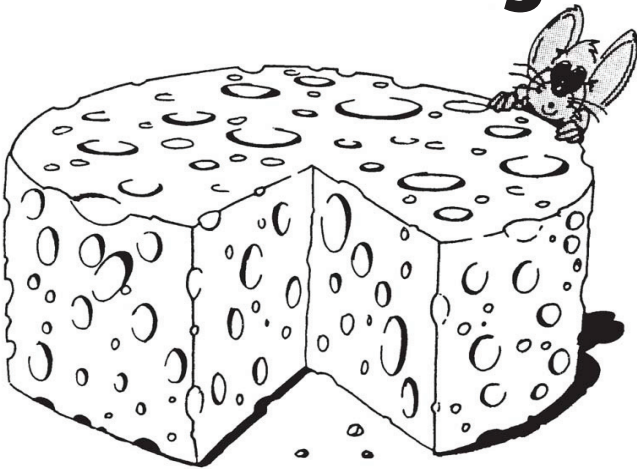




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### "God's Promise to Christ"

There are many truths to grasp in Isaiah 53. A truth worth grasping today is found in Isaiah 53:10, "But the Lord was pleased to crush Him, putting Him to grief. If He would render Himself as a guilt offering. He will see His offspring, He will prolong His Days, and the good pleasure of the Lord will prosper in His hand."

Our Lord Jesus Christ submitted to the curse of God for the sins of mankind. Christ did not sin, but the results of our sins were laid upon Him. This was all decided among the eternal Counsel made up of God the Father, God the Son and God the Holy Spirit and Jesus accommodated Himself to this dispensation. A dispensation is a way determined by God for which someone may prove their love to Him. Christ was obedient unto death (Philippians 2:8) because He loved God His Father.

The death and burial of Christ was not the end but the beginning of the honor and joy that was to be given Him for His obedience. The promise to Christ from God was that He would see a people raised up who accept Him as their Savior and Lord. These Christians would not only trust in Christ to save them from eternal death and hell, but actually save them from the dominion of sin over their hearts. These Christians experience the same kind of life that the Apostle Paul lived, "I have been crucified with Christ and I no longer live, but Christ lives in me. The life I live in the body, I live by faith in the Son of God, who loved me and gave Himself for me." (Galatians 2:20) It is true, that Christians are not perfect people, however, there is the promise of Christ to do a work in their hearts and lives to bring them to completion (Philippians 1:6) so they can effectively proclaim the truths of the Lord.

King David foresaw a time when "Future generations will be told about the Lord. A time when a people of God would "...proclaim [Jesus] righteousness to a people yet unborn." (Psalm 22:30-31) The Apostle Peter wrote about this adopted people of God, "But you are chosen people, a royal priesthood, a holy nation, a people belonging to God, that you may declare the praise of Him who called you out of darkness into His wonderful light..." (1 Peter 2:9-10)

Are You a Fulfillment of God's Promise? If Not, Surrender to Christ as Savior and Lord!

# Worship With Us THIS SUNDAY



**NORTON FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH**  
The Rev. Herman Lambrecht  
805 W. Wilberforce, Norton  
SUNDAY, MARCH 1 — First Sunday in Lent

8:00 a.m. Early Service  
9:15 a.m. Sunday School for all Ages  
10:30 a.m. Worship Service  
6:00 p.m. Bridge Service  
MONDAY — 6:00-8:00 TOPS  
6:30 p.m. Bible Study Babes  
WEDNESDAY — 8:00 a.m. Prayer Warriors  
6:00 p.m. NOW  
7:00 p.m. Chancel Choir  
8:15 p.m. Bell Choir  
THURSDAY — 6:30 p.m. Disciple Bible Study  
NEXT SUNDAY — Second Sunday in Lent  
8:00 a.m. Early Service  
9:15 a.m. Sunday School for all Ages  
10:30 a.m. Worship Service  
Missions Fair Potluck Dinner  
4:00 p.m. Hot Diggity Dog Supper  
6:00 p.m. Movie Night

**EDMOND UNITED METHODIST CHURCH**  
The Rev. Herman Lambrecht  
SUNDAY — 9 a.m. Worship Service

**TRINITY EPISCOPAL CHURCH**  
Georgia Briery, Senior Warden  
102 E. Waverly, Norton  
SUNDAY — 9:30 a.m. Christian Education  
10:30 a.m. Morning Prayer  
11:45 a.m. Episcopal Church Women Lay Reader, Connie Johnson  
11:30 a.m. Coffee Hour Host, Woodyards'  
3:00-4:00 p.m. God's Pantry, Briery

**CROSSROADS CHURCH**  
313 West Lincoln Street  
Interim Pastor, Ron Scheimo  
Phone: 877-2416  
SATURDAY — 8:00 a.m. Men's Fellowship and Prayer  
SUNDAY — 9:15 a.m. Sunday School  
10:30 a.m. Worship Service  
WEDNESDAY — 6:30 p.m. Adult Bible Study

**ST. FRANCIS OF ASSISI CATHOLIC CHURCH**  
Father Vincent Thu Laing  
877-2234  
stfranci@ruraltel.net  
108 S. Wabash, Norton  
Mass Schedule  
Sunday 10:30 a.m. Mass  
Wednesday — 7:15 a.m. and 7:15 p.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  
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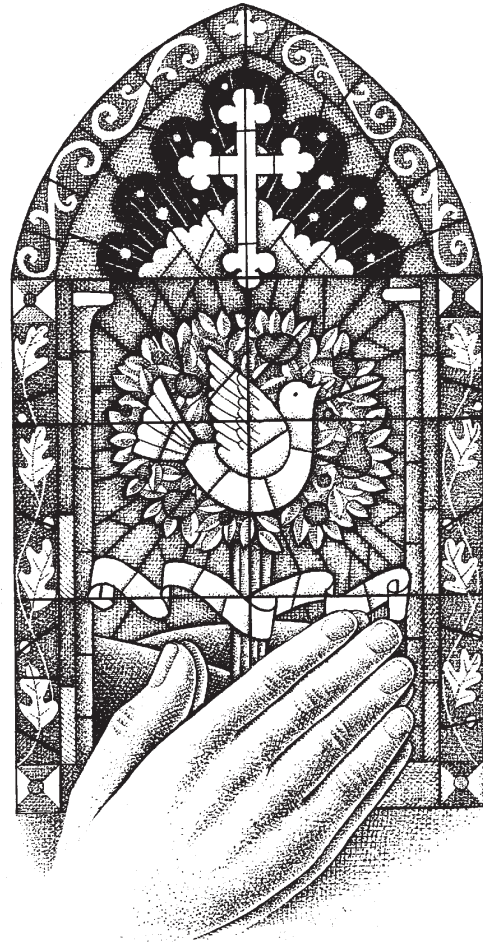
**NORTON MINISTERIAL ALLIANCE**  
Andbe Home Services, 2 p.m. and Norton Manor Services 3 p.m.  
There is no meeting of the alliance during the summer months

**PRAIRIE VIEW REFORMED CHURCH**  
The Rev. Jeffrey Van Der Weele  
410 Holland, Prairie View  
973-2794  
SUNDAY — 9 a.m. Morning Worship

**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

**REDEEMER EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN(WELS)**  
805 West Holme Street  
West Hwy. 36, Norton  
877-3138/3824  
timmomeyer@ruraltel.net  
Pastor Timm O. Meyer  
SATURDAY — 10:00 a.m. Confirmation Class  
1:00 p.m. NCF Worship Service  
SUNDAY — 7:00 a.m. Time of Grace on Fox TV  
9:05 a.m. Goodness from the Good Shepherd Radio Broadcast, KQNK, 106.7FM/1530AM  
9:30 a.m. Communion Service  
10:45 a.m. Sunday School  
10:55 a.m. Bible Study  
Noon NCF Worship Service  
4:00 p.m. Service at Russell, KS  
7:00 p.m. Worship Service at Hays, KS  
TUESDAY — 6:00-7:30 p.m. NCF Bible Studies  
WEDNESDAY — 7:00 p.m. Lenten Worship Service, Pastor Neyhart of North Platte, NE  
SATURDAY — :00 p.m. NCF Worship Service

**NORTON CHRISTIAN CHURCH**  
Jeff Nielsen, Minister  
Mike Sander, Youth Minister  
e-mail: ncc\_office@sbcglobal.net  
208 N. Kansas, 877-2871  
SUNDAY — 8:00-10:40 a.m. Worship Service, Jeff preaching  
9:30 a.m. Sunday School  
Noon, CE/Worship Potluck Meeting



5:30 p.m. Meal with Nebraska Christian College for those interested in visiting with them  
6:00 p.m. "The Quarry" at The Rock. Nebraska Christian College here  
MONDAY — 6:30 p.m. Ladies Bible Study  
7:00 p.m. W.O.W. Women's Group  
TUESDAY — 7:00 p.m. Awana Committee Meeting  
WEDNESDAY — 6:30 a.m. Men's Prayer Breakfast  
9:00 a.m. Prayer and Fellowship  
6:15 p.m. AWANA  
8:00 p.m. Elders' Meeting  
THURSDAY — 9:00 a.m. Women's Council Cabinet Meeting  
SUNDAY, MARCH 8 — 8:00 and 10:40 a.m. Worship Service, Jeff preaching  
9:30 a.m. Sunday School, Manhattan Christian College here for youth  
6:00 p.m. "Ignite" at The Rock. Manhattan Christian College at youth group. Anyone interested in visiting is welcome to come

**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  
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  
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 — 9:00 a.m. Bible Class and Sunday School; Epiphany 3  
6:30 p.m. Bible Study (Shirk)  
MONDAY — 5:15 p.m. LWML  
WEDNESDAY — 9:30 a.m. Bible Study  
2:00 p.m. Andbe Home  
3:45 p.m. Christ for Kids  
5:15 p.m. Choir  
7:00 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. Teens For Christ  
TUESDAY — 7:15 a.m. Teen Women's Discipleship  
THURSDAY — 7:15 a.m. Teen 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**  
Larry Danforth  
669-2554  
SUNDAY — 10 a.m. Church School  
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 Bible Study

**NORTON SEVENTH DAY ADVENTIST CHURCH**

105 S. Case Street  
Pastor Jerry Nowack  
SATURDAY SERVICES — 9:45 a.m. Church Services  
10:45 a.m. Sabbath School

**LONG ISLAND UNITED METHODIST CHURCH**  
The Rev. Dean Gilbert  
554 Washington, 854-7626  
SUNDAY — 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  
WEDNESDAY — 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  
SUNDAY — 10:00 a.m. Sacrament meeting  
11:15 a.m. Sunday School  
Noon - Priesthood and Relief Society  
WEDNESDAY — Young Men/Young Women, Ages 12-18

**LOGAN UNITED METHODIST CHURCH**  
The Rev. 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 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. Gary Dudder  
140 E. Iowa, 567-4420  
SUNDAY — 9:30 a.m. Social Hour  
10:30 a.m. Worship Services.

**LYLE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH**  
Guest Speakers Each Sunday  
SUNDAY — 8 a.m. Worship Service  
TUESDAY — Sewing at the Community Building

**MAPLE GROVE CHURCH OF THE BRETHREN**  
Kyle Douglas  
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**  
stjosephcc@ruraltel.net  
Father Vincent Thu Laing  
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**  
Larry Danforth  
669-2554  
SUNDAY — 8:30 a.m. Worship  
WEDNESDAY — 7 p.m. Bible Study in Fellowship Hall  
TUESDAY and THURSDAY — 9 a.m. Vita Band Exercise Class, Everyone Welcome  
7 p.m. Bible Study at Grace Reeves

**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.

**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**  
Larry Danforth  
693-4519  
SUNDAY — 10 a.m. Worship Service  
MONDAY — 7 p.m. Bible Study at Fellowship Hall

**THE ROCK**  
FRIDAY — 7:00-10:00 p.m. Seventh, Eighth, and Ninth Graders  
First Sunday Night of the Month — Quarry, 6:30 p.m. Junior and Senior High Worship Event