

# NORCATUR NEWS

## By NORCATUR NEWSLETTER VOLUNTEERS

Birthdays: Lucas Bailey - March 2; Gene Gallentine - March 5; Lance Roe, Galen Wentz - March 7.

The Norcatour rural mail route count starts Feb. 28, and continues to Tuesday, March 7.

The Norcatour United Methodist Church will have a pancake, egg and sausage supper on Saturday, March 11, from 5 to 7 p.m. at the Educational Building. Freewill donations will be accepted.

A sports jacket has been found at the Norcatour Post Office.

Wednesday, Feb. 22, Veda Wood enjoyed seeing the Stockton band perform at the Norton music contests. Her grandson, Toby Wood, was conductor. He was very busy but had time for a "hi" and a hug for Grandma Veda.

Sunday afternoon, Feb. 26, visitors of Virgil and Joyce Price were Kenneth and Pansy Price. In the evening Virgil and Joyce Price visited Bob and Leona Schoenrad to wish Bob a "happy birthday."

Frank Ward was transferred to the Oberlin hospital Wednesday, Feb. 22. He will be there for a while. Velda is in Cedar Living Center so they can see each other often.

Dean VanGundy, Norcatour Rural High School Class of 1941, sends greetings from the home of this son, Bob and Lisa VanGundy in Lexington, S.C. He is looking forward to visiting with his great-granddaughter, Caitlyn Faith Lewis, born Sept. 27, 2005, in De Barry, Fla.

Teresa Wood's daughter, Mary Zimmerman, and her daughters, Samantha and Xandria, stayed with Teresa and Dwight Feb. 15-17 to help Teresa after her carpal tunnel surgery. They visited Veda and Dennis Wood on their way back to their home in Westmoreland. Dwight and Teresa Wood visited also.

Justine Miller of El Dorado was home to visit her parents, Stan and Carol Miller, Feb. 25 and 26. They all went to McCook on Saturday night for supper and to visit Mr. and Mrs. Rod Spencer of Culbertson. Bev Morris, Hoxie, was a guest of the Stan Millers on Sunday, Feb. 26.

Guests of Esther Miller were Carol and Justine Miller on Saturday, Feb. 25, and Bev Morris on Sunday, Feb. 26.

Chance Harmon rode in the Professional Rough Stock Bull and Bronc Rodeo at McCook Feb. 24 and 25, in the saddle bronc division. There were 11 riders. On Friday night he came off early (in other words, he got bucked off), but Saturday night he took the saddle bronc with a great ride and won with a score of 83.

Both nights of the rodeo a lot of Chance's friends, family and classmates were there to cheer him on. He doesn't usually ride this close to home. Some of the people attending were Jerry and Lisa Rhodes, Frank and Susan Hillebrand, Dave, Patty and Sam Stapp, Bee Nelson, Marguerite Clark, Wava Reames, Ron, Renee and Scott Harmon, Bobbie, Blake, Keegan and

Blaine Shuler, and Bob and Anita Montgomery.

After several medical trips to Salina, Hays and Norton this past month, Rea Magers is feeling better. Rea and Dee also attended the funeral of Joy Huff on Feb. 22 at New Almelo. Joy's wife, Hilaria, is Dee's first cousin. The Magers are now ready to enjoy being home for a while.

Dorothy Ward received some pleasing news the other day. Mark Ward revealed he has been made a senior vice president at First National Bank of Hugo, Colo.

In late February Lula Hix, Bee Nelson and Marguerite Clark accompanied Dorothy Ward to McCook for lunch and some shopping.

Doug and Chris Dempewolf, Sharee and M.J., attended the art show held at the Good Samaritan Center in Oberlin on Feb. 5. M.J. entered several art pieces, and received two first-place, two second-place, and third-place ribbons.

Congratulations to McLinda J. Dempewolf, daughter of Doug and Chris Dempewolf, for her enlistment into the Army National Guard. M.J. will leave on July 5 for basic training in South Carolina. After basic training she will do her Advanced Individual Training in Virginia.

Congratulations to Denton Bailey, Aaron Helm and Lance Roe for making it to State wrestling in Hays the weekend of Feb. 24-25. Way to go!

Royal Neighbors of Norcatour is sponsoring a whole hog roast fund raiser for the Jim and Teresa Arnold family on Saturday, March 18, at the Norcatour School cafeteria. Serving will begin at 5:30 p.m. A covered dish would be appreciated. Proceeds will go to help with expenses incurred due to Jim's recent bout with leukemia. The fund raiser is by donation only. Please make checks payable to Royal Neighbors of America. If you are unable to attend and would like to make a donation, please mail checks made out as above to Lora Arnold, Route 1, Box 119, Clayton, Kan., 67629.

**Norcatour Museum Tidbits**  
Nadine Barker sent some obituaries and a donation to the museum. Merle Ankenman Davis donated calendars and calendar pictures from former Norcatour businesses A.L. Hare, and Kiou & Hare, and a J. Frewen & Sons calendar from 1915. Dee Magers donated a frame for one of the calendar pictures. Annie Jochums has given information on the Jorn family.

We are trying to fill in missing baccalaureate and commencement programs from 1930, 1936, 1937 and anything after 1938. These will be placed in a scrapbook. The museum would also appreciate any school programs from Christmas performances, school plays, etc.

You can check out all the "new" items when the museum opens on April 1. Hours will be Monday through Friday, 8 a.m. to 12 noon. Mailing address is Norcatour Museum, Box 89, Norcatour, Kan., 67653.

# NEW ALMELO

## By BETTY OTTER

Adrian Streit and Jo Hessig, Omaha, Neb., are spending a few days in New Almelo.

## Death

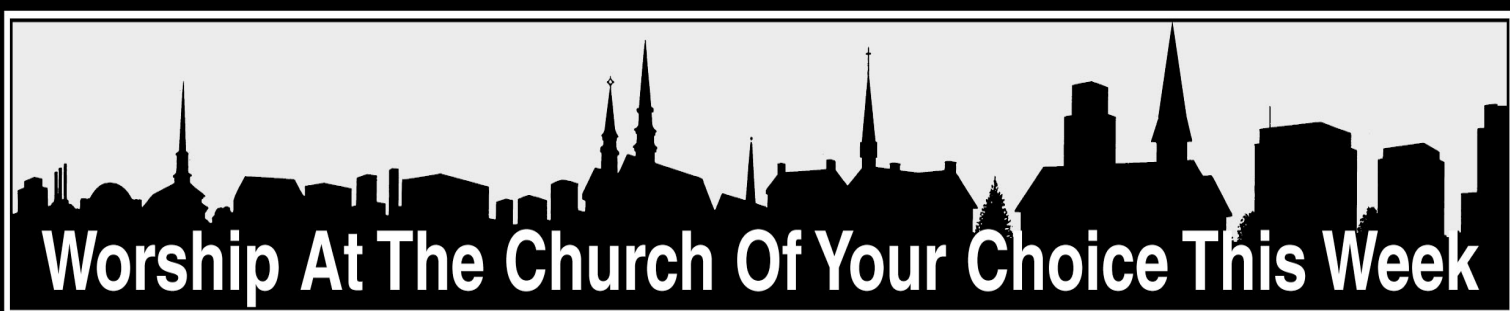
Funeral services were held for Meredith Joy Huff, 85, at St. Joseph Catholic Church, Feb. 22. The Reverends Vincent Thu Laing and Norbert Diabial and Deacon Stan Chapin officiated. Burial was in the St. Joseph Cemetery with military honors by Norton American Legion.

Mr. Huff graduated from Jennings High School and enlisted in the armed services in 1940. He was commissioned as a Second Lieutenant and pilot in 1943. As a lead pilot for the 416th Bomb Group in the Ninth Air Force Division, he flew 65 mis-

sions over Europe.

He married Hilaria Hickert at St. Joseph's Church in 1943. They have one daughter, Arlene Marie Huff Hohn. The Huffs lived on a farm in Decatur County until 1954, when they moved to Denver, Colo. They have also lived in Goodland and Cheyenne, Wyo.

He is survived by his wife, Hilaria, Denver; one daughter, Arlene and Roy Hohn, Centennial, Colo.; a sister, Carol Jean and Sandy Spires, Norton; three grandchildren; and three great-grandchildren. He was preceded in death by his parents, Jesse and Eunice Huff; a brother, Barnett Jack Huff; and a sister, Maxine Glee Cargill.



**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  
2:30 p.m. Discipleship Bible Study  
No Sr. United Methodist Youth  
7 p.m. Bridge Service  
MONDAY — 6:30 p.m. First Place  
TUESDAY — 10 a.m. Communion at Whispering Pines  
WEDNESDAY — 9:30 a.m. Thrift Shop  
6:30 p.m. Library Committee, Staff/Parish Relations  
7 p.m. Chancel Choir, NOW  
8:15 p.m. Bell Choir  
THURSDAY — 6:30 p.m. Ladies Bible Study  
SATURDAY — Toy and Card Show at the Armory

**EDMOND UNITED METHODIST CHURCH**  
Rev. Lew Van Der Wege, Pastor  
SUNDAY — 9 a.m. Worship Services

**TRINITY EPISCOPAL CHURCH**  
Georgia Briery, Senior Warden  
102 E. Waverly, Norton  
SUNDAY — 9:30 a.m. Christian Education  
10:30 a.m. Holy Eucharist, Celebrant, Fr. Dennis Gilhousen; Lay Reader, Don Johnson  
11:30 a.m. Coffee Hour; host, Don and Connie Johnson  
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](mailto:crossroads@ruraltel.net)  
[www.standatthecrossroads.com](http://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  
TUESDAY — 9 a.m. Senior Saints coffee and breakfast at Town and Country  
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  
[stfanci@ruraltel.net](mailto: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.

**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, Acillo  
Sunday Services at Andbe Home 2 p.m.; Norton Manor at 3 p.m., Laughlin

**PRAIRIE VIEW REFORMED CHURCH**  
The Rev. Jeffrey Van Der Weele 973-2794  
SUNDAY — 9 a.m. Morning Worship  
7 p.m. Second Services at Luctor Christian Reformed Church

**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  
7 p.m. Second Services at Luctor Christian Reformed Church  
WEDNESDAY — 6:30 p.m. Pioneer Club  
7 p.m. Youth Group

**REDEEMER EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH**  
Pastor Timm O. Meyer  
e-mail: [timmmeyer@ruraltel.net](mailto:timmmeyer@ruraltel.net)  
805 W. Holme, Norton 877-3138  
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  
9:30 a.m. Worship Service  
10:45 a.m. Sunday School  
10:45 a.m. Bible Study  
MONDAY — 7:30 p.m. Elders Meeting  
8 p.m. Church Council Meeting  
TUESDAY — 6 p.m. and 7:30 p.m. Bible Studies at Norton Correctional Facility  
WEDNESDAY — 6:15 p.m. Fellowship/Potluck Meal  
7 p.m. Lenten Worship Service  
THURSDAY — 4:30 p.m. Confirmation Class at Alma, Neb.

**NORTON CHRISTIAN CHURCH**  
Jeff Nielsen, Minister  
Cody Shepherd, Youth Minister  
e-mail: [ncc\\_office@sbcglobal.net](mailto:ncc_office@sbcglobal.net)  
208 N. Kansas, 877-2871  
FRIDAY — Velocity for senior high in Garden City  
SATURDAY, MARCH 10 — Mexico Mission trip leaves  
SUNDAY — 8 a.m. Early Worship  
9:30 a.m. Sunday School  
10:40 a.m. Worship Service  
Noon - Fellowship Dinner  
1 p.m. Board Meeting  
No Youth Group  
6:30 p.m. Worldview Class  
WEDNESDAY — 6:30 a.m. Men's Prayer Breakfast  
9 a.m. Prayer and Fellowship  
No AWANA  
7 p.m. Upper Room Prayer Time  
SUNDAY, MARCH 19 — 2-4 p.m. Open house for Wes Whitneys 90th birthday

**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  
6:30 p.m. Bible Study, Shirk  
TUESDAY — 9:30 a.m. Circuit Pastors - Norton  
7 p.m. Church Council  
WEDNESDAY — 2 p.m. Andbe Home  
5:15 p.m. Choir



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](mailto:congo@ruraltel.net)  
SUNDAY — 9:30 a.m. Sunday School  
10:30 a.m. Church Services  
7 p.m. TFC  
TUESDAY — 7:15 a.m. Teen Women's Discipleship  
WEDNESDAY — 3:30 p.m. Good News  
7 p.m. Kirk and Kim's Small Group  
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

**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. Dean Gilbert 554 Washington, 854-7626  
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 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  
TUESDAY — 10 a.m. Prayer Meeting  
WEDNESDAY — 7 p.m. Youth and Children's Programs  
7 p.m. Adult Home Bible Study

**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**  
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. Jack Kersenbrock 140 E. Iowa, 567-4420  
SUNDAY — 9:30 a.m. Sunday School  
10:30 a.m. Worship Services

**LYLE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH**  
Carol Woodmansee  
SUNDAY — 9 a.m. Worship Services

**MAPLE GROVE CHURCH OF THE BRETHERN**  
9 miles west  
4 1/2 miles north of Norton  
Pastor Leon Neher  
SUNDAY — 9:30 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](mailto: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  
THURSDAY — 10 a.m. Vita Band Exercise Class, Everyone Welcome  
7 p.m. Aerobics Class, Everyone Welcome  
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.

**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  
TUESDAY — 10 a.m. Vita Band Exercise Class, Everyone Welcome  
7 p.m. Aerobic Class, Everyone Welcome