Food color can be important

The color of food can indicate many characteristics to consumers. It helps identify food, such as yellow for bananas or red for apples. It can also indicate food spoilage, such as browning of lettuce.

Recent research has discovered other beneficial aspects of color. Purple, blue and red foods provide antioxidant properties that benefit health. Small animal studies have shown that antioxidants seem to block cancer-causing chemicals, suppress growth of tumors, help heal wounds and help prevent cardiovascular disease.

One of the most beneficial fruits or vegetables you can consume is blueberries, and recent research on strawberries indicates phytochemicals (plant chemicals), including anthocyanins, can benefit the aging brain.

There are many fruits and vegetables in the blue, purple, and black color group that offer benefits including purple grapes, blackberries, elderberries, boysenberries, figs, raisins, purple cabbage, eggplant, plums, prunes, black currants and purple sweet pepper.

These dark food colors are in the pigment group called anthocyanins. There are around 300, each high in antioxidant activity.

Food processing and acid content can change these dark colors. In high acid levels, dark purple colors turn red. When red foods are in an alkaline environment, they become blue or purple.

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Metal cans also cause color changes. This is the reason some cans have a lacquer finish inside - to help maintain color quality. Another way to improve nutritional status is to vary the fruits and vegetables you eat within the same color group. Each fruit or vegetable provides the human body with different phytochemicals, and thus provides different benefits.

Remember to eat fruits and vegetables from all five of the color groups (red, orange-yellow, green, blue-purple-black, and white-tanbrown), as well as a variety from within each group.

To get the most phytochemicals, you need to eat the fruits and vegetables themselves. Nutrient supplements do not provide these in the same way, so eating fruits and vegetables is important.

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<u>NEW ALMEL</u>

By BETTY OTTER

Funeral services were held Feb. 8 for Delores (Gallentine) Slipke at St. Joseph Church, New Almelo with Fr. Vincent Thu Laing and Deacon Stan Chapin officiating. Burial was in the St. Joseph Cemetery.

She attended school in Clayton, graduating from high school there in 1951.

sons were raised she became a licensed practical nurse. She was preceded in death by her husband, Francis and her parents, Ivan and Thelma Gallentine. She is survived by her two sons and their wives, John and Bridget Slipke, Simpsonville, S.C., and Curtis and Paula Slipke, Batavia, Ill.; two brothers and their wives, John K. and Ann Gallentine, Clayton, and Jerry and Shirley Gallentine, Rapid City, S.D.; three grandsons and two granddaughters. On February 10, funeral ser-Church, New Almelo for Alfred Mindrup, 76. Burial was in St. Joseph Cemetery, New Almelo, with military services by Harmonson-Redd American Legion Post No. 63. He was drafted into the army in 1950. He was with the mortar division of the 2nd Infantry Division the Combat Infantry Badge for hospital.

bravery under fire and the Korean War Medal. After returning to the States, he worked in the oil fields as a driller and a pumper. He farmed and with his electrical knowledge helped friends and neighbors solve their electrical problems. After a winter storm, he would spend hours on his tractor clearing roads, driveways and the church yard. Survivors include his She was an accomplished musi- wife, Dorothy, his two sons and cian, playing the piano and organ their wives, D. Mike and Arleen as well as other instruments. She Mindrup and David and Mary began playing the organ at church Mindrup all of Olathe; four grandand school functions when she children, two brothers, Bernard was 12 and continued to share her Mindrup, and Bob and Myrna gift throughout her life. After her Mindrup, all of Lenora; five sisters, Rosalie and Doral Allen, Agnes and Dale Lyon, Jennie and Elmer Van Fleet, Mary Ann Grawey, Bernice and Dennis Miles; and one brother-in-law, Joe De Santi. World Marriage Day was celebrated during Mass Feb. 13 at St. Joseph Church. All married couples were acknowledged and asked to stand with their year was announced. The couples were blessed by Fr. Vincent Thu Laing. The couples married 50-60 years were given a red rose. Those couple were Gilbert and Mathilda vices were held at St. Joseph Bollig, 58 years; Ernie and Mary Lou Long, 57 years; Stan and Sonya Chapin, 50 years; Marion and Lorraine Long, 66 years; Allie and Ruth Vahling, 61 years; and Jim and Wilma Mader, 60 years. Tom and Jan Long, Hays, visited Marion and Lorraine Long on Sunday. Connie and Charlotte Otof Korea. He was with the men ter, McPherson, came to New who fought at Heartbreak Ridge. Almelo to attend the funeral for During his stint in Korea he earned Alfred Mindrup and to visit his two Purple Hearts, a Bronze Star, mother, Sophia Otter in the Norton

NORTON FIRST UNITED **METHODIST CHURCH** The Rev. Lew Van Der Wege,

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vice 9:15 a.m. Sunday School for all ages

10:30 a.m. Worship Service 2 p.m. Andbe Home 3 p.m. Manor

5 p.m. Sr. UMYF

7 p.m. Bridge Service MONDAY — 6:30 p.m. First

Place

WEDNESDAY — 10 a.m. Missions

4 p.m. Children's Choir 7 p.m. Chancel Choir 7 p.m. Confirmation 8:15 p.m. Bell Choir THURSDAY—6p.m. Bridge

Band Rehearsal

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. Lenten Studies and Inquirers Class 10:30 a.m. Holy Eucharist, Celebrant Fr. Dennis Gilhousen; Lav Reader, Georgia Briery 11:30 a.m. Coffee Hour, Host: Alberta Slaby 3-4 p.m. God's Pantry, Georgia Briery

COMMUNITY FULL GOSPEL CHURCH Pastor Terry Laughlin e-mail: laughlin@ruraltel.net 313 W. Lincoln SATURDAY — 7 a.m. Men's ship 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

LUCTOR CHRISTIAN **REFORMED CHURCH** 2 miles east and 3 miles north of Prairie View SUNDAY—8 a.m. Early Ser- The Rev. Jeffrey Van Der Weele 973-2794 SUNDAY-10:30 a.m. Morning Worship 7 p.m. Joint Evening Services at Prairie View TUESDAY - 6:30 p.m. Services at Logan Manor 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. "Good-

11:15 a.m. Sunday School and MONDAY-6p.m. Confirma- Study 7:45 p.m. Worship Service, WEDNESDAY — 6:15 p.m. SATURDAY-1 p.m. Evange-

NORTON CHRISTIAN **CHURCH** Jeff Nielsen, Minister Cody Shepherd, Youth Minister e-mail: ncc_office@sbcglobal.net 208 N. Kansas, 877-2871 SUNDAY-8 a.m. Early Wor-9:30 a.m. Sunday School 10:40 a.m. Worship Service 2 p.m. Cantata Practice 4:30 p.m. Bible Bowl 7 p.m. Jr./Sr. High Youth Group TUESDAY — 7 p.m. Cantata Practice WEDNESDAY — 6:30 a.m. cil second Wednesday Men's Praver Breakfast

6 p.m. Soup Supper 7 p.m. Worship THURSDAY — 9:30 a.m. Bible Study (Deines)

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 DAYS — 6:30 p.m. UMYF 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 ship Service

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 Coun-

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 WEDNES-

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. Wor-

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

ness From the Good Shepherd" Radio Broadcast, KQNK 106.7 FM & 1530 AM 10 a.m. Worship Service **Bible Study** tion Class at Alma Alma supper; 7 p.m. Lenten Services lism Meeting 2 p.m. Ladies Mission Society



<u>PRAIRIE VIEW</u>

By VIVIAN JANSONIUS

Six people from the area took Schemper, all of Prairie View. time out of their busy schedules to donate blood in Phillipsburg on Hillsdale, came last Friday to Feb. 3. They were: Todd Slavik, Long Island; Rodney Jansonius, Willard Jansonius, Derek Kats, will be missed.

The paper you read for the news you need!



Sam and Donna Stuteville, spend some time at their home here. They have sold the house and

Donna Kats and Kenneth

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 8 a.m. Tuesday No Mass Wednesday 8 a.m.

Thursday 8 a.m. Mass Friday 8 a.m. Saturday 7 p.m. During Lent, Fridays, 6 -p.m. Soup and Bread Supper 7 p.m. Stations of the Cross and Exposition 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 Parsonage

Month at 7:30 p.m.

NORTON MINISTERIAL ALLIANCE

Hospital chaplain, Monday through Sunday, Cummings Sunday Services, 2 p.m. Andbe Home; 3 p.m., Norton Manor, Van Der Wege

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. Evening Services WEDNESDAY — 6:30 p.m. Pioneers at Prairie View Re-

formed Church 7 p.m. Youth Group at Luctor Christian Reformed Church 8 p.m. Easter Cantata Practice at the Luctor Christian Reformed

9 a.m. Prayer and Fellowship 6 p.m. AWANA supper 6:25 p.m. Bible Bowl and AWANA

7 p.m. Upper Room Prayer Group THURSDAY — 8:30 a.m. **Cabinet Meeting**

FRIDAY — 7 p.m. Pack Boxes for service people in kitchen Friday through Sunday - Velocity at Camp Lakeview for senior high youth SATURDAY — Bible Bowl in School

Norton

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 (Chil-

dren 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 Service 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 Meeting School, Bible Class 10:30 a.m. Worship 6:30 p.m. Bible Study, Shirk MONDAY—6:30 p.m. Confirmation WEDNESDAY — 2 p.m. Andbe Home 3:45 p.m. Midweek 5:15 p.m. Choir

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

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

6 p.m. Evening Service WEDNESDAY — 7 p.m. Mid-Week Prayer Meeting and Bible Worship 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

THE CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST OF LATTER **DAY SAINTS Phillipsburg Branch Noel Krouse, Bishop** 620 7th Street SUNDAY - 10 a.m. Sacra- Service ment meeting

SUNDAY—8:30a.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

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

11 a.m. Sunday School