

## Organ-trumpet duo to perform in Oberlin

An organ and trumpet concert is planned at 2 p.m. Sunday, April 14, at Faith Lutheran Church in Oberlin. Artists are Keith Benjamin on trumpet and Dr. Melody Turnquist Steed on the organ.

Benjamin joined the University of Missouri, Kansas City Conservatory of Music and Dance as a professor of trumpet in 1989 with a Doctor of Musical Arts degree and a performer's certificate from the Eastman School of Music. His current orchestra positions include principal trumpet in the internationally renowned Colorado MahlerFest and extra trumpet for Kansas City Symphony and several other orchestras. He is an active recitalist and chamber musician, and plays first trumpet in the Missouri Brass Quintet.

Dr. Turnquist-Steed is an associate professor of music at Bethany College in Lindsborg, where she teaches organ and music theory, as well as serving as the chapel organist and coordinator of sacred music. She has also served as the organist at the Westwood United Methodist Church on the Shaffer Memorial Organ. Steed has organ performance degrees from the University of Northern Iowa and the University of Cincinnati College-Conservatory of Music, and a Doctor of Musical Arts degree from the University of Southern California.

This is an Oberlin Arts and Humanities Commission season ticket event or \$12 for adults, \$7 for students. For details, call Ella Betts (785) 475-3557 or Mary Henzel (785) 470-0218.

# Honest search for life's meaning leads ultimately back to Christ

A few years ago, as I read the story of a well-known '60s activist named Paul McGuire, I felt as though I was being transported back to my own high school days.

That is because, while I was then a new Christian involved in the "Jesus Movement," my best friend's life was running in the opposite direction - almost exactly parallel with that of Paul McGuire.

Paul, who had been raised by atheist parents, thought that Christians were the stupidest people on earth and that their faith was not worthy of even a surface examination. But atheism left him feeling empty and unsatisfied inside.

Like my friend, Paul looked everywhere to find meaning and purpose for his life, but to no avail. His psychotherapist couldn't help him. He read books by Sigmund Freud, Carl Rogers and Carl Jung, but they only confused him. When the "hippie" movement exploded across America and Paul heard Timothy Leary exhort young people to "tune in, turn on and drop out," Paul immersed himself in it all.

Like my friend, he became deeply involved in Eastern mysticism, and then the occult. Both Paul and my friend tried to find God through drugs - especially LSD and mescaline. Paul



**Tom Peyton**

• From the Pulpit

majoring in "altered states of consciousness" in college where one of his professors taught that mental illness and insanity could be the means of entering into a higher consciousness. (Meanwhile my friend was being taught at another university that drugs were both safe and good.)

Both Paul and my friend ended their desperate search when each finally trusted Jesus Christ to be his own personal Savior. Paul was confronted by "Jesus people," whom he despised; though he noticed that they radiated the glory and love of God.

Eventually, a Bible salesman picked Paul up while he was hitchhiking and explained the gospel to him. Paul prayed to receive Christ that day, and said later, "Everything I was searching for in mysticism, relationships

and the 'New Age Movement,' I found in Jesus Christ.... He became my Lord and savior, and my new-found relationship with him was clearly real."

My friend was in a park in Albuquerque, N.M., when some "Jesus people" approached him. He was high on LSD, mescaline and peyote. But when they handed him a copy of David Wilkerson's book, "The Cross and the Switchblade," and prayed for him, he fell to his knees weeping, and accepted Christ as his savior and Lord. Immediately, the effects of the drugs left his body and he was a new person in Christ.

Jesus said, "Come unto me, all ye that labor and are heavy laden, and I will give you rest" in Matthew 11:28.

Won't you come to Him today? It's as simple as ABC: Admit you are a sinner, Believe Jesus Christ died for your sins and rose from the dead. Confess Jesus Christ as your savior and Lord. There is no true fulfillment except in Him.

Tom Peyton is pastor of the Mingo Bible Church. Contact him at preacherpeyton@gmail.com or call 462-2992

## State needs volunteers to help clean roadsides

Litter along the highways has a negative impact on everyone, both residents and visitors to Kansas.

Participating in the Kansas Department of Transportation's Adopt-A-Highway program can have a positive impact on helping to keep the highways clean. With nearly 10,000 miles of highways in Kansas, new groups can always join.

Some of the urban stretches of roadway are open to adopt, and numerous sections in the rural areas are available as well. Groups are asked to sign a two-year agreement with the program, and several groups have been with the program since it started in Kansas in 1990.

Groups clean their sections of roadway three times a year at their convenience. Most schedule a

clean-up time in the spring, summer and fall.

Adopt-A-Highway groups are participating in the annual Clean Up Kansas Campaign which is taking place during April. All Adopt-A-Highway groups are encouraged but not required to participate in the statewide event. Motorists are asked to use extra caution as people with bright orange vests will be working next to the highways.

Youth groups with members at least 11 years old and adequate adult supervision are also eligible. The department provides each group safety training, trash bags, orange vests and signs for their adopted stretch of highway.

For information, contact the department's office in your area.

## Five-year-olds invited to see kindergarten at Triplains

Kindergarten visitation at Triplains School in Winona will be from 8 a.m. to noon Thursday, April 18.

Students must be 5 before Aug. 31 to attend. Contact kindergarten teacher Baylee Collett at the school if you'd like to bring your child to visitation day and check out what's happening at Triplains. The school operates on a four-day week, with Mondays off.

"We will have lots of fun things

for you to see and enjoy," Collett said. "We'll read stories, do some crafts, make new friends, participate in physical education and music and become familiar with your new school.

"You'll also get to eat lunch and enjoy recess with your new friends. We hope to see you soon."

Letters have been mailed home to current families, she said, and Triplains welcomes new students.

## Vets look for a hero

The Kansas Veterinary Medical Association says the group needs nominations for its Pet of the Year award.

Dr. Tom Jernigan, president of the group, said any animal that has provided distinguished service or performed in an extraordinary manner on behalf of an individual or a community may be a candidate.

Three recipients will be chosen, one each in the categories of hero, companion and professional.

The Pets of the Year will be honored during the association's annual business meeting on Monday, June 3, at the Hilton Garden Inn and Conference Center in Manhattan.

Send nominations with description of meritorious conduct (100 words or less) by April 26, to 2013 Pet of the Year, KVMA Awards Committee, 816 S.W. Tyler, Suite 200, Topeka, Kan., 66612, or fax to (785) 233-2534.

## Health Fair planned in Oakley

The Logan County Health Fair will be from 8 a.m. to noon on Friday, April 26, at the Impact Center in Oakley and 8 a.m. to noon on Saturday, April 27, at the Logan County Rehabilitation and Wellness Center.

Vendors for the health fair are available to the public free of charge on Friday. The Saturday event features cancer screenings sponsored by the Masonic Lodge, including skin checks, prostate exams and bone density scans. Cancer prevention information will also be provided.

A drawing will be held for two three-month gift certificates for Fit For Life, the exercise and pool area at the Rehabilitation and Wellness Center.

Blood tests will be offered 8 to 10 a.m. both days as part of the fair. Early blood draws will be

available from 7 to 9 a.m. on Tuesday, April 16, at Winona School; Wednesday, April 17, at Grinnell School; and Thursday through Saturday, April 18 through 20, at Logan County Hospital. Test results will be available for pick up at the fair.

Participants can choose from six blood tests: a \$45 wellness profile including a comprehensive metabolic panel, complete blood count, lipid, thyroid stimulating hormone, thyroxine, magnesium and iron levels; a \$35 men's health screening that tests both prostate specific antigen and testosterone; a \$25 diabetic monitoring test including insulin measurements and

A1C; vitamin D levels for \$50; blood type for \$20; and C-reactive protein levels for \$30. Participants should fast for 12 hours prior to their blood test. Men can have their prostate specific antigen test done on the day of the health fair for free with results mailed to the patient after the health fair.

As part of the health fair activities, representatives from Hays Medical Center will offer cardiovascular screenings on April 19 at the Logan County Hospital. Three different screenings are available for \$30 each or \$75 for all three. Participants must pre-register for these screenings by calling (855) 429-7633.

For information about the Health Fair, contact the Logan County Health Department at (785) 671-4502.

## Corrections

The Colby Free Press wants to maintain an accurate record of our town. Please report any error or lack of clarity in a news story to us at 462-3963.

## Markets

Quotes as of close of previous business day  
**Hi-Plains Co-op**

Wheat (bushel)	\$6.81
Corn (bushel)	\$6.35
Milo (hundredweight)	\$10.80
Soybeans (bushel)	\$12.82

## General Public Transportation Van

**Hours:** 8 a.m. to 4 p.m.  
**Days:** Monday - Friday  
**Phone:** 785-460-2901 (8 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.)  
785-443-9208 (12:30 - 4 p.m.)

If possible call for Reservations by 11 am the previous business day. Provided to Colby, Brewster, Gem, Menlo, Rexford and a Portion of Oakley as needed.

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## Bette J. Clark

Dear friends and neighbors, we are saddened to share that our beloved Mother, Grandmother and Friend, Bette J. Clark born February 19, 1925, died in her home on Good Friday morning, March 29, 2013. Cremation has occurred. Commemorative services to be held in Colby, KS will be announced soon.

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# Services Directory

Worship in the church of your choice this weekend.



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**FAITH FELLOWSHIP CHURCH**, Pastor Dan Keel, 815 W. 3rd. Sundays at 2 p.m. 337-401-7207 (temp)

**CELEBRATION COMMUNITY CHURCH**, 1890 S. Franklin Ave. - Colby Community Building. Pastor Eric Overmiller. Sunday Worship 10:45 a.m. www.celebratejesus.org

**GATEWAY FELLOWSHIP**, 2nd and Sunrise, Oakley. Pastor James Bloom, Sunday Morning Worship and Children's Church 10:15 a.m., Wednesday evening Bible Study and Intercessory Prayer 6:30 p.m. 785-671-4020.

**COLBY INDEPENDENT BAPTIST CHURCH**, 730 E. 3rd (former Jaycee's building), Pastor Bernard Heinz, 785-460-0313, Sunday School 9:30 a.m.; Sunday Morning Worship 10:30 a.m.; Sunday Evening 6:00 p.m.; Wednesday Evening 7:00 p.m.

**ASCENSION-ON-THE-PRAIRIE EPISCOPAL**, Rev. Don Martin, College Drive & Wheatridge Rd., 785-462-3041, Holy Eucharist, 9:00 a.m. every Sunday. Evening Prayer, 5:15 p.m. Wednesday, September through May.

**COLLEGE DRIVE ASSEMBLY OF GOD**, 245 W. College Dr., Colby. Pastor Steve Todd. Sunday School 9 a.m. for all ages. Worship 10:15 a.m. Kid's Church for Kindergarten-5th grade during Worship Service. Nursery available for kids birth - 5 yrs old. Wednesday night: Family night September - May. Meal served 6 - 6:30 p.m. CD Kidz for kids birth - 5th grade, Youth Group for 6th - 12th graders and Adult Bible Study at 7 p.m. 785-462-8234. cdag@st-tel.net.

**BEREAN CHURCH**, 1000 S. Franklin, 785-460-2763, www.colbyborean.com; Sunday School 9:30 a.m., Sunday Worship 10:45 a.m. and Saturday, 5:30 p.m. Pastor Mark Carlton, Youth Pastor Ben Phillips. Middle School Group Wednesday 7 p.m. at the Attic and High School Youth Group Sunday 6 p.m. at the Attic. AWANA Wednesdays at 7 p.m. at the church.

**WINONA METHODIST CHURCH**, 501 Bellview Ave. Rev. Sheryl Johnson, Sunday School, 10:30 a.m., Morning Worship 9:15 a.m. (CDT)

**FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH**, (Affiliated with American Baptist Churches USA) Rev. James Bridges, 615 W. Webster, 785-462-2867. Sunday School: 9:15 a.m.; Family Worship: 10:30 a.m.; Bible Study: 6:30 p.m.

**COLLEGE VIEW BAPTIST CHURCH** (Affiliated with Southern Baptist), 1185 Wheatridge Rd. at College Drive, 785-460-7144, Sunday Bible Study 9:30 a.m., Sunday Worship services, 10:45 a.m. Prayer Service at 6:30 p.m. on Wednesday's. Contemporary Evening Service at 4 p.m. through the semester.

**PLEASANT HOME CHURCH**, Pastor, Perry Baird, 785-728-7380, 3190 Road 70, Edson, Worship, 9:00 a.m., Sunday School 10:00 a.m. (MST)

**MINGO BIBLE CHURCH**, 420 Main Mingo, 785-462-2992: An independent community church served by Village Missions Pastor Tom Peyton. Sunday School: 9:30AM - all ages. Worship Services: 10:45AM. Sunday Evenings 6:30. First Sunday of month - carry-in dinner following morning worship.

**SACRED HEART CATHOLIC**, 785-462-2179, Father Dana Clark, Pastor, Saturday Eve. Mass 5:30 p.m., Sunday Masses 8:00 & 10:00 a.m., Confessions will be heard Saturday 4:30-5:05 p.m. and from 7:30-7:45 a.m. and 9:25-9:40 a.m. on Sunday.

**FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**, Rev. Carol Rahn, 515 W. 4th, 785-462-6342, Sunday Worship 9:00 a.m. Podcasts of the worship services are available at the church website colbypres.org.

**THE SHEPHERD'S STAFF, REXFORD**, Joan Dingwerth, Director, 785-687-2565.

**WESLEYAN CHURCH**, 320 W. Pine - 785-462-8391, Sunday School 9:30 a.m., Sunday Worship 10:40 a.m., Sunday Evening Cell groups at 6:00 p.m., Wednesday Youth Ministries, Kids Clubhouse 7 p.m.

**CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST OF LATTER-DAY SAINTS**, 1145 S. Franklin - 785-460-6605, President Andy Rose, 785-460-6807. Sacrament meeting 10 a.m., Sunday School and Primary 11:20 a.m., Priesthood, Relief Society, YM/YW, 12:10 p.m.; Family History Center open by appointment. Call 785-462-3571.

**REDEEMING LOVE MINISTRIES, INC.**, 345 N. Franklin, Dr. W.G. and Rev. Orvella Romine, Equipping Class, Sunday, 9 a.m., Sunday worship, 10 a.m., Wednesday, R.L.M Training Centers (Bible School), 6 p.m. Shop online at: www.rlmregionalchurch.com.

**COLBY UNITED METHODIST CHURCH**, Rev. James Markdock, pastor, 950 S. Franklin, 785-460-6521, Sunday Worship Services at 8:30 and 11:00 a.m., Fellowship coffee 9:30 a.m., Sunday School, 9:45 a.m., KXXX broadcasts 11:00 worship. www.colbyumc.org

**CHURCH OF CHRIST**, 510 E. 4th, Sunday Bible Study 9:30 a.m., Sunday Worship 10:30 a.m., Wednesday, Bible Study 7:00 p.m. www.colbychurch.com

**OUR SAVIORS LUTHERAN CHURCH**, 217 Main St., Brewster, 785-694-2751. Sunday worship 10:00 a.m.

**FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH**, (Disciples of Christ), 385 W. 3rd - 785-460-2718, Sunday Morning Worship and Children's Church at 10:00 a.m.

**TRINITY LUTHERAN CHURCH**, Rev. Robert Alexander, East 5th & Country Club, 785-462-3497, Services, Sat., 5:30 p.m., Beginning Sept. 2 - Sunday Worship Service 10:30 a.m., Adult Bible Class & Sunday School 9:15 a.m. Visit us at www.trinitycolby.com.

**LEVANT COMMUNITY CHURCH**, 205 1st St., Pastor Charles Taff, 785-586-2376, Sunday School (classes for 3 years & up and 3 adult classes) 9:30 a.m., Morning worship 10:30 a.m.

**BREWSTER UNITED METHODIST CHURCH**, PO Box 250, Brewster. Pastor Mike Baughn, 785-694-2278, Sunday School: 9:45 a.m.; Worship Service, 10:45 a.m.

**REXFORD COMMUNITY CHURCH**, Rexford, Pastor Lane Purcell, 785-687-3305, Sunday School 9:30 a.m., Worship Service 10:30 a.m.

**BREWSTER COMMUNITY CHURCH**, Mike Pinkelman, Pastor, Brewster - 785-694-2720, Sunday School (all ages) 9:30 a.m., Worship Service 10:30 a.m., Bible Study 7:00 p.m., Wed. mornings 6:30 a.m. - Men's Bible Study, Wed. 7:00 p.m. - Children's Ministries (Royal Rangers/Missionettes), Wed. 7:15 p.m. - Intercessory & Prayer, Tue. 5:00 p.m. - Women's Bible Study.

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