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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

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

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 . See additional information on a later page.



St. Adrian Fall Dinner



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Home delivered take-out meals, in Adrian city limits, will be available from 4-6 p.m.
To order, call 483-2317 between 2:30 & 6 p.m. on the day of the dinner.

Congratulations to our newest Lismore fire department members who were announced at the annual fundraiser on August 21. They are Nick and Kat Weber, Josh Balster, and Joe Henning. Thank you for your service to our Lismore community!

9/11 PATRIOT DAY

20 years ago the deadliest terrorist attack in our Nation's History was visited on OUR SHORES!

We will never forget – the friends and loved ones we lost or Our HEROES that day and in the military campaigns that followed who saved lives , sometimes sacrificing their own to do so.

9/11 also United our citizens and elicited even more respect for our service personnel. It rallied more respect and support for Law Enforcement and 1st Responders and their families for all they sacrifice daily to keep us free and safe.

We are reminded that we should not take for granted our Freedoms. Since 2001 our service members answered the call to serve and so many lives were lost and so many still surviving with disabilities and PTSD. We must remember and we must continue to support and advocate for them and their families. WE MUST NEVER FORGET. Thank you for your service!

Pacholl Moser VFW post 2603, Wilmont and its Auxiliary

With school started 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!

Happy 50th Wedding Anniversary to Gary & Joyce Sieve on September 11th.

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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 4th Avenue Wilmont, MN 56185. Many of our youth have expressed excitement at being able to play on a REAL ball diamond.

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L-R: Arnie Bell, Jack Jueneman, Fred Hirsch, Joe Balster, George Probst, Louie Hoffman

Lisa Diekmann and Deb Lutmer of Ct. St. Bernard #886 of Lismore attended the MN State Catholic Daughter summer workshop on Sunday. "Staying Strong Through Service and Sisterhood" was the theme of the workshop that was hosted by Ct. St. John #1371 at St. Leo Catholic Church in Pipestone. New information, ideas, and fellowship made for a great afternoon. Lisa was installed as the new District Deputy to oversee the courts in Lismore, Adrian, and Wilmont. The Catholic Daughters are starting a new year and invite any Catholic woman, age 18 or older, to join one of the largest international organizations of Catholic women in the world.

St. Adrian/St. Anthony/OLGC mass change for weekend of September 11/12

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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. Applications are due Oct. 15.

Someone to help with the fall harvest, part time. Gary Sieve 507-360-8276

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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!

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."

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Nobles 2 Wind Farm Announces College Scholarship Program

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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.



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Wilmont Exercise Group

Mondays & Wednesdays—9 am

Wilmont Community Center

The group is now exercising! Masks are required. Welcome to join in!

Congratulations to Marriah (Wieneke) Aggen on her Essential Senior Services business that assists older residents so they can stay in their own homes. Marriah saw a need to help the older populations with services such as shopping, laundry, and personal errands and works within a 50-mile radius of Rushmore. She is able to offer her services free right now as she has funding from the Cares Act. Working together with Rock County Opportunities and the City of Adrian, Marriah hopes to find additional funding to continue serving more seniors. You can read more about this wonderful service in the Active Life section of the August 25 edition of the Globe. Marriah is the daughter of Andrew and Michele Wieneke of rural Lismore.

"Team Phoebe" participated in the annual Heart Walk in Sioux Falls, SD by forming a fundraising page to support the cause on Saturday, August 21. Phoebe Vargas was born with a congenital heart defect in November 2009. She endured open-heart surgeries, the first one when she was only 7 days old! Phoebe has taught her family to count their blessings and live each moment to the fullest. Today Phoebe is eleven years old and a 6th grader at Dell Rapids St. Mary School. She is the daughter of Ivan and Jean Vargas of Dell Rapids, SD and the granddaughter of Ruth and the late Marvin Lorang of Lismore. Bless your heart, Phoebe!!

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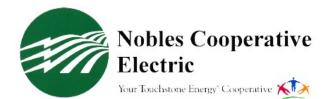
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The next Wilmont Shopper is scheduled for Thursday September 23rd . Please send information by Tuesday September 21st by 5 pm Information can be sent tojudy@wilmontshopper.com, dchristi185@gmail.com (New) or call evenings 472-8412 or mail to 19503 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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Wilmont Saloon No 7 watch their Facebook page for updates! https://www.facebook.com/WilmontSaloonNo7/

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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!



St. Anthony Catholic Church Lismore, MN

Fall Bazaar & Craft Auction Sunday, September 12, 2021

Turkey & Dressing Dinner Serving from 11:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m. Mashed Potatoes, Gravy, Glazed Carrots, Cranberries, Rolls, Pies, Desserts, and Beverages.

Nachos & Drinks served

- Quilt Raffle
- Pot of Gold
- Goodie Gallop
- Fish Pond

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Auction

Begins at 1:30 p.m. Auctioneers – Jim VonHoltum, Duane Mulder & J. J. VonHoltum

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SUBJECT TO CHANGE

Years Ago—By Audrey Brake Thanks for the many memories! Taken from April 15, & 22, 1943

Wilmont

Chairman, Wm. Boecker, reported on Wednesday noon, that the Village of Wilmont has gone over it's quota of \$12,000 in war bonds. They have sold \$13,600 and some have not reported as yet. The solicitors met with an extremely generous response during their calls Monday.

A statewide 'semi-surprise' blackout will be held the night of Mary 7th, Adj. Gen. Allard A. Walsh announced last week. The blackout will occur between 9 and 11 p.m. (central war time). It will be well for all of us to remember this date: Friday, May 7th, between the hours of nine and seven o'clock.

Pvt. Ray Kremer has returned to his camp at Langley Field, Va. after spending a furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Matt Kremer and other relatives.

Sgt. Cyril Fury of Camp Barkley, Texas, who spent a furlough at his home at Dundee was a Wednesday evening visitor in the home of Mrs. Henry Einck.

Pfc. John Hebbelman of Camp Barkley, Texas is spending a furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Hebbelman and other relatives.

Cpl. Bernard Sieve of Camp Louis Obisco, California is spending a furlough with relatives here and with his wife and son at Ellsworth.

Pvt. Frank Spartz, who was stationed at Fort Leavenworth, Kansas, received an honorable discharge due to disability and returned home Thursday. He had been in training a year and a month.

Pvt. Corwin Gundersen of Camp Sam Houston, Texas who spent a furlough at his home near Wheaton, also visited a short time in the John Moser home and with other friends here.

Harold and Lloyd Dreier of Savanna, Illinois, enroute to Sioux Falls, spent Sunday as dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Francis Arens and supper guests in the Matt Arens home. The Dreier's are sons of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Drier, who some years ago lived here when Mr. Dreier was a partner of the Steck-Dreier Hardware Store.

Mrs. Louie Hoffman had word from her mother, Mrs. Joe Lebens of VanNuys, Cal., saying they received a message from the War Department Saturday that their son, Pvt. William Lebens, had arrived safely somewhere overseas. They hadn't heard from him for several months. She also stated that Pfc. Harry Lebens, another son in the Marines who had attended the Combat Conditioning School at Ocean Side, had returned to San Clemente Island.

Cpl. and Mrs. Shidaker and son of Tallahassee, Florida arrived here Tuesday to visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Anton Bucher. Mrs. Shidaker is the former Helen Bucher.

A deal was completed here Monday whereby, W.A. Michel disposed of his place of business, better known as Michel Implement to Probst Bros., George and Joe Probst. Mr. Michel has been in the implement business here for the past 31 years and in that time has run a very

successful place of business. Mr. Michel takes this means of thanking the customers for their fine patronage in the past and hope they will continue in the same matter with the new proprietors. Mr. Michel stated that George Probst has worked for him for the past seventeen years, and George knows the implement business from start to finish.

In an announcement this week, it was revealed by the First National Bank that Mr. E. W. Nun has severed his connections with that institution as Cashier. In a transaction completed last month, Mr. Nun sold his interest to Mr. E. L. Meyer, who now has controlling interest in the bank. The bank has not announced as yet who will be chosen to replace Mr. Nun. This announcement is expected soon.

At the meeting of directors at the Farmer's Elevator held Monday evening, Fred Alberts was voted in as manager of that elevator. He takes the place of F. J. Page, the elevator's former manager. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Page, who for the past two years have been residents of Wilmont, moved to Jackson to make their new home.

Lorraine Kremer is assisting with household duties in the Bernard Stuntebeck home. Agnes Vortherms, who had been working there, has returned to her home.

Jack Carey returned home on Saturday evening from Schullsberg, Wis. where he was called by the death of his father, James Carey.

Mrs. Josephine Driessen is spending this week at Kinbrae in the home of her daughter, Mrs. Victor Hendel, and caring for her granddaughter, Patsy Hendel, who is ill.

Lawrence Vortherms, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Vortherms is seriously ill at the Slayton Hospital. He was given several blood transfusions.

Anna Marie Davis and Ida Lu Einck, teachers, and pupils of the public school are having a week of Easter vacation.

Then Parochial school closed Wednesday noon for several days of Easter vacation.

Sister M. Louise and Sister M. Jolenta spent Monday at Sioux Falls consulting doctors in regard to the latter's health.

Jeanetta and Marie Hoffman, who have employment at Minneapolis, are spending their Easter vacation with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hoffman.

Beverly Lopshire of Worthington accompanied her parents here Sunday for a visit in the Ed Olson home. Beverly was suffering from a severe burn on her right arm received when she spilled hot gravy while carrying it to the table.

Marilyn Olson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Olson, received a fractured nose while playing ball with a group of children Wednesday afternoon.

The Catholic Ladies Aid Society will sponsor a card party and dance Easter Monday night, April 26th, at the parish hall. Jim Leutchel and his band of Milford, Iowa will play for the dance.

The Veteran's of Foreign Wars and the Auxiliary held their regular meeting Monday evening at the school gym. Installation of officers was held and this was followed by a basket social. A good time was had by all. Continued next page

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Starting Sunday the masses at Our Lady of Good Counsel Church will be at 8 o'clock and 10 o'clock, instead of 9 and 11 o'clock, as in the past. The High Mass will be at 8 o'clock.

William Moerke, 19, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Moerke, who farms six miles south of Wilmont is recovering from injuries received in a farm accident Thursday afternoon. He was assisting his father in the handling of a portable elevator when a part of the implement fell and struck him in the head, causing a deep scalp laceration. He was knocked unconscious and remained so for an hour. He was immediately taken to a Worthington hospital where he was given treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Probst have moved from the Bertrand house on main street to the house vacated by Mr. and Mrs. Frank Page. Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Meyer, who have lived in the W. S. Becker house, recently purchased by Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Balk, will move into the house vacated by the Probst family.

From Nobles County History by Arthur P. Rose

W. O. Tilman, junior member of the implement firm of O. H. Tilman and Son, Wilmont, is one of the early settlers of the village of Wilmont. He was born on a farm in Franklin County, Iowa, August 11, 1869, the son of O. H. Tilman and Louise (Klinesmith) Tilman, now residents of Wilmont. When the subject of this sketch was five years of age he moved with his parents from the farm to the town of Ackley, Iowa, where his father engaged in the implement business. Here he attended the Ackley High School and a few years later returned to the farm in Franklin County. In 1893 he entered the Cedar Rapids Business College, and later the Cedar Rapids School of Penmanship and Pen Art, graduating from both these departments. In the meantime his father had again taken up the implement business in Geneva, lowa, and in 1896 he formed a partnership with him and they continued in that business until November, 1900, when they sold out and moved to Worthington. They remained in the capital of Nobles County until the following spring, when they moved to Wimont, purchased the implement business of the Montgomery-Root Co., and since that time have been in business there. Mr. Tilman was married at Wilmont March 22, 1904 to Anna U. Young, of the same place. One child, Olive H., has been born to this union.

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Upcoming Events at Wilmont VFW—dates available yet!

Booking 2021 & 22 dates

October 2-Dallenbach wedding

October 9-Zemler-Eisenbacher wedding

November 6-Fey-Klosterman wedding

November 13-Marine Corp Ball

November 20-Schettler-Groenwold

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Photo From the Past

The photos this week are more of the Wilmont businessmen at a banquet in the late 1950's. I received a call from Whitey Jueneman. He thinks this banquet may have been put on by Interstate Power Co. from Fulda, since Wilmont was affiliated with that energy company. Whitey also stated that the two men, who are unknown, in one of this week's photos and one from a past issue, may be employees of Interstate Power. This may have taken place at the Club Royal, which was located on the southeast outskirts of Slayton.

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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 Mankatothey 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.

Karri Dawn Korth was born on April 2, 1969 to Gary and Jean (Ossefoort) Staeffler at the Luverne Community Hospital in Luverne, Minnesota. She was baptized at Zion Lutheran Church in Hardwick, Minnesota and confirmed her faith at St. John Lutheran Church in Luverne. She grew up in Luverne except for a short time when her family moved to Barnum, Iowa. In her childhood years, she enjoyed participating in Brownies and Girl Scouts, playing Barbies, softball and riding



horse with her uncles. She graduated from Luverne High School in 1987. She then attended Mankato State University in Mankato, Minnesota for her freshmen year of college. She transferred to Normandale Community College in Minneapolis, Minnesota where she completed her generals and a two year degree. She returned to southwest Minnesota and attended Augustana College in Sioux Falls, South Dakota where she graduated with a four year Medical Technologist degree in 1992. Karri continued to live in Luverne and worked at Pipestone County Medical Center, Luverne Community Hospital and Intervet in Worthington, Minnesota. She continued her career as a medical tech at Avera McKennan Hospital until her health forced her into early retirement.

Karri met the love of her life, Bill Korth, on August 13, 1993 at country western dance lessons offered at the VFW in Luverne. According to Karri, "we danced and danced and we danced"! The couple was married at Blue Mound State Park on August 29, 1998. They made their home in Luverne for 23 years. Karri was very organized and detail oriented and enjoyed putting those skills to use helping her husband with Korth Auction Services throughout the years. She enjoyed Creative Memory scrapbooking, gardening, canning, reading and completing puzzles. Helping Bill on the farm were special times, especially watching the gate for Bill so the cows wouldn't get out. Big Black was a thorn in her side! She loved to spoil her nieces and nephews and they loved their Aunt Karri.

She was a member of St. Catherine Catholic Church in Luverne where she was a member of the RCIA Team. On Saturday, August 28, 2021, Karri went home to be with her Savior while surrounded by her family at the Sanford Luverne Hospice Cottage at the age of 52 years, 4 months and 26 days.

Karri will always remain in the hearts of her husband, Bill; parents, Gary and Jean Staeffler of Luverne; twin sister, Kammi (Bobby) Biber of Brandon, South Dakota; sister-in-law, Sheryl (Greg) Staeffler of Luverne; nieces and nephews, Samantha (Thomas) Lingen, Christopher Biber (fiancé, Cameron Miller), Brianna Biber and Joshua Biber, Zack (Sydney) Staeffler, Katie (Charlie) Dilly and Emilie Staeffler; and other family and numerous friends. She was preceded in death by her brother, Kelly Staeffler; grandparents, Louis and Ethel Ossefoort and Virgil and Marjorie Staeffler; uncle, Larry Staeffler; aunt, Sandra Vander Beek; and her father-in-law and mother-in-law, Desmond and Teresa Korth.

Mass of Christian Burial was held at St. Catherines in Luverne with burial was at St. Kilian Cemetery in Wilmont, Minnesota. Memorials may be directed to the Sanford Luverne Hospice Cottage or The Banquet in Sioux Falls, South Dakota. Arrangements are entrusted to the Hartquist Funeral Home in Luverne. To view Karri's life tribute video or sign an online registry, please visit www.hartquistfuneral.com.

Dianne Rae Honermann, 77, of Mankato passed away on August 17, 2021, from complications of COVID-19.

Dianne was born on March 14, 1944, to Edward and Lenora Lunders and grew up on a farm near Cleghorn, lowa, with her nine siblings. After graduating valedictorian from high school, she moved to Sioux City, Iowa, and worked at Toy National Bank and met a convertible-driving barber named Alan Honermann on the dance floor at Shore Acres Ballroom. They were married on July 27, 1968, in Sioux City, Iowa. They eventually settled in Mankato, Minnesota, where they have lived for 47 years. She was the devoted mother of three children, helping them earn two Eagle Scout badges and spending many hours catching softballs. She was active in her community including a bowling league and frequent coffee dates with friends. She was a voracious reader of the newspaper, and she enjoyed doing crossword puzzles and Sudoku. She enjoyed exercise classes at the YMCA and fellowship with friends while walking around Skyline.

She will be lovingly remembered by her husband, Alan (son of Ray & Loretta Honermann from north of Wilmont); children Tom (Jennifer) Honermann, Andrea (Erik) Schroeder, Brian (Theresa O'Leary) Honermann; 7 grandchildren; and siblings Jerry (Kathy) Lunders, Beverly (Bill) Montie, Connie Vaughn, Dale (Patty) Lunders, Susan Burns, David (Susanne) Lunders, and Loren Lunders. She was preceded in death by her siblings Marilyn Utesch and Leroy Lunders.

Dianne's life was guided by her faith, and she was active in her church and helping her friends and family in need. She freely donated her time and money to "the least of these." (Matthew 25:40) Dianne and Al enjoyed dancing and traveling together. Her last two passports contained 42 stamps! Dianne enjoyed a party, and she was the catalyst (and cook) for gatherings of family and friends. The more the merrier! She was famous for her pies, Christmas candy, sugar cookies, caramels, and moist chocolate cake! She cherished her role as grandmother to seven children between the ages of two months to 16 years. We will all miss her bright smile, easy laughter, generous hospitality, spunk, witness, and loyal friendship.

A Catholic Memorial Mass will be held at a later date. In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be made in Dianne's name to any of the following organizations that were important to her:

- St. Joseph and Holy Family Parishes
- St. Lucie Catholic Church, Haiti (under "Donation to Sister Parish")
- ALS Association Evergreen Chapter
- Loyola Catholic School
- Options for Women
- St. Thomas More Catholic Newman Center
- ECHO Food Shelf
- CADA Mankato Women's Shelter

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

Everyone's donations and help are greatly appreciated!

Donations help support our local VFW Post especially during the pandemic.



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Sept 11-Gathering of family & friends of Inez Balster, 12 noon-3 pm, Wilmont Community Center

Sept 11-Happy 50th wedding anniversary Joyce & Gary Sieve

Sept 11-Patriot Day

Sept 12-St Anthony Parish Bazaar and Craft Auction

Sept 13-Powerful Tools for Caregivers class starts, Center for Active Living, Worthington, 1:30-3 nm

Sept 17-Sub Sandwich Sale orders due

Sept 19-St. Columba 130th Anniversary

Sept 19-St. Adrian Fall Diner, 4-7 pm, Adrian

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

Oct 7—Ive Auditorium, Bloomington, MN—musical—call Yvonne to book at 507-372-2543

Oct 10—Our Lady of Good Counsel Fall Bazaar

Oct 15-Nobles 2 Power Partners Grant applications due

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