

NORCATUR NEWS

By NORCATUR NEWSLETTER VOLUNTEERS
 Marie Patterson, Running Springs, Calif., writes that they were evacuated on Oct. 26 from their home due to the fires. Then they had a power outage for a couple of weeks, followed by gas problems. This left them with no heat in the mountains at this time of year, which she said is not good. She will write again to tell more of their experiences.

Bill and Bee Nelson are back home after being in Kansas City for three months for medical care. Bob and Bonnie Rapp, Norton, are moving this week to their new home in Manhattan. Their new address will be: 2507 Meade Circle, Manhattan, Kan., 66502. The telephone number will be (785) 537-6246.

The Norcaturn Pre-School appreciates the pledges of donations for the Annual Norcaturn Drawing, and reminds everyone to turn in the money by Dec. 1 so the turkeys, hams and roasts can be ordered. Checks should be made out to Norcaturn Pre-School and can be given either to Deb Marshall or Chris Dempewolf. If you would still like to make a donation, call either Deb or Chris.

The Decatur Community High School musical, "The Pirates of Penzance", was another astounding production. Andrea and Anthony Marshall were two of the lead characters. Other cast members were Destry Jackson, Kaitlyn Stapp, Katrina Wentz, Denton Bailey and Aaron Helm.

The Decatur Community High School journalism staff is collecting used cell phones (not bag phones) and printer ink cartridges. Don't throw them away, the journalism staff can turn these into cash. Contact M.J. Dempewolf at 693-4315 for pickup, or leave them at the city office.

There were 15 present at Senior Citizens Nov. 21. Winners were R.D. Thornton, Juanita Eckhart and Margaret Magers. The next meeting will be Friday at 7 p.m. Nov. 21, Marguerite Clark, Goldie Brewer and Oran and Laverne Milner enjoyed the pre-Thanksgiving dinner at the Frontier Cafe. Afterwards they did some shopping and later visited Fern Mapes, Ivah Alexander, Fern Anderson and Marguerite Fullerton, all at the Good Samaritan Center.

Linda (Bolliger) Broyles (Class of 1965), Haysville, writes that their small family is fine.

Jeff and Jill are excited to know their alma mater is again taking giant steps toward the Class 3A state football championship. Conway Springs defeated Norton and went on to take state.

The Conway Springs Star printed a very nice "thank you" that "our" school had received earlier that week from Greg Mann, Norton's superintendent of schools.

Jackie says since she's never been to a game, she is worried that if she goes and they lose, it would be her fault, so she just stays home.

She says she is proud of her hometown, and what everyone does to maintain Norcaturn's reputation. Yet as she reads another person from her parents peer group has died, she wishes they would all stay 50, even as she grows older.

Birthdays: Troy Wentz-Dec. 1. The Norcaturn Christmas drawing is just around the corner. If you or your organization would like to donate to the drawing, please contact Deb Marshall or Chris Dempewolf. Any contribution can be left at the Norcaturn city office. This event is sponsored by the Norcaturn Pre-school.

LYLE NEWS

By HELEN HELM
 Pat and Bill Schwab hosted the Schwab Thanksgiving dinner at their home Nov. 23. All of Bill's brothers and sisters were able to be present with their families except for Charlie, who lives in Scott City. He was apprehensive about the roads after the Saturday night snow storm. Altogether there were 338 present for the bounteous dinner and a lot of visiting.

Margaret Magers was the hostess for a Thanksgiving dinner at the Lyle Community Building on Thursday. Present were Judy and Charlie Easton, Quinter; Jane and Richard Englehardt, Norton; Kevin Englehardt, Omaha, Neb.; Pam Englehardt and friend, Mike Hornung, Dorothy Magers and granddaughter, Paula Milhouser, Aurora, Colo.; Little Charlie Easton and children, Macala and Riley and a friend, Kim, Hoxie; Rea and Dee Magers, Norcaturn; their daughter, Cheri and Bob Pomeroy and children, Zac and Matt, Denver; and Kathy Van Meter, Lyle.

Games were played amid much hilarity. A good time was held by all. Mrs. Van Meter drove to Quinter Wednesday evening and took her family out to dinner. This included Tim and Jolene and Clinton Nejd and Carrie Nejd and friend, Jason Colby. After eating they all went to the hospital to visit Jolene's mother, Martina Zimmerman of Park who had suffered severe burns in a yard fire at her home.

Mrs. June Jolly was among the guests at a Jolly family Thanksgiving dinner held at the Alfred Jolly home near Lebanon, Neb. On Nov. 22 Ceanne Rinehart, Yanis Helm and John and Helen Helm drove to Oberlin to attend the Decatur Community High School play, "Pirates of Penzance". The performance was wonderful with everyone knowing their parts. The music was especially nice. Martin Rinehart, Colby, met them there and Ceanne returned home with him. The rest returned Aaron Helm, who was in the musical, to his home. The weather was very unpleasant that evening and everyone was happy to be safely home.

Rebecca Helm was an overnight guest Tuesday night at the John Helm home and helped Grandma with house chores on Wednesday.

Gundy and Chance and Josh Slater, Aurora, Colo.

Mrs. Wood was a Thursday overnight guest of Dwight Wood and Teresa Reves and she and Teresa had a shopping trip in McCook Friday morning while Dwight received his dialysis treatment. After returning home, visitors were Hannah and Isarel Jirak and Hester Wood of Fort Collins, Colo. Teresa fixed dinner for all.

June Jolly and Kathy Van Meter attended the Party Pitch at Norton Sunday evening. Mrs. Jolly, Mrs. Van Meter and Mrs. Magers drove to Beaver City Tuesday evening to visit Van Cozad at the nursing home. All the regular card players from the Senior Center came to the nursing home and had their cards there with Van and the Lyle ladies.

Mrs. Margaret Magers spent Sunday evening with Coleen and Laverne Rippe and their granddaughter, Alyssa Rippe. Mrs. Karen Brown, Lebanon, accompanied Mrs. Jolly to McCook for cards Monday evening. Mrs. Jolly attended the funeral for Betty Orvis in Lebanon Monday afternoon. On Wednesday, Mrs. Jolly attended Bingo in McCook.

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Directory of Church Services



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

804 W. Wilberforce, Norton
 SATURDAY — 6 to 9 p.m. Living Nativity
 SECOND SUNDAY OF ADVENT — 8 a.m. Early Service
 9:30 a.m. Sunday School for all ages
 10:30 a.m. Worship Service
 2 p.m. Jr. UMYF
 2 p.m. Church Conference at Edmond
 5 p.m. Sr. UMYF
 7 p.m. Bridge Service Christmas Carols
 WEDNESDAY — 10 a.m. Missions Committee
 6:30 p.m. Here and There Cookie Exchange and Caroling
 7 p.m. Chancel Choir practice
 7:30 p.m. Evening Circle
 8:15 p.m. Bell Choir Practice
 THURSDAY — Noon, UMW Christmas Luncheon
 6 p.m. Bridge Band Practice

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
 SUNDAY — 8 a.m. Christian Education
 9 a.m. Holy Eucharist, Celebrant Fr. Dennis Gilhousen, Lay Reader, Georgia Briery
 10 a.m. Coffee Host, Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Henderson
 3-4 p.m. God's Pantry, Diana McGee

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
108 S. Wabash, Norton
 Mass Schedule
 Sunday 10:30 a.m.
 Monday 7:30 a.m.
 Wednesday 7:30 a.m.
 Thursday 7:30 a.m.
 Saturday 7:00 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-9)

NORTON MINISTERIAL ALLIANCE

Hospital chaplain, Monday through Sunday, Aeillo
 Sunday Services, 2 p.m. Andbe Home; 3 p.m., Norton Manor, Kasson
 Ministerial Alliance meets at noon Dec. 18 at Town and Country Kitchen

PRAIRIE VIEW REFORMED CHURCH

Rev. Jeffrey Van Der Weele
410 Holland, Prairie View
 SUNDAY — 9 a.m. Morning Worship Services
 10:15 a.m. Sunday School for all ages
 3 p.m. Communicants Class
 7 p.m. United Services at Prairie View
 WEDNESDAY — 6:30 p.m. Bible Class at Luctor
 6:45 p.m. Adult Class at Prairie View
 7 p.m. Youth Club at Prairie View
 THURSDAY — 7 a.m. Men's Prayer Meeting at Prairie View

LUCTOR CHRISTIAN REFORMED CHURCH

2 miles east and 3 miles north of Prairie View
Rev. Jeffrey Van der Weele
 SUNDAY — 9:30 a.m. Sunday School and Choir practice
 10:30 a.m. Morning Worship Services
 3 p.m. Communicants Class at Parsonage
 7 p.m. United Services at Prairie View

TUESDAY — 7 p.m. Group to Long Term Care

WEDNESDAY — 6:30 p.m. Bible Class at Luctor
 6:45 p.m. Adult Class at Prairie View
 7 p.m. Youth Class at Prairie View
 8 p.m. Audit Meeting

REDEEMER EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH

Pastor Timm O. Meyer
e-mail: timmomeyer@ruraltel.net
805 W. Holme, Norton
 SATURDAY — 10:30 a.m. Christmas service practice
 1:00 p.m. Evangelism meeting
 SUNDAY — 9:05 a.m. "Goodness From the Good Shepherd" Radio Broadcast, KQNK 106.7 FM & 1530 AM
 10 a.m. Communion Service
 11:10 a.m. Sunday School
 11:10 a.m. Bible Study, ACTS
 12:15 p.m. Soup Dinner and Decorate the Church
 MONDAY — 7 p.m. Church Council
 WEDNESDAY — 12:30 p.m. Senior Citizen Center Sing-a-long
 6:45 p.m. Choir Practice
 7:30 p.m. Bible Study
 THURSDAY — 6 p.m. Confirmation Class at Alma, Neb.
 7:45 p.m. Worship Service at Water of Life
 SATURDAY — 10:30 a.m. Christmas service practice

NORTON CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Jeff Nielsen, Minister
Mike Sander, Youth Minister
e-mail: ncc@us36.net
208 N. Kansas
 SATURDAY — Bible Bowl Tournament in Lincoln
 SUNDAY — 8 a.m. Early Worship
 9:30 a.m. Sunday School
 10:40 a.m. Worship Service
 2 p.m. Eagle Scout Award to Kyle Douglas
 4:30 p.m. Jr./Sr. High Youth Group
 No Bible Bowl
 6:30 p.m. Sunday Night Live
 WEDNESDAY — 6:30 a.m. Men's Prayer Breakfast
 9 a.m. Prayer Meeting
 6 p.m. AWANA supper
 6:30 p.m. AWANA, Bible Bowl, high school Bible Study
 7:00 p.m. Upper Room Prayer Group
 8 p.m. Elders Meeting
 THURSDAY — 7 a.m. Deacons Breakfast, Group B
 11:30 a.m.-1 p.m. Women's Council Salad Luncheon
 SUNDAY — Noon, Fellowship Dinner
 1 p.m. Board Meeting

FIRST CHURCH OF GOD

Pastor Terrill Worthington
1010 Churchill Dr.
 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
 7 p.m. Evening Service
 TUESDAY — 7 p.m. Visitation
 WEDNESDAY — 6 p.m. 3-D at Parsonage
 7 p.m. Family Night
 8 p.m. Council Meeting
 FRIDAY — 7 p.m. W.C.G. at Marilyn Colip's

IMMANUEL LUTHERAN CHURCH

Rev. Rick Rostek
814 N. Second, Norton
 SUNDAY — 9 a.m. Sunday School, Bible Class
 10:30 a.m. Worship Service
 TUESDAY — 7 p.m. Church Council
 WEDNESDAY — 2 p.m. Andbe Home
 3:40 p.m. Midweek
 5:15 p.m. Choir
 6 p.m. Pack Cookies
 7 p.m. Confirmation
 9:30 a.m. Bible Study at Andbe Home

SATURDAY — 11 a.m.-2 p.m. Soup Lunch to Benefit Norton Cares

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, ALMENA

Kirk Kasson, Pastor
e-mail: congo@ruraltel.net
 SUNDAY — 8 a.m. Teacher Study
 9:30 a.m. Sunday School
 10:30 a.m. Church Services
 7 p.m. TFC
 MONDAY — 7:30 p.m. Men's Fellowship
 TUESDAY — 7:15 a.m. Teen Women
 WEDNESDAY — 3:30 p.m. Good News

ST. JOHN'S CATHOLIC CHURCH, LOGAN

Father Joseph Thalanany
 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

Kathy Aeillo
 SUNDAY — 10 a.m. Worship Service
 11 a.m. Church School

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 Jim Nichols
 SATURDAY SERVICES — 9:45 a.m. Church Services
 10:45 a.m. Sabbath School

LONG ISLAND UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

Shelly Cox
554 Washington
 SUNDAY — 10 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
 SUNDAY — 10 a.m. Sunday School
 11 a.m. Worship Service
 7 p.m. Evening Service
 TUESDAY — 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
 SUNDAY — 10 a.m. Worship and Praise Service
 7 p.m. Evening 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

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

Shelly Cox
303 W. Church
 SUNDAY — 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

Rev. Jack Kersenbrock
 SUNDAY — 10 a.m. Sunday School for all ages
 11 a.m. Morning Worship

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

Father Vincent Thu Laing
 Sunday 8:30 a.m. Mass
 Weekdays 8 a.m. Scripture Communion Service

ALMENA UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

Pastor Kathy Aeillo
 SUNDAY — 10 a.m. Sunday School
 11 a.m. Worship
 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

Minister, 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
 6:30 p.m. Prayer Service at Full Gospel
 MONDAY — 7 p.m. TFC
 WEDNESDAY — 3:40-5 p.m. Kids Club
 THURSDAY — 7-8:30 p.m. Bible Study

CHAPEL ON THE HILL

309 N. State, Norton, KS
 SATURDAY — 7 p.m. Special services and guest speakers

WILSONVILLE UNITED BAPTIST CHRISTIAN CHURCH

SUNDAY — 9:30 a.m. Worship Service and Communion
 10:30 a.m. Sunday School
 1st Thursday, B.C.W. 9 a.m.

NORCATUR UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

Kathy Aeillo
 SUNDAY — 9 a.m. Worship Service
 10 a.m. Sunday School

Weddings, funerals, engagements, and births.
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THE NORTON TELEGRAM