

# PRAIRIE VIEW

**By VIVIAN JANSONIUS**  
Burdett and Belva Leydig were Thanksgiving Day guests of Mike and Lisa Leydig, Courtney and Megan at their home in Kearney. Friday after Thanksgiving, Mike and Lisa Leydig, Courtney and Megan and Gene and Tammy Tilloraon, Sydney and Colin, all of Kearney, came to the Leydig home in Prairie View. All attended the open house in Phillipsburg in honor of Brad, Karla (Kipple) and Thomas Klinetobe of Loveland, Colo. They were in the area visiting Layton and Mary Walters at Kirwin and other friends and relatives over the holiday. Travis and Nina Brooks, Independence, Mo., and Rhonda Jacques of Norton were recent dinner guests of Walter and Darline Brown. Guests of Walter and Darline Brown on Thanksgiving Day were Rhonda Jacques and Blake of Norton; Bill and Nancy Brown, Manhattan; Jeffrey Brown and friend, Zach, Lisa Blacha, Ricole, Reese and Raela, Logan. The group celebrated Reese's second birthday, which is Dec. 1. Jacob Jansonius, Golden, Colo., Jennifer Jansonius, Overland Park, and Joni Jansonius, Manhattan, spent Thanksgiving at the home of their father, Rodney Jansonius and grandmother, Hazel Jansonius. Mr. William D. Jansonius, Willard and Cleo Jansonius were also Thanksgiving dinner guests at the home of Hazel Jansonius. Mr. and Mrs. Eddy De Boer of Phillipsburg entertained with a dinner on Thanksgiving. Guests included: Tammy Slayton and daughters, Briana and Brooke of Dodge City; Mark and Lisa

Grieve, Latisha, Kaiden and Megan; Heath and Lorie Bogart, Kali, Alex and Kambri, all of Hays; and Vivian Jansonius, Prairie View. A large crowd of the Kats family enjoyed Thanksgiving Day dinner at the Prairie View Senior Citizen/Community Center. The Phillips County Blood Drive was held Nov. 18 at the Huck Boyd place. Several from the community took the time to give blood. They were: Donna Kats, Elizabeth Jansonius, Mark Kats, Bob Stutterheim, Debra Thomas, Harlan Van De Wege and Becky Whitney. Prairie View Home Makers Family and Community Education Unit met Nov. 29 at the home of Mark and Anissa Kats to see their Christmas decorations and have appetizers. Later, members assembled at the home of Gloria DeWitt for a meal. Dessert was served at the home of Judy Van Der Veen and Secret Pals were revealed during the Christmas gift exchange. Secret Pals were drawn for 2005. Attending were Pat Hammond, Sara Nelson, Beth Ponstein, Belinda Thalheim, Stienie Laubscher and Susan Schickerling, all of Long Island; Gloria DeWitt, Diana Greving, Linda Hultgren, Vivian Jansonius, Anissa Kats, Belva Leydig, Beverly Schemper, Julia Schemper, Wanda Schemper and Judy Van Der Veen, all of Prairie View. The Sunshine City Library has added several new books to their collection. Authors include Chuck Norris, Danielle Steel, Fannie Flagg and a pictorial history book of Kansas barns by Robert L. Marsh.

# NORCATUR NEWS

Thanksgiving weekend visitors of Lowell Sebaugh were Mark and Terry Cross, Heather and Parker Mogolov, all of Olathe; Bob, Mary, Kyle, Tyler and Kayla Lough, Wamego; Scott O'Hare and Sara Thiesen, Hillsboro; Brooklyn, McKenna and Kaden O'Hare, Oberlin; Cody and Nichala O'Hare, Bertrand, Neb.; and Janice and Rodney O'Hare, Monty and Linda Hunt, Norcat. Goodie trays for Christmas can be ordered from the County Line Café. Items available include candies, cookies and sweet breads. Call (785) 693-4000. Word was received of the death of Carolyn Ward, sister-in-law of Bee Nelson, who passed away Sunday evening, Nov. 28, in Shawnee Mission. Dorothy Breiner spent Thanksgiving at Norton with Brian and Jennifer McKenna and boys. Kent and Julie Legg were also guests. Thanksgiving company of Rea and Dee Magers were Bob and Cheri Pomeroy and Zach and Brenda Simmons, Lakewood, Colo.; Matt Pomeroy, Greeley, Colo.; and Jeff Magers and Joy of Cedar Bluffs. The group went to Lyle on Thanksgiving Day where they joined Margaret Magers and family at the community building for a wonderful dinner. There were 34 present. The rest of the week was spent visiting Jeff and Joy, hunting, playing Scrabble, making beads, antique and thrift store shopping, and eating leftovers. Several people would like to play cards during the day and are looking for more players. If you are interested in pitch, poker or other card games please contact the Cardinal Bar and Grill. Cards and chips will be provided. A Single Person Pool Tournament will be held at the Cardinal Bar and Grill beginning Monday, Dec. 13. Cash prizes for first, second and third places. Double elimination, straight eight ball. Phone (785) 693-4499 for details. The weekend of Nov. 27 several ladies brought supper to Lora Linn Lechlitter's house and decorated for Christmas. They were Janice O'Hare, Linda Hunt, Denise Bailey, Dorothy Breiner, and Lynn Ward and her mother, Ruby. Ron Lechlitter of Colorado

Springs, Colo., came home to take his mother, Lora Linn Lechlitter, to spend Thanksgiving with Rodney and Lisa Lechlitter in Seibert, Colo. On Friday Ron took Lora Linn to Colorado Springs to do some Christmas shopping, then brought her back home. He turned right around and headed back to Colorado Springs to beat the coming snowstorm. A New Year's Eve supper and party, organized by the County Line Café, will be held at the Norcat. There will be dancing and fun all night long for both adults and kids. Free babysitting will be provided, with a "special" dance for just the kiddies. Jam Session will provide music and entertainment for the adults. A continental breakfast will be held immediately after. More details to follow. Birthdays: Marvin Matchett - Nov. 27; Troy Wentz - Dec. 1; Ruth Dickey - Dec. 2; Scooter Matchett - Dec. 5. Thanksgiving company at the Veda Wood home included John and Carol Moye; Larry and Sandy McNames, Ryan and Neal; John and Andria Cooper, Devon and Skylar; Dwight and Teresa Wood; and Ona Van Gundy. Wonderful food and visiting were enjoyed by all. Margaret (Mrs. Harold) Clark of Greensburg fell recently at her home. Mail will reach her at Kiowa County Hospital, 501 S. Sycamore, Greensburg, Kan., 67054. Thanksgiving Eve and Day guests of Wayne and Norma McCallister were Rob and Dodie McCallister and Matt, Holcomb, and Mike McCallister, Hays. Mildred Schwab of Norton was also a guest Thanksgiving Day. Guests of Bill and Bee Nelson on Thanksgiving Day were Marguerite Clark, Lee Eckhart and Bob Sawdon. Janet Rippe and daughter, Allison, of McCook were visitors Thanksgiving afternoon of Marguerite Clark. Entries in the Norcat. Christmas home lighting contest will have their lights on Dec. 12-16, so that will be a good time to drive around and see all the local displays.



**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  
5 p.m. Sr. UMYF  
7 p.m. Bridge Service  
MONDAY — New Chapter coffee at McDonald's  
6:30 p.m. First Place  
WEDNESDAY — New Chapter coffee at McDonald's  
9:30 a.m. Thrift Shop  
4 p.m. Children's Choir  
6:15 p.m. Here and There Christmas Cookie Exchange and Caroling  
7 p.m. Chancel Choir  
8 p.m. Pastor/Staff Parish Relations Committee  
8:15 p.m. Bell Choir  
THURSDAY — 6 p.m. Bridge Band Practice  
SATURDAY — 7 a.m. United Methodist Men

**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. Morning Prayer; Lay Reader, Georgia Briery  
11:30 a.m. Hanging of the Greens followed by soup luncheon  
3-4 p.m. God's Pantry, Marshall Henderson

**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 8 a.m. Mass  
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  
K of C Third Monday of Month at 7:30 p.m.

**NORTON MINISTERIAL ALLIANCE**  
Hospital chaplain, Monday through Sunday, Rostek Sunday Services, 2 p.m. Andbe Home; 3 p.m., Norton Manor, Laughlin Ministerial Alliance Meeting Dec. 16, Noon 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.  
10:15 a.m. Sunday School  
7 p.m. United Church Services at Luctor  
WEDNESDAY — 6:30 p.m. Pioneers at Prairie View

7 p.m. Youth Group and Bible Study at Luctor

**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 Services.  
3 p.m. Communicant's Class at the Parsonage  
7 p.m. United Church Services at Luctor  
TUESDAY — 7 p.m. Long Term Care  
WEDNESDAY — 7 p.m. Youth Group and Bible Study at Luctor

**REDEEMER EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH**  
**Pastor Timm O. Meyer**  
**e-mail: timmomeyer@ruraltel.net**  
**805 W. Holme, Norton 877-3138**  
SATURDAY — 10:30 a.m. Christmas Eve Practice  
SUNDAY — 9:05 a.m. "Goodness From the Good Shepherd" Radio Broadcast, KQNK 106.7 FM & 1530 AM  
10 a.m. Worship Service  
11:10 a.m. Sunday School and Bible Study  
MONDAY — 6 p.m. Confirmation at Alma  
7:45 p.m. Worship Service at Alma  
WEDNESDAY — 7:30 p.m. Bible Study  
SATURDAY — 10:30 a.m. Christmas Eve Practice

**NORTON CHRISTIAN CHURCH**  
**Jeff Nielsen, Minister**  
**Cody Shepherd, Youth Minister**  
**e-mail: ncc\_office@sbcglobal.net**  
**208 N. Kansas, 877-2871**  
FRIDAY — 5-5:45 p.m. Christmas Program Practice, 4 years-2nd grade  
5:45-7 p.m. Christmas Program Practice, 3rd-6th grade  
SUNDAY — 8 a.m. Early Worship  
9:30 a.m. Sunday School  
10:40 a.m. Worship Service  
Noon, Fellowship Dinner  
1 p.m. Board Meeting  
1 p.m. Baby Shower for Jarrett Krehbiel  
4:30 p.m. Bible Bowl  
7 p.m. No Youth Group  
7 p.m. Caroling  
WEDNESDAY — 6:30 a.m. Men's Prayer Breakfast  
9 a.m. Prayer and Fellowship  
6 p.m. AWANA Supper  
6:05-6:20 p.m. Christmas Program Practice  
6:25 p.m. AWANA  
6:25 p.m. Bible Bowl  
7 p.m. Upper Room Prayer Group  
SATURDAY — 11 a.m. Christmas Program Practice, 4 years-2nd grade  
12:30 p.m. Christmas Program Practice, 3rd-6th grade

**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**  
**The Rev. Rick Rostek**  
**814 N. Second, Norton 877-2430**  
SUNDAY — 9 a.m. Sunday School, Bible Class  
10:30 a.m. Worship  
Youth Soup Lunch  
Church decorating  
Caroling  
TUESDAY — 7 p.m. Elders  
WEDNESDAY — 2 p.m. Andbe Home  
3:45 p.m. Midweek  
5:15 p.m. Choir  
6:30 p.m. Confirmation  
THURSDAY — 9:30 a.m. Bible Study, Deines

**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.

**CONGREGATIONAL**

**CHURCH, ALMENA**  
**Kirk Kasson, Pastor**  
**e-mail: congo@ruraltel.net**  
SUNDAY — 9:30 a.m. Sunday School  
10:30 a.m. Church Services  
4:30 p.m. Membership Classes  
7 p.m. TFC  
MONDAY — 3:30 p.m. Good News  
TUESDAY — 7:15 a.m. Teen Women's Discipleship  
WEDNESDAY — 7 p.m. Kirk and Kim's Small Group  
7:30 p.m. Women's Fellowship  
THURSDAY — 7:15 a.m. Teen Men's Discipleship

**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

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**CONGREGATIONAL**

**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. Sunday School  
11 a.m. Worship Services

**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**  
SATURDAY — 2 p.m. Ladies Christmas Tea at Community Full Gospel  
SUNDAY — 9 a.m. Morning Worship  
10:15 a.m. Sunday School  
Joint Worship Service at Community Full Gospel  
2 p.m. Cantata at Andbe Home Manor  
MONDAY — 7 p.m. Cantata at Senior Citizen Center

**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

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