

NORCATUR NEWS

The family of Lola Grill, Lebanon, Ore., wrote in saying that she has been receiving the *News* for several years, since a cousin sent her a copy, and really enjoys it. She was born at Lyle (her mother was Bessie L. Brown Wycoff), and her parents and grandparents lived in and around Norton and Norcatatur.

Beverly Morris, Hoxie, spent Wednesday night, Nov. 24, with her grandmother, Esther Miller. They went to Stan and Carol Millers' for Thanksgiving Day.

Alice Shirley spent from Tuesday, Nov. 23, to Saturday, Nov. 27, in Oklahoma City with Pam and Gary McClelland and family. She got acquainted with Heather and Gene and Joshua, the great-grandson being just six weeks old.

Oran and LaVerne Milner spent Thanksgiving with Vera Bishop and Bruce Bishop, Kim, Mike and Susan Bishop in Denver. On Saturday, Nov. 27, Oran and LaVerne, Vera and Bruce accompanied George and Wilma Bishop to Longmont, Colo., where they attended the wedding of Minnie Ruth Bailey's granddaughter, Lauren. Due to the snow late Saturday night and Sunday, the Milners stayed over a couple of days, coming home on Tuesday Dec. 6. The roads were fine all the way home.

A New Year's Eve party will be held Friday, Dec. 31, at the Cardinal Bar and Grill beginning at 6 p.m.

Birthdays: Terri James - Dec. 6; Jonathan Fick - Dec. 8; Sheri Milnes - Dec. 11; Ethan Long - Dec. 13.

The Norcatatur Royal Neighbors were invited to a holiday dinner sponsored by the Oberlin camp on Friday, Dec. 3, at The Gateway. There were 55 in attendance. Those going from Norcatatur were Bill and Dorothy Woods, Lee and Lora Arnold, Beth Johnson and Olive Arnold.

Schedule reminder from the Norcatatur United Methodist Church: Mon., Dec. 6, Bible study, Norcatatur, at 7 p.m.

Thursday, Dec. 9, 9:30-11:30 a.m., Clayton office.

Wednesday, Dec. 8, Kathy will be at Quinter for an interview with the District Committee on Ordained Ministry.

Sunday, Dec. 12, Pastor Kathy and the Rev. Lew Van Der Wege of Norton United Methodist will exchange pulpits.

Sunday, Dec. 19, Norcatatur

Christmas program during church service.

Glenn Alexander will be 98 years old on Dec. 14. Mail will reach him c/o Barry and Beverly Lintz, 110 N. Lake St., Syracuse, Ind., 46567.

A New Year's supper and party will be held at the Norcatatur School. There will be dancing and fun all night long for adults and kids. Free baby-sitting will be provided, with a "special" dance for just the kiddies. Jam Session will provide music and entertainment for the adults. There will be refreshments during the party, and a continental breakfast afterward.

Friday, Dec. 3, visitors of Bill and Bee Nelson were Wayne and Norma McCallister. Wayne helped with a few jobs that needed to be done, then they enjoyed supper.

The Cardinal Bar and Grill will close at 3 p.m. on Saturday, Dec. 18.

Nadine Barker has written asking for genealogy information. She is looking for anyone who knows about the Worrel family and how they are related to Amanda (Bailey) Brown, or knows who Will Veelie was and how he was related to the Browns. Sherm's mother was Clarissa Melinda Pettit who married William Alexander Brown, so they could be from either the Pettit or Brown family. Nadine's address is Box 382 or 700 West "B" St., Lebanon, Ore., 97355.

Kenneth and Pansy Price returned home on Friday, Dec. 3, from Hays, where Kenneth recently had major heart surgery. Virgil and Joyce Price visited them the following day, and report he is improving and glad to be home.

Kenneth Price visited with Dick Morgan several times while they were both in the hospital in Hays. Kenneth and Pansy ate several meals with Dick in the family room at the hospital. Dick is gaining and still hopes to be home at Norton by Christmas.

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WHISPERING PINES

By CYNTHIA COLLINS

Greetings from Whispering Pines Assisted and Independent Living Facility. As this year is fast coming to a close our facility has grown and we only have one independent, one bedroom apartment left.

We want to let you in on some of the activities that have occurred at our facility this month. Early in November the new senior citizen's bus took residents for a tour. They saw what had happened to the new look of U.S. highway 36. More would have gone, but the weather was not nice that day, so only the hardiest of residents, along with one staff member, went.

A welcome is extended to new residents, Carrie Malcolm, Margaret Richards and Herman Wudtke.

Dorothy Bernard's niece and husband, Buck and Carolyn Forbes, Denver, visited and entertained residents with guitar music and singing. They promised to come back.

Carrie Malcolm and Mabel Malcolm spent Thanksgiving with Jim and Shirley Malcolm and family in Colby. They visited with other family members there also.

Alicy Voyt had Thanksgiving dinner with her son, John.

Doris Stump had guests for Thanksgiving. They were: Susan and John Wise, Ft. Worth, Texas; Kathy and Ted Mick, Newton; David and Tricia Fischer and Heather, Bonnie and Jerad, Norton; and Bryan and Julie Fischer, Salina.

Betty Reid spent Thanksgiving at Lone Tree, Colo., with her daughter and son-in-law.

Elton and Beth Bryant spent Thanksgiving afternoon at Beaver City with the Kenneth and Darlene McClelland family.

Melvin Hanchett went to Ted

and Cathy Hanchett's in Peyton, Colo., and Colorado Springs. Mr. Hanchett saw his grandson and granddaughter while visiting in Colorado.

Mr. Hanchett left again for a visit with his son Mike and family in Newton.

Steve Albright spent Thanksgiving with his friend, Ann Lacy and her family.

Dorothy Bernard's daughter, Beth, picked her up for Thanksgiving at her granddaughter Tristina's house in Hutchinson. Also attending in Hutchinson were daughter, Charlotte Keiswetter, granddaughters Laura, Debbie and great-grandchildren. Later she went to see her son Ed and his wife Rosie near Wellington and on to Greg and Ardie's at Baldwin City.

Ardie returned her to Whispering Pines on Dec. 4. Mrs. Bernard attended the 70th birthday celebration for Edna Riemann in Phillipsburg. She was able to spend time with four of her five children and many of her grandchildren and great-grandchildren.

Visitors of Phileda Nelson this week included her daughter Karen and Barney Cox and a grandson, Brad Cox. Her daughter Phyllis and Earl Scharnick from Milwaukee is coming for Christmas.

Anna Sanko died Dec. 2 at Norton County Hospital. She had been a resident and will be missed.

Residents are looking forward to going out in the senior citizen's van for a tour of the Christmas lights in and around Norton.

Activities are planned for every afternoon. Some of the residents have made snowflakes to hang in the dining room.

Everyone is invited to Whispering Pines' second annual Christmas coffee at 7:30 p.m., Dec. 21. The Jay Singers will perform.



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 Christmas Party
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
4 p.m. Children's Choir
7 p.m. Chancel Choir
8:15 p.m. Bell Choir
THURSDAY — 6 p.m. Bridge Band Practice
FRIDAY — 7 p.m. Christmas Eve Services
SATURDAY — Christmas Day

EDMOND UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
Rev. Lew Van Der Wege, Pastor
SUNDAY — 9 a.m. Worship Service
FRIDAY — 5 p.m. Christmas Eve Services

TRINITY EPISCOPAL CHURCH
Georgia Briery, Senior Warden
102 E. Waverly, Norton
877-2589

SUNDAY — 9:30 a.m. Christian Education
10:30 a.m. Holy Eucharist; Lay Reader, Connie Johnson
11:30 a.m. Coffee Hour Hosts: Marshall and Donna Henderson
3-4 p.m. God's Pantry, Ron Briery

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 Volinc 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, Van Der Wege Sunday Services, 2 p.m. Andbe Home; 3 p.m., Norton Manor, Mascareñas

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. Children's Christmas Program

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.
7 p.m. Children's Christmas Program at Prairie View

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 a.m. Short Voter's Budget Meeting
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
FRIDAY — 6:30 p.m. Christmas Eve Children's Service

NORTON CHRISTIAN CHURCH
Jeff Nielsen, Minister
Cody Shepherd, Youth Minister
e-mail: ncc_office@sbcglobal.net
208 N. Kansas, 877-2871

SATURDAY — 10 a.m.-11 a.m. Christmas Program Practice, 4 years to second grade
11 a.m.-12:30 p.m. Christmas Program Practice, 3rd grade-6th grade
SUNDAY — 8 a.m. Early Worship
9:30 a.m. Sunday School
10:40 a.m. Worship Service
No Bible Bowl or Youth Group
5:30 p.m. Soup Supper
7 p.m. Christmas Program
WEDNESDAY — 6:30 a.m. Men's Prayer Breakfast
9 a.m. Prayer and Fellowship
No AWANA Supper or Bible Bowl
7 p.m. Upper Room Prayer Group
FRIDAY — 6:30 p.m. Christmas Eve Candlelight Service

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
7 p.m. Children's Service
WEDNESDAY — 5:15 p.m. Choir
THURSDAY — 9:30 a.m. Bible Study, Deines
FRIDAY — 6:45 p.m. Pre-Service Carol singing
7 p.m. Christmas Cantata
11 p.m. Christmas Eve Candlelight Service

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. Christmas Services
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

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

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

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6 p.m. Evening Service
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Shelly Cox

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

SUNDAY — 9 a.m. Morning Worship
10:15 a.m. Sunday School
MONDAY — 7 a.m. TFC Ministry Team Breakfast
7 p.m. TFC Connection
WEDNESDAY — 7 p.m. Prayer and Praise Time

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