



Richland Center, Town and Country



CRE Cathy Van Landuyt

Beginning with the season of Lent, we are highlighting a different congregation each week and ask that you remember them as the John Knox Presbytery Prayer Church of the Week.

This week we commend for your prayers, Town and Country Presbyterian Church of Richland Center, WI and their Pastor/CRE Cathy Van Landuyt. Town and Country of Region 3 in JKP, is a congregation that has gone through a number of transitions. Their name indicates a transition from 1959 when two congregations, one from the country (Fancy Creek) and one from the city (First) came together to form one church here in the city of Richland Center. More recently, Town and Country transitioned when their manse blew up in a natural gas explosion and their pastor of the time was killed. Finally, three years ago the congregation could no longer afford to maintain their building. They sold their facility and began having services in the Nursing home across the street. Today, Town and Country PC has about 20 members on their rolls. But because of residents in the nursing home their average attendance for Sunday services is in the mid 30's. Among their mission projects they are going green by having attendees recycle refuse to develop compost piles. Cathy Van Landuyt has served as their CRE for about 6 years. She is joined on the staff by Tom Cafilisch who preaches twice a month and helps with youth activities. Both folk are special in the life of T & C Presbyterian Church. Please lift them all in your prayers.