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### "Effective Broadcasting"

#### Has Spiritual Leaders

2 Timothy 2:15 says, "Do your best to present yourself to God as one approved, a workman who does not need to be ashamed and who correctly handles the word of truth."

The true church has preachers and teachers who spend much time privately in prayerful study of the Word of God which is the sword of the Holy Spirit, (Ephesians 6:17) so they can be effective in the cause of Christ and God. The truth is, faithful prayerful students of God's Word become servants whom the Lord uses long after their physical death, just like the writings of those the Holy Spirit used to bring us the written Word of God.

One great man of God who the Lord and the Holy Spirit is still using even today is Matthew Henry, the man who laid the foundational work of the well known Matthew Henry Commentaries. He and the church he oversaw for the Lord were illuminated with the truth of being devoted to the preaching of God's Word. Dr. Daniel Williams said, "Matthew Henry learned from the early puritans and other non-conformists the joy of getting up early to spend time in the intense toil of prayerful study of God's Word."

Nothing caused Matthew Henry more uneasiness than needless intrusions. Whether those inroads upon time and strength arose out of mistaken politeness, or the influence of inconsiderate friendship, they invariably extorted lamentations and self-reproach. Matthew experienced the spiritual grieving that comes when the preacher of God's Word has been robbed of His time in getting prayerful revelation from the Bible. In his diary Matthew Henry wrote, "...I am always best when alone. No place like my own study, no company like that of good books, especially His Book [the Bible]."

Matthew Henry was willing to pay the cost to prepare to follow God's administration for the New Testament church. In the Encyclopedia Britannica, Eleventh Edition we read, "While millions of pastors have come and gone since the 1700's, most preachers' works have not achieved the respect and usefulness that the Matthew Henry Commentaries have accomplished even to this day."

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# Worship With Us THIS SUNDAY



### CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, ALMENA

Kirk Kasson, Pastor  
Phone 785-669-2501

e-mail: congo@ruraltel.net

SUNDAY — 8:30 a.m. Worship Service  
9:30 a.m. Sunday School  
No 10:30 a.m. Service  
6 p.m. Bible Study at Kim and Kirk's  
7 p.m. Teens For Christ  
TUESDAY — 7:15 a.m. Teen Women's Discipleship  
THURSDAY — 7:15 a.m. Teen Men's Discipleship

### ALMENA UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

Larry Danforth  
669-2554

SUNDAY — 8:30 a.m. Worship  
WEDNESDAY — 7 p.m. Bible Study in Fellowship Hall  
TUESDAY and THURSDAY — 9 a.m. Vita Band Exercise Class, Everyone Welcome  
7 p.m. Bible Study at Grace Welcomes

### CLAYTON UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

Larry Danforth  
669-2554

SUNDAY — 10 a.m. Church School  
11 a.m. Worship Service, Choir

### EDMOND UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

Rev. Lyn Linde

SUNDAY — 9 a.m. Worship Service

### LENORA CHURCH OF GOD

Pastor Maurita Lymer  
785-567-4459

SUNDAY — 9:45 a.m. Sunday School  
10:30 a.m. Worship Service  
THURSDAY — 7 p.m. Evening Bible Study

### UNITED PARISH OF LENORA

The Rev. Gary Dudder  
140 E. Iowa, 567-4420

SUNDAY — 9:30 a.m. Social Hour  
10:30 a.m. Worship Service  
United Parish is a Community Church, all are welcome

### 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

### ST. JOHN'S CATHOLIC CHURCH, LOGAN

Father Ben Saw

SUNDAY — 8:30 a.m. Mass  
MONDAY — 5:30 p.m. Mass

### LOGAN UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

The Rev. 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

### 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

### LYLE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

Guest Speakers Each Sunday

SUNDAY — 8 a.m. Worship Service  
TUESDAY — Sewing at the Community Building

### NORCATUR UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

Larry Danforth  
693-4519

SUNDAY — 10 a.m. Worship Service  
MONDAY — 7 p.m. Bible Study at Fellowship Hall

### ST. JOSEPH CATHOLIC CHURCH, NEW ALMELO

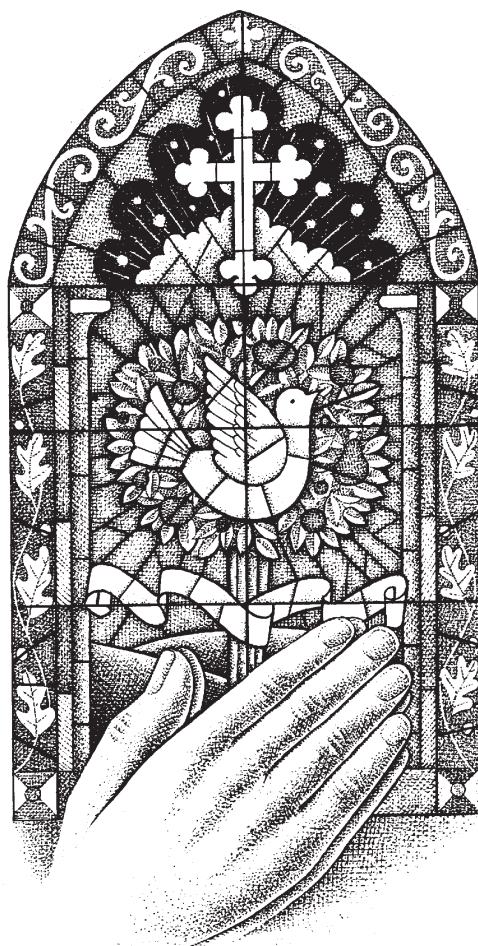
stjosephcc@ruraltel.net  
Father Vincent Thu Laing

SUNDAY — 8:30 a.m. Mass  
FRIDAY and MONDAY — 8 a.m. Scripture Communion Service  
Weekday Mass Tuesday 8:30 a.m.

### THE CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST OF LATTER DAY SAINTS

Phillipsburg Ward  
Vern Kendell, Bishop

SUNDAY — 10:00 a.m. Sacrament meeting  
11:15 a.m. Sunday School  
12:10 - Priesthood and Relief Society  
MONDAY — Family Home Evening  
WEDNESDAY — 7:00 a.m. Young Men/



Young Women, Ages 12-18; 5-9 p.m. Family History Center Open

### PRAIRIE VIEW REFORMED CHURCH

The Rev. Jeffrey Van Der Weele  
410 Holland, Prairie View  
973-2794

SUNDAY — 9 a.m. Morning Worship

### 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

### CROSSROADS CHURCH

313 West Lincoln Street  
Pastor, Ron Scheimo  
Phone: 877-2416

SATURDAY — 8:00 a.m. Men's Prayer  
SUNDAY — 9:00 a.m. Sunday School  
10:00 a.m. Fellowship Hall Coffee  
10:00 a.m. Prayer Time/Sanctuary  
10:30 a.m. Worship Service  
WEDNESDAY — 7:00 p.m. Adult Bible Study

### CROSSROADS MINISTRIES

Preacher/Teacher Terry L. Laughlin  
603 Sunset Dr., Norton, KS 67654  
(785) 877-2567  
e-mail - crossroads@ruraltel.net  
www.standatthecrossroads.com

### 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

### FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH, NORTON

Rev. Lyn Linde

805 W. Wilberforce, Norton  
SUNDAY — Fourteenth Sunday after Pentecost  
8:00 a.m. Informal Worship in Fellowship Hall  
9:15 a.m. Sunday School/Bible Classes  
10:30 a.m. Worship in Fellowship Hall  
Fellowship Coffee - Methodist Men  
MONDAY — 6:00 p.m. TOPS  
TUESDAY — 9:00 a.m. Staff Meeting  
WEDNESDAY — 8:00 a.m. Prayer Warriors  
6:00 p.m. Finance, NOW Meetings  
7:00 p.m. Nominating Committee Meeting

### IMMANUEL LUTHERAN CHURCH

Pastor Rick Rostek  
14715 W. Washington Road  
877-2430

9:00 a.m. Bible Class and Sunday School  
10:30 a.m. Sunday Worship  
MONDAY — 5:15 p.m. LWML  
WEDNESDAY — 2:00 p.m. Andbe Home  
7:00 p.m. Confirmation

### 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

### NORTON CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Leland Griffin, Interim Minister  
Mike Sander, Youth Minister  
Blake Helmers, Intern  
e-mail: ncc\_office@sbglobal.net

208 N. Kansas, 877-2871  
SUNDAY — Promotion Sunday  
8:00/10:40 a.m. Worship Services, Darel Boston preaching  
9:00 a.m. Prayer Meeting for Search for Pastor  
9:30 a.m. Sunday School  
6:00 p.m. "Ignite"  
MONDAY — 7:00 p.m. Prayer Meeting for Search for Pastor  
WEDNESDAY — 6:30 a.m. Men's Prayer Breakfast at Pure Prairie  
9:00 a.m. Prayer and Fellowship  
7:00 p.m. AWANA Leaders and Listeners Training

### NORTON FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Pastor Charles Ross  
112 S. Archer, 877-5214

SUNDAY — 9 a.m. Worship Service  
WEDNESDAY — 7 p.m. Mid-Week Prayer Meeting and Bible Study

### NORTON MINISTERIAL ALLIANCE

Andbe Home Services, 2 p.m. and Norton Manor Services 3 p.m.  
There is no meeting of the alliance during the summer months

### NORTON SEVENTH DAY ADVENTIST CHURCH

105 S. Case Street  
Pastor Jerry Nowack  
SATURDAY SERVICES — 9:45 a.m. Church Services  
10:45 a.m. Sabbath School

### ST. FRANCIS OF ASSISI CATHOLIC CHURCH

Father Vincent Thu Laing  
877-2234

stfranci@ruraltel.net  
108 S. Wabash, Norton  
Mass Schedule  
Sunday 10:30 a.m. Mass  
Wednesday — 7:15 a.m. and 7:15 p.m.  
Thursday 7:30 a.m.  
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. Marian Devotions  
K of C Third Monday of Month at 7:30 p.m.

### TRINITY EPISCOPAL CHURCH

Alberta Slaby and Don Johnson  
Senior Wardens  
102 E. Waverly, Norton  
SUNDAY — 9:30 a.m. Christian Education  
10:30 a.m. Morning Prayer  
11:30 a.m. Coffee Hour Host, Woodyards'  
3:00-4:00p.m. God's Pantry, Don Johnson

### REDEEMER EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN(WELS)

805 West Holme Street  
West Hwy. 36, Norton  
877-3138/3824  
timmomeyer@ruraltel.net  
Pastor Timm O. Meyer  
SATURDAY — 1:00 p.m. NCF Worship Service  
SUNDAY — 7:00 a.m. Time of Grace on Fox TV  
9:05 a.m. Goodness from the Good Shepherd Radio Broadcast, KQNK, 106.7FM/1530AM  
9:30 a.m. Worship Service  
10:45 a.m. Sunday School  
10:55 a.m. Adult Bible Study, Psalms  
Noon — NCF Worship Service  
7:00 p.m. — Worship Service at Hays, KS  
TUESDAY — 6:00 p.m. and 7:30 p.m., NCF Bible Studies  
SATURDAY — 1:00 p.m. NCF Worship Service

### MAPLE GROVE CHURCH OF THE BRETHREN

Rev. Lee Preston  
9 miles west 4 1/2 miles north of Norton  
SUNDAY — 10 a.m. Sunday School  
10:30 a.m. Worship Service  
4th Tuesday, Women's Fellowship  
3rd Sunday, Noon, carry-in dinner

### THE ROCK

FRIDAY — 7:00-10:00 p.m. Seventh, Eighth, and Ninth Graders  
First Sunday Night of the Month — Quarry, 6:30 p.m. Junior and Senior High Worship Event