

WILSONVILLE

By VELMA HOLTZE
Kirk, Kim, Macy and Micah Kasson were Thursday supper guests of Joe and Alice Kasson. The occasion was to celebrate Joe's birthday.

Special music at the Baptist-Christian worship service Sunday was a duet by June Palmer and her brother, Earnest Benzel accompanied by Jan Andrews.

Church Meeting at Holbrook
Those attending the Southern Union Association meeting in Holbrook last Sunday were the Kendall Rices, the Joe Kassons, Velma Holtze, Avis Wolfe and Margene Holtze. The educational and powerful speaker, Brian Young from Juanita, Neb., was the afternoon speaker. He has written several books on "Creation of the World".

Library News
Marlene Witte was welcomed as a new board member at the last meeting April 7. Members discussed having a float for the rodeo parade and a bake sale.

The librarian has been cataloging books as well as learning to use the computers.

Spring cleaning at the library is underway with some volunteer help.

Aunt Lula's quilting group is still meeting at the library on Monday mornings. They are doing lots of embroidery and invite everyone to drop in for coffee and visiting.

Library hours are Monday, 8:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. and 5 p.m. to 7 p.m.; Wednesday, 8:30 a.m. to 11 a.m. and 4:30 p.m. to 6 p.m.; and Friday, 8:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. The phone number is 308-349-4296.

Ivalene Simmons, of Oshkosh, arrived at her mother's, Velma Holtze's Saturday evening. Russell and Michelle Simmons of Hays had come on Friday evening to spend the weekend. They were joined for weekend dinner by Caroline Simmons and Caden of Holdrege and Margene Holtze. They came especially to attend the retirement open house for Margene.

Dora Shaw had knee surgery April 16th at Cambridge Hospital. Since returning visitors of Dora have been Patricia Sayer of Cambridge, Dick and Joan McLaughlin, Joe and Alice Kasson, Tim and Barb Baca and Dee Anderson.

Volunteer Week
Adeline Ballou, Nadeane Haag and Velma Holtze attended the Tri-Valley Volunteer luncheon on Tuesday at the Congregational Church in Cambridge. A delicious dinner was enjoyed. Following special thank you's to the many who do volunteer work in connection with the medical facilities, Rev. Dana Keener delivered a short message. She emphasized turning "Me" glasses into "We" glasses by volunteering. The three women assist once a month at the Hospital Auxiliary Thrift Shop. That afternoon Velma Holtze attended the volunteer tea at the Beaver City Manor where they also honored their volunteers. Velma entertains at the Assisted Living once a month.

Howard Anderson Dies
Kenneth and Carla Holtze, Kendall and Virginia Rice and Bruce and Sharon Hyke attended funeral services in York on Wednesday for Howard Anderson. Howard, the second son of Renwick and Mary Anderson was born and raised on a farm east of Wilsonville. He attended the Anderson school and graduated from Wilsonville High School in 1941. He has made his home in York for many years where he was very active in the community serving on church and community boards of many kinds. He is survived by his wife, Dorothy; two sons and a daughter and their families; three sisters, Dora, of Albuquerque, N. M.; Alice of Paxton, Neb.; Melva of California; Zora of Blue Hill, Neb.; and brother, Frank of Scotts Bluff and their families.

Howard was one who returned to Wilsonville and almost every year for alumni and again in the fall for hunting season.

Evelyn (Nicholson) Marsh Dies
Another graduate of Wilsonville High School, Class of '39 was buried April 23 at Beatrice, Neb. Evelyn (Nicholson) Marsh, 82, was also born and raised at Wilsonville. She was the daughter of Lester and Ena Nicholson, the oldest of six children. Their home stood where the village park is now located. Just a

few years before moving to Beatrice, they owned the home where Brent Ballou now lives. She had been employed as a nurse's aid for many years.

Surviving her are her three sons, Lester; Tim; Arthur and Wilma; daughter, Dorothy Snyder; two brothers, Ivan and Rose Nicholson; Bob Nicholson; sister, Ruth Ann Mason; six grandchildren; and 13 great-grandchildren. Carolyn Park and Arlee Betel of Wilsonville are cousins of Evelyn.

Fellowship Gathering
A fellowship gathering was held at the Velma Holtze home on Thursday afternoon. Eight women from Arapahoe, Beaver City, Lebanon and Wilsonville enjoyed the visiting, games, bits of inspiration and refreshments. The two oldest guests were 94-year-old Edna Nelson of Assisted Living at Beaver City and 91-year-old Katherine Atterbury of Arapahoe.

Retiring
An open house was held at the Cambridge Community Building on Sunday afternoon for five teachers who are retiring from public education at the end of this school term. Dr. Tenopir from Lincoln who served as their Superintendent for many years spoke in the afternoon speaking highly of these teachers. Margene Holtze who graduated from Wilsonville in 1964, from Kearney College in '68 was one of these teachers. Margene began her teaching career at Cambridge in the fall of 1968. She received her masters from University of Nebraska Lincoln in 1980 after attending several summers. During those 36 years she has seen a number of changes in the school system. Like most schools one change has been the decrease in enrollment, but the quality of the graduating seniors has remained the same.

We think it is appropriate to dedicate these few lines to Margene and the other four teachers, who have also given a number of years to the Cambridge school and community: Del Shoenfish, 33 years; Betty Jorgensen, 26 years; John Johnson 26 years; and Dennis Wahlmeier, 20 years.

Rain
The community has enjoyed several showers of beneficial rain this past week. Beginning during the night on Wednesday around a 1/2 inch fell around Wilsonville. It cleared for most of Thursday beginning again that evening and showering off and on. Again Friday night light showers were falling, which amounted to around an inch.

Double Eight Club
Janet Trosper was hostess to the Double Eight club April 21. Pres. Adeline Ballou conducted the business meeting. Members were reminded of the May breakfast on May 8 at 9 a.m. at the Cambridge community building, hosted by Edith Rikli. Virginia Andre gave a very interesting program on early settlers in Furnas County using material from the books "Furnas County Past and Present" and "Pioneer Stories of Furnas County". She read several selections including one written by her mother, Pearl Lyons, about her family. Members told some of what they knew about their family history. The hostess assisted by Norma Smith served lunch.

Painting Convention
Kathy Lewis and Vernita Saylor left Thursday for the Nebraska China painter's Convention at Grand Island. Seven other members from Cambridge attended parts of the convention. Also attending on Friday were Kathy's aunt and uncle Margaret and Richard Wehland, and Lisa of Faibury and Sheila Wehland, Ceresco, Kris Ahlmeyer, Kearney and Cassie Lewis of Sioux City. On Saturday Cassie enjoyed doing some wedding shopping with her mother and Vernita.

Home at Last
The Allen Wilson's son-in-law, Josh Townsend, who has been in Iraq arrived in the states April 20 with his 10-57th National Guard Unit. They arrived at Camp Ashland near Omaha that evening. His wife, Kim, joined him on Wednesday. He arrives at his home base at Kearney April 26 and will participate in a "Welcome Home" parade. There, they will be met by their relatives, including his parents from Grand Island and his in-laws, Allen and Connie. Their release from active duty follows immediately.



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
No Church and Birthday Dinner
4 p.m. Sr. UMYF
7 p.m. Bridge Service
WEDNESDAY — 10 a.m. Missions Committee
6 p.m. Mother/Daughter Dinner
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
SATURDAY — Rummage Sale
SUNDAY — 8 a.m. Christian Education
9 a.m. Holy Eucharist, Celebrant, Fr. Dennis Gilhouse; Lay Reader, Connie Johnson
10 a.m. Coffee Hour Host, Woodyards
3-4 p.m. God's Pantry, Dianaw McGee

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

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 Prairie View
THURSDAY — 1:30 p.m. Gleaner's Circle

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
MONDAY — 7:30 p.m. Council Meeting

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
WEDNESDAY — 6:45 p.m. Choir Practice
7:30 p.m. Bible Study at Church
THURSDAY — 6 p.m. Confirmation Class
7:45 p.m. Worship Service at Alma

SATURDAY, MAY 8 — 1 p.m. Evangelism Meeting
2 p.m. Ladies Mission Society Meeting

NORTON CHRISTIAN CHURCH
Jeff Nielsen, Minister
e-mail: ncc@us36.net
208 N. Kansas, 877-2871
SATURDAY — Bible Bowl, Clay Center, Neb.
SUNDAY — 8 a.m. Early Worship
9:30 a.m. Sunday School
10:40 a.m. Worship Service, Youth Sunday
1 p.m. Board Meeting
No p.m. Bible Bowl or Youth Group
6 p.m. Senior Banquet
7 p.m. Senior Roast
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, Girls Bible Study
7 p.m. Upper Room Prayer Group

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
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. Worship Team
8 p.m. Board of Trustees

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, Kirk preaching on a Purpose Driven Life. Week II - "You Were Planned For God's Pleasure"
7 p.m. Teens For Christ Fellowship
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 BRETHERN
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

