

Church Schedules

Catholic

Lismore— Sat. 5 p.m.

*OLGC-Wilmont—
Sun. 8:30 a.m.*

St. Adrian-Sun. 10:30 a.m.

St. Columba Sat 5 pm

St. Mary LW— Sun 8 am

St. Ann Slayton-Sun 10 am

Church of the Brethren

3 East, 1 South, Reading
10:30 Services

Immanuel Lutheran

Pfingsten-rural Fulda

Sunday—8:30 am

Coffee & fellowship to follow
worship.

Will also be livestreamed on
Immanuel's Facebook page.

Scripture & Prayer-Monday
through Thursday during
May at 9 AM live stream
from Evangelical's FB page

Presbyterian

Lismore -

Sunday Service—9 a.m.

Sunday School—10 a.m.

Reading—

Sunday Service-9:00 a.m.

Sunday School-10:15 a.m.

Iona—

Sunday Service 9 a.m.

2nd & 4th Sunday-Adult

Bible Study & Sunday School

Following Service



Wilmont Saloon No 7

Summer Jam

David Anderson & The Invisible String Band
from 2-5, Mitch Gordon band from 7-10.

We will have a bean bag tournament starting
at noon and running throughout the
afternoon. Sign up at the bar to reserve your
spot.

The Rock Nobles Cattleman will be providing
the food and the Wilmont Fire Department
will be running the food and receiving the
proceeds.

Wilmont VFW Memorial Day

Drawing winners:

Quilt Ellen Rabenberg

\$25.00 Cash Shirley Gengler

5 # Hamburger Brad Hoffman

5# Hamburger Abby (Kremer) Katzka

What a wonderful day. Our Cemeteries were
beautiful, the people were so glad to be able
to come out and honor all those who served
our Country.

Thank you to all who helped with lunch, the
visiting at the VFW Hall was heartwarming.
We gave special recognition to Marie
Vortherms, Phyllis Schettler, Donna Menke,
Norma Johanning and Betty Brake who were
in attendance for their many years of loving
care to our organization. We also honored
Phonse Menke, Ed Johanning, Rick Balster,
LeRoy Fuerstenberg, Don Brake, Ike Brake,
Stan Hoffman, Bill Cowan and Harry
Springman for their many years of service to
the VFW .

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Lismore, MN

Wednesday, June 9, 2021
Serving 11:30-12:30
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Everyone is welcome!



Hello 2021 Wilmont T-ball and little league players!

We will officially start Monday June 28th. T-ball will be ages 3-6, Little League ages 7 and up. If you feel your 6 year old is ready to be in little league vs tee ball that works too

Schedule: June 28th, July 5th, 19th, and 26th !

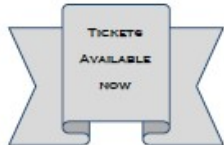
T-ball 6:30-7:30

Little League 7:30-8:45

We will pitch to those who can hit the ball without a tee.

Makeup days will be Tuesday nights.

We look forward to another fun summer! Parents are welcome and invited to help. Please let Shelly Spartz know if you have any questions?



Adult

Prom Night

Saturday July 10th, 2021

Wilmont, Minnesota VFW

Ticket: \$30 per person

Includes meal and dance

Proceeds go toward the Wilmont VFW for the following improvements:

- install case sprouts on east side of VFW,
- take up and replace concrete on west side outside of VFW,
- repaint inside walls

4:30p.m. to 5:15p.m.----Parade around Wilmont (start at the Wilmont City Park)

5:30p.m.----Meal, followed by Grand March

7:00p.m. - 11:00p.m.----Dance with music from 'Epic Sounds by CJ'

Tickets available immediately. Contact any of the following committee members to purchase tickets:

| | | | |
|----------------|--------------|-----------------|--------------|
| Nancy Remakel | 507-360-3365 | Melanie Penning | 507-360-3268 |
| Erin Hoffman | 507-350-4630 | Suzi Lawison | 605-353-3974 |
| Angela Penning | 507-370-3533 | Char Petersen | 507-360-8630 |
| Lori Klein | 507-360-7212 | Jodi Frazee | 507-360-7600 |

Thank You

Thank you so much for your kind expressions of sympathy, cards and Offerings after the passing of our sister Dolores. Your kindness is appreciated.

Marlene & Whitey Jueneman

In Memoriam-Anna "Ann" T. Jueneman, age 87 of St. Therese Apartments, New Hope, Minnesota,, passed away suddenly May 18, 2021. Mass of Christian Burial was held at The Church of the Sacred Heart, Robbinsdale, MN.

Survived by daughter, Debra Beutaunt; sons, Michael Anderson and Bradley Jueneman; 9 grandchildren; sister, Marie Larson and nieces and nephews. She was the sister-in-law of Whitey & Marlene Jueneman.

Preceded in death by husband, Ervin Jueneman; granddaughter, Amber and siblings.

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2021 Wilmont Swimming Lessons
Sponsored by the Wilmont Booster Club
June 14th- June 24th
Lessons will be Monday- Thursday
Bus Schedule:
Morning Pick-Up-
OLGC Church Parking Lot- 11:30 a.m.
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- 2) Wilmont business promotional gifts - business name on it
- 3) Photos of the town of Wilmont & Wilmont events
(Scan and email, or copies will be made & original returned.)
- 4) 4 x 6 family pictures for the Wilmont area family photo album
- 5) Obituaries of Wilmont area people
- 5) Scrapbooks from the Wilmont area
- 6) Photo albums from the Wilmont area

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The Lismore Legion Hall was the site where local folks, out-of-towners, and many former residents of Lismore gathered on Memorial Day to remember those who have died for our freedom. The Auxiliary, American Legion, and Sons of the American Legion (SAL) had a well-planned program, which included patriotic songs, readings, and prayers led by Father Rick Colletti. Mark Loosbrock did his rendition of "Memorial Day Hallelujah" and guests joined in on the chorus. Brent Feikema and Deb Lutmer read a long list of deceased veterans from our area and gave special recognition to the recently deceased veterans, namely: Gerald Drenth, Henry Engels, Dale Kemper, Gary Krogman, Father Bob Maher, Ann (Krogman) Miller, James Reisdorfer, Darwin Veld, and Robert Wittry. Michele Wieneke quietly accompanied them on the piano. Commander Todd Kern announced the names of the scholarship recipients: Emily LeBrun (daughter of Marty & Josie of Adrian), Jasmine Kohorst (daughter of Ryan Kohorst and Tammy Love of Adrian), and Jonathan Beek (son of Jason & Angie (Wieneke) Beek of Inwood, IA). President of the S.A.L., Frank Kemper, gave recognition that the 2021 scholarship given in honor of the Rita and Buck Krogman Family was presented in memory of their second oldest son and brother, Robert (Bob) Krogman who passed away in March 2020. The American Legion Post #636, SAL, Auxiliary, and Earl & Joyce Erdman family also fund the scholarships. Frank also presented a check to the Legion for \$2500.00. Commander Kern presented a plaque to Robert (Bob) LeBrun for his 50-years of membership in the American Legion and recognized Veryl Stoffel for receiving a 60-year membership earlier this year. Members and guests moved in procession to the three cemeteries where a 21-gun salute was given and Taps were played by AHS freshman Jesus Rojas, of rural Rushmore. It was a wonderful day to remember and honor those who died for our freedom.





MEN'S HEALTH MONTH

20's

Annually: a physical exam, blood pressure analysis, blood test & urine analysis, rectal exam, STD testing, self-performed testicular exam

Every 5 Years: TB skin test

Every 10 Years: Tetanus Booster

30's

Annually: a physical exam, blood pressure analysis, blood test & urine analysis, rectal exam, STD testing, self-performed testicular exam, electrocardiogram (EKG) for abnormalities

Every 5 Years: TB skin test

Every 10 Years: Tetanus Booster

40's

Annually: a physical exam, blood pressure analysis, blood test & urine analysis, rectal exam, STD testing, self-performed testicular exam, electrocardiogram (EKG) for abnormalities, prostate specific antigen (PSA) screening, hemoccult test

Every 5 Years: TB skin test

Every 10 Years: Tetanus Booster with physician's discretion – chest x-ray, testosterone screening

50's

Annually: a physical exam, blood pressure analysis, blood test & urine analysis, rectal exam, STD testing, self-performed testicular exam, electrocardiogram (EKG) for abnormalities, prostate specific antigen (PSA) screening, hemoccult test

Every 5 Years: TB skin test

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Fortune Cookies” A Free Virtual Memory Loss Play.

A.C.E. of Southwest Minnesota is proud to present the third one act play about memory loss, in their online educational series entitled “Fortune Cookies”, by Bonnie Dudovitz.

In this excellent production, Mona has a great idea! The vibrant octogenarian is determined to be the first to know if her recall is slipping beyond what can be considered normal, age-related memory loss. An unexpected visit from her son David reveals that she has cooked up a way to help herself and others be on the lookout for the early stages of dementia.

The production is an educational tool for both community, and families navigating through the Alzheimer's/Dementia journey.

We hope that you can join us for this free virtual play on Thursday June 17, 2021 at 6:30pm. Please sign up through Eventbrite at <https://marshall-fortune2021.eventbrite.com>.

This play is made possible by the voters of Minnesota through a grant from the Minnesota State Arts Board, thanks to a legislative appropriation from the arts and cultural heritage fund. The Remember Project is a program of Metropolitan Area Agency on Aging and is sponsored in part by a dementia grant from the MN Board on Aging, awarded to A.C.E. of SW Minnesota.

If you have questions, please connect with your local A.C.E. of SW Minnesota County Coordinator Joyce Wiekeraad at 507-836-8705 or through their website www.aceswmn.org.

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Please call the Lismore Bank for rental information and to set up a date.

The next Wilmont Shopper is scheduled for Thursday June 17th. Please send information by Tuesday June 15th by 5 pm Information can be sent to judy@wilmontshopper.com, dchristi185@gmail.com (New) or call evenings 472-8412 or mail to 19503 160th St. Wilmont 56185 The date may change for this week. If you submit something, please look to make sure I have it included. Judy Christians



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Years Ago—By Audrey Brake Thanks for the many memories!

Taken from Dec.24 & 31, 1942 Wilmont Tribune

Wilmont

In the issue of Friday, December 18, the Worthington Daily Globe carried an item which read as follows: 'Corinn A. Moret, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Nick Moret, was one of 28 girls sworn into the Women's Army Auxiliary Corps in Minneapolis Wednesday. Miss Moret was one of the two Nobles County residents to be sworn in as WAAC's, the other being Viola Schroeder, Round Lake.' We wish to beg pardon, Mr. Editor of the Globe, as Wilmont Village is the first Village in the county to have a young lady sworn into the WAAC's. On November 9, 1942, Miss Teresa Schettler, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Schettler of our city, passed an examination and was sworn in on November 10 at Minneapolis. Miss Schettler reported for duty on November 30, 1942 at WAAC - 8th Co. 3rd Regt. U.S. Army, Post Brand Des Moines, Iowa. Let's gets one of the credit when it is coming to us.

Pvt. Albert Lenz, of Camp Livingston, Louisiana, arrived home early Monday morning and will spend a week at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lenz and also with other relatives. Albert wants to take this means of thanking the Veterans for the cigarettes that he received some time ago. He also stated that he had to stand up all day Sunday as the train was full to capacity.

Mr. and Mrs. Nic Broich received word from their daughter, Margaret, of Los Angeles, Cal., saying that her husband left December 10 for Williamsburg, Virginia where he has joined a Naval Construction Battalion.

Pvt. Paul Schissel landed in French Morocco with the U. S. forces when they occupied that territory in November, according to a letter just received by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Schissel. Pvt. Schissel keep a diary during this voyage overseas and sent that back to his parents with the letter. Although it was censored, it still revealed that he's in the engineer's corps and is busy building barracks and communication lines in the occupied areas.

Mississippi Ordnance Plant, Jackson, Mississippi - Christmas Day Dear Mr. Wagner: Thanks very much for sending me the Wilmont Tribune. It came as a surprise to me, but you can be sure that it is appreciated. My company has just completed its fourth and last week of basic training. Our Basic training has not been very intensive, as we are not a combatant unit. We spent 4 days of this week in the field practicing maneuvers. It gave us a lot of experience and was a good start towards getting us toughened up. We are in training for the maintenance and repairing of mechanized equipment. Our technical training will begin next Monday. Each man in the company is supposed to follow his trade, as in civilian life. It seems like we are being rushed through our training. But, I think the sooner we get trained, the sooner we can help win this war. The people of Jackson gave a swell Christmas party for the soldiers in this area. It consisted of dancing, entertainment, hats and noise makers and delicious refreshments. There were about fifteen hundred soldiers at the party and it was certainly an example of

southern hospitality. It is hard to get used to the climate here. Most of us have acquired bad coughs. The climate seems to be rather damp here. We had a swell Christmas dinner. In fact the food was almost as good as at home. Of course, it is hard to get into the spirit of Christmas when one is away from home, but I think we were all pretty well satisfied. According to the Wilmont Tribune, Wilmont is being well represented in the services of our country. Here's hoping the world will soon see a new peace. Sincerely Yours, Milton Schroeder

Adrian Hebig, Donald Loosbrock, Gilbert Schneider and Elmer Kellen of Adrain arrived home Saturday morning from Onamia where they attend school, to spend their Christmas vacation at the home of their parents.

On Wednesday, December 30, there will be a card party and dance at the school gym. Music will be furnished by Jim Luchtl's Orchestra of Milford, Iowa. Beside and hear this band.

The public school closed Friday for a two-week holiday vacation. The parochial school closed Wednesday also for a two-week vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. John Schettler, daughters, Margaret and Mary Ann, drove to Larchwood Saturday where they attended the funeral of Mr. Schettler's niece, Mrs. Ray Andersen. Mrs. Andersen, who was 27 years old died at the Sioux Falls hospital following an operation for a ruptured appendix. She formerly was Armelda Schettler, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Schettler, former Wilmont residents. She is survived by her husband to who she had been married two years, her parents and six sister and four brothers.

Pete, Laura, and Jimmie Wagner are tickled to announce the arrival of a daughter and baby sister on Saturday, Decemb 19th at their home. The little lady has been named Julie Ann Wagner.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Davis of Worthington spent Friday evening with their daughter, Anna Marie, teacher at the public school, and also attended the Christmas program given at the school that evening. Miss Davis returned home with them that evening to spend her holiday vacation.

Anna Marie Davis and Ida Lou Einck, teachers at the public school, and their pupils gave a Christmas program Friday evening at the school. This was followed by a visit by Santa Claus.

John Klontz, 85, a resident of Auburn,, Washington since 1913 and former resident of this community, who lived north of St. Kilian some 30 years ago, father of George and Christ Klontz of Auburn and Miss Mary Klontz and Casper Klontz of Seattle, died at the home of his daughter in Seattle Thursday morning. In addition to the four mentioned there are three other sons, Matt of Sumner, William of Vancouver; B. C., & Edward, Alberta, Canada. Mr. Klontz was born in Europe August 23, 1857. He had lived in the United States 55 years and had been a resident of Auburn since 1913. He was married to Eva Flick in Luxembourg, February 17, 1887. A year later they came to America and located in Chicago where Mr. Klontz was connected with the Illinois Central Railway. Later he took up farming and lived in Iowa and north of St. Kilian where their family was reared.

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Jeanetta and Marie Hoffman, who have employment in St. Paul, spent a few days with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hoffman.

Mr. and Mrs. Matthew Arens are the parents of a daughter born at the Adrain hospital December 23. She will be named Mary Lou.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Galles and daughters, Edna and Doris, spent Monday in the Charles Galles home near Iona and also attended their auction sale. The Charles Galles family will move to Iona to make their home.

Mrs. Louis Hoffman received word of the birth of a son to Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Northrop (Nellie Lebens) of Van Nuys, Cal., on December 23. Mr. Northrop, who is in the U. S. Navy when last heard of, was stationed somewhere in Hawaii. Mrs. Northrop is a sister of Mrs. Hoffman.

Lismore

George Lais is confined to the Adrian Hospital suffering from a fractured leg, received when he fell from a building at his home one day last week. After an examination at the hospital it was learned that the bone was broken in three places above the ankle.

St. Kilian

Come one, come all to St. Kilian Tuesday, December 29th for an old and hardOtime dance, card party and lunch. Good music will be furnished for everyone.

Henry Spartz, Donald Spartz, and Frank Schroer who have employment at a defense plant at Hasting, Nebraska came Tuesday to spend Christmas at their home here.

Public Notice for NAPS (Second Harvest)

Nutrition Assistance Program for Seniors (NAPS) in the Slayton area, sponsored by Second Harvest Heartland distribution will be held at the office of A.C.E. of Southwest Minnesota – Murray County at 2989 Maple Rd., Slayton MN. Distribution will take place on Thursday, June 10th, from 1:30 – 2:30 pm. Remember if you cannot be there please, have your proxy pick your items up for you. For more information, call Joyce at 507-836-8705.

Nutrition Assistance Program for Seniors (NAPS) in the Fulda area, sponsored by Second Harvest Heartland distribution will be held at the Fulda Food Shelf on 305 S Lafayette Ave, Fulda, MN. Distribution will take place on Monday, June 21st, from 1:15 – 1:45 pm. Remember if you cannot be there please, have your proxy pick your items up for you. For more information, call Joyce at A.C.E. of Southwest Minnesota – Murray County, 507-836-8705.

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July 17-Funeral

July 24-Funeral

August 21-Randgaard-Penning wedding

October 2-Dallenbach wedding

October 9-Zemler-Eisenbacher wedding

November 6-Fey-Klosterman wedding

November 13-Marine Corp Ball

November 20-Schettler-Groenwold

Great place for a reception or meeting!

Make sure you Like the Wilmont VFW Facebook page.

Did you see this week's On The Farm? Rick & Kerri Knips of Lismore are featured as owning a century farm (which is really older than a century) in the Lismore area. Neat story of the generations that have lived there prior.

First Presbyterian Church of Lismore Burger Feed

June 26.

Cornerstone Quartet singing at 6 until 7 p.m.

Serving starts at 6 p.m.

Donation

Lismore native, Fr. David Krogman celebrated his 40th anniversary to the priesthood on May 29th. Fr. David's extended family and a few close friends gathered Saturday afternoon at the Bruce & Ruth Lutmer acreage near Leota to acknowledge this milestone. A wild game feed, delicious side dishes, and desserts kept the guests full while they shared many stories and laughs. Fr. David is currently serving as the chaplain at Avera McKennan Hospital in Sioux Falls, SD. Congratulations, Fr. Krogman! May the Lord continue to bless your vocation to the ministry.



Thank you to our relatives and friends who remembered us with greetings for our 65th Wedding Anniversary. We are grateful for all your friendships and for living in a small town.
Richard & Carol Balster



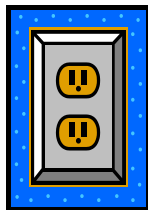
Photo From the Past

Since June is the wedding month, the photo this week is of the wedding of Quentin Hoffman and Rosemary Fath. From left to right are Beatrice Fath/Hoffman, Rosemary Fath/Hoffman, Quentin Hoffman, Joan Fath, and Stan Hoffman

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Rocky Railway!**
July 12-16, 2021 | 9 am - 12 pm

This year's theme for Vacation Bible School is: Rocky Railway. On this faith-filled adventure, kids discover that trusting Jesus pulls them through life's ups and downs. Each day at Rocky Railway VBS, kids track through field-tested rotations that reinforce relevant Bible Points and immerse kids in new adventures. One memorable Bible Point is reinforced throughout each station, each day — making it easy to apply long after VBS is over.

We will use the Wilmont Our Lady of Good Counsel Church site for Vacation Bible School. Cost for VBS is \$15 per child or \$20 per family. There will be carpooling options available for families in Adrian and Lismore parishes. **We will send out a Flocknote after Memorial Day to begin registration and to ask for volunteers for various position like crafts, outdoor activities, and teachers.** Remember that we conclude VBS with a meal on Friday evening with song and music to follow; all located at OLGC school and church.

In Loving Memory Of Aletha Lucille Gerdes

Aletha Gerdes, the daughter of Arthur and Marie (Wiener) Schuster, was born on June 25, 1931 in Slayton, MN. She grew up in Bloom Twp., Nobles Co., MN until 1934 when they moved to a farm near Avoca, MN and later to a farm near Fulda. She attended country school and graduated from Fulda High School in 1949. Aletha was united in marriage to James Gerdes on October 1, 1950 at the Immanuel Lutheran Church in rural Fulda. After their marriage they lived and farmed the Gerdes family farm. Aletha worked at Citizens State Bank in Fulda and the Maple Lawn Nursing Home. In the fall of 1998, they moved into Fulda. Aletha remained at their home after Jim passed away in February of 2008. She married Clayton Isder in November of 2010 and made their home in Fulda. Clayton passed away in September of 2016. Aletha passed away on Saturday, May 29, 2021 at the Sioux Falls Sanford Medical Center at the age of 89. She was a member of the Immanuel Lutheran Church in rural Fulda where she taught Sunday School and served on several church committees. Aletha also belonged to the Maple Lawn Pink Ladies and the Fulda Senior Citizens Center. She enjoyed church activities, gardening, baking, canning, traveling, fishing, playing cards, watching her grandchildren's activities and spending time with her grandchildren and great-grandchildren and embroidery.



Survivors include her 2 children, Rodney (Susan) Gerdes of Niceville, FL and Roxanne (Jim) Kremer of Wilmont, MN; 6 grandchildren, Kristina (Justin) Shields, Michelle (Ryan) Cooley, Kelsey (James) Wiedeman, Andrew (Alexis) Kremer, Abby (Aaron) Katzka and Steven (Courtney) Kremer; 11 great-grandchildren; 3 sisters, Beverly Jandl of Jasper, MN, Anna Marie Guthrie of Libby, MT and Bernice (Roger) Bunkers of Westbrook, MN; 2 brothers, Raymond (Barbara) Schuster of Sibley, IA and Ed (Mary) Schuster of Sioux Falls, SD and sister-in-law, Linda Schuster. She is preceded in death by her parents, husbands, James and Clayton and brother, George Schuster.

Funeral Services

Immanuel Lutheran Church rural Fulda, MN at 11:00 AM on Friday, June 4, 2021 with Rev. Lance Isaacson officiating. The organist is Norma Dittmann. The pallbearers are her grandchildren. Interment at the Immanuel Lutheran Cemetery rural Fulda, MN.

Visitation one hour prior to the service at the church on Friday. The Totzke Funeral Home in Fulda is assisting the family with arrangements. Send condolences online at www.totzkefuneralhome.com.

Instead of Vacation Bible School at Reading Bethel Evangelical Presbyterian Church this summer, Bethel will be sponsoring an evening of fellowship at the Reading Community Center each month. These will be on June 13th, July 11th, and August 8th. We will start at 5:00pm with games and activities for kids of all ages, followed by a meal at 6:30pm.

We extend this invitation to everyone in the Reading area. Please feel free to come. If you have an outdoor game you want to play, bring it along!

Any questions, you can call Marla Somnis at 507-370-0236.

The Adrian High School class of 2021 chose their class motto: "They always said our senior year would go fast, but I didn't know it would go Zoom." A fun little play on words....it went by fast and some classes were over zoom. Very clever! Congratulations to all the graduating seniors.

In Memoriam-LaVera "Vera" Mae Wick, age 89, formally of Rushmore, MN died on Saturday, May 22, 2021 at the Sanford USD Medical Center in Sioux Falls, SD. Vera was born on February 13, 1932 in Rushmore MN, to Arie and Lenora (Holm) Van Klei. She attended school in Rushmore and graduated from Worthington High school.

Vera was united in marriage to Herbert Roland Wick on November 7, 1959 at St. John Lutheran Church in Rushmore, MN. Vera and Herb farmed the Wick family farm in Little Rock Township retiring in 1985.

Vera remained on the farm following Herb's death in 2007 until moving to The Oaks in Luverne, MN in July of 2017. In September of 2020, Vera moved to Prairie Creek Memory Care Assisted Living in Sioux Falls, SD.

She was a lifelong member of St. John Lutheran Church in Rushmore where she was active in ladies circle and various church committees until her move to Luverne where she attended St. John Lutheran Church in Luverne. Vera enjoyed yardwork, gardening and canning and was an excellent cook. Her grandkids were her pride and joy and she made a practice of baking and decorating special cakes for their birthdays. She was also an excellent seamstress and quilter, making baby quilts for each grandchild.

Vera is survived by her three children, Linda Studer of Sioux Falls, SD; Allen(Robin)Wick of Mesa, AZ; and Brenda(Brad) Lynn of rural Lismore, MN; nine grandchildren, Jake(Katie) Studer of Sioux Falls, SD; Breanna(Matthew) Goembel of Luverne, MN; Jordan Studer and friend Kelly Tasky of Mankato, MN; Tyler(Brooke)Wick of Mesa, AZ; Tanner(Rachael)Wick of Mesa, AZ; Morgan(Waylon)Blasius of Elkton, SD; Mitchell(Abby)Lynn of Lismore, MN; Nate Lynn of Kenneth, MN and Tony(Lexi)Lynn of Magnolia, MN; and ten great-grandchildren, Camden and Adriana Studer; Brylee Wick; Jenna, Hanna and Tera Goembel; Gus, Edie and Graham Blasius, and Cason Lynn; one sister, Joyce (Herbert)Roettger, Stillwater, MN; sister-in-law, Erma Wick, Mankato, MN; and many nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by her parents; husband, Herb on June 30, 2007; great-grandson, Robert Blasius; and sisters, Marge Ritchie and Rosella (Rete) Brunk.

Funeral was held at St. John Lutheran Church in Luverne. Burial was at the Sunset Rest Cemetery in Rushmore.

Wilmont VFW post teamed up with the DAV (Disabled American Veterans) and have clothing drop-off boxes around the area— next to Wilmont Hardware (temporarily out of service), two by Ace Hardware in Worthington, one by Peterson Cleaning next to Graham Tire in Worthington and in Rushmore across from the bank.

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June 5-Wilmont Saloon No 7 Summer Jam starting at 12 noon, two bands
June 9-CDA Salad & Hot Dish Luncheon, 11:30-12:30, St. Anthony Catholic Church
June 10-NAPS food distribution, 1:30-2:30, ACE office in Slayton
June 11-Open House Bridal Shower for Nicole Knips, bride to be of Greg Newman, 6:30 pm, Wilmont Community Center
June 12-Kickin Cancer Street Dance, Iona
June 13-Bethel fellowship, 5 pm activities, 6:30 meal, Reading community center
June 14-24-Wilmont Booster Club swimming lessons—register by May 28th
June 17-Fortune Cookies Virtual play
June 21-Heart and vascular screening, Murray County Medical Center
June 21-NAPS food distribution, 1:15-2:15, Fulda Food Shelf
June 26-First Presbyterian Church Burger Feed, 6 pm serving starts, 6-7 pm Cornerstone Quartet sings, Lismore Park
June 28, July 5, 19 & 26—Wilmont Little League—check it out on the Wilmont Little League Facebook page to get registered and order your t-shirt (T-shirt order due by June 1- \$5 each)
July 10-Adult Prom Night, Wilmont VFW—tickets now on sale
July 11- Bethel fellowship, 5 pm activities, 6:30 meal, Reading community center
July 12-16-Vacation Bible School held at OLGC Wilmont (note change of dates)
August 8-Bethel fellowship, 5 pm activities, 6:30 meal, Reading community center
August 25-SW MN Opportunity Council Red Cross Blood mobile—10 am-4 pm, SMOC Office Worthington

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