

CHURCH RECORD OF THE FRIEDENS UNION CHURCH
ALBANY TOWNSHIP, BERKS COUNTY,
1771-1876.

The record is a large, leatherbound volume, 13,1/2 by 18,1/4 inches in size, which has at present (1933) 364 pages, many of which are blank. The contents of the book is as follows:

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Page 3 has the picture of an angel, rudely drawn and colored, blowing the trumpet and under it the inscription: "Glory to God in the Highest, peace on earth and good will to men. Amen."

There is also the passage Galatians 5:1, written out: "For freedom did Christ set us free: stand fast therefore, and be not entangled again in the yoke of bondage."

The title page on p. 5 reads as follows:

Church Record
for the united Protestant Lutheran and Reformed
congregations, Allemaengel, Pennsylvania,
May 20, 1771.
Daniel Schumacher, 1771.

(5) Donations made to the New Church:

1. Christian Hechler and his wife presented a cup and paten to be used in the Holy Communion, for the united congregation in the church in the year 1771.

2. Jacob Bielman and his wife Eva a baptismal bowl and a baptismal can on the 20th Sunday after Trinity, 1771.

3. Susanna Catharine Nargang presented a white figured altar cloth on the 23rd Sunday after Trinity, 1771, for the use of the united Lutheran and Reformed congregation at the communion.

[BAPTISMAL ENTRIES BY DANIEL SCHUMACHER.]

(23)

[Birth & Bapt.]	[Children;]	[Parents:]	[Sponsors;]
Bapt. May 20, 1771	George Adam	Henry Zimmermann Susanna	Geo. Adam Kraemer Anna Maria
bap. May 20, 1771 b. 8 weeks ago yesterday	John George	Jacob Jurgon Barbara	George Michael Leyby Barbara
bap. May 20, 1771 b. ----	Elisabeth	Elias Rätchen Rosina	Peter Will Elisabeth Henrich, single
bap. May 20, 1771 b. Mar. 29,	John	George Mich. Leyby Barbara	John Reinhardt Magdalene
bap. June 2, 1771 b. Jan. 17,	John Henry	George Haal Anna Magdalene	Jacob Mantz Anna Elisabeth
bap. Sept. 1, 1771 b. Aug. 10, in Weisenburg tnshp.	Maria Elisabeth	John Jacob Hans Anna Margaret	Daniel Schumacher, Ev. luth. pastor wf. Maria Elisabeth
bap. Oct. 13, 1771 b. 5 weeks today	Philip Christopher	Philip Rieseberger Elisabeth	Christopher Rieseberger, Susanna Catharine
(24) bap. Nov. 3, 1771 b. 14 d. today	George Jacob	John Schlencker Anna Margaret	John Geo. Glück Magdalene Männelin
1772			
bap. Apr. 12, 1772 b. Febr. 27,	Susanna	Jacob Bielman Eva	Henry Ruprecht Catharine
bap. Apr. 12, 1772 b. 11 weeks old	Catharine	Henry Ruprecht Catharine	Jacob Bielman Eva
bap. Apr. 12, 1772 b. Mar. 4,	John Henry	Bernhard Kraemer Susanna	George Zimmermann Barbara Halen, singl [Haal]
bap. Apr. 12, 1772 b. Mar. 18,	Christine	Henry Frey Margaret Barbara	Melchior Durr Christine
bap. Apr. 12, 1772 b. Dec. 16, 1771	Daniel	Philip Antony Barbara	John Nicholas Bau- scher & Barbara
May ^{June} bap. May 7, 1772 b. May 12,	Susanna Marg.	Daniel Joh Susanna Marg.	Peter Joh Susan Margaret Bücher
May ^{June} bap. May 7, 1772 b. last Thurs. 8 weeks	John George	George Adam Kraemer Anna Maria	John Geo. Kraemer Elisabeth
May ^{June} bap. May 7, 1772 b. Sunday before Shrovetide	Maria Elisabeth	George Grimm Catharine	Matthew Nothstein Elis. Gruenewalt
(25) May ^{June} bap. May 7, 1772 b. May 12,	Eva Sarah	Philip Jacob Jentzer Eva Sarah	Jacob Grünewaldt Cath. Bossinger
bap. Aug. 2, 1772 b. July 23,	John Jacob	Christopher Sontag Christine	Jacob Bacher Cath. Hollebacher
bap. June 7, 1772 (b. today 3 wks.	John Jacob	Anthony Schaller Anna Maria	John Jacob Bacher Maria Kunkel

[Baptism & Birth]	[Parents]	[Children]	[Sponsors]
John Bielman & wf. bapt. Apr. 24, 1789 b. Mar. 20, 1789	Henry		Henry Probst Cath. Bielmann
Henry Frey Margaret	Anna Margaret	bap. Apr. 24, 1789 b.	Michael Hollenbach wf. Margaret
Frederick Gottschall wf. Cath.	John	bap. Sept. 7, 1789 b. Aug. 13, 1789	Jacob Neyferd Elisabeth
Peter Will Christine	John	bap. Sept. 7, 1789 b. Tuesday after Easter	George Kunckel & wf. Cath.
John Zimmerman Maria Barbara (4)	John	bap. Sept. 7, 1789 b. Aug. 9, 1789	Jacob Zimmerman Christine Dietrich
John Haal Elisabeth	Henry	bap. Jan. 18, 1790 b. 7 weeks old	Henry Haal Susan Zimmerman
Conrad Hollenbach Catharine	Elisabeth	bap. Febr. 30, 1790 b. Jan. 4, 1790	George Grunewald wf. Elisabeth
Martin Stamm Catharine	Susanna	bap. Febr. 20, 1790 b. Dec. 29, 1789	Henry Nothstein Susanna Lempert
Martin Gron Magdalene (5)	Regina	bap. Aug. 15, 1790 b. June 11, 1790	Joseph Gerber Regina, wf.
Henry Steuerwald Catharine	Eva Sarah	bap. (Sept.) 12, b. Sep. 9, 1790	Jacob Mumme & Magd. Eva Stamm
Henry Nothstein Elisabeth	Jacob	bap. June 5, 1791 b. Mar. 24, 1791	Jacob Mumme & wf, Magd.
John George Ruprecht & wf. Barbara	Eva Cath.	bap. July 17, 1791 b. Apr. 9, 1791	Frederick Kramer & wf. Maria Eva
Nicholas Mayer Anna Rosina	John	bap. Dec. 26, 1791 b. Nov. 22, 1791	John Hall & wf. Elisabeth
Susanna Lempert Jacob Kroh	Child	bap. Dec. 26, 1791 b. Oct. 28, 1791	John Henry Steuerwald & wf. Catharine
John Zimmerman Maria Barbara	Catharine	bap. Jan. 15, 1792 b. Jan. 5,	Adam Ditrich & wf. Catharine

[This is the last entry in the paper covered record].

(39) [All the rest of the baptisms are entered in the first record].

[Baptism & Birth]	[Parents]	[Children]	[Sponsors]
bap. Apr. 1, b. Mar. 14, 1792 bap. Apr. 30,	Lorentz Bachman Catharine	Maria	George Gunckel wf. Catharine
	Martin Stamm Elisabeth	Nicholas	Nicholas Lempert wf. Dorothy

b. May 1, 1792 bap. May 27,	Nicholas Hollebach Elisabeth	Jacob	Jacob Meyer Maria Bachert
b. May 6, 1792 bap. May 27,	Johannes Hahl Elisabeth	Mary Magdalene	Jacob Zimmerman Magdalene
b. 7 weeks old bap. June 2, 1792	Martin Kron Magdalene	Mary Magdalene	John Dürr Mary Magdalene
b. July 30, 1792 bapt 12th Sunday after Trinity	John George Ruprecht Barbara	Maria Barbara	Philip Ruprecht Maria Barbara
b. July 10, 1792 bap. Sept. 16,	Lorentz Bachman Susanna	Anna Maria	William Kistler Dorothy
b. Aug. 14, 1792 bap. Sept. 16,	William Gottschall Elisabeth	Thomas	Thomas Gottschall Margaret Neiffert
b. Aug. 19, 1792 bap. Sept. 16, (40)	Jacob Gungel [Kunkel] Elisabeth	George Henry	George Gungel Catharine Frey
b. May 6, 1792 bap. Aug. 28,	Frederick Neidlinger Maria Charlotte	Salome	John Neiffert Elisab. Neidlinger
b. Apr. 3, 1792 bap. Aug. 18	John Hommel Anna Maria	1. Daniel 2. Henry	Daniel Glück & Christine Frederick Krämer Anna Maria
b. Oct. 9, 1792 bap. Oct. 28,	John Berl Magdalene	Elisabeth	Martin Gettelmeier Margaret
b. Oct. 17, 1792 bap. Dec. 9,	John Wageman Elisabeth	Philip	John Klück [Glück] Catharine Wagner
b. Febr. 6, 1793 bap. Apr. 28.	Jacob Reinschmitt Elisabeth	John George	John Geo. Kunkel Catharine
b. 5 weeks old bap. Apr. 28, 1793	Conrad Miller Margaret	John	Jacob Miller Christina Miller
b. June 6, 1793 bap. June 30, 1793	John Zimmermann Barbara	George	George Ditrich Elisabeth
b. 3 wks. on Saturday bap. 17. Sunday after Trinity (41)	Frederick Herbster Anna	Henry	Conrad Brauch Elisabeth Reich
b. 5 wks. today bap. 21. Sunday after Trinity, 1793	John Gerber Barbara	Eva Magdalene	John Geo. Kunkel Catharine
b. Jan. 5, 1794 bap. Apr. 21,	John Haal Elisabeth	Jonathan	Peter Leibe Elisabeth
b. Mar. 15, 1794 bap. Apr. 21,	John Berck Magdalene	Dorothy	Geo. Michael Rein- hard & Dorothy
b. May 18, 1794 bap. June 29,	Conrad Opp Magdalene	Mary Magdalene	Henry Schneider Anna Maria

b. Aug. 12, 1794 bap. Aug. 24,	Jonh Schumann Catharine	Rebecca	George Stamm & wf.
b. Aug. 24, 1794 bap. Oct. 12, 1794	Christopher Krämer Margaret	Jacob	Jacob Krämer Maria
b. Oct. 3, 1794 bap. Nov. 9,	Lorentz Bachmann Catharine	David	John Meyer Susanna
b. Sept. 2, 1794 bap. Nov. 9, (42)	Martin Stamm Catharine	John George	George Schumacher Christine
b. Nov. 13, 1794 bap. Nov. 27,	Martin Wagner Susanna	Catharine	Jacob Billman Catharine
b. Mar. 16, 1794 bap. ... 25,	Adam Wagner Christine	Susanna	John Gerber Barbara
b. May 12, 1795 bap. June 28,	William Gottschalck Elisabeth	John	Michael Kuns Elisabeth
b. June 10, 1795 bap. July 26,	Matthew Wesener Christine	John Aaron	Arens Batz Eva
b. June 24, 1795 bap. July 12,	John Zimmerman Maria Barbara	Rebecca	Adam Diderich Maria Barbara
b. Nov. 10, 1795 bap. Dec. 27 (43)	John Gerber Barbara	Rebecca	Martin Wagener Susanna
b. bap. Aug. 2, 1795	Daniel Schumann Elisabeth	Eva Elisabeth	Leonard Saal Eva Ruprecht
b. Aug. 2, 1795 bap. Nov. 15,	Frederick Herbst Anna	Anna Catharine	Jacob Spring Catharine
b. Sept. 28, 1795 bap. Nov. 15,	Daniel Gluck Christine	Salome	Thomas Mesen Elisabeth
b. June 16, 1796 bap. July 24,	John Berg Magdalene	Elisabeth	Jacob Merkel Catharine
b. Oct. 3, 1796 bap. Oct. 30,	Philip Ruprecht Catharine	Maria Catharine	Andrew Meyer Catharine
b. bap. Oct. 30, 1796	Andrew Meyer Catharine	Susanna Catharine	Philip Ruprecht Catharine
b. Jan. 5, 1797 bap. Febr. 5,	George Raus Maria	George	Henry Raus Dorothy
b. Jan. 31, 1797 bap. May ...	John Hahl Elisabeth	Daniel	John Zimmerman Barbara
b. Febr. 27, 1797 bap. May ...	John Zimmerman Barbara	Mary Magdalene	Jacob Diederich Catharine Franz //17

b. July 16, 1801 bap. Aug. 9,	Peter Hollebach Magdalene	John	John Zimmerman Barbara
b. Aug. 9, 1801 bap. Sept. 6,	John Haall ✓ Elisabeth	Moses	Peter Hollebach Magdalene
b. June 10, 1801 bap. Sept. 6,	Jonathan Klohs Magdalene	Sam	Ernest Klohs Catharine
b. June 31, 1801 bap. Oct. 4, (46)	Matthew Wessner Christine	Jacob	George Scholle- berger & Barbara
b. Sept. 9, 1801 bap. Nov. 1,	Peter Balthaser Christine	Jacob	Henry Balthaser Maria
b. Sept. 23, 1801 bap. Nov. 1,	Peter Schneider Susanna	John	John Berck [Berg] Magdalene
b. Sept. 25, 1801 bap. Nov. 1,	Leonard Saal Eva	Samuel	Henry Billman Margaret
b. Jan. 13, 1802 bap. Jan. 23,	Daniel Raus Maria	Catharine	Henry Haal Magdalene
b. Febr. 16, 1802 bap. Mar. 21,	Philip Ruprecht Catharine	Rebecca	Jacob Klos Catharine
b. Febr. 17, 1802 bap. Mar. 21,	Henry Ruprecht Catharine	Susanna	George Ruprecht Barbara
b. Febr. 26, 1802 bap. Apr. 18,	Philip Bennighof Catharine	John	John Haal Elisabeth
b. Apr. 8, 1802 bap. May 16, (47)	Peter Lin Catharine	John Adam	Peter Beli Susanna
b. Apr. 15, 1802 bap. June 13, bap. June 23, 1802	Daniel Gluck Christine	Anna Maria	Henry Gluck Catharine Closs
b. May 25, 1802 bap. June 13,	Adam Witman Catharine	Thomas	Peter Heyman Sybilla
b. June ..., 1802 bap. Aug. 8,	Peter Schneyder Anna Maria	John	Andrew Pittner Anna Maria
b. Sept. 28, 1802 bap. Oct. 3,	Jacob Zimmerman Magdalene	Benjamin	Peter Leybe Elisabeth
b. Aug. 30, 1802 bap. Oct. 3,	John Heyl Catharine	Catharine	Henry Schumacher Elisabeth Minken
b. Nov. 25, 1802 bap. Dec. 26,	George Grunewalt Gertrude	Thomas	George Kunkel Catharine
b. Nov. 11, 1802 bap. Dec. 26,	Jacob Leybe Christine	John George	Peter Kistler Maria Leybe, single

b. Dec. 1, 1802 bap. Dec. 26, 1802 (48)	George Hauer Catharine	Susanna	Jacob Wil Dorothy
b. Sept. 28, 1802 bap. Apr. 8, 1803	Leonard Saal Eva	Michael	Michael Saal Christine Lang
b. Febr. 10, 1803 bap. Apr. 8, 1803	Jonathan Kloos Magdalene	Esther	Andrew Kunkel Maria
b. Febr. 18, 1803 bap. Apr. 8,	Andrew Meyer Catharine	Rachel	John Propst Susanna
b. Apr. 23, 1799 bap.	John Zimmerman Barbara	Moses	Peter Heuman Sybilla
b. Mar. 21, 1801 bap.	John Zimmerman Barbara	Daniel	George Henninger Catharine
b. Febr. 10, bap. Mar. 20, [1803]	John Zimmerman Barbara	Michael Diderich Sophia
b. May 29, 1803 bap. Aug. 7,	Jacob Brauger Rebecca	Henry Frey Margaret
b. July 11, 1803 bap. Sept. 4,	Peter Schneyder Susanna	Anna Maria	Valentine Propst Elisabeth
b. Sept. ..., 1803 bap. Oct. 2, (49)	George Breuner Maria	John	John Billman Christine
b. Sept. ..., 1803 bap. Oct. 30, 1803	Henry Ruprecht Catharine	Rebecca	Andrew Meyer Catharine
b. Oct. 19, 1803 bap. Dec. 25,	John Gerber Barbara	John	John Kunkel Catharine Holwig
b. Apr. 23, 1804 bap. May 13, 1804	Peter Hollebach Magdalene	Catharine	Peter Leybe Elisabeth
b. Apr. 15, 1804 bap. May 13,	Jacob Krämer Maria	Catharine	John Berg Magdalene
b. Sept. 2, 1804 bap. Oct.	John Haal Elisabeth	Catharine	Jacob Ditsius Christine Holle- bach
b. Jan. 24, 1805 bap. Mar. 17,	Andrew Meyer Catharine	William	Henry Ruprecht Susan Meyer, singl
b. Apr. 23, 1805 bap. June 9,	Henry Ruprecht Catharine	Catharine	George Breuner Maria
b. Apr. ... 1805 bap. July 7,	Lorentz Bachman Catharine	Benjamin	Peter Kunkel Magdalene
b. June 4, 1805 bap. July 7,	John Wageman Salome	Salome	J. George Kunkel Catharine