

Pastor for Parish Life
The Rev. John H. Brock
January 2023 Report for December 2022

Recurring Events:

- Staff meeting
- Pastoral Care
- Production / Live Stream Prep meetings
- Live Stream Worship, In Person Sunday / Saturday
- Preach December 17/18
- Write weekly Prayers of the Church (along with Every Member Prayer list) and Pastoral Care report
- Noon prayer service/On Call weekend
- Council
- Worship Team

Additional things:

- Funeral assist - Ruth Dietz family
- Thursday Pastor's Bible Study
- Tuesday Morning Men's Bible Study
- Personal counseling / grief counseling
- Home / Hospital Visitations
- Affirmation of Baptism 7th/8th grade: *Worship: The Word*
- Attend *Christmas at Trinity*
- Financial aid in form of Sheetz Gift Cards for Trinity members, thanks to contributions from Chancel Choir.
- Attend the Zoom meeting for the Cumberland Conference
- Record worship sections for Christmas Eve, Christmas Day on-line worship
- Preside at 2P *Blue Christmas* worship, Pastor Liz preach (Special thanks go to Moses for setting this up, and Joyce Roy & Ron Livingston for assisting). Worship went Very well, and was appreciated by all who took part.
- Presided at double baptism of a father and son
- Christmas Eve: preside at 2P & 6P Traditional worship; greet people at 4P Children's & 8P Contemporary, as well as be a stage hand at Children's play; greet people at 10P Lessons & Carols.
- Christmas Day: preach; preside for most of worship, while Pastor Jack presided at the baptism of his grandson.

Other things:

- I had a few days of vacation from the end of November into the beginning of December.
- I attended the Christmas at Horner's gathering. I very much enjoy that they are willing to open their home to the congregation. I was able to have some good conversation with members that I don't as a rule get to spend much time with.
- I had a CT scan, which showed no changes to my insides, which means that as far as we can tell, my non-Hodgkins follicular lymphoma is being quiet, which is a good thing.
- Marianne & I were able to celebrate 32 years of being married to each other.

God's peace,

Pastor John Brock