit with friends and community members!

Shop Night at Roger Schrock's on Friday, January 14: 7:30-11:00 P.M. for a little comradery. Bring a drink or snack to share. Call with any questions. – Roger

Kempton's Got Talent!: We are excited to announce the *Kempton's Got Talent!* show happening on Saturday, January 22 (to support our March service trip to Florida). Start thinking about what you and other people could offer. Sometimes it's easier to see talent in someone other than yourself, so encourage each other – and everyone start brainstorming. No need to be shy! – Kempton New Church Youth Group

Anyone Want to Learn How to Knit? Let me know what days of the week and times are good for you (morning, afternoon, evening). If you're already a knitter, you are welcome to simply join us, and if you are having problems with a project, I'd be happy to help. – Anna Volden

Artwork Available: Looking for cards or gifts before Christmas? I was unable to make the Craft Sale this year, but I do have prints, notecards, and original paintings for sale! Feel free to stop by Apartment H at Old School Village (side facing the road; patio door closest to the post office) on Saturday the 18th between 10:00 A.M. and 3:00 P.M., or contact me if you'd like to arrange a different time. I have pictures and prices of available artwork that I can e-mail to you, or you can look at my work at *Ayisha Synnestvedt Fine Art* on Facebook. Thanks – Ayisha (contact by text/call using phone number on society phone list)