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...and read your Bible daily



WEEKLY SERMONETTE

By Jack J. Kersnbrock, United Parish, Lenora

"Then they came to Jerusalem. And he entered the temple and began to drive out those who were selling and those who were buying in the Temple, and he overturned the tables of the money changers and the seats of those who sold doves; and he would not allow anyone to carry anything through the Temple."

(Mark 11:15-16)
The account of Jesus cleansing the Temple ought to cause a person to think of what is really important in his/her response to God. In the parable, the priests and the money changers felt they were helping people worship. For a fee they would change money into what could be used to pay the Temple tax. For a fee they would provide a dove, pigeon, sheep or other animal for sacrifice.

Jesus was concerned about justice, love, compassion, generosity, and help to one's fellow humans. This was a legitimate response to God.

Perhaps Jesus cleansing the Temple ought to cause modern people to think of the Middle East, the third world countries, and the evacuees from the hurricane in the South. Real worship of God is reaching out and helping God's people.

On Waves of Faith



How strong and how steady are the waves of the sea! When we look at the ocean we can glimpse the nature of God's mighty power and love. It is predictable. It is dependable. The waves will crash upon the shore with the rhythm that has continued from the time the seas were created, this we do not question.

Perhaps the question we must consider is one concerning our faith in God and in His Word. Is it as steady and as strong as the waves of the ocean? Does our faith in God shape our consciousness as the waves shape the line of the shore? In Isaiah 48:18, God proclaimed, "...your peace would have been like a river, and your righteousness like the waves of the sea."

Worship each week in God's House, and learn such trust in Him that your faith will flow with the strength and constancy of the waves of the sea.

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Ezekiel	Ezekiel	Ezekiel	Ezekiel	Ezekiel	Ezekiel	Daniel
11:14-25	20:33-44	33:1-20	36:1-15	36:16-38	39:21-29	6:10-28

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WILSONVILLE

By VELMA HOLTZE and LAURIE LAWS

Recently Delbert and Laurie Laws took care of their daughter Shelly Anderson's dog while Shelly, her husband Rick and son, Austin traveled to Waverly, Tenn. The Anderson family went to Tennessee to find a home. Rick has been transferred with the company he works for to Tennessee. The Anderson's will be moving with in the next month from their home in Minden to Waverly.

Recently Delbert and Laurie Laws traveled to Minden for a farewell party given in honor of their son-in-law Rick Anderson and daughter Shelly, by friends and co-workers. The Rick Anderson family will be traveling to their new home in Tennessee in two weeks.

Delbert and Laurie Laws also celebrated their 32nd wedding anniversary while in Minden with the Anderson family.

Velma Holtze drove to Holdrege where she met her daughter, Ivalene Simmons, Oshkosh, Neb., at granddaughter, Caroline Erickson's home. The three drove to Lincoln for a dinner that evening at the Ramada Inn where Margene Holtze was installed as state president of Epsilon Sigma Alpha. Others attending were Jim, Becky and Janene Holtze, Kenneth and Carla Holtze and Jolene Miller. The Kenneth Holtzes were guests in the Jim Hayes home.

Sherri Anderson and children, Loomis, spent a few days with her parents, Kendall and Virginia Rice last week.

Joe and Alice Kasson drove to Longmont, Colo., to attend funeral services for the mother-in-law of their son, Greg.

Earnest tenBensel was a recent patient in Kearney Hospital.

Baptist-Christian Women Installation
President Margalee Ruf conducted the June 1 meeting of the Baptist Christian Women. Members were encouraged to help locate a few missing white tablecloths. Several plans were discussed concerning programs for

the coming year, including the possibility of having a meeting at The Haven in Norton and when to plan a guest day.

For the program, each woman brought an informational article, poem or something interesting for the making of an inspirational spring-time bouquet. Worship chairman, Becky Holtze, had mentioned floral handkerchief gardens in her devotional moments. Several of the chosen thoughts pertained to flowers. Margalee had charge of the installation of the officers, climaxing it with all members forming a circle and accepting the challenge to work for the betterment of the Baptist-Christian Women. All joined in singing "I'll Go Where You Want Me To Go". She then gave each one a handkerchief and a rose.

Virginia Rice befriended Alice Kasson who was to have been hostess and had it prepared (but was absent because of a funeral) by serving fruit cups and cookies for her.

Rain
What a blessing this community has received recently with the coming of much-wanted and needed rain. May 30 a gentle rain fell giving the area from .90 to 1.25 inches. A few days later more rain fell. Another plus has been the moderate temperatures. Some areas had planned to hold prayer services to pray for rain. Since it has been provided, it is hoped that everyone was just as fervent in their prayers to Him for sending it.

Birthday No. 50
Gordon, Denise and Jared Haag of Fairbury arrived at the Cambridge Lake for a short stay. Joining them was their son, Justin Haag, who is doing a summer intern job of setting up golf tournaments. Denise's sister, Diane, Bob and Bobby Gaulke from Austin, Minn., and Charles D. and Betsy Haag of Oberlin were also guests. Jordan Haag, Lincoln, Neb., Carol Gaunt of McCook and Charles Nadeane Haag joined the crown to help Gordon celebrate his 50th birthday.

NORTON MANOR

By DORIS MIZELL

The Silver and Gold dinner was held at the Manor on the 4th of July with 20 attending. Ron and Sylvia Schiemo were the hosts. The program was mostly musical with some of the songs being patriotic. This may be the last they'll be with us for awhile because they are moving.

Raymond "Lefty" Stephenson spent the Fourth of July with his daughter Cherry and Jan Martin, former Norton residents and now of Hays, and great-grandson Colby Edinborough, Perry, Iowa, who is visiting his grandparents. They enjoyed the Wild West Festival in which Colby entered the fishing contest. In his age group he placed first with a carp weighing 1 pound 11 ounces. Colby received a trophy and new rod and reel and tackle box. Lefty was returned home by his son Terry Stephenson.

Marie Delimont enjoyed the Fourth. First the Silver and Gold carry-in dinner with a good attendance. She spent the evening with her daughter, Judy VanDerVeen, and her husband, Jay, granddaughter Stacie and husband Shane DeBoer, and children Alyesa and Gage for supper, watermelon and fireworks at the lake. They were camped out at the lake and watched from the campsite and missed the big crowd.

Clara Shewey went to Almena on the Fourth with Jimmie, Dawn, Josh and Joshaway to the home of her daughter, Rose Lentz for supper and fireworks. Mike and Amanda Davis and two boys were there. Also Shane and Sara Lentz and two boys. Rosie has a boy Daniel who is in fifth grade. Shane

and Sara had a little girl this Saturday night. They haven't named her yet. I've got a quilt made for her.

Last weekend Mary Keith and daughter Jo Murphy of Bettendorf, Iowa, flew to Merced, Calif., for a family reunion.

Maxine Brooks spent the first weekend of July out to her daughter and son-in-laws farm north of Clayton. All of her children were there, Shirley and Jerry Gallentine, Frank and Garnetta Brooks and Barry and Barb Brooks.

Bob and Diane Mizell, Nickerson and Carolyn and Roger Linsenmeyer, Beatrice, Neb., spent the weekend of the June 17 with Doris Mizell. They came to attend the funeral of their sister Connie Lillich which at Atwood Saturday morning.

Diana Greving and Colton spent one evening with Mary Keith. Ed Keith spent Thursday morning with her.

Friday evening, June 10, the following gathered at the Ray Mizell home: Carolyn and Roger Linsenmeyer, Bob and Diane Mizell, Lester Mizell, Patty and Jerry Foster, Jared and Peggy, Doris Mizell and the Ray Mizells.

Before the Memorial Service at the Christian Church for Connie Saturday evening the family gathered at the Ray Mizell home for supper. Those attending were Marlin Lillich, Luke Lillich, Jason and Mandy Lillich, Michelle and Brian Volgamore, Roberta and Dennis McAllister, Doris Mizell, Ray and Ruth Mizell, David and Jerry, Lester Mizell, Patty and Jerry Foster and Arlene and Doyle Foss.

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