Wednesday, June 22, 2011 THE OBERLIN HERALD 3B

### **Norcatur News** By the Norcatur News Committee

Justine Tuttle, El Dorado, visited at the Stan Miller farm from June 7 through June 10. Bev DeLano, Wichita was a guest from June 9 through June 12. The Millers and Justine went to McCook, to meet the Dean Thornton family and help Mr. and Mrs. Dean Thornton celebrate their 50th anniversary on Thursday, June 9, and also to attend the memorial service for Eloise's brother, Craig Franics on Friday, June 10 in McCook.

Guests of Bob and Anita Montgomery, Oberlin, over the Memorial weekend were Donna Knutson, Dennis and Jamie Knutson, Council Bluffs, IA., and David Knutson, Omaha. Renee Harman also spent time visiting with them.

Bob and Anita Montgomery attended the Phyllis Leichliter memorial service on May 28. at the Clayton Cemetery.

Donna, Dennis, Jamie and David Knutson spent 1 day at Bobbie & Lee Frake farm.

Renee and Scott Harman were in

Overton, NE, June 3rd for a rodeo. Scott took 1st place in the bareback riding.

Chance Harman reports he likes Canada and is busy breaking and training horses and it is about 70 degrees.

Bob and Anita Montgomery and Ron and Gina and Alyssa Montgomery attended graduation parties for Jacob Helm; Nakita Bose, Lacy Misek and Katie Gall.

Ron and Gina Montgomery spent memorial weekend, celebrating Ron's 35th alumni reunion in Oberlin.

Memorial services for Randy Allen was held Friday morning, June 17th at 10 a.m. Services was held at his gazebo in his park located north of the Norcatur city office. Light refreshment was served after the service. Everyone was invited to attend and meet his parents, Robert and Shirley Allen.

LIVE BIG Youth Group will meet on Sunday's 3:30 to 5:00 p.m. There wil be study, games and treats.

Bible study on Monday evening at the educational building at 7 p.m. They will be studing the book of James.

Joy Griffith Chapman, cousin of Bee Nelson, and her friend Dot Allen, Liberty, MO., met Bee Nelson at the Cardinal Bar and Grill for steak supper, Friday evening, June 9th. Joy and Dot were on their way to Colorado to attend Joy's grandson, Noah Hamilton's wedding in Estes Park, Saturday, June 11st. They apent the night at Joy's brother's home at Clayton and left early Saturday morning for Colorado.

Mary Lesle and Dorothy Ward accompanied Bee Nelson after church Sunday for dinner in Norton at the Hidden Dragon. A delicious dinner and even their fortune cookies read good for them.

Those attending the spaghetti meal, Saturday June 11th, at the All Purpose Room in the Norcatur City building had a delicious meal of spaghetti with a combination salad, garlic bread, cookie and tea or water. This meal was sponsored by the Decatur county Area Chamber of Commer. Those that forgot about it were the losers.

On Wednesday, June 15th, everyone was invited to the Gateway in Oberlin for Mexican food for the fundraiser for TFC at 5:30 p.m. and at 6:30 p.m. for open conversation on issues and concerns of the Decatur Health Care. All interested came and had a friendly conversation on the health issues for all Decatur This was hosted by DC TOMORROW, but for ALL concerned on Decatur health care. (Norma McCalister member of Steering Committee DC Tommorrow.)

The Norcatur Citizend Alliance received a donation from Ralph Pool for the Norcatur Cemetery Memorial Fund in memory of Jim nelson. Also a donation was received from Bob and Kay Strevey in memory of Phyllis Leichliter.

Kati (Niemeth) and daughter, Brooke Latulip spent a week at the home of Jerry and Kim Niemeth. They had a wonderful time and enjoyed their visit. Brooke especially enjoyed her time with Grandpa, playing and riding the 4-wheeler. Michael, Kati and Brooke are now in Spain for the duration of two years. Michael is a satellite and computer specialist with the U. S. Air Force. They reported that so far what they have seen of Spain is beautiful and weather has been nice.

Dean, Deb, Marcus and Neil Portschy hosted a barbecue for Father's Day/birthday celebration on Sunday. Those enjoying the picnic, cake and homemade ice cream in honor the 17th birthday of Marcus were: Pete and Eileen Portschy, Cheri Kastens, Greg, Rita and Joe Marintzer, Gene Kleidosty, Justin and Lori Marintzer and Isaac Marintzer, all of Herndon.

Caitlyn and Allison Foxhoven, Parker, Colo.; and Clem Hutfles, Jr., Arvada, Colo., were guests at the home of Bob and Julie Hafner to attend the funeral of Edie Pettera. Friday evening supper guests were Marlene Cook, Littleton, Colo.; and Janice and Jayme Sattler, Atwood, Caitie and Allie. Clem returned home Friday afternoon and Caitie and Allie traveled back on Saturday. Jason Hafner and Raquel Frerichs, Lexington, Neb., attended the funeral Friday and returned home in the afternoon.

Jerry Bennett from Nashville, Tenn., was a houseguest of Bonnie Franke this weekend. While in the area, he entertained in Atwood. Oberlin and McCook with a good attendance each place.

Family gathering for dinner at Roger's Bar and Grill on Thursday evening were: Marlene and Deanna Cook, Littleton, Colo.; Clem Hutfles, Jr. Arvada, Colo.; Randy Sattler, Hutchinson; Janice and much more. Other more ac-

Sattler, Atwood, Caitlyn and Allison Foxhoven, Parker, Colo., Don Pettera, Mesa, Ariz., Bus Bosler, Albany, Ore.; Bob and Julie Hafner and Ron and Cindy Sattler, all of Herndon.

**Herndon News** 

Colette Kramer, Coeur d'Alene, Idaho; Lee Ann Deulen, Grand Junction, Colo.; Keith, Alyssa and Matthew Pettera, Lakewood, Colo., came to attend the funeral of their grandmother and greatgrandmother Edie Pettera. Cathy Solko, Loveland, Colo., and Bud Bosler of Albany, Ore., attended the funeral on Friday also.

Jacque Riener and helpers hosted St. Mary's Father's Day brunch following Mass Sunday. St. Mary's hall was a showcase of farm toys, Lego combines and vases of sunflowers. Biscuits with sausage gravy, fresh fruit, yogart, coffee and juice were served while parishioners celebrated this great day.

Issac Reed of Stockton was a houseguest of his aunt, uncle and cousins, Dean, Deb, Marcus and Neil Portschy, from Wednesday until Saturday Activities they enjoyed were golfing, swimming at the Atwood pool and the movie, "Mr. Popper's Penguins." Shirley Reed of Stockton arrived Saturday to take Isaac home.

Jackie Votapka, Oberlin, was a Thursday morning visitor of Julie Quincy. **By Julie Hafner** 

### Hafner

Cheryl Hicks, Mountain Home, Idaho, spent Wednesday to Monday visiting relatives in the Herndon area. On Saturday, she traveled to Arapahoe, Neb., and met with the John Sattler family for the afternoon.

Be sure to mark your calendars for July 4th at 7 p.m. Herndon PRIDE is once again sponsoring its annual 4th of July community potluck, games and fireworks at the Herndon City Park. This will be the fifth annual celebration. Everyone is invited to attend.

#### Julie's Memory Joggers Herndon Courant March 18, 1888

Fifteen feet to water in the city of Herndon.

The man, who will attend the B & M. coalhouse, arrived Thursday.

The German Lutheran church is very near completed. It is a handsome structure.

Take the H.O. Douglas stage line from Cedar Bluffs to Oberlin and enjoy a pleasant ride.

A WARNING to the voters of Rawlins County. While Atwood and Blakeman are fighting for the county seat, I will sell you farm machinery cheaper than any man this side of Texas. G. W. Hudiburgh, Herndon, corner Laramie St and

### **Rexford News By** VickiAllison

Shepherd's Staff held the annual Creative Arts Camp last week, with 30 campers attending. Many were local kids, and all took part in a closing program on Friday evening.

During the week, the campers worked on drama, puppetry, music, art, illusions, sign language,

tive activities included paint ball, archery, challenges, skits and a variety of games. They all worked hard and their closing program was a success. Shepherd's Staff thanks the people of the community who came to support the campers in their endeavors.

## **The Triumphant Trinity** by Father Mark Berland **Oberlin Sacred Heart Catholic Church**

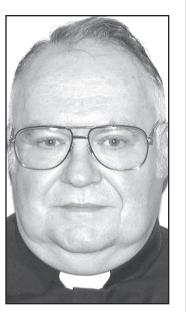
The Triumphant Trinity "that the world might be saved through Him"

God is not an abstract idea far removed from our lives. God is the loving, kind, merciful, inspiring, living Presence in whom we live, who lives in us. Within us, while we sleep and waking, God is gracing us in Christ with the Holy Spirit. God lives and loves in you, your spouse, your children, friends neighbors, and your enemy. The divine mystery breaks through in the beauty of a sunrise or the terror of a storm. God suffers in the war-weary and those hurt by hate. Even of God, our source of life and our end. God, who when we refuse that divine life and love, God never gives up on us.

He gave His only Son.". In giving His only Son, He is giving a part of Himself.

Is that not what we do when we love? We give a piece of ourselves. And does not true love always save in some way? An image of the trinity is a vision of the three divine persons sitting around inside each other in loving communion. This may not be theologically correct, because to understand the triune God would mean we are God.

The Holy Spirit is always on the move looking for ways to draw us through the risen Christ into the life loves us never tires of giving; as the Son so that we "who believe in Him might not perish, but might have eternal life" (John 3:16). We need to deepen our "YES" AMEN, to this loving presence and action of God in our lives, our community, our world through Christ and the Holy Spirit. Let us cry out to our world, "Allow God to



Keith and Helen Muirhead, Correction in the printing of last week's Jennings news. Children attending Reading Program at the library were: Taryn and Jordyn Fleckenstein, Candice, Sidney, Rayna and Abe Taylor, Brecken Rowh, Devin Davidson; Allison Hartzog, Jackson, Noelle and Ae-

Jennings News By Louise Cressler

owynn Skubal. Katie Golemboski, Lexy and Lenzy, Colby, and Ramona Shaw spent several days last week at the home of Cindy and Danny Black, Logan and Bowen in Carlsbad, N.M.

Rachel Carter enjoyed having her grandson and family, Josh and Amy Wahlmeier, Samantha, Evelyn and Ethen of Greeley, Colo., visit this past week. Allan Carter, Overland Park, is visiting his mother also.

On Tuesday evening June 14, 'The Children" sang at the Sunflower Senior Center for the senior citizens gathering. Those who came to entertain were: Jayden and Trent Fenner, Hoxie; Ann and Madison DuBois, Norton; Candace, Sidney, Rayna, Abraham and Quinnley, Dresden; and Taryn and Jordyn Fleckenstein. Potluck supper was enjoyed following the program.

Others who came were: Ann DuBois and Aubrey, Norton; Jennifer Fenner and Ty, Hoxie; Dave and Diane Carter, Becky Carter, Allan Carter, Overland Park; Vicki

Dresden, were joined by their daughter, Tamala Schulze and grandson Kolten, Manhattan, and they flew to Florida to attend the wedding of their granddaughter, Kallista Schulze and Blake Isenhagen. They had a beautiful wedding ceremony on the beach at Venice, Fla. Kallista is a nurse at University of Oklahoma Hospital and Blake is a student at the ophthalmology school at Oklahoma City. Blake's parents are from Lexington, Ken., and both of his grandparents are

from the Oklahoma City area. Alice Mizer's daughter, Barb Herl and daughter Emily traveled from California to Daytona Beach, Fla., where they watched Alice's grandson, Cody Herl graduate from Embry Riddle Aeronautical University with a degree in Aeronautical Science. He also was commissioned as a 2nd Lt. in the U.S. Air Force. He begins Euro-NATO Joint Jet Pilot Training in Texas next.

They then met Alice in Manhattan where they celebrated the marriage of Tatum, Barb's daughter. to Jason Skinner on June 11. They live in Lexington, Ken., where Jason teaches at the University of Kentucky and Tatum is finishing her degree in Radiologic Technology. They then delivered Barb's youngest daughter, Emily to the airport and Charley Taylor, Oberlin; Scott where she is traveling to Costa and Denise Taylor, Dresden; Josh Rica to represent the University of and Amy Wahlmeier, Samantha, California, Berkeley, in the United Nations University for Peace. She is studying Peace Theory and Hu-

Evelyn and Ethen, Greeley, Colo.; Stan and Ramona Shaw, Bob and Neoma Tacha, Agnes Wahlmeier, man Security. Eleanor Morel, Ann Szweistis, Kay and Doyle Brown, Rachel ries are printed and available to pur-Carter, Carla Latimer and Louise Cressler.

The Jennings Alumni Directochase for \$3 each. They are available at The Bank in Jennings.

**Home Time By Tranda Watts** Regional Extension Agent

# **Grill portions ahead**

You can enjoy grilled chicken, ing several cuts in one package, put sirloin steak and fish for lunch for two layers of freezer paper between weeks even though you haven't taken the cover off the grill. How do you do it? Grill extra when you have the marinade prepared and the grill heated. When everything is cooked make 2 ounce portions, just enough to top a salad. Then, before work, prepare your lunch by putting greens and whatever raw vegetables you have in the vegetable drawer - carrots, broccoli, onion, mushrooms, cucumber – in a plastic container, add one of your meat/fish packets and a piece of fruit to your lunch bag and you are good to go. When lunch time comes, finish defrosting the meat/fish packet, slice it up and top your salad. Yum.

The keys to this whole process are 1) working quickly so your food doesn't sit out at room temperature for too long and 2) getting a tight seal. Meat frozen incorrectly will suffer freezer burn in a few weeks. This means that air dries the meat and causes loss of flavor.

Pack foods in quantities that will be used for a single meal. You may use foil because you will have very small amounts. If you are freezing several portions, plastic freezer bags (not plastic storage bags, they are different) or commercial freezer paper may work better. When pack- county extension office, 475-8121.

the pieces. This makes it easy to separate pieces for fast thawing.

When using plastic bags, take care to get all the air out of the bag before you seal it. Press air from the bag by beginning at the bottom of the bag and moving toward the unfilled top part of the bag to prevent air from re-entering. Or you can use a clean straw inserted in the bag and inhale to remove the air before quickly closing the bag.

After your food is wrapped, label it with the date and contents. This helps you remember which foods need to be eaten first and what is in each package.

The last step is to store your food in a location in the freezer where you can easily grab it when you are making your lunch. Give it a try!

If you have questions, please feel free to contact your local K-State Research and Extension Office or email TrandaWatts at twwatts@ ksu.edu.

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"God so loved the world" might be the only message we need to believe with all our hearts in order to be saved.

Pure and simple, we are saved through love. Well, maybe it is not so simple; love is costly. It costs our entire self, given freely. "God so love the world that save us. Allow God to love us."

## Schedule of Oberlin and area church services:

**OBERLIN SACRED HEART** CATHOLIC CHURCH 785-475-3103 Fr. Mark Berland, MASS: 10:30 a.m., Sunday

IMMACULATE CONCEPTION CATHOLIC, LEOVILLE 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.

LYLE UNITED METHODIST **Guest Speakers** every Sunday SUNDAY: Morning Worship 9 a.m.

**EVANGELICAL COVENANT CHURCH OF OBERLIN** 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 Chairman Brad Marcuson 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 Sundavs.

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.



**Rick and Dori Pauls**