



## KEMPTON NEW CHURCH NOTE HOME – December 5, 2024

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- Fri., Dec. 6*      9:00 a.m. One Room Bookstore (Manse)  
                         10:00 a.m. Moms and Tots at OSV  
                         6:30 p.m. Christmas Sing (see details below)
- Sat., Dec. 7*      9:30 a.m. One Room Bookstore (Manse)
- Sun., Dec. 8*      10:00 a.m. Family Service. *Usher/Setup: Cairn King*  
                         2:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m. Craft Sale at Kempton Community Center
- Tues., Dec. 10*   7:30 p.m. Arcana Class at Kate Pitcairn's
- Wed., Dec. 11*   3:00 p.m. Christmas Storybook time at OSV  
                         7:30 p.m. Men's Divine Providence class at OSV  
                         7:30 p.m. School Council Meeting
- Thurs., Dec. 12* 7:30 a.m. – 1:30 p.m. Christmas Store in the Manse  
                         10:00 a.m. Heaven and Hell class at OSV

**The One Room Bookstore Christmas Open House** – At the Manse on Friday, December 6<sup>th</sup>, from 9:00 a.m. - 1:30 p.m. and Saturday, December 7<sup>th</sup> from 9:30 a.m. - 1:00 p.m. There will be a Christmas book read aloud for young children at 10:00 a.m. on both Friday and Saturday. Coloring pages and toys will be available for small children. - Genta

**Moms and Tots Play Group** is happening this Friday morning, December 6<sup>th</sup>. The meeting time is from 10:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. We will be meeting in the OSV gym. Bring balls and riding toys for your tots to play with if you would like! Hope to see you there!

**Come to a Society Christmas Sing** on December 6<sup>th</sup>! We want this to be a fun-filled community event for all ages and abilities. Come for the cookie break and kid's craft even if you are a nervous singer! We will follow the tradition of years past by singing our favorite Christmas carols beginning at 6:30. At 7:30 we will take a break for snacks and time to celebrate the season together while giving families time to take small children home if needed. We will begin singing again at 8:00. Drinks will be provided but please bring a favorite Christmas snack or dessert to share. New green Festival books will be available for purchase for \$12 at this event. Any questions please contact Becky or Heather.

### **Christmas Wreath Fundraiser: To Support Our Church and School**

Come make your own Christmas wreath for a donation to the church OR help make wreaths to sell at the Kempton Craft Sale!

Who's invited? Ladies of all ages

When? Friday, December 6, 2:00 p.m.-5:00 p.m.  
And Saturday, December 7, 9:00 a.m.-3:00 p.m.

Where? Jungé's barn (1054 Mountain Road) Just pull up outside the barn.

How much? A large wreath w/ pine cones + bow - \$15; A small w/ pine cones + bow - \$10

Supplies available? I'll have a wonderful variety of greens and holly, large and small wreath frames, red and gold bows, and pine cones available. There will also be hot drinks and snacks.

What should I bring? If you can bring your own clippers, that would be great. (I'll have a few spares if you need to borrow some.)

Do I need to know how to make a wreath? No, I'll be available to show you how to make your wreath if you are new to it or need a review. The process is pretty formulaic. You are also welcome to come and cut greens for others if that is more your speed.

What if I want to buy a wreath at the craft sale? Wreaths will be for sale outside at the Kempton Community Center entrance at the craft sale on December 8th, 2-4pm. Prices will be \$15 for a small and \$20 for a large. First come, first served!

Please reach out with any questions. Making a wreath is a fun way to make your home beautiful in preparation for Christmas. Hope to see you there! Katrin (484) 256-7527

### **Kempton Craft Sale**

It's here! This weekend, on Sunday, December 8<sup>th</sup>, from 2:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m., we will be holding the Kempton New Church Craft Sale at the **Kempton Community Center**. If you have any friends that do not regularly read the Note Home, please let them know of the date, time and location change.

As a reminder, we are holding a Cake Walk and raffle to help support the church. We would love some additions to these activities, so if you are interested in donating, please let Kit know. We will be putting a donation box out at the event for anyone who would like to donate to the cost of the new space this year.

Also, it is not too late to sign up for a table! We ask folks sign up before Saturday morning, as we will be finalizing the layout that afternoon. Please let Kit (215-531-0534, [klrose85@gmail.com](mailto:klrose85@gmail.com)) know if you'd like a table and if you have any special requests (i.e. electricity). Crafters are welcome to start setting up at 12:00 p.m., and have until 6:00 p.m. for clean-up. Reminder, we can't hang or tape anything to the walls, so please plan your tables accordingly. We have plenty of tables and room, so don't be shy!

And finally, get excited! We have so many wonderful crafters (children and adults) who have signed up. Please come and support them and the church and come home with their special crafts for you or your loved ones. We can't wait to see you all there!

**Do you have a dress form we could borrow?** We are in need of one for the craft sale on Sunday. Thanks! The Olmstead's 484-955-3069.

**Christmas Store in the Manse:** The hours for the Christmas Store are as follows:

Thursday, Dec. 12<sup>th</sup> 7:30 a.m. - 1:30 p.m.

Friday, Dec. 13<sup>th</sup> 7:30 a.m. - 1:30 p.m.

Saturday, Dec. 14<sup>th</sup> 8:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.

Thursday, Dec. 19<sup>th</sup> 7:30 a.m. - 1:30 p.m.

Friday, Dec. 20<sup>th</sup> 7:30 a.m. - 1:30 p.m.

Saturday, Dec. 21<sup>st</sup> 8:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.

**Caleb's Café:** Resuming the regular hours: Thursday and Friday 7:30 a.m. – 1:30 p.m., and Saturday 8:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.

**Like-new snow plow for sale:** 108" Wide Skid Steer Manual Angle Snow Blade With Curved Top from Spartan Equipment. Too wide for my driveway. Would cost \$3,800+ today. I can lift it onto your trailer. Text offer to Judah 484-878-7026

**Would you like to decorate the church for Christmas?** The poinsettias are already taken care of. Call Jen McQueen if you're interested. Thanks!