

Norcatour News

By the Norcatour News Committee

Sympathy is extended to the family of Edyth Mavity, former resident of Norcatour, who died on Friday morning, Oct. 15. She fell and had a bad head injury. Grave-side services were held at the Norcatour Cemetery on Oct. 19. Memorials may be made to Norcatour United Methodist Church Memorial Fund, c/o Beth Sebaugh.

Results of the pool tournament at the Cardinal Bar and Grill on Oct. 6 were Don Relaford, first; Rusty Montgomery, second.

Weekend guests Oct 16 and 17 of Virgil and Joyce Price were her brother and wife, Max and Doris Thielbar of Lincoln, Neb.

Lynn Streit of Larned was an overnight guest at the home of Chris Dempewolf on Thursday of last week.

On Friday, Chris and Lynn drove to Denver to spend a "Sisters Weekend" with Lisa Leichter. Lisa is there taking radiation treatments and will be done on Oct. 28. Ray Jr. and his family are expected to go out this weekend to spend the next weekend with Lisa. Lynn and Chris returned home on Sunday and stopped in Colby and had lunch with Sharee Dempewolf.

Lavergne and Don Allmer stopped in Denver and had lunch with Lisa Leichter on Oct. 13.

Chris Dempewolf and friend Wayne also had lunch with Stan and Carol Miller, Shelby Thornton, Dean and Eloise Thornton and Don and Lavergne Allmer at the Frontier Restaurant in Oberlin recently.

It's not too late to have the Decatur County Weed Dept. spray for noxious weeds in your yard. Call or stop by to get signed up for bindweed and other noxious weeds on your property. They will be spraying after the first hard frost.

Get Well Soon.

Twila Forbes and son Chuck made a trip to Grand Island, Neb., to see their son and grandson in the hospital following a car wreck.

On Sunday, Oct. 17, Arlene Hix and her daughter, Marjorie Prince, had dinner at the Norton American Legion with Veryl and Vi Van Der Wege of Norton. Later that day Marjorie and Arlene visited Betty Reid at Whispering Pines. Marjorie visited Joyce and Virgil Price after they returned to Norcatour.

Dave and Patty Stapp; Dewaine Stapp; Kaitlyn Stapp and Sam Stapp went to Erie and stayed with Kortney and Jerrod Poire. Thursday they went to Chanute to await the arrival of Miss Kynleigh Ann Poire. Dewaine, Dave and Sam Stapp left for home Friday afternoon, Patty and Kaitlyn Stapp returned back to Norcatour Sunday evening. Patty and Marian Dempewolf headed back to Erie on Wednesday until Friday Oct 22, so Kynleigh can meet her Great-Grandma Dempewolf.

The Stapp and Poire families would like to welcome the newest addition to their families. Kynleigh Ann Poire made her appearance at 2:51 a.m. Oct. 15, at the Neosha Medical Center in Chanute. She weighed 7 pounds, 10 ounces and

was 19.5 inches long.

Families there to welcome her were parents Jerrod and Kortney Poire; grandparents Dave and Patty Stapp; Dan and Debbie Poire; great-granddad Dewaine Stapp; Aunt Kaitlyn Stapp, and Uncle Sam Stapp. Great-Grandma Marian Dempewolf, several aunts, uncles, cousins and friends were anxiously awaiting the call of her arrival.

Happy Birthday to Virgil Price, Oct. 20, and John New, Oct. 26. Happy Anniversary to Gary and Cathy Anthony, Oct. 23, and Scott and Tracey Hartzog, Oct 25.

Senior Citizens met Oct. 15 with players present. Winners were the "J's". That would mean the winners were June Jolly, Jackie Porter and Joyce Price. The next meeting will be Friday, with a covered dish dinner and cards will follow. Come join us!!

Guests for the weekend at the Stan Miller farm were Mr. and Mrs. Rocky DeLano, Wichita; Mr. and Mrs. Chad Applebury, Eli and Karyssa, Colby, and Mr. and Mrs. Casey Tuttle, El Dorado. They all came to attend the baby shower for Justine Tuttle. Additional guests to visit on Saturday, Oct. 16, were Mr. and Mrs. Gary Miller and Diane Barrett, Oberlin; Megan Sage, Junction City, and John Rule, Hays.

After church on Sunday, Dorothy Ward accompanied Bee Nelson to Norton to eat Mexican food, then attended the Stanton Nelson concert, presented by the Norton Arts Council. He is the son of Sara Stuewe Nelson and grandson of Nila and David Stuewe, and Mr. and Mrs. Norman Nelson, of Norton.

Tame holiday sweet tooth

For many, the Halloween holiday marks the beginning of the "eating season". Holiday events, meals and snacks can challenge the resolve to choose and serve health-promoting foods.

Children's nutrition specialists provide the following tips to help parents during the holiday season:

* Plan a sandwich or light meal before trick or treating, a delayed meal or later family gathering. If children are satisfied, they will be less likely to choose unhealthy foods.

* Help children sort their treats, and encourage a selection of one or two items. Invite them to help you decide how the remainder of the candy or other special foods can be incorporated into meals and snacks.

* Be matter-of-fact. Try not to make food an issue. Once the candy is out of sight, children may forget it. The same is true at a family dinner or other community meal, when a child may skip unfamiliar foods. If parents can avoid making too much of a child's one-time food choices and instead focus on the overall adequacy, food issues can be avoided. He or she may be more willing to try new foods when older or when the food is offered at another time or place.

* Store the remaining candy out of sight. Freeze candy bars for future use. Store hard candy in an airtight container.

* Focus on fun with friends and family and holiday traditions, rather than sweets.

* Have healthy snacks available, such as fresh fruit, veggies and a



Home Time

By Tranda Watts
Multi-county Extension Agent

lowfat dip, lowfat dairy products, and whole grain crackers.

Parents are encouraged to accompany young children and to limit trick-or-treating to the immediate neighborhood. Many schools and community organizations also plan holiday celebrations in a safe environment.

More information about manag-

ing holiday foods and food safety is available at your local K-State Research and Extension Office, or you may e-mail Tranda Watts at twatts@ksu.edu or call her at (785) 443-3663.

For more information, contact the county extension office, 475-8121.

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Lyle News

By Veda Wood

Remember the Halloween party at Lyle on Saturday, Oct. 30. Potluck supper at 6 p.m. with music and entertainment to follow. Everybody welcome! Donations welcome for upkeep, utilities, etc. of the Community Building. Three Norton ladies; Joyce Sumner, Eleanor Jensen and Jackie Porter, had a very good lunch at the Cardinal Café on Friday before going to the educational building for Senior Citizens card game. Fifteen people played and were visited briefly by Pastor Woods.

After sewing day on Tuesday, Toots Magers, June Jolly, Joyce Sumner and Eleanor Jensen went to Beaver City, Neb., to the pancake supper at the Senior Center.

June Jolly, her daughter, Linda, and Laveda McFarland spent the day shopping in Kearney, Neb., on Saturday. June was in Norcatour on Friday for Senior Citizens, and made a trip to her farm and back to McCook on Sunday. The highway work from Oberlin to McCook is

finished now, so makes travel more pleasant.

Rhonda Jolly brought her mother, Twila Carter, home from the hospital on Friday.

Toots Magers saw a picture in The Salina Journal of Monte Soukup and his horse. Being the sharp lady that she is, she thought it would be Shanna Bleses Soukup's son, so she wrote to Delpha Bleses Whale in Hutchinson. Delpha called back, and sure enough, it was. David Huff brought Earnest and Donna Huff to visit Toots on Sunday. Earnest says he is feeling well.

Kathy Van Meter went to the Halloween party sponsored by the First State Bank of Holbrook.

The Liberty Star Club met at the Community Building in Lyle on Wednesday, Oct. 18, with members, Joyce Price, Kathy Van Meter, Toots Magers and Veda Wood. Cassie Browning was a visitor and, of course, we are hoping she will be a member.

Jennings News

By Louise Cressler

In a phone call from Nancy LaRue, she stated she will be moving back to the home place east of Jennings in the near future.

Sheila Rhodes and Helen Rhodes went to the home of Karen Stueve at Gardner on Sunday. Karen had surgery on her foot and is doing well. Sheila and Helen returned home on Thursday.

The Jennings Book Club met Thursday evening at the home of Lila Jennings. The book titled "Floor of the Sky" was reviewed. Those attending were; Patty Foster, Ruth Chance, Shelley McKenna, Terri Hanke, Rachel Mapps, Kathy Nauer, Kay Tacha, Sue Long and Carla Latimer.

The house belonging to Don and

Tricia Cressler did not sell. They did not receive a high enough bid.

The land auction for Elwood Brock Saturday morning held at the Community Hall went well.

The Lions will be serving lunch on Tuesday, Nov. 2, election day, in the Community Hall.

Louise Cressler attended The Oberlin Herald luncheon Friday at the LandMark Inn. We were served a delicious lunch.

United Methodist Women will meet Wednesday, Nov. 3. Roll Call will be a favorite fall activity. The program will be the world thank offering. Lesson leader is Kathy Nauer and Glenda Johnson will have devotions.

Wings over Kansas By Pastor John L. Paulson

The testimony of my life includes a very dark period just before my salvation. It seemed that everything I loved or held dear was slipping through my fingers and nothing in my power could stop it. My life at that time was defined by continual loss and turmoil. I felt like a giant weight of out-of-control circumstances was slowly squeezing the life from me.

Dark waters of despair washed over my life like a smothering tidal wave. Even the things I loved most were covered in darkness and elicited no happiness whatsoever. I simply wanted the pain of my life to end, but it didn't. It is in this utter darkness that the light of Jesus Christ finally penetrated the hardness of my own heart. This is where I finally accepted Jesus Christ as the Lord of my life. The old me died at the foot of the cross. At the foot of the cross is where I was reborn and given a new life; a life of light and joy and eternity with God.

I came to the cross in weakness, ever since I have had power beyond my frail humanity. I came to the cross with no might but left with an ever-increasing strength enhanced by my knowledge of the Bible. I came to the cross full of impatience. I now find joy in waiting on God. Perhaps most notable in my life with God is how He mounts me up on wings like eagles.

Just by turning my thoughts upon Jesus Christ, my spirit soars within me. With Jesus I can soar above anything this world can bring against me; no matter the time or the place. You too can have what God has given me, and millions of others.

Lord, I pray that anyone who reads this article and wants to shed the ways of the world and soar upon wings like eagles would totally surrender their heart to You by faith in Jesus Christ. Heal them, Lord, and bring their spirits to Your lofty heights. In Jesus' name I pray. Amen!

Isaiah 40:28-31 NKJV Have you not known? Have you not heard? The everlasting God, the LORD, the Creator of the ends of the earth, Neither faints nor is weary. His understanding is unsearchable. He gives power to the weak, And to those who have no might, He increases strength. Even the youths shall faint and be weary, and the young men shall utterly fall, but those who wait on the LORD shall renew their strength; they shall mount up with wings like eagles, they shall run and not be weary, they shall walk and not faint.



Schedule of Oberlin and area church services:

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MASS: 10:30 a.m., Sunday

IMMACULATE CONCEPTION CATHOLIC, LEVILLE
Fr. Mark Berland,
MASS: 8 a.m., Sunday.

SACRED HEART CATHOLIC, SELDEN
Fr. Mark Berland,
MASS: 5:30 p.m., Saturday

JENNINGS-DRESDEN UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
Pastor: Barbara Patterson
SUNDAY: Church School, 10 a.m. Morning Worship, 11 a.m. DRESDEN
SUNDAY: Morning Worship, 9:30 a.m.

PRAIRIE CHAPEL UNITED METHODIST
The Rev. Linda Willey
SUNDAY: Church Services, 9 a.m.; Sunday School, 8:30 a.m.

HERNDON IMMANUEL UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST
Pastor: Dennis Brown
SUNDAY: Morning Worship, 9 a.m.

UNITED CHURCH OF OBERLIN
Pastor: Judi Stricker
109 North Griffith-American Baptist, Disciples of Christ, Presbyterian USA
SUNDAY: Adult Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.; Coffee: 10:30 a.m. - 11 a.m. Worship Service, 11 a.m. Choir practice every Sun. at 9:45 a.m. Holy Communion, 1st & 3rd Sundays. United Church Women, 2nd Wed at 2 p.m. Parish Council, 2nd Sun. following Worship

OBERLIN COMMUNITY FELLOWSHIP (Southern Baptist)
Pastor: Gene Gee
SUNDAY: Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.; Morning Worship, 10:30 a.m., WEDNESDAY: Service, 7 p.m.,

OBERLIN UNITED METHODIST
102 North Cass — 785-475-3067
The Rev. Linda Willey
SUNDAY: Church School, 9:30 a.m.; Morning Worship, 10:45 a.m. (Nursery provided.) WEDNESDAY: Praise team practice, 8 p.m.

CLAYTON UNITED METHODIST
Pastor: Ed Woods
SUNDAY: Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m.

OBERLIN ASSEMBLY OF GOD
The Rev. Royce Leitner
SUNDAY: Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Morning Worship, 11 a.m.; Evening Worship, 7 p.m. WEDNESDAY: Adult Bible study, 7 p.m.

OBERLIN CHURCH OF CHRIST
South Beaver Street - Oberlin
Bill Duncan — Phone 785-475-3259
SUNDAY: Fellowship and coffee time; 10:00 a.m. The "no sermon" worship hour with the Lord's Supper and Adventures With God, 10 a.m. open Bible Study; TUESDAY: Ladies Bible Study, 9 a.m.

ST. MARY'S CATHOLIC, HERNDON
Fr. Nick Parker
Phone 785-322-5560
MASS: SUNDAY and THURSDAY 8:30 a.m.

HERNDON COVENANT CHURCH
Pastor: Keith Reuther
Phone 785-322-5316
SUNDAY: 9:45 a.m. Morning worship, 11 a.m. Youth group, 4 p.m.

NORCATUR UNITED METHODIST
Pastor: Ed Woods
SUNDAY: Worship Service, 10 a.m.; Church School, 10:30 a.m.

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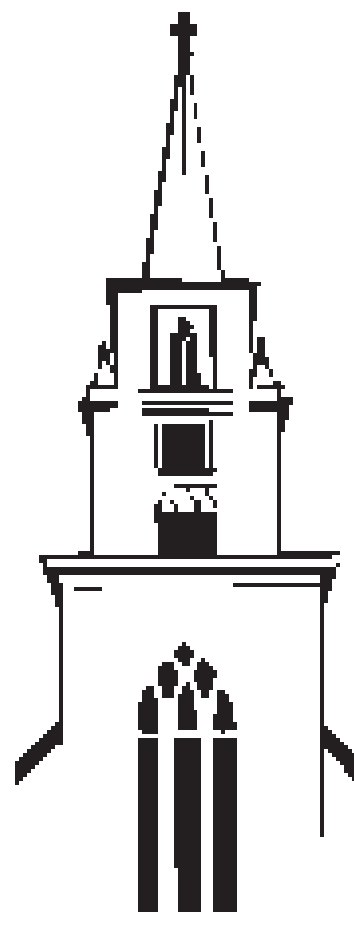
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Pastors: Chris and Sharon Nelson
810 West Cedar, Oberlin
Office Phone 785-475-2769
SUNDAY: Worship Service, 9:30 a.m.; Fellowship Time, 10:30 a.m.; Sunday School, 11 a.m. WEDNESDAY: Bible Study, 7 p.m.

LUND COVENANT CHURCH
Pastor: Doug Mason
10 miles south, 4 miles west of Oberlin
SUNDAY: Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship, 11 a.m.; WEDNESDAY: Bible Study and prayer, 7:30 p.m.

ST. JOHN'S LUTHERAN CHURCH
510 North Wilson
Interim Pastor:
Kevin Schnakenberg
SUNDAY: Sunday School and Bible class, 9:15 a.m.; Divine Worship Service, 8 a.m.; Holy Communion: 1st and 3rd Sundays..

FAITH LUTHERAN CHURCH
404 North York Avenue

Oberlin, Kansas
The Rev. Charlotte Strecker-Baseler
Church Office Phone: 785-475-2053
SUNDAY: Worship, 10:00 a.m.; Fellowship and Educational Hour, 11:15 a.m. Holy Communion first and third Sundays. THURSDAY: Women's Bible Study second Thursday at 9:30 a.m.



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