

# WILSONVILLE

By **VELMA HOLTZE and LAURIE LAWS**

Some families have their share of misfortune, including the Joe Kasson family. Alice, Joe's wife, accompanied him Sunday afternoon, Jan. 23 to check cattle. For those who have ridden in pastures know it is sometimes quite bumpy. Alice was hanging on in hopes of breaking the jars. Suddenly, they dropped in a hole and the sudden jolt broke Alice's arm. She was taken to the Cambridge Hospital by ambulance. She is recuperating at home along with Joe who developed walking pneumonia and has had to take a series of shots.

A number of area women attended the Evangelical United Brethren Women's Retreat in McCook this past weekend. Dee Brestin, well-known writer and speaker was the main speaker with several workshops being offered on Saturday. Virginia Rice, Carla Holtze, Becky Holtze, Sandy Kasson and Connie Holliday were among those attending.

The spring like weather on Jan. 24, 25, and 26 made everyone think they were snow birds in Texas or Arizona but they changed their minds on Thursday, Friday, and Saturday. Temperatures dropped and everything was covered with snow at dawn on Friday.

Several of the college students spent the weekend at home. Bill Lewis returned home on

Wednesday night from a business trip which took him to eastern United States. While there, he visited his aunt. He also got in on the big snow storm which amounted to 18 inches in places.

**Blanch (Pywell) Kitzing Dies**  
Word was received recently of the death of Blanch Pywell Kitzing on Jan. 17 at a care center in Shoreline, Wash. Mrs. Kitzing was born July 20, 1919, to John and Grace Pywell southeast of Wilsonville in the Good Hope neighborhood. She received her education in rural Good Hope neighborhood schools. She was married to Earnest Kitzing and together they began farming a few miles north of where she was raised. They became the parents of three sons, Jerry, Donnie and Randall who all attended Wilsonville Public School until the family moved to Nampa, Idaho in the 50s. She was employed as a clerk in a department store in Nampa where she made her home until after the death of her husband a few years ago. She had been moved to Shoreline to be near her only living son, Jerry. Besides Jerry she is survived by one grandson and wife and one granddaughter and husband and five great-grandchildren. She was the last of the Pywell siblings which included Lowell "Sam" Pywell, father of Elbert Pywell, of Wilsonville.

# PRAIRIE VIEW

By **VIVIAN JANSONIUS**

The Sunshine City Library Board met Jan. 17. Present were Danny and Carol Short, Darline Brown, Karen Anderson, Dian Tien, Gloria DeWitt and Melissa Graham. The books were audited by June Van Loenen and found to be in order. It was reported that the systems grant, statement report, civil rights report and the inter-library loan forms were all sent in; that a meeting on grant writing will be held Feb. 21 in Minneapolis and a genealogy workshop will be held Feb. 16 in Osborne; the 2005 budget was approved; Elizabeth Jansonius is the new librarian; and the quilt show is set for April 2.

Several from the community went to Logan Tuesday, Jan. 18 to present a program at Logan Manor. They were: Norman and Rose Erickson, Bart and Erma Soodsma and Virgil and Marilyn Whitsitt of Phillipsburg; Gary Mulder, Logan; the Rev. Jeffrey

Van Der Weele, Rodney Jansonius, Hazel Jansonius, Vivian Jansonius and Erma Jean Nyland, all of Prairie View.

Those who attended the carry-in dinner Jan. 19 at the Prairie View Senior Citizen/Community Center were: Eva Lee Hall of Pine, Ariz.; Grada Jansonius of Logan Manor; John and Doreen Hoffman of Logan; Marvin Harbers, Glen and Linda Hultgren, Burdett and Belva Leydig, the Rev. Jeffrey Van Der Weele, Rodney Jansonius, Julianna Lasniewski, Hazel Jansonius, Vivian Jansonius, Faith Van Diest, Gertrude Erickson and Erma Jean Nyland.

Thursday afternoon, Vivian Jansonius went to Phillipsburg to attend the pot luck lunch of the Phillips County Hospital Auxiliary. Shirley Van Loenen of Prairie View also attended.

The Phillips County Red Cross Blood Drive was held Thursday at the Phillipsburg Church of God.

# LYLE NEWS

By **DEANNA SUMNER**

Thursday evening Toots Magers and Kathy Van Meter attended a dance at the Cedar Living Center in Oberlin. The Vic Mowry band of Hoxie played.

Friday, Kathy Van Meter picked up Joanie Williams of Hill City. They went on to Hays and met with her sister, Gladys Williams of Cimmaron and Leona Breeden, Hill City. They drove to

Kansas City where they were guests of Grace and Jim Hartman. Saturday evening they all attended the Billy Dean concert in Ottawa. Also joining them was Gladys Williams daughter, Connie Faulkner, of Shawnee. Sunday they had breakfast together before coming home.

Wednesday, Judy Easton came to visit her mother, Toots Magers. They went to visit Pat Schwab.

# NORTON MANOR

By **DORIS MIZELL**

The Manor monthly dinner was well-attended. We filled up two tables. Next month it was decided to go back to the different residents taking turns according to which floor they live on.

Friday, Doris Mizell was a dinner guest of Ray and Ruth Mizell at Town and Country. Ruth's brother Ray Orth also joined them. The gathering was to celebrate Ruth's birthday.

Jan. 24, Mrs. Mizell accompanied the Ray Mizell family to

Kearney for the Honor Band and Choral Clinic. It was something to hear almost 300 high school young people singing together. Norton should be proud to have a part in this. It covered the whole state of Nebraska and Norton.

Robert and Dawn Pauley visited Saturday and had lunch with Mr. and Mrs. James Skrdlant.

Doris Mizell visited Virginia La Rue, Jennings, Tuesday afternoon and then went on to visit her daughter, Patty Foster.



**NORTON FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH**  
The Rev. Lew Van Der Wege, Pastor  
804 W. Wilberforce, Norton 877-2196

SUNDAY — 8 a.m. Early Service  
9:15 a.m. Sunday School for all ages  
10:30 a.m. Worship Service  
7 p.m. Bridge Service  
MONDAY — 6:30 p.m. First Place  
WEDNESDAY — 4 p.m. Children's Choir  
6:30 p.m. Finance Committee, Board of Trustees  
7 p.m. Ash Wednesday Service  
THURSDAY — 1:30 p.m. United Methodist Women  
6 p.m. Bridge Band Rehearsal  
6:30 p.m. Education Work Area  
SATURDAY — 7 a.m. United Methodist Men  
NEXT SUNDAY, FEB. 13 — Noon, 1:30 p.m. Benefit Soup Lunch for Colby Menagh

**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. Holy Eucharist, Celebrant Fr. Dennis Gilhousen; Lay Reader, Georgia Briery  
11:30 a.m. Coffee Hour, Host: L. Krauss  
3-4 p.m. God's Pantry, Ron Briery  
TUESDAY — 5-7 p.m. Shrove Tuesday Pancake Supper  
WEDNESDAY — 7 p.m. Ash Wednesday Service

**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, VanDerWege  
Sunday Services, 2 p.m. Andbe Home; 3 p.m., Norton Manor, Mascarenas  
THURSDAY, FEB. 17 — 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  
2 p.m. Afternoon Services at Prairie View Reformed Church  
WEDNESDAY — 6:30 p.m. Pioneers at Prairie View Reformed Church

7 p.m. Youth Group at Luctor Christian Reformed Church  
8 p.m. Easter Cantata Practice at the Luctor Christian Reformed Church  
THURSDAY — 1:30 p.m. Gleaner's Circle at church basement

**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  
2 p.m. Church Services at Prairie View Reformed Church  
WEDNESDAY — 6:30 p.m. Pioneers at Prairie View Reformed Church  
7 p.m. Youth at Luctor Christian Reformed Church  
8 p.m. Easter Cantata Practice at the Luctor Christian Reformed Church

**REDEEMER EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH**  
Pastor Timm O. Meyer  
e-mail: timmomeyer@ruraltel.net  
805 W. Holme, Norton 877-3138

SUNDAY — 9:05 a.m. "Goodness From the Good Shepherd" Radio Broadcast, KQNK 106.7 FM & 1530 AM  
10 a.m. Worship Service  
11:15 a.m. Sunday School and Bible Study  
WEDNESDAY — 6:15 p.m. Supper  
7 p.m. Ash Wednesday Worship  
THURSDAY — 7 p.m. Elders  
8 p.m. Church Council

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

SATURDAY — Bible Bowl in Wichita  
SUNDAY — 8 a.m. Early Worship  
9:30 a.m. Sunday School  
10:40 a.m. Worship Service  
Noon, C.E. Potluck and Meeting  
2 p.m. Cantata Practice  
3 p.m. Big Game Bash. Annual Adult/Youth Football game  
No Bible Bowl  
5:30 p.m. Watch the Big game on the big screen  
TUESDAY — 7 p.m.. Cantata Practice  
WEDNESDAY — 6:30 a.m. Men's Prayer Breakfast  
9 a.m. Prayer and Fellowship  
6 p.m. AWANA Supper  
6:25 p.m. AWANA  
6:30 p.m. Bible Bowl  
7 p.m. Upper Room Prayer Group  
8 p.m. Elders Meeting  
THURSDAY — 2 p.m. Women's Fellowship Group II in charge  
FRIDAY & SATURDAY — GORF for Junior High in Omaha

**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 — 6:30 p.m. Confirmation  
TUESDAY — 7 p.m. Church Council

ASH WEDNESDAY — 2 p.m. Andbe Home  
3:45 p.m. Midweek  
5:15 p.m. Choir  
6 p.m. Soup Supper  
7 p.m. Worship  
THURSDAY — 9:30 a.m. Bible Study (Deines)  
6:30 p.m. Elders

**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 Allen Scheer  
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  
SUNDAY — 10:30 a.m. Worship Service  
WEDNESDAY — 7 p.m. Bible Study

**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 Marion Miller  
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.  
WEDNESDAY — 7 p.m. Youth and Children's Programs  
7 p.m. Adult Home Bible Study  
THURSDAY — 7 p.m. Prayer Meeting

**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  
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**  
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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, 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

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