



**LEA KELLER (left) AND JANET CARMAN** were along the ladies who helped decorate the front of the Ye Olde Country Church with flower beds. *Photo courtesy of Robyn Raine*

## Flowers decorate front of church

Chapter U, P.E.O. has adopted the project of flower beds in front of Ye Olde Country Church on U.S. 36.

Thursday morning, June 16, several early birds met to plant after Brad Matthies had outlined the beds. Soaker hoses were laid and mulch was applied to keep the beds looking healthy and nice.

Janet Carmen, museum curator, has agreed to oversee the project during the hot, dry summer months. With approval from the Historical Society, the members are in hopes that eventually they can have a sidewalk laid from the church to the museum. They urge people to stop by and take a look at the flower beds.

## McDonald lady celebrates 100th

The family of Amelia Banister will be celebrating her 100th birthday with a come-and-go reception from 2 to 4 p.m. on Sunday, July 4, at the McDonald Federated Church in McDonald.

The family welcomes you to join them in celebrating the occasion.



**Amelia Banister**

### Weather

Date	H	L	Prec
June 15	82	53	
June 16	93	62	
June 17	88	57	
June 18	86	62	
June 19	89	64	
June 20	88	61	
June 21	90	60	.66

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CSMC at 9 a.m.

### Offices closed on July 5

Ad pictures and story deadline for the July 8 issue of *The Saint Francis Herald* and *Bird City Times* will be at 5 p.m. on Tuesday, July 6. The offices will be closed on Monday, July 5, in observance of the Fourth of July. The newspapers will be published and delivered one day late that week.

### Death notice

Word has been received of the death of Dwayne Krien, 66, Mesa, Ariz. on May 22, 2010, in Englewood, Colo. He was the son of Tobe and Marie Krien. He, his family and parents were former residents of St. Francis.

### Community Blood Drive

The St. Francis Community Blood Drive will take place from noon to 6 p.m. on Wednesday, June 30, at the Peace Lutheran Church, 202 N. College. To schedule your appointment, please visit redcrossblood.org or call 1-800-Red Cross.

### Calling all singers

Community Chorus rehearsals will be held from 1 to 2:15 p.m. each Sunday until the fair at Peace Lutheran Church in St. Francis.

The performance will take place during the Talent Show at the fair on Friday, Aug. 6.

Call Neala at 332-8996 for more information.

### Fair Board

The next meeting of the fair board has tentatively been set for 7 p.m. on July 1 at the fairgrounds.

### Farmer's Market

The St. Francis Farmer's Market will open on Saturday at 9 a.m. Check classified ad for additional information.

### School board

The St. Francis Board of Education will hold a special meeting at 5 p.m. on Tuesday in the meeting room at the high school to pay the end of the fiscal year bills. The next regularly scheduled meeting will be at 8 p.m. on July 8 in the high school meeting room.

### Epicenter Conference

A Philadelphia Epicenter Conference 2010 Webcast is being held at Peace Lutheran Church on Friday night, June 25 and from 8 a.m. to 8 p.m. on Saturday, June 26. Check ad in this issue of The Herald for additional information.

### City Council

The St. Francis City Council will meet at 7:30 p.m. on Mon-

day.

### County Commissioners

The Cheyenne County Commissioners will meet at 8 a.m. on Wednesday, June 30.

### Hospital Board

The Cheyenne County Hospital Board will meet at 3 p.m. on Tuesday, in the clinic basement meeting room in St. Francis.

### Recovery Today/ Narcotics Anonymous

Recovery Today group of Narcotics Anonymous meets at 8 p.m. on Sunday nights at the United Methodist Educational Building. Call (785) 342-0028 or (785) 332-8607 for more information.

### Northwest Kansas Family Shelter

Northwest Kansas Family Shelter provides 24-hour 7-day-a-week service to victims of domestic violence and sexual assault. Weekly support groups are available for women and children within the northwest Kansas area. For information or in need of assistance, please call the toll-free number 1-900-794-4624.

## Former resident earns title

Jami Jamison, former St. Francis resident and Cheylin High School graduate has been awarded the title of "Missouri Lady" with the American Dream pageant system. She will represent women over 40 in Missouri and the surrounding area, and will compete for the national title in New Orleans Aug. 18-21.

"American Dream" offers four separate divisions, Miss, MS., Mrs and Lady, for more information visit americandreampageants.com

The "American Dream" pageant was designed to empower women to reach their dreams, become involved in their communities and develop a personal platform that each delegate will work with personally throughout her reign. Mrs. Jamison has chosen "Teen Challenge International," a nationally recognized drug and alcohol recovery program, as her personal platform.

"Teen Challenge" is one of the oldest, largest, and most successful program of it's kind in the world. Established in 1958 by

David Wilkerson, it has grown to more than 170 centers in the United States.

The story of "Teen Challenge" can be read in the books "The Cross and the Switchblade," and "Run, Baby, Run." Mrs. Jamison has been working directly with "Teen Challenge Women's Ministry" in Ozark, Mo., as a mentor and fundraiser, raising over \$700 to date going directly to "Teen Challenge".

She currently resides in the Springfield, Mo., area with her husband, Ross. She said she enjoys working in the community by being involved with "I Love America" one of the largest Fourth of July celebrations in the state of Missouri, "Builders in Action" (improving the homes of single moms, widows, and spouses of deployed troops), "Project Partnership," (a makeover project for public schools in the Ozarks) and is a choir member of James River Assembly. With over 230 choir members, they perform at Silver Dollar City, Springfield Cardinals Baseball games, I Love America,



**Jami Jamison**

as well as participating in two to three regular church services each Sunday.

She is the owner of her own business, Cleaning and Painting Service, specializing in rental property and real estate, and is able to provide part-time employment to several individuals. The couple has two children, Derek Jamison of Shawnee, and Meaghan Collier of Republic, Mo., and the grandmother to Elana, age 3.

She is the daughter of Jim and Sharon McCann of Bird City.

## Club Clip

### Plum Creek 4-H

The Plum Creek 4-H Club met on March 9 at the United Methodist Church for the model meeting. "What are you doing for Spring Break" was answered by 18 members and one leader.

Sue Zimbelman, leader, reported that County 4-H Days will be March 22 at the St. Francis High School. A committee report announced that Jo Frewen would come to a club meeting to talk about soldier care packages.

Matthisen Witzel gave a talk on Polar Bears. Aim, Shoot, Bull's-

eye was the title of the archery project talk given by Shakotah Blanka. Brianna Cooks showed the club of "What looks best" a talk about clothing.

The Beikman family led the club in song and Katie Jenik had the club play musical chairs.

Shakotah Blanka, reporter



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