THE NORTON TELEGRAM

WILSONVILLE

By JOY STALDER

Wendee Masters of Omaha Holdrege due to the storm. spent the weekend with her family, Tim and Barb Baca.

family held their Christmas gettogether at the Baptist-Christian Church. Those present were Deb and David Cobb, Cambridge; Travis, Bridget, and Ashlyn Cobb of Kearney; Wally Wilson, Blair, Brett, Lindsay and Karinne Jurey, Grand Island, Amy, Nick, Jake, Kylie Hanna, Hastings; Toby, Janelle, Trace, Zack, and Emily Jurey, Kearney, Kim, Josh and Evan Townsend, Kearney; Ella and Sonny Wilson, Bert and Laurie Jurey, Allen and Connie Wilson, all of Wilsonville. The day was spent eating, opening gifts, eating, visiting, eating and sledding down the hill in Wilsonville.

Allen Wilson was an outpatient at Good Samaritan in Kearney Friday.

Connie Wilson spent Thursday in Kearney babysitting with her grandson, Evan Townsend.

Brooke Ballou, daughter of Brent Ballou, spent Monday night with her grandmother, Adeline Ballou.

The Wilsonville Women's Club met Monday at 7:30 p.m. at the Baptist/Christian Church. Beverly Smith of Cambridge had the program. Beverly designs and makes costumes for others. Mary Wilson was the immediate area. hostess for the evening.

to Jacksonville, Fla., Dec. 30 to spend the New Year's holiday with their daughter and husband, Cassie and Steve Hultgren. They returned home Jan. 4.

Tim Palmer is recuperating at the home of his parents, Darrel and June Palmer, following his surgery. He is doing very well.

Peyton Lang spent this weekend with her grandparents, Mike and Roxy Lang. Roxy brought Peyton to town to visit her great-grandmother, Lelia Lang, during the weekend.

Mike and Roxy Lang went to Kearney for a belated anniversary dinner on Sunday.

Carl and Ella Rae ten home. Bensel, Jan and Jodi ten Bensel attended the Inaugural Ball in Lincoln Friday at the Devaney Center as Ginger ten Bensel had been invited to sing to McPherson, Kans., Friday to her song, "I Love Nebraska" at the home of Connie's step-

as she was without electricity in

The Rich Simmons family and Braxton Miller were Saturday Saturday, Jan. 6 the Wilson overnight guests of Brian and Lyndzie Holtze.

> Kendall Rice had the misfortune to fall on the ice last week resulting in a two-day stay in the hospital.

Marvin and Marlene Witte went to the youth basketball tourney on Saturday in Cambridge to watch their grandson, Jake Witte, play.

Monday evening Marvin and Marlene Witte went to the Freshman-Sophomore tournament in Cambridge to watch some of the area kids play.

Marvin and Marlene Witte visited Jean Witte at the Cambridge Hospital Sunday afternoon. She had fallen on the ice. Due to another snowstorm that moved in over the weekend dropping 6-7" of new snow, which now makes it a foot of snow on the ground with the previous snows. Wilsonville news will be rather scarce this week. Very few residents wanted to get out on the icy, snow-packed roads unless absolutely necessary. A number of area events were canceled and most schools had a late start. Thankfully there was no wind to blow the snow around or there would have been further electrical outages in the

Ella Rae ten Bensel remarked Bill and Kathy Lewis went that Senator Burling has introduced a bill that Ginger ten Bensel's song, "I Love Nebraska" be considered as Nebraska's state song rather than "Beautiful Nebraska".

> Ginger plans to go to Lincoln this Wednesday to attend the hearing.

The Care Group held an organizational meeting at the Baptist/Christian Church last Wednesday and plans are for their Bible Study to begin Jan. 24

Rilee Park had ACL reconstructive surgery in Kearney last Wednesday.

Dennis Palmer, Lake Elsinore, Calif., spent several weeks with his parents, Darrel and June Palmer, before returning to his

Ginger Rice and Sue Bethel called on Avis Wolfe Friday morning.

Allen and Connie Wilson went

Worship At The Church Of Your Choice This Week

NORTON FIRST UNITED **METHODIST CHURCH** The Rev. Lew Van Der Wege,

Pastor 804 W. Wilberforce, Norton 877-2196

SUNDAY - 8 a.m. Early Services

9:15 a.m. Sunday School for all ages

10:30 a.m. Worship Service 2:30 p.m. Disciple II Bible Study

5:30 p.m. Senior United Methodist Youth

7 p.m. Frankie and Phyllis Valens and Bridge Service

WEDNESDAY -2:30 p.m. Living Fully, Dying Well 7 p.m. Chancel Choir

8 p.m. Administrative Council 8:15 p.m. Bell Choir THURSDAY - 6:30 p.m.

Young Women's Bible Study, Disciple I Bible Study

EDMOND UNITED METHODIST CHURCH Rev. Lew Van Der Wege,

Pastor

SUNDAY — 9 a.m. Worship Services TUESDAY – 10 a.m. Living

Fully, Dying Well

TRINITY EPISCOPAL CHURCH Georgia Briery, **Senior Warden** 102 E. Waverly, Norton

SUNDAY – 9:30 a.m. Christian Education,

10:30 a.m. Morning Prayer Lay Reader, Don Johnson 11:30 a.m. Coffee Host, Don

and Elaine Mann 11:45 a.m. Annual Meeting

3-4 p.m. God's Pantry, Don Johnson

CROSSROADS CHURCH 313 West Lincoln Street Pastor Terry Laughlin Phone: 877-2416 e-mail: crossroads@ruraltel.net www.standatthecrossroads.com SATURDAY – 8 a.m. Men's Fellowship and Prayer SUNDAY – 9:15 a.m. Sun-

day School 10:30 a.m. Worship Service

LUCTOR CHRISTIAN **REFORMED CHURCH** 2 miles east and 3 miles north of Prairie View The Rev. Jeffrey Van Der Weele 973-2794 SUNDAY - 10:30 a.m. Morning Worship 7 p.m. Evening Services

REDEEMER **EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH** Pastor Timm O. Meyer e-mail: timmomeyer@ruraltel.net 805 W. Holme, Norton 877-3138 SUNDAY -7 a.m. "Time of Grace" on FOX-TV

9:05 a.m. "Goodness From the

AM 9:30 a.m. Worship Service

Bible Study

Meal 12:55 p.m. Annual Voters Meet-

ing MONDAY - 9 a.m. Study TUESDAY - 3:40 p.m. and 4 5:45 and 7:30 p.m. Bible studies at Norton Correctional Facility WEDNESDAY - 3:45 p.m.

CHURCH Jeff Nielsen, Minister Cody Shepherd, **Youth Minister** e-mail: ncc_office@sbcglobal.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 p.m. Senior High Youth group WEDNESDAY - 6:30 a.m. Men's Praver Breakfast 9 a.m. Prayer and Fellowship 5:45 p.m. AWANA Supper 6:15 p.m. AWANA SUNDAY, Jan. 28, Fellowship

WEDNESDAY - 3:30 p.m. vice Good News Club 6 p.m. Bible Study in Church DAYS – 6:30 p.m. UMYF

Basement Men's Discipleship

ST. JOHN'S CATHOLIC CHURCH, LOGAN Father Ben Saw 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 Ray Gilstrap 669-2554 SUNDAY - 10 a.m. ChurchSchool

11 a.m. Worship Service, Choir

LENORA **CHURCH OF GOD** Pastor Maurita Lymer

785-567-4459 SUNDAY – 9:45 a.m. Sunday School 10:30 a.m. Worship Service THURSDAY – 7 p.m. Evening

FAITH LUTHERAN CHURCH

Bible Study

404 N. York Avenue, Oberlin SUNDAY - 9:30 a.m. Worship a.m. Scripture Communion Ser-10:45 a.m. Fellowship and Educational Hour Holy Communion, first and a.m. third Sundays 7:30 p.m. Congregation Council second Wednesday NORTON SEVENTH DAY

ADVENTIST CHURCH 105 S. Case Street **Pastor Marion Miller** SATURDAY SERVICES 9:45 a.m. Church Services 10:45 a.m. Sabbath School

LONG ISLAND UNITED **METHODIST CHURCH** The Rev. Dean Gilbert

FIRST & THIRD WEDNES-SECOND WEDNESDAY -THURSDAY – 7:15 a.m. Teen 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 – 9:30 a.m. Sunday School

10:30 a.m. Worship Service

LYLE UNITED **METHODIST CHURCH Carol Woodmansee**

SUNDAY - 9 a.m. Worship Service

MAPLE GROVE CHURCH OF THE BRETHREN

9 miles west 4 1/2 miles north of Norton 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** SUNDAY – 8:30 a.m. Resur-

rection of The Lord Mass FRIDAY and MONDAY – 8

Weekday Mass Tuesday 8:30

ALMENA UNITED METHODIST CHURCH Pastor Ray Gilstrap 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 Fel-

lowship Dinner 1:00 p.m. Administrative Board Meeting

THURSDAY - 10 a.m. Vita Band Exercise Class, Everyone Welcome 7 p.m. Aerobics Class, Every-3RD THURSDAY - 1:30p.m. United Methodist Women in Fellowship Hall

Good Shepherd" Radio Broadcast, KQNK 106.7 FM & 1530 10:45 a.m. Sunday School and 11:55 a.m. Potluck/Fellowship ing, Congregational Ladies Meet-

Club, Kearney p.m. Group Home

Confirmation Class NORTON CHRISTIAN

the Ball.

The words to Ginger's song were on the back of the programs.

Inaugural Ball was very, very

The Holtze Family Christmas was held on Saturday, Jan. 6, at the Senior Center in Cambridge. The Kenneth Holtze families hosted the event using a star theme. In the afternoon, members had cake and ice cream for Carla and Baylee Miller's birthdays and Ken and Carla's anniversary.

Those in attendance were Kenneth and Carla Holtze and their families Rhonda and LaVern Banzhaf, Kayla and Krayton; Brad and Renee Holtze and Josh and Drew; and Russ and Kendra Hoagland and Jake, Trenton, and Travis of Hastings; Jim and Becky Holtze and their families Brian and Lyndzie Holtze, Justin and Jolene Miller and Braxton, Baylee, and Breelle, and Janene Holtze, Ivalene Simmons of Holdrege and her families Russ and Michelle Simmons and Elissa and Rachel of Hays; Chris and Caroline Erickson and Caden of Holdrege; and Rich and Heather Simmons and Christian and Lyndi of North Platte; and Margene Holtze.

On Saturday evening, Kenneth and Carla Holtze hosted a belated Christmas exchange at their home for their children: the Brad Holtze family, LaVern Banzhaf family, and Russ Hoagland family.

On Saturday evening, the rest of those at the dinner were at the Margene Holtze home in Cambridge. The Russ Simmons family spent Friday and Saturday with Margene. Ivalene Simmons spent Tuesday through Sunday with Margene in attendance.

mother, Doris Morse. They were joined there by Kim and Josh Townsend and Evan of Kearney and Ken and Marla Morse and Ella Rae remarked that the family of Topeka. Allen and Connie's son, Kirk Wilson of nice and included dinner, the McCook, was unable to join program and the grand march. them. This was the Morse family's post-Christmas get-together. They all returned to their

I Help Others

homes Monday.

I.H.O. Club met Jan. 10 at the Cambridge Senior Center at noon. Seven members enjoyed the delicious chicken dinner.

The business meeting was called to order by President Carla Holtze. Minutes were read and treasurer's report was given and approved. Those present paid their dues for the year. A monetary donation was given to the Senior Center. A new birthday song was sung to Carla, whose birthday was Jan. 6.

Devotions were given by Carla. The program followed with each member answering roll call telling about a book or article that was new or something they had recently read.

At the close, a picture was taken of the club members. Next meeting will be Feb. 14 at the Wilsonville Library with Nadeane Haag as hostess. **Baptist-Christian Women**

Meet

The Baptist-Christian Women met on Thursday, January 4 in the church basement for their regular meeting. Becky Holtze had the lesson using thoughts on resolutions and goals for the New Year. She encouraged members to sow seeds of kindness and encouragement along with other positive traits in the coming year. Members received a small packet of seeds to help them in remembering to sow positive seeds in 2007. Virginia Rice served a tasty lunch to those

WEDNESDAY - 6:45 p.m. Christian Fellowship

7:15 p.m. Adult Bible Study COMING - Saturday, Feb. 3, Free Showing of "Facing the Giants", 7 p.m.

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. Marian Devotions K of C Third Monday of Month at 7:30 p.m.

NORTON MINISTERIAL ALLIANCE

Hospital chaplain, Monday through Sunday, Van Der Wege Andbe Home and Norton Manor services, Nielsen

PRAIRIE VIEW REFORMED CHURCH

The Rev. Jeffrey Van Der Weele 410 Holland, Prairie View 973-2794 SUNDAY – 9 a.m. Morning

Worship 7 p.m. Evening Services at

Luctor Christian Reformed Church

Dinner and Annual Meeting

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 6 p.m. Choir Practice 7 p.m. Evening Service WEDNESDAY – 6 p.m. 3D at Parsonage 7 p.m. Adult Bible Study, King's Kids, Jr. High and High School Worship 8 p.m. Committee Meetings, **Team Practice** Study 2nd THURSDAY of each month -7 p.m. Women of the

Church of God 3rd SATURDAY of each month - 8 a.m. Men's Breakfast

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 MONDAY – 5:15 p.m. LWML WEDNESDAY - 9:30 a.m. **Bible Study**

2 p.m. Andbe Home 3:45 p.m. Christ for Kids 5:15 p.m. Choir 7 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 6 p.m. Bible Study at Kim and Kirk's 7 p.m. TFC TUESDAY - 7:15 a.m. Teen

Women's Discipleship

554 Washington, 854-7626 SUNDAY — 11 a.m. Morning Worship FIRST SUNDAY – 12 noon one Welcome Fellowship Dinner 1 p.m. Administrative Council Meeting FIRST WEDNESDAY -2p.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 Wilsonville Service 6 p.m. Evening Service WEDNESDAY - 7 p.m. Mid-Week Prayer Meeting and Bible

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 WEDNESDAY - 10 a.m. Prayer Time 7 p.m. Youth and Children's Programs 7 p.m. Adult Home Bible Study

THE CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST OF LATTER **DAY SAINTS Phillipsburg Ward Tom Arnett, Bishop** 620 7th Street SUNDAY - 10 a.m. Sacrament meeting 11:15 a.m. Sunday School

LOGAN UNITED METHODIST CHURCH Dean Gilbert 303 W. Church, 689-4350 SUNDAY – 9:15 a.m. Worship 10:30 a.m. Sunday School 9:15 a.m. Fifth Sunday song ser-

11:15 a.m. Primary

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,

Coffee Fellowship after service

3rd Thursday U.M.W.

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 Ray Gilstrap

693-4519 SUNDAY — 10 a.m. Worship Service and Christmas Program 11 a.m. Sunday School TUESDAY – 7 p.m. Aerobic Class, Everyone Welcome

