

## Church Schedules

### Catholic

*Lismore— Sat. 5 p.m.*

*OLGC-Wilmont—  
Sun. 8:30 a.m.*

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

*St Ann Sat 5 pm*

*St. Columba Sun 8 am*

*St. Mary LW—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.

September-December

Sunday School at 9 AM

Worship Service at 10 AM

(Livestream Sunday worship  
available on Immanuel's  
Facebook 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

### **OLGC Parish Picnic**

Sunday August 29 at  
noon

Wilmont City Park

KCs will be grilling hot  
dogs and burgers.

CDAs will provide  
sides, desserts, drinks  
and tableware.

Please join us for  
lunch and  
fellowship.



With school starting soon we need to be reminded about safe driving. Please watch for students as they are walking and getting on/off the buses. Remember: you MUST stop when the bus has the stop sign out and the red lights are flashing! Let's keep our kids safe!

Mark your calendar! The St. Anthony Parish Bazaar and Craft Auction (Lismore, MN) will be held Sept. 12, 2021. A dinner of turkey & dressing, mashed potatoes, glazed carrots, tea rolls, cranberries, assorted desserts, and beverage will be served from 11:00 AM to 1:00 PM. The live auction will start at 1:30PM. The Big Ticket drawing will be done during the auction. The auction will feature homemade crafts, home décor items, unprocessed hogs, pork and beef bundles and themed baskets. The Country Store will have baked goods available. Nachos and beverages will be for sale during the auction

Now that the streets are done you will be seeing activity at the ball field in Wilmont.

With the grant from the Minnesota Twins and donations from the local community we will have a place for our youth to play ball.

Your donations can be made out to Wilmont Booster club and mailed to the City Hall 316 4<sup>th</sup> Avenue Wilmont, MN 56185. Many of our youth have expressed excitement at being able to play on a REAL ball diamond.

Thank you, Wilmont City Council

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Of note. Frank Diekmann's memorial will be Aug. 28th. The Wilmont VFW will be doing a gun salute around 1:30 that afternoon outside of the Wilmont VFW. We want the residents of Wilmont to know this so they don't become concerned when they hear the shots.

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Summers always seem to go faster than anticipated and this summer was busy but now we start looking toward the start of the school year and we become a little bit structured again. We at St. Columba look forward to September and anticipate our 130th Anniversary celebration on Sunday, the 19th. You are ALL invited. Mass will be celebrated at noon with Father Tim Biren celebrating and Father Thien Nguyen concelebrating, this takes the place of the 8 a.m. Mass. A meal will be served in the hall after. You are invited to join us, pray with us, and celebrate with us!



#### Photo From the Past

The photos this week are more from a Wilmont businessmen banquet taken in the late 1950's. Left side (front to back) - Chris Broich, Clem Schlichte, Dim Wagner, Leo Persing, Pete Wagner Right side (front to back) - Stan Seaton, Bud Kuhl, Frank Johanning, & John Albersman



L-R - Jack Jueneman, Arnie Bell, Henry Slater, Joe Hebbelman, Louie Hoffman

In Memoriam—Lyle Dickman Worthington class of 1974.

Graveside services will be held on Saturday, August 28th, at 11:00 am at Hersey Cemetery, Brewster, Mn.

Lyle M. Dickman was born January 24, 1956 in Worthington, Mn. to Alfred and Carol Stangeland Dickman. Lyle spent his childhood on farms by Ocheyedon, Ia and Rushmore, Mn. When Lyle's dad died in 1967, Lyle's family moved to Reading, Mn. There Lyle grew up on an acreage on the edge of town where he always had a horse to ride. Lyle graduated from 8th grade at Reading and then from Worthington Senior High in 1974. Lyle enlisted in the Army and spent two years serving his country. Lyle spent the rest of his life living in Arizona, Colorado, Missouri and the last few years in Colorado. Lyle passed away on January 16, 2021 in Lakewood, Colorado. Lyle is survived by his siblings Ken (Terri) Dickman, Adrain, Mn. Russel (Jenola) Dickman, Ellsworth, Mn. Marla (Jeff) Somnis, Reading, Mn. Durand (Karla) Dickman, Westport, Wa. Step siblings Ron Parker, Boring, Or. Becky (Wes) Summers, Newberg, Or. Randy (Chris) Parker, Spokane, Wa. Robin (Leon) Burkholder, Boring, Or. and many nieces and nephews. Lyle was preceded in death by his parents Al Dickman, Carol Parker and stepfather Hubert Parker. Please join Lyle's family for a time of fellowship and refreshments after the graveside service at the Reading Community Center in Reading, Mn.

#### Grants Applications for Community Fund Due Oct. 15

Nobles 2 Power Partners, LLC has established a community fund to support programs near the wind farm, including the townships of Bloom, Larkin, Lismore, Leota, Summit Lake and Wilmont. Nobles 2 Power Partners will contribute \$15,000 annually for the next 20 years, with the first awards to be handed out in the fourth quarter of this year.

The community fund is being administered by Southwest Initiative Foundation, a nonprofit foundation that promotes community-building in southwest Minnesota. A volunteer committee of local residents will be soliciting grant applications and determining how funds will be awarded. Committee members are: Jared Brake (vice chairman), Jim Cowan (chairman and treasurer), Dave Henning, Troy Loosbrock, Nobles County Commissioner Gene Metz (secretary), Marlene Rabenberg and Diane Schettler.

To submit a grant application, please contact the committee at [nobles2communityfund@gmail.com](mailto:nobles2communityfund@gmail.com). Applications are due Oct. 15.

It's good to see the street projects completed. The newly paved streets with freshly painted lines really freshens up our village. New sod has been also been laid. These improvements help to make Lismore and Wilmont a more welcoming place!




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- 4) 4 x 6 family pictures for the Wilmont area family photo album
- 5) Obituaries of Wilmont area people
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#### **Nobles 2 Wind Farm Announces College Scholarship Program**

Nobles 2 Power Partners, LLC is pleased to announce a new college scholarship program for students graduating from Adrian, Fulda and Worthington high schools. The program will award a total of \$3,000 in scholarships, starting with the class of 2022.

Three \$1,000 scholarships will be awarded each spring to a college-bound student who attends one of the public high schools in the vicinity of the wind farm: Adrian High School, Fulda High School or Worthington High School. The money can be applied toward two- or four-year post-secondary education programs at accredited institutions.

A committee at Tenaska's headquarters will select the scholarship recipients. Preference will be given to students who demonstrate that they are prepared for higher education, rank in the top half of their class, have good character and show financial need.

Scholarship applications will be available starting Sept. 27 through school guidance counselors. Completed applications must be submitted no later than Feb. 11, 2022. Winners will be announced in the spring.

#### **FRANK GEORGE DIEKMANN**

June 9, 1956 – August 31, 2020

Frank died on Aug. 31, 2020 of Covid-19. He was much loved by friends and family and is greatly missed. We've waited a year and are now ready to celebrate Frank's life. There will be an open house from 1:00 pm to 4:00 pm at the VFW Hall in Wilmont, Mn on Saturday Aug 28, 2021. There will be a prayer service and military honors starting at 1:15 pm. After please join us in the Hall for some R & R (refreshments and reminiscing). Please come and visit and share your "Frank stories".



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In Memoriam—KURTIS LEE SMITH, age 52, of Forest City, IA, formerly of Adrian, died Sunday, August 15, 2021, at his home. He was born June 15, 1969, in Worthington, to Lee and Kathy (Bell) Smith. He graduated from Worthington High School in 1987; and later from Ridgewater College Willmar Campus. After graduating college, Kurt traveled to Germany to study photography.

He worked various jobs in Worthington before moving to Iowa where he worked at Mayer Studio in Spirit Lake, IA. Kurt was a former member of Solid Rock Assembly in Worthington; and a current member of the Dominion Church for the Word of Faith in Lake Mills, IA. Kurt had a wonderful sense of humor. His laugh could light up a room. He loved photography and he enjoyed firearms, fishing and he always thought of others and was willing to help out anyone.

Kurt is survived by his daughter, Jordan Smith, Lake Park, IA; parents, Lee & Kathy Smith, Wilmont; special friend, Aimee Barrie, Adrian; two sisters, Trisha (friend, Kerry Zinnel) Smith, Wilmont; and LeeAnn (Eric) Sipress, Forest City, IA; four nieces & nephews, Ashlee (Jake) Buntjer, Brett (friend, Emily) Steffen, Nate Sipress and Lizzy Sipress; three great-nieces, Adrianna, Emily and Braylee; and many uncles, aunts, cousins and friends.

He was preceded in death by his brother, Joshua Smith; and his grandparents

A Memorial Service held at Solid Rock Assembly Church on Saturday, August 21.

A graveside service was at the Wilmont Cemetery.





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The next Wilmont Shopper is scheduled for Thursday September 9th (may be late). Please send information by Tuesday September 7th by 5 pm. Information can be sent to [tojudy@wilmontshopper.com](mailto:tojudy@wilmontshopper.com), [dchristi185@gmail.com](mailto:dchristi185@gmail.com) (New) or call evenings 472-8412 or mail to 19503 160th St. Wilmont 56185

If you submit something, please look to make sure I have it included. Judy Christians



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### Public Notice for NAPS (Second Harvest)

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, September 20th, 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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Do you need a location for a family or community event? Check out the Wilmont Community Center. Call the City Clerk at 507-926-5235 to check available dates!

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

Taken from March 18 & 25, 1943 Wilmont Tribune

Wilmont

The ice and sleet storm in southern Minnesota and part of South Dakota and Iowa caused approximately \$400,000.00 of damage. Each telephone pole on 4th Avenue north of the railroad tracks in Wilmont were supporting approximately 3, 000 pounds of ice. No wonder they gave away. Crews are still busy repairing lines and putting in new poles in this community. It was reported to be the most damage done in years, and the service is getting back to normal as we go to print. P. J. Wagner went to Lismore on Thursday to use the linotype to set type for the Wimont Tribune, while waiting for lights to come back in Wilmont.

Rev. John H. Steger will conduct funeral services on Friday morning, March 26th at Our Lady of Good Counsel Church for Robert H. Voss, who passed away Monday , March 22nd at his home. Pallbearers will be Herman Voss, Jr., Theo. Voss of Ashton, Iowa, Lawrence Johanning, John Brake, Lawrence Paradise and Theo. Schmidt. Mr. Voss has been sick for the past eight years with a lingering illness. Robert Voss was born March 23, 1901 at Lismore, son of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Voss. On November 24th, 1925, he was married to Alma Brake at St. Kilian. To this union eight children were born, who are all at home. They are Delphine, Loren, Merrill, Myron, Louella, Floyd, Bobby, and Lester. Mr. Voss was a life-time resident of Nobles County, where he was engaged in farming. Surviving, besides his wife and children, are his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Voss, Lismore; four sisters and four brothers. They are Joseph I. Voss; (Margaret) Mrs. John Heling; (Agnes) Mrs. Emil Kellen; Ed and Clarence, all residing at Lismore; Pfc. Albert Voss of Camp Carson, Colorado; (Mathilda) Mrs. Louis Johnson, Rochester, Minn.; and Cecilia Voss of Minneapolis. Heartfelt sympathy is extended to the relatives in their bereavement.

Mrs. Emma Middendorf has received word from her son, Pvt. Arthur Middendorf, saying that he arrived safely in North Africa.

Mr. and Mrs. John Albersman have received word from their son, Pvt. John Albersman, who volunteered and was inducted into the Army several weeks ago, saying he has been stationed at Camp Roberts in California.

Mrs. Josephine Driessen has received word from her son, Pvt. Fred Driessen, that he has been promoted to Private First Class and moved to Burbank, California.

A number of high school students of the Our Lady of good Counsel Schol attended the class play entitled "Your in the Army Now", given by the St. Adrain High School pupils Sunday evening.

Relatives here have received the news of the birth of a son to Staff Sgt. and Mrs. Paul Sieve of Camp Rucker, Alabama. Mrs. Sieve is the former Sally Entinger of Iona. Sgt. Sieve is the son of Mrs. Caroline Sieve.

Donna Hermeling is assisting with household duties in the home of Mrs. Clem Sieve.

Evelyn Reker, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leo Reker, received severe burns on her arms and hands as the result of an explosion while cleaning clothes with gas Saturday.

At the meeting of the board of directors of the Farmer's Elevator, held last Saturday, F. J. Page resigned his position as manager of the elevator and will move to Jackson, Minn., in the near future. Mr. Page has been manager for nearly two years here and ran a very successful business while here. Many people here regret seeing Mr. and Mrs. Page leave this community.

The city council voted to give Joe Hebbelman, Mgr. and John Probst, Ass't Mgr. of the Wilmont Liquor Store and Alphonse Arens, Wilmont marshal, a \$10 raise each, per month from April 1, 1943 to December 31, 1943.

Poems by OLGC students:

"The Spring of '43"

The snow was all melted, we thought spring was here. We threw off our winter coats and gave a loud cheer.

Kids dug out their marbles and roller skates, too. Then came the forecast, that proved to be true.

They said we'd have more snow, that the weather'd turn cold. They didn't miss their guess far, for it did what they told.

The wind blew like sixty, and the mercury fell. And where the sun stayed, no one can tel.

Down went the light wires, and telephone poles. The water stopped running, cause the pipes were all froze.

The roads were like mirrors, as slippery as glass. But now the storms over, and we're warmed up at last.

Now I'll add a P.S. to tell you what happened.

The sun had to go, Where to? I don't know. But, we're under 6 inches of snow. By Irene Slater

"My Brother's Navy Life"

My brother's in the Navy, learning to be a mechanic. He works hard every day, to help do a job that's gigantic.

He rises early each morning, but doesn't go to milk the cows. Instead, he rushes to breakfast, which they call Navy chow.

He usually wears a white suit, and sometimes a white cap too. But now he wears a blue cap, also a suit of blue.

He has to mend his own clothes, and press his trousers too. He sews on his own buttons, and polishes his shoes.

He goes to school every day, and studies just like you and me. But, his subjects are much harder, than just plain geometry.

He'd like to be a gunner, and form some fancy traps. Or help out an aviator, to get some sneaky Japs. By Arlene Slater

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"Help Win the War"

This war we're fighting in 43, is being fought, we know, to free Americans like you and me.

It's being fought on foreign soil, and true it is, we all must help, for Good Americans are ever loyal.

To those who need a helping hand, among the enemy on other land.

One Army and our Navy and our helpers in this war, are doing all they are able to bring the Axis lower.

The oceans may be very wide, the journey very hard. But give the boys your loyal support and they will turn the tide.

America wants her freedom from any future harm. And the only way to get it, is to help and win this war.

So you and I, and everyone can do our part 'tis sure, by spending all our dimes and quarters in buying Savings Bonds. By Lawrence Broich

#### St. Kilian

Strayed - To my place, a spotted Poland boar Thursday of this week. Owner can have same by calling at my place and paying for this ad. Albert Brake

#### From Nobles County History by Arthur P. Rose

Nicholas Hendel, proprietor of a saloon in Lismore, has resided in the county seventeen years, the greater part of which time was spent in farming. He is the son of Philip and Katherine (Busch) Hendel, who also reside in Lismore. Philip Hendel, the father, was born in Germany in 1840 and came to the United States in 1870. He settled in Houston County, Minn., where he owned 240 acres of land and where he engaged in farming until 1888. Then he moved to Alton, Iowa, where he ran a creamery one year, and near which place he farmed two years. Going to Adrian in 1891, he conducted a hotel and engaged in the real estate business two years, and then moved onto his farm - the east half of section 35, Lismore Township - and farmed until 1899. He left the farm at that time and took up his residence in Lismore, where he has since lived a retired life. His wife is 68 years of age. Our subject was born in Luxembourg, Germany, Sept. 24, 1867, and at the age of three years came to America with his parents. His boyhood days were spent in Houston County, Minn. He was educated in the public schools of Caledonia and in Christian Brothers College at St. Louis, where he took a commercial course. After completing his education Mr. Hendel began working at the butter maker's trade, which he followed in Caledonia five years.

In 1888 he moved to Alton, Iowa, where for three years he was the manager of a creamery. Mr. Hendel came to Adrian in 1891 and has since been a resident of the county. He tended bar for John Wolf at Adrian for ten months and then over onto his farm, the southwest quarter of section 35, Lismore Township, which he had purchased the year before he came to the county and which he still owns. He engaged in farming until the fall of 1905, when he moved to Lismore and bought the saloon of Joseph Budde. He conducted that business two years, then sold out and started the saloon which he has since conducted. At Adrian on Jan. 22, 1895, Mr. Hendel was married to Miss Jennie McLean, who was born in Columbia County, Wis., in 1876, and who is the daughter of Thomas and Eliza McLean, early settlers of Lismore Township. To Mr. and Mrs. Hendel have been born two children: Louis, born Nov. 6, 1896; Loretta (who later married Joe Balster), born Feb. 22, 1898. Mr and Mrs. Hendel are members of the Catholic church, and he belongs to the Catholic Order of Foresters. During his residence in Lismore Township Mr. Hendel served a number of terms as a member of the township board and for several years was the chairman.

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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.

There will be a gathering of family and friends in memory of Inez Balster on Saturday, September 11 at the Wilmont Community Center from 12 noon to 3 pm. A light lunch will be provided. The public is invited to attend to visit with family and share memories.

For those interested, Catholic Mass will be said at OLGC Church, Wilmont at 830 am on Sunday September 12 in memory of Inez Balster who passed away on November 24, 2020."

The Family of Inez Balster



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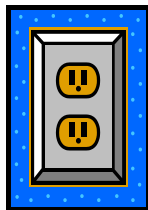
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In Memoriam-Linda Mae (Klenken) Mahan, was born May 14,1952 in Slayton, MN, the daughter of Raymond and Verna Klenken. She graduated from Worthington Senior High School in 1970. Linda married Dennis Echternach On November 22,1969. They had two children. They later divorced, but always remained close friends.

Celebration of Life will be held on Saturday, August 28,2021, from 1pm-4pm at 32185 290th St. Worthington, MN on Ocheda Lake.

### Ride the Reading Line Day Trips

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**Browns Theater; LeMars, Iowa-Sons of Iowa show-Sat. Sept 25.** Leave from Shopko, Worthington at 10:15 am. Cost is \$85. Includes a noon buffet lunch, the show at 1:30 pm and transportation. After the show, we will stop at the Blue Bunny Ice Cream Parlor (on your own)

**Ives Auditorium (Sidekick Theatre); Bloomington, MN-Breaking Up is Hard to Do-**a musical play featuring the songs of Neil Sedaka. Thurs. Oct 7. Leave from Shopko, Worthington at 7 am. Cost is \$110. Includes a 11:30 buffet lunch, 1 pm show in the auditorium, gratuity and transportation. Supper (on your own) will be at Culver's in North Mankato-they are open for inside seating.

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### 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, September 9th, 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.

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In Memoriam-Audrey A. Stoffel, age 80, of Litchfield, MN, died on Friday, August 20, 2021 at her home in Litchfield. A Mass of Christian Burial will be held on Friday, August 27, 2021 at 11:00 AM at the Church of St. Philip. Visitation will be from 9:00 until 11:00 AM at the church. Interment will be at St. Anthony Catholic Cemetery in Lismore, Minnesota.

Audrey Ann Stoffel the daughter of Lloyd and Marie (Henning) Henriksen was born on June 5, 1941 in Luverne, Minnesota. She received her education from the St. Anthony Catholic School. She was united in marriage to Darwin (Smokey) Stoffel on June 5, 1958 at St. Anthony's Catholic Church in Lismore. They made their home in Wilmont until moving to Litchfield in July of 1964. She worked for JcPenney in Litchfield and was a social services care worker for Meeker County. Audrey was a member of the Church of St. Philip and the Lismore Ladies American Legion Auxiliary. Smokey and Audrey were foster parents to numerous children over the years. Audrey loved to have fun and enjoyed life. She loved playing cards, bowling, dancing, and going to the Litchfield Blues Ball Games. She was inducted in the Litchfield Blues Hall of Fame.

Audrey is survived by her children Loydene (Doug) Bernhagen of Willmar, MN, Dale (Sandy) Stoffel of Plymouth, MN, Lisa (Kent) Valiant of Litchfield, MN and Dallas Stoffel of Litchfield, MN; grandchildren Josh (Tara) Bernhagen, Jenna Bernhagen, Lauren Stoffel, Natalie Stoffel, Amanda (Kevin) Bednarek, Matthew (Stephanie) Zylstra, Nick Valiant, Aaron (Ari) Valiant, Amy (Jaren) Winings, Mitch (Kristin) Larson and Courtney (Brent) Huhn; great grandchildren Lydia Bernhagen, Greta Bernhagen, Braxton Bednarek, Kamdin Bednarek, Rylee Zylstra, Trevor Zylstra, Braylin Valiant, Landan Winings and Harrison Larson; brothers and sisters Jerry (Verna) Henriksen, Butch (Therese) Henriksen, Wes (Rose) Henriksen, Duke Henriksen and Tami (Denny) Loosbrock; brother-in-law Denny Gerber; sisters-in-law Myrlis Henriksen, Donna Henriksen and Chris Henriksen; brother-in-law and sister-in-law Veryl (Avis) Stoffel; and special friends Judy Berglund, Jenny McCormick and Karen Hoffman.

She was preceded in death by her parents Lloyd and Marie; husband Smokey; infant son LaMonte; daughter Linda; and siblings Ronny, Lenny, Arleen, Marsha and Troy.

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Mashed Potatoes, Gravy, Glazed Carrots, Cranberries,  
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Nachos &  
Drinks served

- Quilt Raffle
- Pot of Gold
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August 28-Youth rummage sale, 9 am-3 pm, St. Ann's, Slayton  
August 28-Memorial Service for Frank Diekmann, formerly of St. Kilian, 1-4 pm, Wilmont VFW  
August 28-Celebration of Life for Linda (Klenken) Mahan, 1-4 pm, 32185 290th St, Worthington  
August 29-OLGC Parish Picnic, noon, Wilmont City Park  
August 30-United Prairie Customer Appreciation Day, 5-7 pm, United Prairie Wilmont  
Sept 9-NAPS distribution, 1:30-2:30 pm, ACE of SW MN, 2989 Maple Rd, Slayton  
Sept 11-Gathering of family & friends of Inez Balster, 12 noon-3 pm, Wilmont Community Center  
Sept 12-St Anthony Parish Bazaar and Craft Auction  
Sept 19-St. Columba 130th Anniversary  
Sept 20—NAPS distribution, Fulda Food Shelf 1:15-1:45 pm  
Sept 25—Browns Theater, LeMars IA tour-Call Yvonne to book at 507-372-2543  
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