

Herndon News

By Julie Hafner

Sympathy is extended to the Williams family on the death of Donald Eugene Williams of Stella, Neb. Don was born July 16, 1924 on a farm north of Stella. Graveside funeral services were held Tuesday, Nov. 1, 2011, at Prairie Union Cemetery near Shubert, Neb. Grandson, Jacob Williams, Herndon, was a pallbearer.

Hunters, visitors and everyone in the surrounding Herndon area are invited to attend the St. Mary's Fall Festival dinner on Sunday, Nov. 13. Roast turkey and ham dinner with all the trimmings will be served from 11:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. with prizes and games available.

Jason Hafner and Raquel Friedrichs, Lexington, Neb., and Bob and Julie Hafner visited Joan Noble at Cedar Living Center in Oberlin Saturday afternoon after having lunch and shopping at the Herndon Craft Show in Herndon.

St. Mary's Catholic Youth Organization served lunch at Herndon Heritage Days, Saturday. Their menu of chili, vegetable-beef soup, sloppy-joes, ham sandwiches, deserts and drinks were a huge hit for the nice crowd attending. A huge thank-you to those that donated hamburger and desserts. The free-will donation will be used for the organization's activities and for meals at National Catholic Youth Conference. Neil Portschy, John Solko, Kassidi Williams along with sponsors, Deb Portschy and Deanna Williams will leave Wednesday, Nov. 16 for the conference in Indianapolis. They will spend three days with 24,000 youth and sponsors from all over the United States in

prayer, worship and fun.

Karol and Jacque Riener traveled to Colorado Saturday for a birthday dinner at 4th and Main for Des Brophy, 82 of Wray, Colo.

Four of Jacque's siblings and families were there along with wife, Mary Lou, and her sister, Nancy Earl, and husband Gary Earl. Des's brother, Jim Brophy, and sister, Betty Shapard, both of Yuma attended. Special friends, Jim and Carol Unger of Yuma joined the group.

Bud and Vicky Mumm recently traveled to Colorado for a combination birthday and anniversary celebration, planned by children, Anita Mumm and Greg Mumm.

They were treated to an evening dinner at Siena at the Courtyard in historic downtown Castle Rock, where Anita's boyfriend, Marco, entertained with guitar and singing. Greg and girlfriend, Lina, of Cheyenne, Wyo., joined Anita and the Mums in Castle Rock and then headed to Canyon City the next day for the Royal Gorge Train Ride. The journey was breath-taking scenery following the Arkansas River through the gorge while enjoying your meal.

From there, they visited the Holy Cross Winery in Canon City where the monks attract visitors from all over the world on the Abbey grounds. On Sunday, the group attended Mass in Manitou Springs and toured the Miramont Castle Museum. Bud and Vicky then visited his sister, Dick and Clara Newton in Wheatridge, Colo., before returning to farm life on Monday.

Julie's Memory Jogger's
The Herndon Nonpareil
Sept. 16, 1928

Junior Choir Have Party
Mrs. Geo. W. Riepl and Miss Isabella Hartner, assistant organist, contributed to the week's gaiety by presiding over a novel entertainment at the former's home for members of the Junior Choir as a pleasant recognition of their attendance during the

This delightful party was an outdoor affair and took on the form of a Flower Festival. The flower contests and other frolics of the sunny afternoon were divided between the roomy porch and apple orchard surrounding the Seb. S. Zwickle home. Dainty butterflies and various bright-colored blossoms were in evidence.

Refreshments were the appetizing viands of toothsome sandwiches, cupcakes, candies with garden punch clinking pleasantly in tall glasses garnished with slices of lemon.

Nothing delights youngsters quite so much as a party and the little guests enthusiasm was all out of proportion to the time it took in preparation. The children all had such a thoroughly enjoyable time. The members of the Junior Choir are Clara Schuetz, Florence Unger, Margaret and Helen Riepl, Agnes and Mildred Riepl, Alice and Johanna Hartner, Viola Lippold, Bernice Hafner, Catherine Weishapl, Virginia Maher, Elizabeth Leitner, Rose Hutfles and Delora Riepl. Florence Barenberg was a guest.



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Midway News

By Mary Lou Olson

Pastor Keith Reuther and David Noren joined others from Covenant Heights Camp near Estes Park, Colo., for a mission trip to Thailand.

Pastor Doug Mason spoke Sunday at the Herndon Covenant Church and Pastor Tom Smith will preach on Sunday. The congregation will bring non-perishable food items to church on Sunday for the food pantries in Oberlin and Atwood.

Covenant Women will meet at 9 a.m. on Saturday at the church and thank banks will be collected.

Hostesses will be Norma Anderson and Jennie Anderson. Beth Holle will have devotions.

Jerry and Jean Peila of Lyons, Colo., were weekend guests of Steve and Arian Arnold on Oct. 29 and 30.

Congratulations to Nick and Stephanie Anderson of Lawrence on the arrival of a son, Cole Nicholas, on Sept. 20, 2011. He weighed 7 pounds, 11 ounces and was 20 1/2 inches long. Elden and Detta Anderson visited the couple and their other son, Bryan, recently to

make the acquaintance of their new great-grandson.

John and Ardythe Cederberg and Keith and Mary Lou Olson were among those who attended funeral services on Saturday at the Oberlin United Methodist Church for Bill Goss, 78, who died Oct. 26 in Denver.

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The Hiding Place

Pastor Gene Gee

Oberlin Community Fellowship Church

Hidden is found in the Bible 17 times. Isaiah 45:3 "I will give thee treasures of darkness, and hidden riches of secret places."

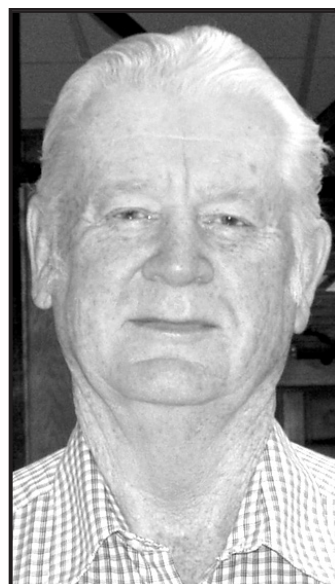
A little girl comes to her mother after looking under the bed and says, "Mommy, I see dust bunnies under the bed."

The mother replied, "Oh dear. The Bible says "from dust you came and to dust you will return. That is just grandpa hiding under there."

According to Webster, "hidden" means out of sight or not readily apparent, concealed, obscure, unexplained or undisclosed. We all seem to hide things within us when we feel no one will understand. Many people believe their sin is hidden from God. In the case of one who steals, he thinks he won't get caught, or maybe a drug dealer thinks he can do all he does in hidden ways.

Sometimes people have issues like as seen on the

TV program, The Biggest Loser. They can't bring the hidden issues to the open until someone really gets into their life. Did you ever stop to think about the many ways a hiding place is used? Think of the times you played hide and seek as a child; watched a catcher in a ball game when he hides the play in his glove; a coach of a football team on television will hide his mouth so his words can't be read. We even have hidden taxes and hidden agendas. I have heard a song "The Hiding Place," by Don Moen; and a book was written about "The Hiding Place." The time will come when all the hidden things will be revealed. I Corinthians 4:5. Therefore, judge nothing before the time, until the Lord comes, who both will bring to light the hidden things of darkness, and will make manifest the counsels of the hearts; and then shall every man have praise of God.



Schedule of Oberlin and area church services:

OBERLIN SACRED HEART CATHOLIC CHURCH
785-475-3103
Fr. Mark Berland,
MASS: 10:30 a.m., Sunday

IMMACULATE CONCEPTION CATHOLIC, LEVILLE
Fr. Mark Berland,
MASS: 8 a.m., Sunday.

SACRED HEART CATHOLIC, SELDEN
Fr. Mark Berland,
MASS: 5:30 p.m. Saturday

JENNINGS-DRESDEN UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
Pastor: Barbara Patterson
SUNDAY: Church School, 10 a.m. Morning Worship, 11 a.m.

DRESDEN
SUNDAY: Morning Worship, 9:30 a.m.

PRAIRIE CHAPEL UNITED METHODIST
The Rev. Linda Willey
SUNDAY: Church Services, 9 a.m.; Sunday School, 8:30 a.m.

HERNDON IMMANUEL UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST
Pastor: Dennis Brown
SUNDAY: Morning Worship, 9 a.m.

OBERLIN UNITED METHODIST 102 North Cass — 785-475-3067
The Rev. Linda Willey
SUNDAY: Church School, 9:30 a.m.; Morning Worship, 10:45 a.m. (Nursery provided.) WEDNESDAY: Praise team practice, 8 p.m.

OBERLIN ASSEMBLY OF GOD
The Rev. Royce Leitner
SUNDAY: Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Morning Worship, 11 a.m.; Evening Worship, 7 p.m. WEDNESDAY: Adult Bible study, 7 p.m.

UNITED CHURCH OF OBERLIN
Pastor: Judi Stricker
109 North Griffith-American Baptist, Disciples of Christ, Presbyterian USA
SUNDAY: Adult Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.; Coffee: 10:30 a.m. - 11 a.m. Worship Service, 11 a.m. Choir practice every Sun. at 9:45 a.m. Holy Communion, 1st & 3rd Sundays. United Church Women, 2nd Wed at 2 p.m. Parish Council, 2nd Sun. following Worship

IMMACULATE CONCEPTION CATHOLIC, LEVILLE
Fr. Mark Berland,
MASS: 8 a.m., Sunday.

OBERLIN COMMUNITY FELLOWSHIP (Southern Baptist)
Pastor: Gene Gee
SUNDAY: Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.; Morning Worship, 10:30 a.m., WEDNESDAY: Service, 7 p.m.,

CLAYTON UNITED METHODIST
Pastor: Ed Woods
SUNDAY: Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m.

OBERLIN CHURCH OF CHRIST
South Beaver Street - Oberlin
Bill Duncan — Phone 785-475-3259
SUNDAY: Fellowship and coffee time; 10:00 a.m. The "no sermon" worship hour with the Lord's Supper and Adventures With God, open Bible Study, 10:30 a.m.; TUESDAY: Ladies Bible Study, 9 a.m.

ST. MARY'S CATHOLIC, HERNDON
Fr. Nick Parker
Phone 785-322-5560
MASS: SUNDAY and THURSDAY 8:30 a.m.

HERNDON COVENANT CHURCH
Pastor: Keith Reuther
Phone 785-322-5316
SUNDAY: 9:45 a.m. Morning worship, 11 a.m. Youth group, 4 p.m.

NORCATUR UNITED METHODIST
Pastor: Ed Woods
SUNDAY: Worship Service, 10 a.m.; Church School, 10:30 a.m.

LYLE UNITED METHODIST
Guest Speakers every Sunday
SUNDAY: Morning Worship 9 a.m.

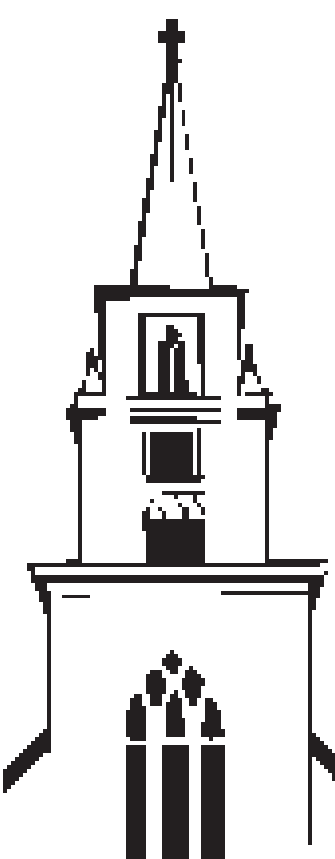
EVANGELICAL COVENANT CHURCH OF OBERLIN
Pastors: Chris and Sharon Nelson
810 West Cedar, Oberlin
Office Phone 785-475-2769
SUNDAY: Worship Service, 9:30 a.m.; Fellowship Time, 10:30 a.m.; Sunday School, 11 a.m. WEDNESDAY: Bible Study, 7 p.m.

LUND COVENANT CHURCH
Chairman Brad Marcuson
10 miles south, 4 miles west of Oberlin
SUNDAY: Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship, 11 a.m.; WEDNESDAY: Bible Study and prayer, 7:30 p.m.

ST. JOHN'S LUTHERAN CHURCH
510 North Wilson
Interim Pastor: Kevin Schnakenberg
SUNDAY: Sunday School and Bible class, 9:45 a.m.; Divine Worship Service, 8:30 a.m.; Holy Communion: 1st and 3rd Sundays..

FAITH LUTHERAN CHURCH
404 North York Avenue
Oberlin, Kansas

The Rev. Charlotte Strecker-Baseler
Church Office Phone: 785-475-2053
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THURSDAY: Women's Bible Study second



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Mail Ballot Election, December 13, 2011

DECATUR COUNTY

In compliance with the provisions of KSA 25-2311(c), notice is hereby given that the Voter Registration Books will officially close on Tuesday the 22nd of November, 2011.

Voter Registrations will be taken at the Office of the Decatur County Clerk through that day with Registration until 5 PM.

Normal registration hours until that day – are 8am to 5pm, Monday thru Friday.

The Books will remain closed until the day after the Election which will be Wednesday, the 14th of December, 2011.

A citizen of the United States who is eighteen (18) years of age and upwards, or will have attained that age before the next election, must register before he or she can vote.

Anyone may apply in person, by mail or via the internet – to the Decatur County Election Office to register to vote.

However, anyone who will be registering to vote for the first time in Decatur County must show ID before voting.

Any registered voter that changes their name by marriage may sign an affidavit in the Office of the Decatur County Clerk. Other name changes by legal proceedings must reregister.

Done on this 8th day of November, 2011.

Colleen Geihlsler
Decatur County Clerk & Election Officer