

Babies

Everleigh Page Olofson

Everleigh Page Olofson, daughter of Dane and Kallie Olofson of Colby, was born Monday, July 8, at Citizens Medical Center. She weighed 7 pounds, 11 ounces and measured 21 inches. Sister Piper welcomed her home. Grandparents are John and Jeanene Lee of Colby and Kendon and Kathy Olofson of Holyoke, Colo.



Everleigh O.

Jesus Antonio Cruz

Jesus Antonio Cruz, son of Gabriela Ibarra and Jose Antonio Cruz of Atwood, was born Wednesday, July 10, 2013, at Citizens Medical Center in Colby. He weighed 7 pounds, 10 ounces and measured 19 inches. Sister Karina Molina welcomed her home. Grandparents are Jose de Jesus Ibarra and Jofina Sepulveda, both of Fort Smith, Ark.



Jesus Cruz

Lorelei Layne Hildegard Tippetts

Lorelei Layne Hildegard Tippetts, daughter of Judith L. Tippetts of Colby, was born Sunday, July 7, 2013, at Citizens Medical Center. She weighed 7 pounds, 14 ounces and measured 20 inches. Grandparents are Cindy Rebarcheck of Colby, David Tippetts of Flemington, Mo., and Eva Blank of Debord, Ky.



Lorelei T.

Jase Wallace

Jase Wallace, son of Jennifer Turner and Tanner Wallace of Colby, was born Saturday, July 6, 2013, at Citizens Medical Center. He weighed 6 pounds, 12 ounces and measured 18 1/2 inches. Sisters Kadee and Bailey Wal-

lace and Mackenzie Turner and brother Austin Turner welcomed him home. Grandparents are Judy Nelson of Colby and Robert Wallace and Kathy Carter, both of Shawnee, Okla.

Juror fined for cursing

ERIE, Pa. (AP) - A Pennsylvania woman has been fined \$500 for cursing because she was frustrated with being picked to serve on a jury.

The Erie Times-News (bit.ly/1bQA4hF) reports Erie County Judge Ernest DiSantis levied the fine Wednesday on Kathleen Port. DiSantis told the Erie woman she was "totally out of line" and explained jury service is a duty of citizenship.

Port, whose phone number is unlisted, apologized several times but was fined nonetheless.

She told the judge she was upset because jury service would make her miss work and cost her income.

DiSantis says Port could have claimed a hardship on her jury service questionnaire, but did not.

Port was also thrown off the jury, which was picked to hear an illegal weapons case.

Science facts abound in the Bible

I have been a pastor for more than 30 years. That means many sermons preached and Bible studies led. If the Bible was just any book, it would have become boring to me. Instead, the Bible just keeps getting more exciting as I learn new things.



Tom Peyton

From the Pulpit

One subject that is relatively new to me has to do with scientific facts that are simply stated in the Bible, only to be "discovered" by scientists many centuries later. Some of these scientists have even received Nobel Prizes for their discoveries. I have only limited space here to point these out, but let's look at a few of these scientific facts in the Bible. (I'll tell you where to find more at the end of the article.)

I had read a few biographies of Christopher Columbus, so I already knew he had based his conviction that the earth was a sphere upon what the prophet Isaiah had written 2,000 years earlier, in Isaiah 40:22, that God "sitteth upon the circle of the earth..." Job, who wrote earlier yet, said "He has inscribed a circle on the surface of the waters, at the boundary of light and darkness." Today we take for granted satellite pho-

tos of our globe with its light and dark sides, but there were no such photos in Job's day. God revealed this to him. Job also declared that the Lord has suspended the world upon nothing (Job 26:7.) In Job 38:12 and 14, Job also compares the earth's rotation to a clay pot turning on a potter's wheel.

King Solomon, in his God-given wisdom, wrote of the prevailing winds in Ecclesiastes 1:6, "The wind goeth toward the south, and turneth about unto the north; it whirleth about continually, and then returneth again according to its circuits." Christopher Columbus - providentially - caught the favorable trade winds in 1492 by sailing west from the Canary Islands.

Solomon also wrote about the hydraulic cycle, in Ecclesiastes 1:7 - "All the rivers run into the sea; yet the sea is not full; unto the

place from whence the rivers come, thither they return again." Then, in Ecclesiastes 11:3, "If the clouds be full of rain, they empty themselves upon the earth." I read these words in Ecclesiastes as a young Christian, and thought to myself, "That sounds like what we were taught in our earth science class in high school." Solomon wrote these words 1,000 years before Christ's birth. Yet the hydraulic cycle wasn't discovered until the 17th century, by Pierre Perrault, Edme Mariotte and Edmond Halley. Oh, and the prophet Amos also wrote, "It is he that buildeth his stories in the heaven, and has founded his troop upon the earth; he that calleth for the waters of the sea, and poureth them out upon the face of the earth; the LORD is His name."

Ten centuries before the birth of Christ, David wrote, in Psalm 8:8, about "the paths of the sea." Matthew Maury, who lived from 1806 to 1873, noticed that phrase in the Bible and said, "If there are paths in the sea, I am going to find them." He discovered the warm and cold continental currents. He went on to write a book on ocean-

ography which has been used as a basic text in universities ever since.

There are at least 100 scientific facts stated clearly in the Bible, that speak of springs in the deep sea (Job 38:16), mountain building (Psalm 104:5-9), the stars being too numerous to count (Jeremiah 33:22), the second law of thermodynamics - entropy (Psalm 102:25-26), nuclear fission (2 Peter 3:10-12), and many others. If you want to learn more about this, get a copy of Ray Comfort's book "Scientific Facts In the Bible." And look up the same subject on the Internet.

The Bible is more up to date than tomorrow's newspaper, because it is inspired by the eternal God.

Tom Peyton is pastor of the Mingo Bible Church. He may be reached at 462-2930 or at preacherpeyton@gmail.com.

Form bridge teams

Teams for the American Association of University Women annual marathon bridge are being organized to begin the 2013-2014 year. Teams will play each month from September through May.

All teams of any two bridge players interested in participating are encouraged to call Naomi Ward at 462-7840 or Sandy Harper at 462-3759. The two-person

teams need to be registered by Friday, Aug. 16, so the schedule that will start in September can be set and players notified.

Previous teams will be scheduled to play again this year unless notice of a change is given. New teams are encouraged to join.

For over 30 years the local association has sponsored the bridge marathon. Over \$24,000 has been raised to provide scholarships for young women of Thomas County. Scholarships are awarded to college juniors or seniors.

Bridge Club

Meadow Lake Bridge winners for Tuesday were: first, Alvin Koenig; second, Ken Ptacek; third, Elaine Ptacek; fourth, Cookie Koenig.

Markets

Quotes as of close of previous business day

Hi-Plains Co-op	
Wheat (bushel)	\$6.82
Corn (bushel)	\$6.66
Milo (hundredweight)	\$10.61
Soybeans (bushel)	\$12.44

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Corrections

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Barbara Heinze 93rd Birthday JULY 31, 2013

Requesting a Card Shower, Please send to: Brass Pineapple B&B 1611 Virginia St. East Charleston, WV 25311

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Colby Medical Services
Tuesday, July 30 • 5:30 - 7:30 p.m.

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Thursday, August 1 • 5:30 - 7 p.m.

No Appointment Necessary
Signed parental consent due at time of physical

Any Questions Call:
Colby Medical Services • 785-462-3332 • 1005 S. Range Ste. 200
New Frontiers Health Services, Oakley • 785-672-3261 • 212 Maple Ave.

HELP US CELEBRATE!

The Kellers of Oakley have a reason to cheer They each have a big birthday this year. On July 31st, Betty will be eighty five and 90 years ago on August 1st Leo arrived. Remember them both on their special day by sending a note or greeting their way.

Leo & Betty will be celebrating their birthdays with a family dinner on July 27th in Oakley. We know they would love to hear from family and friends, so we are having a card shower to mark this amazing milestone in each of their lives. Cards may be sent to: 522 Center Ave. Oakley, KS 67748.

Love and best wishes from their children and grandchildren.

Ladies' Night

When: July 28th 2013
Where: Colby Aquatic Park
Time: 7:30-9:30pm
Cost: \$5 per person
Who: All Ladies 18 and over

We are going to have a session of Aqua Zumba and Water Walking for everyone to join and the rest of the time is just for fun!

We will be having \$2 Strawberry Daiquiris (non-alcoholic) and some snacks!

So find your suits, invite all your friends, and come join the fun...

Our concessions stand will be closed for this event but snacks are included in your entry fee. We will be postponing this event if we close the Colby Aquatic Park early due to weather!

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Worship in the church of your choice this weekend.

FAITH FELLOWSHIP CHURCH, Pastor Dan Keel, 815 W. 3rd. Sundays at 2 p.m. 785-462-0512.

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 BIBLE FELLOWSHIP, 1000 S. Franklin, 785-460-2763, www.colbyborean.com; Sunday School 9:30 a.m., Sunday Worship 10:45 a.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. 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.



College Drive Assembly of God

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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