

WILSONVILLE

By VELMA HOLTZE and LAURIE LAWS

Welcome rains have finally blessed this area as well as extending over a wide radius. This has brought much cooler temperatures. Wheat cutting would be beginning as the wheat is ready, but now there is moisture, but that's okay. It is great for other crops and pastures.

Dick and Joan McLaughlin spent Thursday through Sunday in Iowa at the annual antique shows. Velma Holtze and her daughters, Ivalene Simmons of Oshkosh and Margene Holtze vacationed this past week, Wednesday through Saturday, seeing sights and visiting friends. Some of the highlights included seeing the largest ball of twine in the United States at Cawker City, Garden of Eden and the Rock Gardens at Lucas, the gallery at the college at Great Bend, which included a visiting display of Wheat weaving. There, they also saw the walking trail which included quilt designs in the sidewalk and the Memorial gardens and the botanical gardens in Oklahoma City. They also enjoyed brief visits with Velma's cousin Ruby Scharaff, and Ivalene's college suite mate at Franklin, a friend of Margene's at Great Bend, friends of Ivalene's who were former Oshkosh residents at Wichita and Anthony and the Bill Mannings at El Reno, Okla. Bill, with his harvest crew, cut wheat for the Holtzes and others in this area for many years. They spent Thursday night in Duncan, Okla., and visited with Clinton Murphee and wife, Jessie and son Craig. Clinton and Craig are two of the clunters from Oklahoma who come every fall and especially like this community and the Baptist-Christian Church. The last stop on Saturday was at Hays, to see Russell, Michelle and baby Elissa Simmons. Also visiting there was Caroline Simmons and Caden of Holdrege.

Velma and Margene Holtze drove to Camp Joy at Alma on Wednesday. They were delivering cakes, cookies, brownies and other usable items from the Baptist-Christian Women.

What looked like was going to be one of the earliest harvests in history has changed. With just enough moisture to keep them out of the field, it is not progressing very fast. Saturday morning brought a shower and cloudy cool weather. In fact a lot of days the past two weeks has been much cooler than the first part of June. Carl and Ella Rae tenBensel, Ken and Carla Holtze and Velma and Margene Holtze were in Curtis Thursday evening to attend the Frontier, Furnas and Red Willow County 4-H demonstrations. The Holtzes' went especially to see the grandchildren, Kayla and Krayton Banzhaf give theirs. Krayton showed and told about farm machinery in his "Old McDonald Had a Farm" Kayla made hot chocolate mix in her "Freezin' for a Season". Both received a blue. The tenBensels are the leaders of the club that had the only two demonstrations from Furnas County. They were the Lytle and Johnson children from Cambridge.

Margene and Velma Holtze were Sunday dinner guests in the Kenneth Holtze home.

Jim and Becky Holtze visited with her aunt Pearl Taylor and sons from Oregon at the Taylor reunion in Beaver City on Sunday afternoon. Pearl visited her sister, Betty

Murphy, at the rest home in Arapahoe on Saturday and again on Monday before leaving for home.

On Sunday the Doug and Mary Palmer family along with the Brent and Colleen Ballou family helped Colleen's and Mary's mother, Carolyn O'Brien, move from the farm near Cambridge to town in Cambridge.

Delbert and Laurie Laws spent Saturday with their daughter Shelly and her son Austin in Elwood. Delbert and Laurie will celebrate their 30th wedding anniversary on Thursday, July 1.

Baby Girl

Ivalene Simmons of Oshkosh and her mother, Velma Holtze, were in Hays on Tuesday, June 15 to make the acquaintance of Elissa Marie, daughter of Russell and Michelle Simmons. The little miss was born that day weighing in at 7 pounds 8 ounces. This makes the fourth grandchild for Ivalene and Velma's 12th great grandchild.

Wedding Bells

Sunday marked a special day at the Baptist-Christian Church. Following the worship service Pastor Keith Theobald performed the wedding ceremony for Jan Andrews and Earnest tenBensel. Attendants were her three children, Jan tenBensel and Orlo Bassford. Closing the service Connie Holliday and Mary Wilson sang "Because He Lives" accompanying themselves with mandolin and guitar. Nearly 75 people were attendance at church that morning including besides, Jan's family, Earnest's two sisters and three brothers as well as several nieces and nephews. A dinner planned by Jan's family in honor of the couple followed the service.

Move to Florida

Kathy Lewis left Friday morning to assist her daughter, Cassie, in moving from Sioux City to Florida where she will be employed at Mayo Hospital.

Book Business Closing

After 21 years in business the J.O.Y. Book Nook is closing most of its business. Velma has finished her book sales to libraries and servicing store racks. She closed the rack at Kelly's Market in Beaver City, her last one, on Friday and also her last libraries last week. Terry Slama will continue to service a rack at Kelly's Market. Velma will also discontinue selling books and gifts at her home in Wilsonville. She will continue to stack greeting cards and have the copy machine and the fax machine for public use. To completely deplete her inventory she will have ALL BOOKS and GIFTS greatly reduced some up to 75 and 80 %, as well as some greeting cards and other inventory Saturday, July 3 through Wednesday, July 7.

United Methodist Women

A brunch was served by Virginia Andre to the Wilsonville United Methodist Women at their June meeting. Prayer was given by the Rev. Malchow. Pres. Lillian Lemaster opened the meeting with prayer and the Purpose. Several thank-yous were read for guest day. Nadeane Haag gave a missionary minutes and Lelia Lang gave a Spiritual report. Margaret Spence read the "Ideal U.M.W. Member". The Rev. Malchow reported on attending Legislative Sessions at the Lincoln Conference. Mission was emphasized. He presented a lesson on the American and Christian flags. He explained what the different folds of the flag represent and closed the meeting with prayer.

are Bill and Diana Greving of Prairie View.

Tammy Slauton, and Brooke, who is visiting at the home of her parents, Eddy and Anita De Boer in Phillipsburg, took Vivian Jansonius to Hays on Thursday afternoon to do some shopping and to eat supper at Wendy's. Others eating with us were: Branda Slayton, who was visiting at the home of Mark and Lisa Grieve, Latisha, Kaiden and Megan, Heath and Lori Bogart, Kali, Alex and Kambri, all of Hays. After supper, Vivian Jansonius attended the High Plains Mental Meeting. After the meeting, Tammy Slayton, Briana and Brooke and Megan Grieve brought Vivian home. Dena and Ryan Grammon and son, Anthony Jacob, of Blue Hill,



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
MONDAY — New Chapter coffee at McDonald's
WEDNESDAY — New Chapter coffee at McDonald's
7 p.m. First Place
THURSDAY — 6 p.m. Bridge Band
SATURDAY — New Chapter Coffee at McDonald's

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 — 9:30 a.m. Christian Education
10:30 a.m. Holy Eucharist, Celebrant, Fr. Dennis Gilhousen; Lay Reader, Connie Johnson
11:30 a.m. Coffee Hour, host, Woodyards
3-4 p.m. God's Pantry, Ron Briery

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, Worthington
Sunday Services, 2 p.m. Andbe Home; 3 p.m., Norton Manor,

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Alliance meets Thursday, July 15 at Town and Country

PRAIRIE VIEW REFORMED CHURCH
The Rev. Jeffrey Van Der Weele
410 Holland, Prairie View 973-2794
SUNDAY — 9 a.m. Morning Worship Services
No Sunday School for July through August
7 p.m. Evening Services 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 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 and Bible Study
THURSDAY — 7:45 p.m. Communion Service at Alma

NORTON CHRISTIAN CHURCH
Jeff Nielsen, Minister
Cody Shepherd, Youth 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
MONDAY — Office closed
TUESDAY — 7 p.m. C.E. Meeting
WEDNESDAY — 6:30 a.m. Men's Prayer Breakfast, Don Mordecai
9 a.m. Prayer and Fellowship
7 p.m. Upper Room Prayer Group
8 p.m. Elders Meeting
THURSDAY—No Council in July
FRIDAY—6-9 p.m. Parent's Night Out

FIRST CHURCH OF GOD
Pastor Terrill Worthington
1010 Churchill 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
7 p.m. Evening Service
WEDNESDAY — 6 p.m. 3D at Parsonage
7 p.m. Adult Bible Study
8 p.m. Committee Meetings

IMMANUEL LUTHERAN CHURCH

Dick and Ila DeWitt, Roger and Roxie and Jason of Prairie View, Brian and Michelle DeWitt, Kaylee and Mallyn and Crystal DeWitt of Hays, Jerald and Karen Huiting of Kensington, Gerald and June Van Loenen and Warren and Hazel Sidman of Prairie View, Kenneth and Doris Van Kooten and Tami Rua of Holland, Mich. and Tina Van Der Velda and sons of Burlington, Canada.

Many thanks to those from the Prairie View area who took time out to go to Phillipsburg on June 15 in the afternoon and gave blood, which was needed. Those giving were: Rodney Jansonius, Willard Jansonius, Derek Kats, Mark Kats, Kenneth Schemper, Dian Tien, Harlan Van De Wege, Bill Greving and Stanley Kats.

The Rev. Rick Rostek
814 N. Second, Norton 877-2430
SATURDAY—9 a.m.-2 p.m. Youth Car Wash
SUNDAY — 9 a.m. Sunday School, Bible Class
10:30 a.m. Worship Service
THURSDAY—9:30 a.m. Bible Study (Deines)
7 p.m. Building Community

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, ALMENA
Kirk Kasson, Pastor
e-mail: congo@ruraltel.net
SUNDAY — 9:30 a.m. Sunday School
10:30 a.m. Church Services

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

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
SUNDAY — 10 a.m. 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 — 9:30 a.m. Sunday School
10:30 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 Informal Service
WEDNESDAY — 6:45 p.m. Fellowship time with Full Gospel Church at Living Word Church
7:15 p.m. Bible Study

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

PRAIRIE VIEW NEWS

By VIVIAN JANSONIUS

The schedule at the Prairie View Senior Citizen/Community Center. Closed Sat., Sun. and Mon, July 3, 4 and 5. On Tues., July 6, opened at 8 a.m. to 11 a.m. for exercises, walking and vita band. At 5:30 p.m. board meeting, 7 p.m. council meeting. On Wednesday, July 7, opened at 8-11 a.m. for exercises, walking and vita band. Greg and Robin Koelsch of Phillipsburg are the proud parents of a baby boy, Terek James, born on June 22. He has a sister to welcome him and some of his grandparents are Keith and Delores Erickson of Prairie View.

Jeff and Nicki Nesvara of North Platte, Neb. are the happy parents of a baby boy, Jacob Joseph, born on June 24. Happy grandparents