

# WILSONVILLE

**By VELMA HOLTZE**  
Mary Palmer and Colleen Ballou accompanied their mother, Carolyn O'Brien, to Mayo's at Rochester on Thursday.

A few of the Easter dinners which were reported are as follows: Kendall and Virginia Rice had their family for dinner on Saturday which included the Bart Anderson family of Loomis, the Steve Rice family and Scott and Jan Rice and Shena Jumps. Kim Kasson, Macy and Micah from Almena also joined them after the egg hunt at the Park. The Andersons came on Friday afternoon and joined others for a birthday celebration for Ryan Rice at his parents home, Katy and Casey Anderson.

Guests in the Jim and Becky Holtze home on Sunday were her brother, Craig and Joanne Mohr, Eagle, Neb., her uncle Dale Murphy, Brian Holtze, Justin and Jolene Miller and family, Cambridge, and Lyndzee Claus of Arapahoe.

Going to the Kenneth Holtze home was LaVerne and Rhonda Banzhaf and family, Cambridge, Russell and Kendra Hoagland and family, Hastings, Margene Holtze and Velma Holtze. The Brad Holtze family joined them later in the afternoon for the children's Easter egg hunt.

Joe and Alice Kasson spent the Easter weekend in Minnesota with their daughter, Lisa and Marc Bauer and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenny Sears and daughter from Colorado spent the weekend with his sister, Bill and Kathy Lewis. The Lewis' son, Andy from Lincoln and their daughter, Cassie from Sioux City were also here for the weekend. They were joined by other relatives on Sunday.

Ben and Mandy Brown spent the weekend with his parents, Gary and Karen Brown.

The Brad Wilsons from Breckenridge, Colo., who bought the former house which was the Beth Stanley's Beauty Shop several years ago, are spending a couple weeks in Wilsonville. They come occasionally and have been remodeling it into a comfortable home.

**Double Eight Club**  
Becky Holtze was hostess to Double 8 Club at her home March 23. Adeline Ballou conducted the business meeting. Edith Rikli announced that the May breakfast will be at 9 a.m. May 8 at the Community building in Cambridge. There will be a gift exchange. Ginger Rice presented a very interesting program on Air Force I and how the presidents since Teddy Roosevelt have used air travel to help conduct the nation's business. The hostess served lunch, assisted by Sandi Kasson. The April meeting will be with Janet Trosper.

**Royal Neighbors of America**  
Royal Neighbors of America Camp No. 4665 met April 5 at the Cambridge Museum with Marge Ridpath as hostess for their regular meeting with six members present. Oracle Myrna Harper presided by leading in the flag salute and the divine blessing was given by Chancellor Marilyn Wolzen. An invitation was read from the McCook Camp to attend their Easter luncheon at Country Kitchen on Tuesday, April 20 at 11:30 a.m. A thank-you was read from the Brent May family of Indianola for the matching fund project. The May meeting will be at the Cambridge Senior Center with Esther Zuehlsdorf as hostess on May 3. The June meeting will be a brunch at the home of Nadeane Haag on June 5 at 9 a.m. followed with the making of the float for the Wilsonville Rodeo parade. Lunch was served at Shirley K's by the hostess.

**Informative Meeting**  
Around 25 older people gathered Monday evening at the Baptist-Christian Church basement to hear pharmacist Mark McCurdy explain many things about the new Medicare program which may be of help to older citizens with their medicine bills. He answered a number of questions. Yet some went home still utterly confused, as it is quite a complicated program. It is so complicated that everyone must decide what is best for them because it may be different for a friend or even their spouse. Mark especially emphasized the need to be aware of many fraud telephone calls, personal calls or even some mail in the coming weeks. There will also be letters coming from different drug companys associated with the Medicare program wanting ones business.

**Easter Weekend**  
There were no Maundy Thursday Services in Wilsonville; however, a few attended those services in other towns. The Good Friday Services at the Baptist-Christian Church, though not announced very early, drew an audience that appreciated an inspiring service conducted by minister, Keith Theobald. Mr. Theobald led the congregation in a memorable service from Maundy Thursday as he led in them a meaningful "Lord's Supper", singing of hymns and then into his message of the painful trial and crucifixion of the Master, closing with another hymn and all leaving the sanctuary in complete silence.

**The Easter Egg Hunt**  
Once again in spite of the wintery, cold, damp weather the annual Easter egg hunt sponsored by the Women's Club with the help of many interested citizens drew many children and their parents to town Saturday morning. Many grandchildren look forward to coming to "Grandma's" for this special event. Finding the special egg in the pre-school group of 16 little folks was Lauren Wallgreen of Phillipsburg. She is the grandchild of Lynette and Roger Smith. In the group of eight kindergartners and first graders, Kayla Anderson of Gothenburg, granddaughter of Ron and Dee Anderson and Austin Rice, son of Steve and Peg Rice, was the lucky finder. The second through fourth grades were made up of only five children.

**Easter Sunday Service**  
The early service at 7 a.m. was held in the Baptist-Christian Church basement. Approximately 25 people enjoyed rolls, juice and coffee before returning to their homes planning to return for the morning worship service.

Mr. and Mrs. Chris Smith and daughters, Kacey, Katylin and Korinna of Kingman, Ariz., were in town visiting his grandmother, Reva Smith last week. While here they also visited other family members.

Jean Leuszler enjoyed Easter at the home of Bob and Sue Jackson, and Val, of Logan. Also present for the cooperative dinner were Jim and Wilma Jackson, Joyce Eckhart, Joe Jackson, student at Fort Hays, Sam Jackson, student at Colby Community College and Karen Navis, Kearney, Neb.



**NORTON FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH**  
**The Rev. Lew Van Der Wege, Pastor**  
**804 W. Wilberforce, Norton 877-2196**  
SUNDAY — 8 a.m. Early Service  
9:30 a.m. Sunday School for all ages  
10:30 a.m. Worship Service  
2 p.m. Jr. UMYF  
2 p.m. Andbe Home  
3 p.m. Manor  
4 p.m. Sr. UMYF  
7 p.m. Bridge Service  
WEDNESDAY — 9:30 a.m. Thrift Shop  
7 p.m. Chancel Choir  
7:30 p.m. Here and There  
8 p.m. Pastor/Staff Parish Relations  
8:15 p.m. Bell Choir  
THURSDAY — 6 p.m. Bridge Band  
7 p.m. First Place

**EDMOND UNITED METHODIST CHURCH**  
**Rev. Lew Van Der Wege, Pastor**  
SUNDAY — 9 a.m. Worship Service

**TRINITY EPISCOPAL CHURCH**  
**Georgia Briery, Senior Warden**  
**102 E. Waverly, Norton 877-2589**  
SUNDAY — 8 a.m. Christian Education  
9 a.m. Holy Eucharist, Celebrant, Fr. Dennis Gilhousen; Lay Reader, Connie Johnson  
10 a.m. Coffee Hour Host, Alberta Slaby  
3-4 p.m. God's Pantry, Georgia Briery  
SATURDAY, MAY 1 — Rummage Sale

**COMMUNITY FULL GOSPEL CHURCH**  
**Pastor Terry Laughlin**  
**e-mail: laughlin@ruraltel.net**  
**313 W. Lincoln**  
SATURDAY — 7 a.m. Men's Prayer at the church  
SUNDAY — 9:15 a.m. Christian Education  
10:30 a.m. Morning Worship  
6 p.m. Royal Rangers  
WEDNESDAY — 7 p.m. "Created For His Glory" Bible Study

**ST. FRANCIS OF ASSISI CATHOLIC CHURCH**  
**Father Vincent Thu Laing 877-2234**  
**stfanci@ruraltel.net**  
**108 S. Wabash, Norton**  
Mass Schedule  
Sunday 10:30 a.m.  
Monday 7:30 a.m.  
Tuesday No Mass  
Wednesday 7:30 a.m.  
Thursday 7:30 a.m.  
Friday 7:30 a.m.  
Saturday 7 p.m.  
**Sacrament of Reconciliation**  
4 p.m. Saturday, 30 minutes before Mass or by appointment  
TUESDAY — 7 p.m. Bingo  
WEDNESDAY — 7 p.m. SYF (K-8)  
First Friday of the Month — Adoration following Morning Mass  
First Saturday of the Month — 8 a.m. Marion Devotions  
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**NORTON MINISTERIAL ALLIANCE**  
Hospital chaplain, Monday through Sunday, Jones  
Sunday Services, 2 p.m. Andbe Home; 3 p.m., Norton Manor, Van Der Wege

**PRAIRIE VIEW REFORMED CHURCH**  
**The Rev. Jeffrey Van Der Weele**  
**410 Holland, Prairie View 973-2794**  
SUNDAY — 9 a.m. Morning Worship Services  
10:15 a.m. Sunday School for all ages  
7 p.m. Evening services at Luctor

MONDAY — 7:30 p.m. Consistory  
WEDNESDAY — 6:30 p.m. Bible Class at Luctor  
7 p.m. Youth Group at Prairie View

**LUCTOR CHRISTIAN REFORMED CHURCH**  
**2 miles east and 3 miles north of Prairie View**  
**The Rev. Jeffrey Van der Weele 973-2794**  
SUNDAY — 9:30 a.m. Sunday School and Choir practice  
10:30 a.m. Morning Worship Services  
7 p.m. Evening Services at Luctor  
WEDNESDAY — 6:30 p.m. Last session of Bible class  
7 p.m. Youth group at Prairie View

**REDEEMER EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH**  
**Pastor Timm O. Meyer**  
**e-mail: timmomeyer@ruraltel.net**  
**805 W. Holme, Norton 877-3138**  
SUNDAY — 9 a.m. Worship Service  
9:05 a.m. "Goodness From the Good Shepherd" Radio Broadcast, KQNK 106.7 FM & 1530 AM  
10:10 a.m. Sunday School  
11:30 a.m. Potluck dinner  
12:15 p.m. Quarterly Voters Meeting  
THURSDAY — 6:30 p.m. Confirmation Class at Alma  
7:45 p.m. Worship Service at Alma

**NORTON CHRISTIAN CHURCH**  
**Jeff Nielsen, Minister**  
**e-mail: ncc@us36.net**  
**208 N. Kansas, 877-2871**  
SUNDAY — 8 a.m. Early Worship  
9:30 a.m. Sunday School  
10:40 a.m. Worship Service  
4:30 p.m. Bible Bowl or Youth Group  
WEDNESDAY — 6:30 a.m. Men's Prayer Breakfast  
9 a.m. Prayer and Fellowship  
6 p.m. AWANA supper  
6:30 p.m. AWANA, Bible Bowl  
7 p.m. Upper Room Prayer Group  
THURSDAY — 2 p.m. Group I, Wilda Bowman; Group II, Francis Mosier

**FIRST CHURCH OF GOD**  
**Pastor Terrill Worthington**  
**1010 Churchhill Dr. 877-2181**  
SUNDAY — 9:15 a.m. Time of Prayer (Adults)  
9:30 a.m. Time of Prayer (Children in kitchen)  
9:45 a.m. Sunday School  
10:45 a.m. Morning Worship  
6 p.m. Choir practice  
7 p.m. Evening Service  
TUESDAY — 7 p.m. Visitation  
WEDNESDAY — 6 p.m. 3-Dat Parsonage  
7 p.m. Family Night  
8 p.m. Council Meeting

**IMMANUEL LUTHERAN CHURCH**  
**The Rev. Rick Rostek**  
**814 N. Second, Norton 877-2430**  
SUNDAY — 9 a.m. Sunday School, Bible Class  
10:30 a.m. Worship Service  
WEDNESDAY — 3:40 p.m. Midweek  
5:15 p.m. Choir  
7 p.m. Worship  
8 p.m. Confirmation

**CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, ALMENA**  
**Kirk Kasson, Pastor**  
**e-mail: congo@ruraltel.net**  
SUNDAY — 9:30 a.m. Sunday School  
10:30 a.m. Church Services  
7 p.m. Teens For Christ  
MONDAY — 7:30 p.m. Men's Fellowship  
TUESDAY — 7:15 a.m. Teen Women

THURSDAY — 7:15 a.m. Teen Men  
**ST. JOHN'S CATHOLIC CHURCH, LOGAN**  
**Father Joseph Thalanany**  
SUNDAY — 8:30 a.m. Mass  
MONDAY — 5:30 p.m. Mass

**FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH OF LOGAN**  
**Pastor Troy Buss**  
SUNDAY — 9:30 a.m. Sunday School  
10:30 a.m. Church services  
WEDNESDAY — 7 p.m. Bible Study

**CLAYTON UNITED METHODIST CHURCH**  
**Pastor Kathy Aeillo 669-2554**  
SUNDAY — 10 a.m. Church School  
11 a.m. Worship Service

**LENORA CHURCH OF GOD**  
SUNDAY — 10:30 a.m. Worship Service  
WEDNESDAY — 7 p.m. Bible Study

**FAITH LUTHERAN CHURCH**  
**404 N. York Avenue, Oberlin**  
SUNDAY — 9:30 a.m. Worship  
10:45 a.m. Fellowship and Educational Hour  
Holy Communion, first and third Sundays  
7:30 p.m. Congregation Council second Wednesday

**NORTON SEVENTH DAY ADVENTIST CHURCH**  
**105 S. Case Street**  
**Pastor Jim Nichols**  
SATURDAY SERVICES — 9:45 a.m. Church Services  
10:45 a.m. Sabbath School

**LONG ISLAND UNITED METHODIST CHURCH**  
**The Rev. Shelly Cox**  
**554 Washington, 854-7626**  
SUNDAY — 11 a.m. Sunday School  
11 a.m. Morning Worship  
FIRST SUNDAY — 12 noon Fellowship Dinner  
1 p.m. Administrative Council Meeting  
FIRST WEDNESDAY — 2 p.m. United Methodist Women's Meeting in Fall, Winter and Spring

**NORTON FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH**  
**Pastor Charles Ross**  
**112 S. Archer, 877-5214**  
SUNDAY — 11 a.m. Worship Service  
6 p.m. Evening Service  
WEDNESDAY — 7 p.m. Mid-Week Prayer Meeting and Bible Study

**LIVING HOPE FELLOWSHIP**  
**One mile south of Norton at corner of PDRA road**  
**Pastor Jerry Cummings 877-2426**  
SUNDAY — 10 a.m. Worship and Praise Service  
7 p.m. Evening Worship and Praise Service  
WEDNESDAY — 7 p.m. Youth and Children's Programs  
7 p.m. Adult Home Bible Study  
THURSDAY — 7 p.m. Prayer Meeting

**THE CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST OF LATTER DAY SAINTS**  
**Phillipsburg Branch**  
**Noel Krouse, Bishop**  
**620 7th Street**  
SUNDAY — 10 a.m. Sacrament meeting  
11:15 a.m. Sunday School  
11:15 a.m. Primary  
12:05 a.m. Priesthood meeting  
12:05 a.m. Relief Society  
Visitors welcome.

**LOGAN UNITED METHODIST CHURCH**  
**Shelly Cox**  
**303 W. Church, 689-4350**  
SUNDAY — 9:15 a.m. Worship  
10:30 a.m. Sunday School

9:15 a.m. Fifth Sunday song service  
FIRST & THIRD WEDNESDAYS — 6:30 p.m. UMYF  
SECOND WEDNESDAY 1:30 p.m. United Methodist Women  
THIRD WEDNESDAY — 7:30 p.m. Administrative Council Meeting

**UNITED PARISH OF LENORA**  
**The Rev. Jack Kersenbrock**  
**140 E. Iowa, 567-4420**  
10 a.m. Sunday School  
11 a.m. Morning Worship

**LYLE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH**  
**Carol Woodmansee**  
SUNDAY — 8:00 a.m. Worship Service

**MAPLE GROVE CHURCH OF THE BRETHREN**  
**9 miles west**  
**4 1/2 miles north of Norton**  
**Pastor Leon Neher**  
SUNDAY — 10 a.m. Sunday School  
11 a.m. Worship Service  
4th Tuesday, Women's Fellowship  
3rd Sunday, Noon, carry-in dinner

**ST. JOSEPH CATHOLIC CHURCH, NEW ALMELO**  
**stjoseph@ruraltel.net**  
**Father Vincent Thu Laing**  
**Pastoral Administrator, Stan Chapin**  
Sunday 8:30 a.m. Mass  
Friday and Monday 8 a.m. Scripture Communion Service  
Weekday Mass Tuesday 8:30 a.m.

**ALMENA UNITED METHODIST CHURCH**  
**Pastor Kathy Aeillo 669-2554**  
SUNDAY — 8:30 a.m. Worship  
9:30 a.m. Sunday School  
WEDNESDAY — 7 p.m. Bible Study in Fellowship Hall  
2ND SUNDAY — Noon Fellowship Dinner  
1:00 p.m. Administrative Board Meeting  
3RD THURSDAY — 1:30 p.m. United Methodist Women in Fellowship Hall

**HENDLEY/WILSONVILLE UNITED METHODIST CHURCHES**  
**The Rev. R.L. Malchow**  
10 a.m. Sunday Worship Hour  
1st and 3rd Sundays, Hendley  
2nd and 4th Sundays, Wilsonville  
Coffee Fellowship after service  
3rd Thursday U.M.W.


**LIVING WORD BAPTIST CHURCH**  
**308 West Crane**  
**Interim Pastor Terry Laughlin**  
SUNDAY — 9 a.m. Morning Worship  
10:15 a.m. Sunday School  
6:30 p.m. Sunday Evening Service  
MONDAY — 7 p.m. TFC  
WEDNESDAY — 6:45 p.m. Bible Study at Community Full Gospel  
7 p.m. Teens for Christ Ministry Team

**WILSONVILLE UNITED BAPTIST CHRISTIAN CHURCH**  
**Minister, Keith Theobald**  
SUNDAY — 9:45 a.m. Sunday School  
11 a.m. Worship and Communion  
1st Thursday, B.C.W. 9 a.m.


**NORCATUR UNITED METHODIST CHURCH**  
**Pastor Kathy Aeillo 693-4519**  
SUNDAY — 10 a.m. Worship Service  
11 a.m. Sunday School

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