## TRINITY CHURCH TIDINGS DECEMBER 2025

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WORSHIP TIMES
Saturday @ 5:00 pm
Sunday @ 10:30 am



#### "Our Dear Christ Enters In"

In any given year, approximately 131 million Americans travel home to visit family and friends. For many going home means get-togethers, extra food and cookies, and gift exchanges. Unfortunately, many times in the hustle and bustle of home life, the spiritual blessings of Advent and Christmas get buried in the trappings of the season. What if our goal this year was to simply let our dear Christ enter into our homes and into our lives? How does his entry into the world speak into and even change our approach to this season? In this special series for Advent and Christmas, we look at what happens when Christ enters in and makes our hearts his home.

Week 1: Family Tree – Jesus enters into a unique family tree that demonstrates to us how blessed we are to be a part of the family tree of God because of him.

Week 2: Home Hurts – In this broken world, our homes are not immune from hurt. But Jesus enters in to comfort and heal us when we encounter pain and suffering.

Week 3: Baby Names – We contemplate the name *Jesus*, which was given to him at his birth. It is a reminder to us of his reason for entering in to our world: He came to save us.

Week 4: Company Comes – We prepare our hearts for the coming of Jesus just as we get ready when company comes to our homes.

Christmas Eve: Great Joy – With great joy we welcome him into our lives and remember that he has come to prepare a home for us forever.

Christmas Day: In Our Hearts – We, like Mary, ponder the events of this day, treasuring them in our hearts.

God's Blessings,

Pastor Nyck Greig

Holiday Worship Schedule

December 14<sup>th</sup> @ 10:30am: Sunday School Christmas Pageant & Service

December 24<sup>th</sup> @ 5:00pm: Family Christmas Eve Service (Communion)

December 24<sup>th</sup> @ 9:00pm: Christmas Eve Candlelight Service (Communion)

December 25<sup>th</sup> @ 10:00am: Christmas Day Service (Communion)

December 31<sup>st</sup> @ 7:00pm: New Years Eve Service (Communion)



#### Cookie Walk December 6 & 7



Calling all bakers and cookie tasters ... it's time for a cookie walk! We would love your help by baking a plate /container of cookies. You can bring them in with you to church or drop them off earlier in the week (Monday-Thursday 8am-3pm). Please use disposable containers. We will have 2 walks, one Saturday evening and one Sunday morning, both following the worship service. Come and fill a tray and sample the goodness from all of our talented bakers. This fundraiser will support upcoming youth group events. Thank you!



#### **Christmas Caroling** Sunday, December 7 at 12:45pm

All are invited to join us on Dec. 7 to go caroling. We will meet at Elderwood Nursing Home, 1818 Como Park Blvd. in Lancaster, in the entryway lobby at 12:45pm to begin our journey. After singing for the residents, we will travel down the road to Greenfields. What a wonderful chance to brighten someone's Christmas by singing about Jesus' coming!



#### **Sunday School Pageant**

Our Sunday School children will be leading worship with their annual Christmas pageant on December 14<sup>th</sup> at the 10:30am service. Please join us!

#### **Parents Night Out** Saturday, December 13, 2025 5:00pm - 9:30pm



On Saturday, December 13th Trinity's Youth Group will host a babysitting event for parents to have a night to themselves. Enjoy this opportunity for peaceful shopping or a special date night! Potty-trained children ages 3 and up may register for a fun-filled evening at the school which will include games, dinner (hot dogs and mac & cheese), crafts, and a movie. Scan the code or email our new Youth Director, Nathan Thomack at youthministry@trinitywny.org by December 10<sup>th</sup> to register.



We will once again be partnering with Renaissance House to collect gifts for the young men and women on their campus. We will have the angel tags out soon, please take an angel, purchase the requested item (lounge pants for girls or basketball shorts for guys), and return the item in a gift bag by Sunday December 14th.

We will also have some Angels for young men and women involved with the Special Olympics. Items being purchased for these angels will include lounge pants, basketball shorts, as well as toiletries. Please purchase the specific item listed on the angel tag. Thank you!

#### **Operation Christmas Child Thank You!**

Thank you everyone who donated gift filled shoeboxes or monetary donations for the Operation Christmas Child project! We were able to collect approximately 60 boxes this year and we pray that the children who receive them are moved by the word of Jesus in their lives.

#### **Trinity School News**

#### **Grandparents Day**

Grandparents Day at Trinity was a wonderful celebration! With two special events—one for PreK and one for K thru 8—we welcomed about 250 grandparents and special adults to join us for chapel, enjoy snacks, and take part in fun activities with their grandchildren. There was wonderful music by several classes and the Alleluia Choir, to make the event even more special. We thank God for the gift of grandparents and the love, faith, and wisdom they share with our students!



#### **Sweet Treats for Trinity Staff**

As a fun way to show appreciation for our Trinity teachers, we recently gathered a list of each staff member's favorite sweet treat. We're sharing that list with the congregation so that, if you feel moved to do so, you may surprise a teacher with a small goodie anytime during the year. Your kindness and encouragement mean so much to our hardworking staff, and even a simple treat can brighten their day. Thank you for supporting and loving our Trinity teachers!

Some teacher favs are: Sweet Tart ropes, Justin's PB cups, Reeses cups, anything with caramel, Dove chocolate, Smarties, orange candy, chocolate, Kit Kats, cupcakes, M+Ms, ice cream, dark chocolate, Twix, Butterfinger, donuts.

#### **Basketball and Cheer Underway**

Basketball season is underway at Trinity! This year we have two JV teams—boys and girls—who are already working hard and showing great teamwork. Our varsity boys team is competing once again in the Western New York Christian League, and we're looking forward to an exciting season of growth, sportsmanship, and school spirit! We also have a Cheer Club for girls in grades K-2. They cheer at the home games, and really inspire the players and crowd.

#### **Parent Pulse Survey Program**

Parent Pulse is a national parent survey organization. It is an ongoing feedback tool designed to help Trinity stay connected with families throughout the school year. Several times a year, parents are invited to share their thoughts through a short, anonymous survey, giving us helpful insight into what is going well and where we can continue to grow. We are grateful for the thoughtful responses we've received so far—they encourage our staff and help guide our planning. Below are a few of the positive comments shared by parents in the most recent Parent Pulse:

- "Love the teachers, atmosphere, Christian values and the small family-like community within the school."
- "Trinity has great values and is dedicated to the students and families."
- "We appreciate everything you do for the students of Trinity. Your hard work does not go unnoticed."
- "The school offers small class sizes which gives more opportunity for one-on-one instruction for students. The school teaches great Christian values and offers a variety of extra curricular activities."

\*\* For the 2024-2025 school year Trinity received a Parent Choice Award from Parent Pulse, which means that Trinity's scores were among the highest in the nation.\*\*

#### **Hope Willert Leads Chapel**



At chapel on 11/19, we were blessed to hear from Trinity alumna **Hope Willert**, a missionary serving in Zambia. Hope shared about her exciting and varied work at Poetice—teaching students, leading youth, and even helping with well-

digging when needed! She explained that everything their ministry does, whether in words or actions, is designed to help people know Jesus. Hope shared Colossians 3:23: "Whatever you do, work at it with all your heart, as working for the Lord, not for human masters," and encouraged our Trinity students to consider how they can share the love of Jesus right here in the Buffalo area through the way they live, work, and speak each day. Hope needs to raise funds for her next year in Poetice. To help with this she has a Pancake Breakfast fundraiser coming up on Sunday. Check out the details below.

Read more about Hope's work in Zambia on page 8 of this newsletter. If you would like to support Hope for the upcoming year, please scan the QR code.



#### **December Youth Events**

- Youth Night: Wednesday, 12/3 from 6:30pm-8:00pm
- Cookie Walk Fundraiser: Saturday, 12/6 after the 5:00pm worship service and Sunday, 12/7 after the 10:30am worship service
- White Elephant Christmas Party: Wednesday, 12/10 from 6:00pm-8:00pm All 5<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup> graders invited! Bring a "white elephant" gift (\$12 limit) and a snack to share.
- Parent's Night Out Babysitting Fundraiser: Saturday, 12/14 from 5:00pm-9:30pm

#### **Youth Quake 2026**

The Youth Quake in PA is coming up on January 23rd - 25th. It is going to be an awesome event for all 6th-12th grade students. There will be worship, different sessions to learn from, and fun events for all to attend. This weekend is hosted in the Pittsburgh Airport Marriott hotel located at 777 Aten Rd, Coraopolis, PA 15108. We are looking for chaperones to help drive and watch over the students. If you are interested, please let Nathan know at <a href="mailto:youthaministry@trinitywny.org">youthaministry@trinitywny.org</a>.

Click this link to register your child: <a href="https://subsplash.com/u/-XNMXQR/forms/d/64ed3f3d-1f68-4704-ba46-841454814488">https://subsplash.com/u/-XNMXQR/forms/d/64ed3f3d-1f68-4704-ba46-841454814488</a>

Click this link for more details, cost, and scholarship information: <a href="https://docs.google.com/document/d/1kkFJ7dFWJrcCCqLX1A0JkFWbYHvVwGYIP\_iv-043eE8/edit?usp=sharing">https://docs.google.com/document/d/1kkFJ7dFWJrcCCqLX1A0JkFWbYHvVwGYIP\_iv-043eE8/edit?usp=sharing</a>

Discount given for registration before 1/1/26!

#### **Buffalo Fundraiser Update**

Thanks to all those who participated in the Buffalo Fundraiser, along with the families who wrangled them from yard to yard. We were able to collect a total of \$1,480!!! Also, a big thank you to Kevin Kot for his time and effort in creating the buffalo herd! The buffalos are hibernating for the winter...they will be back in May 2026.

#### Save The Dates ~ 2026

1/18 ~ High Point Ski Trip 1/23-1/25 ~ Youth Quake (all 6th-12th grade students) 2/8 ~ Super Bowl Sub Fundraiser 3/6-3/7 ~ Youth Lock-in



# 69<sup>th</sup> Annual Christmas Candlelight Vespers Sunday, December 14, 2025 5:00pm Carol Sing / 5:30pm Vespers First Trinity Lutheran Church (1570 Niagara Falls Blvd.)

Invite your family and friends ... all are welcome! Contact David Werth at <a href="mailto:dwerth@FirstTrinity.com">dwerth@FirstTrinity.com</a> / (716) 276-8263

#### **LADD Volunteers Needed**

Southtowns LADD Thrift Shop (2280 Seneca St., Buffalo) is in need of volunteers on Mondays and Saturdays from 10:00am-3:00pm. If you can volunteer, even if it's one day per month, please contact Lin Rowsell at (716) 652-1314.

#### **Memorial Plaques**

You can remember deceased loved ones who were members of Trinity in a special way by purchasing a small engraved tab plaque to go on our Memorial Plaque located in the church's fellowship area. They're only \$25! Order forms can be obtained from the church office. This quarter's order deadline is January 11.

#### **Recycle Greeting Cards**

Please save and donate your cards. Cut off just the front cover (no personal notes on the backside). Hallmark, Disney, and American Greetings cards **cannot** be recycled. Place in cards Linda Rowsell's message center box in the coat room. Religious Christmas cards are used to make booklets for shut-ins. All others are sent to St. Jude Ranch for Children. Thank you!

#### Altar Guild Meeting Monday, December 8 at 6:00pm

There will be a meeting for all Altar Guild members on December 8 at 6:00pm in the church narthex. Refreshments and donuts will be served.

New members are always welcome!!! Are you interested in joining the Altar Guild or would like to know more information about what we do? If so, please plan to attend this meeting or you can contact Ruth Zawadzki or Gerry Swart.



Do you have someone that you would like to add onto **Trinity's prayer chain**? If so, please contact Judy Schmidt at judyschmidt349@roadrunner.com / (716) 926-9054 with your request.



#### 2026 Altar Flowers & Candles

The 2026 sign-up charts are on the bulletin board in the church coatroom. Sign up for your special occasion today!

Flowers: \$10 per vase and you get to take them home after the Sunday service! We are asking that 2 families sign up for each week. Payments should be placed in the Church Office's message center - make checks payable to "Trinity Lutheran Church" (memo: Altar Flowers).

**Altar Candles:** \$25 per month (per family). Two families should sign-up each month to cover the total cost. Checks should be made payable to: "*Trinity Lutheran Church*" and placed in the Church Office message center.

\*Please make sure to include your name and \* special intentions on the sign-up sheets.

#### **West Seneca News**

#### **Tree Lighting Ceremony**

The Town of West Seneca Tree Lighting Ceremony will be on **December 6 at 4:00pm** at the Library / Community Center.

#### **West Seneca Food Pantry**

The WS Food Pantry served over 275 families each week in October. The pantry is currently in need of rice (not large bags), canned beans (not green beans - all other kinds), tuna fish and canned chicken. All other non-perishable food items are also appreciated. Donations can be dropped off at the pantry at any time (51 St. Davids Drive, West Seneca - next to St. David's Episcopal church at the South Gate Plaza parking lot) or placed in the red food wagon located in the entryway at our church.

#### **West Seneca District Clothing Closet**

The closet, located at 900 Mill Road - Door 1, West Seneca, opens their doors on select dates each month for walk-in shopping (no appointment needed). All families living in the West Seneca School District are welcome to stop by once a month to pick out free clothing, shoes, winter gear, school supplies, and hygiene items. Check the Community Resource Closet section on the West Seneca School District website (wscschools.org).

#### West Seneca Town Band "Sounds of the Season"

#### December 13 at 6:15 pm At Fourteen Holy Helper's Church

The West Seneca Brass Ensemble will also be playing at the West Seneca Tree Lighting on Dec. 6 from 5pm-6pm and at the West Seneca Town Hall on Dec. 22 at 5:30pm.

#### **Christmas Vespers**

All are welcome at Ebenezer United Church of Christ (630 Main St., West Seneca) on Friday, December 12 at 7pm for an hour of choral and instrumental music to celebrate the Christmas season. Refreshments provided following the service.

#### WS Police Department Community Training Opportunities 2026

A variety of training programs are being held during 2026 at the West Seneca Community Center & Library (1250 Union Road). Programs include vehicle / traffic safety and education; DWI detection and enforcement; CPR & AED training; crime scene analysis and processing; and mental health awareness. A detailed list of these training sessions with dates / times is on the bulletin board in the coatroom.

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### **Media Fact Sheet**

#### What Is Stephen Ministry?

Stephen Ministry is a complete system for training and organizing laypeople to provide one-to-one care to hurting people in the congregation and community. There are three main groups of people involved in Stephen Ministry:

- Stephen Leaders are lay leaders, church staff, and pastors trained by Stephen Ministries St. Louis to direct their congregation's Stephen Ministry.
- Stephen Ministers are lay congregation members trained by their Stephen Leaders to provide care to hurting individuals.
- Care receivers are people who meet with a Stephen Minister to receive care while experiencing a difficult time in life.

The name Stephen Ministry comes from Stephen, one of the first laypeople commissioned by the Apostles to provide caring ministry to those in need (Acts 6:1–7).

#### The History of Stephen Ministry

Stephen Ministry began in 1975 when the Rev. Kenneth C. Haugk, Ph.D., a pastor and clinical psychologist, trained nine members of his St. Louis church to assist him in providing Christian care and support to people, both in the congregation and the community, who were experiencing life difficulties. These first Stephen Ministers were so excited by the ministry that they encouraged Dr. Haugk to offer Stephen Ministry to more congregations.

On November 3, 1975, Dr. Haugk and his wife, Joan, founded Stephen Ministries St. Louis as a non-profit organization. At first, Dr. Haugk traveled to other congregations to train their Stephen

Ministers himself. However, due to the ministry's rapid growth, in 1978 Stephen Ministries began holding Leader's Training Courses to equip Stephen Leaders, congregation representatives who would then train and supervise their own congregations' Stephen Ministers. Since then, Stephen Ministries St. Louis has used this "train the trainers" model to empower thousands of congregations and other organizations to begin and grow Stephen Ministry.

#### **How Stephen Ministry Works**

Stephen Ministry in each church is led by Stephen Leaders—lay leaders, church staff, and pastors who are trained by Stephen Ministries St. Louis through the online Bridge Leader's Training Course. Following their training, Stephen Leaders recruit and select laypeople from their congregation to serve as Stephen Ministers.

Stephen Leaders then train their congregation's Stephen Ministers, covering topics such as listening, understanding difficult feelings, maintaining confidentiality, and ministering to people in specific situations, including grief, divorce, medical crises, terminal or chronic illness, infertility and other family issues, and more. Stephen Ministers also learn to recognize when a care receiver may need care beyond what a Stephen Minister is able to provide and how to work with Stephen Leaders to make referrals to the appropriate type of care.

After completing training, Stephen Ministers are commissioned by their congregations and matched with care receivers by their Stephen Leaders. A Stephen Minister typically meets with their care receiver once a week for about an hour, for as long as the need for care persists. Stephen Ministers also meet regularly with their

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Stephen Leaders for supervision, support, and continuing education.

#### **Stephen Ministry Statistics**

These statistics are updated annually.

- Congregations: More than 13,000 congregations are enrolled in Stephen Ministry. They represent 187 different Christian denominations and come from all 50 states, 10 Canadian provinces, and 30 other countries.
- People: More than 75,000 pastors, church staff, and laypeople have been trained as Stephen Leaders. These Stephen Leaders in turn have trained over 600,000 congregation members to be Stephen Ministers. Those Stephen Ministers have provided distinctively Christian care to more than 1.5 million people in one-to-one Stephen Ministry caring relationships, and have also used their caregiving skills to touch the lives of millions more.

#### The Stephen Ministry Logo

The Stephen Ministry logo consists of a cross and circle, together with a broken person and a whole person. The broken person behind the cross symbolizes the brokenness in our lives, while the whole person in front of the cross symbolizes how



we are made whole again through the cross of Jesus. The circle represents both the wholeness we receive through Christ and God's unending love for us.

#### **Important Notes**

- Stephen Ministers are not counselors. They
  are trained to be lay Christian caregivers. Their
  role is to listen and care, not to counsel or advise. Please do not refer to them as counselors.
- Stephen Ministry is a supervised ministry.
   Stephen Ministers engage in twice-monthly

- supervision, led by their Stephen Leaders, to ensure that they are providing the best Christian care they can.
- Stephen Ministry is a confidential ministry.
  What a care receiver tells a Stephen Minister stays between the two of them. Even in supervision, the names of care receivers and specific details are never discussed.

#### **About Stephen Ministries St. Louis**

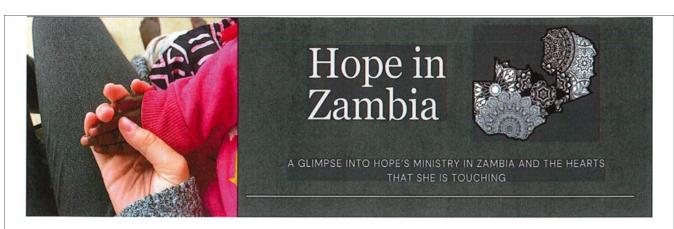
Stephen Ministries St. Louis is a not-for-profit, independent Christian educational organization. The St. Louis-based staff provides training and support for congregations using Stephen Ministry, as well as developing books, courses, and other resources on a wide range of caregiving topics. Dr. Kenneth C. Haugk serves as the organization's Executive Director.

Stephen Ministries' other resources include:

- · Journeying through Grief
- Don't Sing Songs to a Heavy Heart: How to Relate to Those Who Are Suffering
- Cancer—Now What? Taking Action, Finding Hope, and Navigating the Journey Ahead
- Christian Caregiving—a Way of Life
- Speaking the Truth in Love: How to Be an Assertive Christian
- Discovering God's Vision for Your Life: You and Your Spiritual Gifts
- Caring for Inactive Members: How to Make God's House a Home
- Antagonists in the Church: How to Identify and Deal with Destructive Conflict

#### **Media Requests**

If you are a member of the media and would like to speak with a member of our staff, please contact our Communications Department at (314) 428-2600.



I wake up, roll out of bed, and go straight for my coffee. I groggily get ready for the day and drive the four minutes to work. As I step out of the car, caffeine finally pumping through my veins, I walk over to my classroom and am greeted by a chorus of voices chanting, "Teacher Hope! Teacher Hope!" I plant my feet as my students run over to me, giving me the biggest bear hugs and trying to get as close to me as humanly possible. And that is when I remember that I am not "just a teacher." This is not a role to take lightly. I literally have the amazing opportunity to speak into the hearts and minds of these children every day and to show them the love of Christ. One hug at a time, one day at a time, the Lord is using me to help shape the future of Zambia for His glory.



My name is Hope and I have the privilege of being a Teacher's Assistant and Ministry Assistant at a missions organization in Zambia called Poetice. I spend most of my time in the classroom with my 13 kiddos or preparing teaching materials, but I also help out with some other ministry outlets that we have at Poetice, like Youth House.

Zambia's population is rapidly growing – however, there are not enough schools for the many children that are growing up in this nation. Even so, most of the schools that do exist are over-filled with over-worked teachers and do not provide a quality education. That is why we decided to start a school at Poetice

- we are pioneering a school where children receive not only a quality education, but also a place where they are welcomed, seen, and covered in the love of God.

I am beyond thankful that the Lord has blessed me with this life and the ability to share His love with these kids daily. God is so good!

I am preparing to start my second year at Poetice and I am asking for your help. Next year I will be moving to a new house, as our current housing isn't ideal for safety reasons and needs many repairs. Because of this, part of the funds that I am raising will be going towards a bit of a pricier rent, as safe housing in Zambia is not the easiest to find. The funds will also contribute to my salary, sustaining me as I carry out this ministry in Zambia.



#### Hope in Zambia

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The reason that I am able to do this ministry is because the Lord has provided funds through many generous donors. I am asking if you would pray and ask the Lord if he is prompting you to join my support team, whether as a one-time donor or a monthly donor.



This year I am specifically looking for more monthly donors to add to my team as it will create a more steady and reliable source of income throughout the year. Please also consider praying for me that the Lord would give me strength as I begin another year in Zambia. I am so excited to see what He is going to do! See the link or the QR code below if you would like to donate, and feel free to email me if you have questions or just want to chat about what I do!

Blessings,

Hope Willert



Donation Link: poetice.org/hopewillert

Email: hope@poetice.org

#### Pancake Breakfast Thank You

Thank you so much to everyone who attended and supported the pancake breakfast fundraiser for my mission work in Zambia. Because of your generosity, I was able to raise \$2,000 toward the \$35,000 needed to continue my ministry for the coming year. I am truly grateful for your prayers, encouragement, and financial support as I serve Christ and the community in Choma, Zambia. Your kindness means more than I can say.

~ Hope Willert

#### **Cemetery Plot Increase**

Effective January 1, 2026, the cost to purchase a plot in Trinity's Cemetery will be increasing.

- Members currently \$700 per plot with a \$100 discount per plot when purchasing 2 or more at the same time. As of 1/1/26, the cost will be \$1,000 per plot with the same discount given as outlined above.
- <u>Non-members</u> currently \$1,400 per plot (no discount given). As of 1/1/26, the cost will be \$2,000 per plot (no discount). Non-members must be a former Trinity member or relative of a Trinity member to purchase plots in Trinity Cemetery.

#### **On-Line Giving Update:**

**Effective 12/1/25**, we will no longer be partnering with Vanco for on-line giving. Everyone wishing to give / tithe on-line will need to sign up for an account on our new Subsplash program. Set up your recurring gift here: <a href="https://subsplash.com/u/-XNMXQR/give">https://subsplash.com/u/-XNMXQR/give</a>.

Remember to cancel your old recurring gift through Vanco by 11/30 by signing into your account at: https://secure.myvanco.com/YPC5/home.

#### Thank You Musicians!

Thank you to all who shared their musical gifts and talents in our service of celebration for Trinity's 175 years of music ministry on November 2. Many parts, one voice of praise - organ, trumpets, saxophone, flute, Alleluia Choir, Sunday school children, handbells, adult choir, praise band vocalists and instrumentalists. We are very blessed! To God be the glory!

The top voted hymns were: Amazing Grace; Amazing Grace - My Chains Are Gone; On Eagle's Wings; What A Friend We Have in Jesus; The Old Rugged Cross; The Lamb; A Mighty Fortress; Beautiful Savior; Holy, Holy Holy, Lord God Almighty; Nobody Loves Me Like You Love Me, Jesus.

		<u>.</u>	Happy Birthday		
12/1	Logan Cosandier	12/13	Nancy Stevens	12/23	Noel Anderson
12/2	Michele Baun	12/14	Anna Eising		Chris Kotowski
12/3	Helen Boldt Luci Zarbo	12/16	Vince Zarbo Gianna Conti	12/28	Judith Boersch Carolyn Lehsten Beckett Kopra
12/6	Delaney Colson	12/17	Noell McKernan	12/29 12/30	Nick Gatto
12/7	Joan Sullivan Justin Smith Emma Hope Steve Makosy		Katelyn Barnas		Donnie Antonucci
		12/18	Branson Gabel		Eve LoVullo Cecilia Colson Donna Yox
		12/19	Jerry Meissner		
12/8			Evan McCoy	12/31	
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		12/21	Sandra Gertis		
12/11		12/22	Kevin Kot		
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	12/23 Dan & Joan Sullivan		12/27	Brian & Ellen	Makey

#### PLEASE REMEMBER OUR SHUT-INS THIS HOLIDAY SEASON

Brown, David Mary Agnes Manor - Rm 511, 307 Porter Ave., Buffalo, NY 14201

Jaeckle, Judy Elderwood - Rm 110, 1818 Como Park Blvd., Lancaster, NY 14086

Havens, Mary 26 Eaglebrook, West Seneca, NY 14224

Moeller, Bob & Mary Ann 27 Greenmeadow Drive, West Seneca, NY 14224

Schmidt, Judy 4647 Southwestern Blvd - Apt. 132, Hamburg, NY 14075

Schultz, Thea Greenfield Health & Rehab Center, 5949 Broadway - Rm B115, Lancaster, NY 14086

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