

JENNINGS NEWS

By **LOUISE CRESSLER**

The Senior Citizens dinner was held Dec. 18. A bountiful dinner was enjoyed by William and Rachel Carter; Ruth and Merl Chance; Bob and Neoma Tacha; Stan and Ramona Shaw; Mary Votapka; Sue Long; Eleanor Morel; Diane Carter; Imogene Keenan; Helen and Keith Muirhead and Louise Cressler.

Work has begun at the Community Hall. Prairieland Electric is starting on the electrical and duct work for the new furnace and air conditioning.

Graveside services were held

Dec. 12 at the Jennings Cemetery for Dallas Kolsky, Sedalia, Mo. Dallas graduated from Jennings High School with the class of 1939. United Methodist Church women served lunch to the family.

Wayne and Louise Cressler received word Tuesday of a new great-grandson born Monday, Dec. 17. Callahan Ian weighed 9 pounds 11 ounces.

Proud parents are Brad and Cinnamon Harold, Denver, Colo. Grandparents are Pat and Don Harold, Grand Junction, Colo.

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By **NEWSLETTER VOLUNTEERS**

Terry Gade reports that he will expect to have a third hip replacement at the end of February.

Sympathy is extended to the family of Doris Wallack, 98, who died Nov. 29, at the Andbe Home in Norton. She was a 1927 graduate of Norcatatur High School. Her parents were Frank and Mamie (Jorn) Hasenyager.

Dorothy Ward and Wava Reames attended the Cedar Living Center's Christmas party at Oberlin on Dec. 16. Wava was with her parents, Frank and Velda Ward, and Dorothy with Lora Linn Leichliter. Other guests of Lora Linn were her son, Rodney of Seibert, Colo., and granddaughter, Laci of Colby. After returning to Norcatatur, Dorothy stopped by the Red Hatter's Christmas party at the Cardinal Bar and Grill.

Stan and Carol Miller went to Denver on Dec. 8, then flew to Las Vegas on Dec. 9, for the annual AdVenture Seed Co. trip. They returned from Las Vegas on Dec. 12, then left on Dec. 13, for El Dorado where they stayed with Justine and Casey Tuttle. The Millers helped daughter, Justine, celebrate her 21st birthday. Mr. and Mrs. Curt DeDonder and Sophia of Topeka joined them for an early family Christmas. All returned home Dec. 16.

Have you been out looking at Christmas lights? It's worth your time to drive by the Forbes' home, just east of the United Methodist Church.

Physician Assistant Tara Nelson, 509th Medical Group, received the Whiteman Spirit Award from Col. Garrett Harencaak, 509th Bomb Wing Commander, on Dec. 3. She is the daughter of Bee Nelson of Norcatatur and the late Bill Nelson. She has been a family practice physician assistant for 10 years. She was nominated by Col. Gloria Twilley, commander of the 509 Medical Group.

Wava Reames and Leslie and Lynn Ward were guests of Frank and Velda Ward at Cedar Living Center in Oberlin on Sunday, Dec. 16, for the annual Christmas party. The place was packed. First Christmas carols were sung by the group founded by Ron Temple. Myrna Jones played the piano and singing was led by the group. Santa Claus made an appearance to deliver gifts to the residents. The young visitors greeted him with delight. Teresa Shaughnessy does a terrific job organizing events at Cedar Living Center.

Marguerite Clark's niece, Janet Rippe, daughter-in-law of Coleen and LaVerne Rippe of Lyle, spent nearly 10 days touring Europe with a cattleman's organization. On the way home this past weekend she got as far as Chicago before being delayed by heavy snowstorms. Janet is home now, but what an adventure! She and her husband, Gale, work for Heartland Cattle Co. of McCook, and live near there.

A note from Maryllin Locy states that after four chemo treatments, she is cancer free! Maryllin said chemo is not fun, and it will take a while to get her strength back. Her husband, Jay, is doing well and keeping busy.

Birthdays and anniversaries: Tom and Betsy Jakowski, Dec. 19; Jim Bob Beachel, Frank Ward, Sandy Gade, Carissa Wentz - Dec. 22; Ronald Anderson - Dec. 25; Fred Molzahn, Lynn Ward - Dec. 26; Mary Irwin - Dec. 30; Beth Sebaugh, Galen and Jamie Wentz - Dec. 31; Jonathan and Cristy Baker - Jan. 1; Darrel Barnett, Megan Wentz - Jan. 2; Chris Dempewolf, Jeff and Lori Roe - Jan. 3; Mike Mapes - Jan. 6; Debbie Marshall - Jan. 7; Debra Helm - Jan. 8.

Congratulations to Dewayne Jackson, who was presented a pin and certificate in honor of his 25-year safe driving record while delivering his rural mail route.

The bake sale and auction at the Norcatatur Christmas Drawing on Dec. 15 brought in \$77.50 at the bake sale, \$509 at the auction and \$415 in donations. Proceeds went to the Norcatatur City Building fund.

Deb Marshall worked hard putting the Christmas Drawing together. Lois, Megan and Rebecca Wentz worked at the bake sale and Troy Marshall did the auctioneering and announcing of names. Gary Anthony also helped with the auction, and Amanda Marshall helped hand out prizes.

A hog roast benefit for Ron Montgomery has tentatively been set for Saturday, Jan. 12, from 5 to 7:30 p.m. at the Norcatatur City Building. All proceeds will go to help with medical expenses incurred after his farming accident. If you would like to make a salad or dessert, please contact Chris Dempewolf, (785) 693-4461.

R.D. Thornton was taken from the hospital in Oberlin to the Hays hospital on Dec. 12. He was to return to the Oberlin hospital on Dec. 17. Mail will reach him at Decatur Health Systems, P.O. Box 268, Oberlin, Kan., 67749.

erator and freezer. The surge of returning electrical power can damage the motors of appliances.

- Use food from the refrigerator first and leave the freezer door closed.

- After power is restored, examine food for signs of spoilage before re-freezing.

For more information, contact the Norton County K-State Research and Extension office at (785) 877-5755.

When the power fails

When a power failure occurs:

- To save heat, close off unneeded rooms; cover windows at night and stuff towels or rags in cracks under doors.
- Maintain adequate food and water intake - food provides the body with energy for producing its own heat.
- Let faucets drip a little to prevent freezing damage.
- Turn off most light switches, furnace switch and unplug refriger-



NORTON FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

The Rev. Lew Van Der Wege, Pastor
804 W. Wilberforce, Norton
 SUNDAY — 8 a.m. Early Service

9:30 a.m. Sunday School for all ages
 10:30 a.m. Worship Service
 Fellowship Coffee
 6 p.m. The Bridge
 MONDAY — 6 p.m. to Midnight Watch Celebration
 6:30 p.m. Ladies Bible Study

TUESDAY — 7 p.m. Al-Anon Serenity Group
 WEDNESDAY — 10 a.m. Missions
 6 p.m. NOW
 6:30 p.m. Confirmation
 7 p.m. Chancel Choir
 8:15 p.m. Bell Choir
 THURSDAY — 6:30 p.m. Disciple Bible Study

EDMOND UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

Rev. Lew Van Der Wege, Pastor
 SUNDAY — 9 a.m. Worship Service
 Fellowship Coffee

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 Hour Hosts, Ron and Jerry Temple
 3-4 p.m. God's Pantry, Ron Briery

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. Sunday School
 10:30 a.m. Worship Service
 WEDNESDAY — 6:45 p.m. Christian Fellowship
 7:15 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
 K of C Third Monday of Month at 7:30 p.m.

NORTON MINISTERIAL ALLIANCE

Hospital Chaplain, Monday through Sunday, Rick Rostek
 Andbe Home Services, 2 p.m. and Norton Manor Services 3 p.m., Terry Worthington

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
 TUESDAY — 9:30 a.m. New Year's Day Service

REDEEMER EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH

Pastor Timm O. Meyer
 SATURDAY — 1 p.m. Worship Service at Norton Correctional Facility
 SUNDAY — 7 a.m. "Time of Grace" on FOX-TV
 9:05 a.m. "Goodness From the Good Shepherd" Radio Broadcast, KQNK 106.7 FM & 1530 AM or www.kqnk.com
 9:30 a.m. Worship Service
 10:45 a.m. Sunday School, Short Voters Meeting
 12 p.m. Worship at Norton Correctional Facility
 1:35 p.m. Confirmation Class
 MONDAY — 6:30 p.m. New Year's Eve Worship Service
 TUESDAY — 5:45 p.m. and 7:30 p.m. Bible Study at Norton Correctional Facility

NORTON CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Jeff Nielsen, Minister
Mike Sander, Youth Minister
e-mail: ncc_office@sbcglobe.net
208 N. Kansas, 877-2871
 SUNDAY — 8 a.m. Early Worship
 9:30 a.m. Sunday School
 10:40 a.m. Worship Service
 6:30 p.m. "Ignite" at The Rock
 TUESDAY — New Year's Day - Office Closed

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
 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 — 7 p.m. New Year's Eve Vesper Service
 WEDNESDAY — 9:30 a.m. Bible Study
 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. Teens For Christ
 TUESDAY — 7:15 a.m. Teen Women's Discipleship
 WEDNESDAY — Good

THE CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST OF LATTER DAY SAINTS

Phillipsburg Ward
Tom Arnett, Bishop
 SUNDAY — Regular services
 TUESDAY — 7 p.m. Co-Ed Volleyball
 WEDNESDAY — 7 p.m. Primary Activity Night. All children invited.

LOGAN UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

News Club will **not** meet during December
 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

Pastor Ray Gilstrap
669-2554
 SUNDAY — 10 a.m. Church School
 11 a.m. Worship Service, Choir

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. Sunday School
 10:30 a.m. Worship Service

LYLE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

Guest Speakers Each Sunday
 SUNDAY — 8 a.m. Worship Service

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 ALMENO

stjoseph@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

Pastor Ray Gilstrap
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.

NORCATATUR UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

Pastor Ray Gilstrap
693-4519
 SUNDAY — 10 a.m. Worship Service
 MONDAY — 7 p.m. Bible Study at Fellowship Hall

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THE NORTON TELEGRAM

See You Sunday!