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“Any day I’m alive, the weather’s fantastic” is artist’s motto



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Crosby artist-musician James Bzura is featured in a solo exhibition at the Jaques Art Center in Aitkin that opens on July 10 with a public reception on Saturday, July 11, from noon until 3 p.m. This eye-popping exhibition, titled “Pop Color Universe”, contains stunning original paintings and sculptures taken from subjects far and near.

A good second look will be needed to take in the 21 foot-long train with painted boxcars that rolls across the museum walls, while a 7 foot tall bull-fiddle with king’s crown stands guard

near-by. A teapot the size of a kitchen table is accompanied by chair-sized teacups next to dishes filled with foot-ball-sized raspberries. Meanwhile, an ebony stegosaurus

with turquoise armor-plates placidly takes in the sun’s rays as a large view of Venice’s Basilica looms in the distance. Going on another

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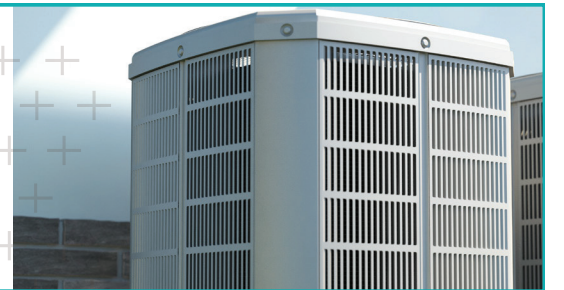
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Crow Wing Food Co-op expands to new larger quarters and added deli



The Crow Wing Food Co-op will soon be housed in this vintage building at the corner of Laurel and Seventh Streets in downtown Brainerd. Photo submitted by Crow Wing Food Co-op

By ANN SCHWARTZ
 “I’m passionate about local food,” said Theresa Woodward, owner of CatTales Books and Gifts in downtown Brainerd.
 This business owner will soon have a new neighbor, the Crow Wing Food Co-op, of which Woodward is the board chair.
 “We are quadrupling our space,” observed Woodward.
 The Co-op will move, hopefully in August, from their smallish, former gas station at the corner of Washington

and Eighth Streets to the former Hockey House property on the corner of Seventh and Laurel. Years ago, that historic building was a bank and it also housed an art supply store.
 The Co-op will be adding more freezer space for farm-fresh goods, as well as a deli kitchen with fresh juices and smoothies.
 Although the former bank’s exterior columns can’t be restored, historic touches will be featured on the inside, including refurbished marble floors.

Although they didn’t fundraise for a while during the beginning of the Covid-19 pandemic, they are well on their way with the goal of opening the store in August and the Deli in September. And they are starting a major crowdfunding push this month.

As president of the board for two years, Woodward said she believes strongly that local food systems are what the community needs.

“The reason I have pushed for this expansion and volunteered my time is that local food systems benefit local farmers and bring nutritionally-dense food to the community that doesn’t need to be trucked in.”

Woodward noted that when there was a rush on shopping in March and April and some stores ran short on supplies, local farmers and producers still kept the Co-op stocked. “The farmers got job security and supplied us with what we needed.”

Fundraising report
 Board Member Jennifer Jacquot-Devries is leading the fundraising effort.
 “I believe the overall relocation and expansion project will cost around \$250,000,” she reported. “We raised more than \$10,000 from a Spring Member Drive. We were awarded \$5,000 from Mid-Minnesota Federal Credit Union. We were awarded \$10,000 from Crow Wing Power. And the Destination Downtown Business Challenge (hosted by the Brainerd Lakes Chamber of Commerce)

winnings have helped substantially with things like an \$8,000 rent subsidy from the Brainerd HRA, a \$5,000 credit from Hy-Tec on renovation/construction costs, complimentary broadband for one year from CTC, legal services from Borden Steinbauer Krueger & Knudson, a \$2,000 credit from Builders First Source and a \$1,000 credit from The TeeHive.
 “All of those services help tremendously in lowering relocation expenses.
 “The Co-op will embark on a substantial crowdfunding

campaign in July in hopes of raising funds needed to cover the cost of equipment needed for the Deli and Smoothie Bar. Through crowdfunding, a capital campaign, and another member drive, we hope to cover the remaining \$225,000 in expenses to cover the cost of new equipment including a new walk-in cooler and freezer. We have a fiscal sponsorship set up with Brainerd Community Action which enables tax-deductible contributions to support our work to expand local access to fresh, healthy, locally grown foods.”

READER RIBBETS

Mask-mandates control mechanism

Am I the only person on earth who sees mask-mandates as a control-mechanism that is essentially the 666/Mark-of-the-Beast foretold in the Apocalypse? Freely choosing to wear a mask is one thing, but when governments and businesses start mandating masks, I firmly believe they are going too far.
 Jesus gave us the Ten Commandments, but He doesn’t force anyone to follow them. He allows people to exercise their free will and choose whether or not to obey Him. I believe the same principle must be followed regarding

masks: recommend and encourage them, fine; but don’t force them on people. No one should be forced to get a formal medical exemption from their doctor in order to be “free” to not wear a mask, but that’s the position the mask-mandates are putting people in.
 God allows people to use their free will. I believe any government (local or national) which refuses to do likewise, is anti-God. Masks are NOT a moral issue as is, for example, murder.
 All civil laws must be in conformity with the Divine Law

and Natural Law; if they are not, we are required to disobey those civil laws. Nowhere does God’s law tell people they must put their own health and safety in serious jeopardy through oxygen-deprivation on the chance that by doing so, they might possibly slow the spread of other illness.
 Currently, most of the COVID-19 spread is happening as a result of people congregating and drinking in bars; can we see the message here? God is trying to tell us to shut down all the bars, FOREVER!
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Majority oppose defunding police

An overwhelming majority of Minnesotans have confidence in their local police departments and oppose plans to defund and disband the Minneapolis police department, according to a new statewide Center of the American Experiment poll.
 John Hinderaker, President of Center of the American Experiment, commented, “To politicians everywhere who are pushing to defund the police, my advice is to stop and read the room. Minnesotans are not with you, and it will have consequences for the city of Minneapolis.”

The poll surveyed 500 registered voters in Minnesota between June 15 and June 17, 2020. It found:

- Minnesotans have positive attitudes toward police**
 - 85% of Minnesotans statewide feel safe around their local police and have confidence in them to act in the best interests of the public.
 - A majority (58%) of Minneapolis and St. Paul residents have confidence in their police, but the rest of the state is noticeably higher, including the Twin Cities suburbs* (86%).
 - 85% of Minnesotans believe George Floyd’s death is likely to lead to real police reform.

Residents are divided on defunding the police

- 68% of Minnesotans oppose the City of Minneapolis’ plan to defund the police, while 76% oppose defunding their own local police departments.
- Minneapolis and St. Paul residents are starkly divided on the issue of defunding the Minneapolis police department. In total, 56% support it, but only 38% strongly support it while 25% strongly oppose it.
- Minnesotans who live outside of Minneapolis will be much less likely to visit the city, if the police are defunded**
 - Nearly three-in-four Minnesotans (72%) will be less likely – with 58% saying they will be ‘much less likely’ – to travel to Minneapolis for dining or entertainment if the police are defunded.
 - 71% of residents in the Twin Cities suburbs say they will be less likely to visit.
- Large majority of Minnesotans believe the protests were justified, while most don’t believe the riots were**
 - 77% of Minnesotans think the protests and demonstrations were fully or partially justified, and 78% think the burning and looting were not justified.
 - 51% of Minneapolis and St. Paul residents were concerned about their own personal safety

Minnesotans either don’t want state taxpayers to pick up the cost of damages from the riots, or want to only pay for part of the damages.

- during the riots and protests, as well as 29% of residents in the Twin Cities suburbs.
- By a two-to-one margin, Minnesotans statewide think the National Guard should have been deployed sooner and in greater numbers, but most Democrats (55%) disagree.
- Minnesotans either don’t want state taxpayers to pick up the cost of damages from the riots, or want to only pay for part of the damages.**
 - Voters are evenly split between using state taxpayer dollars to pay for part of the damages (39%) or not paying for anything at all (39%).
 - A plurality of voters outside of the Twin Cities metro area don’t think the state should pay for any of the damages.
 - Only a very small minority statewide (5%) thinks state taxpayers should pay for all of it.
- Minnesotans have negative feelings about protesters toppling the Christopher Columbus statue in St. Paul without legal consequence.**
 - The top three emotions conveyed were: disgusted (34%), angry (20%), and sad (20%).

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It's here! The Fourth of July. Some of my little children were wondering if summer was shorter since "they canceled the Fourth of July". We let them know that it was still on the calendar, as was our celebration.

It also started a wonderful discussion on what the Fourth of July is actually about: the beginning of the greatest country the planet has ever seen. This commemoration of our decision to be an independent nation ushered in the freeing of the human spirit. This human spirit that had been, and still is, widely oppressed across the planet.

John Adams and Thomas Jefferson were two of the Founding Fathers to sign the Declaration of Independence. One proposed it, and the other largely wrote it. I read also that these two didn't really get along. Adams thought we should celebrate the 2nd of July, the date on which it was written, Jefferson the 4th, when it was signed. One wanted lots of rules, the other wanted to be left alone. They knew they needed each other, though, and they wrote each other almost daily. They even died on the same day: the 50th anniversary of the signing of the Declaration of Independence, the Fourth of July.

I think we can still draw some important lessons from these brave men. I believe it takes courage to work well with someone you disagree with. I think it takes courage to keep the communication

lines open. I think amazing things happen when the human spirit is freed and not dependent on government but guided by a good moral compass.

Maybe this week, or maybe just today, ask someone their name, instead of calling them one. Ask someone about themselves, instead of assuming something about them. Take time to listen, instead of talking. Think about the amazing foundation of this country and be grateful. Let truth and goodness be your guide, instead of agenda.

Have the courage to see what happens. Make the SHIFT today!



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Virtual Music in the Park and free dinner July 9

The Cuyuna Lakes Chamber's Virtual Music in the Park is a free, family-friendly video concert series anyone can watch from the safety of their electronic device. Blue Collar Sound and Easy Street Productions have partnered with the Cuyuna Lakes Chamber to film the video performances of each local

musician and band on the second and fourth Thursday evenings of the month through August. Details are available at cuyunalakes.com/virtual-music-in-the-park/

Next on the Virtual Music in the Park lineup on July 9 is Avery & Duncan, a Minnesota duo comprised of the two life-long friends, Avery Georges

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Mille Lacs Energy Trust Board awards grants

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The Trust Board meets the second Tuesday in March, June, September and December.

Bzura "Pop Color Universe" | Continued from Page 1

road, a large wall sculpture of an auto titled " '49 Hudson " depicts Jack Kerouac and pal Neal careening across America with sax and trumpet blaring out the windows. An interactive feature on this allows viewers to dial in scenes from Greenwich village to Denver to The Golden Gate bridge.

Regional flavor abounds as a living room wall-size depiction of Aitkin's Fish House Parade lights up the showing, complemented by devotional

paintings of fishing reels, large musky lures, and shore-side local lake landscapes. Some scenes from the artist's home-town Crosby are sure to be included.

James Bzura's unusual style comes to him honestly, as he combines lifelong interests in many musical styles and instrument building with landscape painting and the history of culture. From meeting with leading rock musicians back in the '60's and recording original songs in New York

City's best studios to painting Rocky Mountain landscapes, he advanced to further art studies with Western professors and then continued on exhibiting in numerous Colorado museums. The blend of woods, water, old farms and fishing inspired him to set up an art and music studio here in the lakes district, and this solo exhibition in the Jaques Art Center is his first in Minnesota. Bzura says if he had

a motto, it would be "Any day I'm alive, the weather's fantastic."

The show "Pop Color Universe" runs from July 10 through August 29. The Jaques Art Center is located in Aitkin, MN, at 121 2nd St. N.W. and is open Tuesdays through Saturdays and always features free admission. Please call 218-927-2363 or visit Jaquesart.com for further information.

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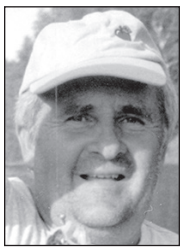
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OBITUARIES

JOHN SAVALOJA



John H. Savaloja, 67, of Trommald died at his home on April 6, 2020 after 599 days of battling Glioblastoma.

A Memorial Gathering was held from 1:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. Friday, July 3, 2020 at the Walter Scott Erickson American Legion Post #557 in Deerwood. In lieu of flowers, memorial are preferred to Brainup <https://www.brainup.ngo/sunflower-memory-wall/john-savalaja/>

He was born on February 3, 1953 in Wadena to Harold and Shirley (Erckenbrack) Savaloja. John married Virginia "Ginny" Milberry on

September 20, 2001 in Trommald. He was a retired Highway Technician with MNDOT with 29 years of service.

John is survived by his wife Ginny; mother, Shirley Savaloja of Deerwood; stepson, Patrick Raverty of Brainerd; stepdaughter, Erin (Neil) Erickson of Apple Valley; brother, Bruce Savaloja of Wamego, KS; three sisters: Linda (Bud) Nelson of Deerwood, Cathy (John) Vidmar of Buffalo and Peggy (Dale) Roseir of Grand Rapids; and two grandchildren, Maya and Emma Erickson.

Preceding John in death were his father, Harold in 2013; two brothers, Terry Savaloja in 1992 and Mark Savaloja in 2003 and Goldie, the best dog ever.

JAYNE BIALON



Jayne E. Bialon, 68, of Emily died on June 17, 2020 at the Cuyuna Regional Care Center in Crosby.

A Memorial Mass will be held 11:00 a.m. Tuesday, July 14, 2020 at St. Emily's Catholic Church. A visitation will be one hour prior to the service at the church on Tuesday. In lieu of flowers memorials are preferred to the ALS Association, 1919 University Avenue W. #175, St. Paul, MN. 55104. Please reference Jayne's name with memorials.

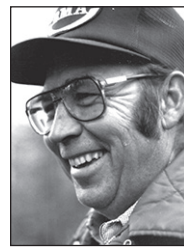
She was born in Hammond, IN on March 26, 1952 to Leonard and Helen (Hanusin) Baranowski. Jayne was a retired teacher from the Pequot Lakes High School. She taught English and

Speech. She was a member of St. Emily's Catholic Church in Emily, and the Crosslake Art Club. And she was and member and past President of the Crosslake Garden Club.

Jayne is survived by her husband, Van; two sons: Michael (Jen) Banjura of Griffith, IN; David Bialon of DeYoung, Thailand; two daughters, Michelle (Andrew) Morris of Missouri City, TX and Michelle (Craig) Bialon-Choy of Millbrae, CA; two brothers, Andy (Allison) Baranowski of Delray Beach, FL and Tony (Lisa) Baranowski of Edwardsburg, MI; three sisters, Diane (Rick) Trezek of Brookfield, IL, Joyce (Kurt) Severe of Willowbrook, IL and Amy (David) Cavazos of Gurnee, IL; and seven grandchildren.

Arrangements were with the Koop Funeral Home in Crosby.

HARRY EKELUND



Harry Russell Ekelund, 88, of McGregor, died Wednesday, June 24, 2020 in Aitkin.

Due to Covid-19, services at Grace Lutheran Church in McGregor will NOT be held. The family will be having private graveside services at Pine Needle Cemetery,



McGregor. Military Honors will be provided by McGregor V.F.W. Larson-Dunee Post #2747 and Dale Wayrynen American Legion

Post #23. The family asks that NO flowers or cards be sent. Memorials in Harry's memory may be sent to the Riverwood Foundation, 200 Bunker Hill Drive, Aitkin, MN 56431.

Harry was born along with his twin brother, Herman on July 28, 1931 in Aitkin to Richard and Ethel Ekelund. He started working with his Dad, logging and working on the sawmill at age 14. Harry attended McGregor High School where he loved and excelled at football. He was a running back, kicker and punter and co-captain of his team. In 1950, he joined the Navy. Harry served in the Korean War as a radio operator on a P2V patrol bomber. He participated in Operation Castle Bravo, the largest nuclear bomb test ever over Bikini Atoll in the Marshall Islands. On August 11, 1952, while stationed at Whidbey Island, he married his high school sweetheart, Barbara Barott

in Mt Vernon, WA. In 1954 Harry was honorably discharged and returned to McGregor to make his home. He continued working at his dad's sawmill, which eventually became Ekelund Lumber. He retired after over 50 years. Harry was a member of the McGregor VFW Post #2747, NRA, Minnewawa Sportsmen's Club and Grace Lutheran Church. Harry carried the US Flag for the VFW for over 50 years for many parades, memorial services, and funerals. He loved God, his country, and his family. Harry was passionate about hunting and fishing. He bowled on several leagues and loved trap shooting, which he continued to enjoy for many years.

Harry was preceded in death by his his wife of 64 years, Barbara; parents; his infant daughter Geri and his beloved daughter, Lori Ann; five brothers; Walley, Cliff, Pete, Ralph and his twin brother Herman; 1 sister, Doris. He also lost three special springer spaniels, Lobo, Snuffy and Punk and had a special place in his heart for his sons' yellow labs.

He is survived by his son, Steve Ekelund; granddaughter, Casey Belz (Ben) and the newest love of his life, great-granddaughter Emily Belz; two sisters-in-law, Dorie and Janice and many nieces, nephews, other relatives and friends who loved him dearly.

Arrangements were with the McGregor Funeral Home and Cremation Service in McGregor. Go to www.srtfuneral.com to leave online condolences.

CAROL RIAN



Carol Ann Rian, 74, of Palisade, died Thursday, June 25, 2020 in Golden Horizons Assisted Living, Aitkin.

A Graveside service was held Friday, July 3, 2020 at 10 a.m. in Pine Grove Cemetery, Logan Township with Pastor Charles Carlson officiating.

A gathering of family and friends will begin at 9:30 a.m. at the cemetery. She was born October 2, 1945 in Aitkin to Walter and Pearl (Emmert) Watson. Carol married John Rian on October 26, 1963 in Palisade. They were blessed with three children. Carol loved to visit with everyone. She was a house wife and babysat for friends and family. Carol also helped John in his small

engine shop. She was well known for her famous oatmeal cake and macaroni salad! Carol will be dearly missed by all who knew her.

She is survived by her loving husband of 57 years, John Rian; son, Richard (Patty) Rian; daughter, Rose Rian, all of Palisade; eight grandchildren: Amanda, Gregory, Cameron, Kaitlyn, Christy, Jennifer, Brandi, Bobbie; 16 great grandchildren; brothers, Richard, Donald and Curtiss Watson; many other relatives and friends.

Carol is preceded in death by her parents; beloved daughter, Rita Rian; one sister and two brothers.

Arrangements were with the Sorensen-Root-Thompson Funeral Home and Cremation Service of Aitkin. Go to www.srtfuneral.com to leave online condolences.

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CHURCH DIRECTORY

* Indicates handicap accessible. NOTE: All times are Sunday morning (a.m.) unless indicated otherwise.

ALLIANCE

Aitkin — New Life; Larry Burg & John Baker, pastors; Worship in the church building beginning on July 5th 10:15 am & 6:30 pm; "Elevate" youth group for 7th-12th graders Wed 6:15 pm; 112 - 1st Ave. SW 218-927-2823.

Baxter* — Pointway Alliance Church; Rev. Charles Bolstridge, 218-537-6505; 7756 Highland Scenic Road; Worship 10; www.pointway.org

Garrison* — Pastor Michael H. Palkie; Worship 9; SS 10:30. Onamia — Vineland Native American Chapel, Hwy. 169 north of casino; Worship 11; Pastor Boeringa 320-532-4449

ASSEMBLY OF GOD

Aitkin — Heritage Church, Rev. Hayden Loven; Sunday Morning Service 10:45

Crosby — Pastor Dustin McCaleb; Worship 10:30

Crosslake — Crossroads Christian, Rev. Gary Espeseth; SS at 9:30; Worship at 10:45

Hill City — Interim Pastor John Koppel, Staff Pastor Lisa Jordan; Worship 10; hillcityagchurch@gmail.com; 218-697-2662

Palisade — Pastor Ed Sornberger; SS 9; Worship 10; Kids Church; Small groups during the week 218-845-2726

BAPTIST

Aitkin - The Journey North, Pastor Lynfield Hines, 218-824-5617, Worship 9:30 and 11, thejourneynorth.com

Baxter - The Journey North, Pastor Mark Bjorlo, 218-824-5617, Worship Saturday 5, Sunday 9, 10:30, 11:45, thejourneynorth.com

Brainerd* - Faith Baptist Church, Pastor Chris Erickson, 218-829-3191; SS 9:00, Worship 10:30 and 6 p.m., Wed. Classes and Clubs 6:30 p.m.; fbbrainerd.com

Brainerd- The Church On The Wise Road, Pastor Todd Stumbo 218-829-4673, Worship 11:00, SS 9:45 www.thechurchonthewiseroad.org

Breezy Point — Eagles Nest, Pastor Zach Broom 218-562-5252, Worship 10:30, SS 9:30.

Crosby — Bible Baptist, Pastor G. Fisher; SS 9:45; Service 10:45 and 6 p.m., Bible Study and Our Kids for Christ Wed. 7 pm

Deerwood* — Pastor W. Skog; SS 9:30; Worship 10:30 and 6 pm; Wed. Service, 6:30 pm.

Glory* — Pastor Chris Meirose; 927-3678; SS 9:15; Worship 10:30 am.; Wed 6pm Glory Family night, KidMin grades kindergarten - 6, Mad4Christ grades 7-12.

Hill City — Pastor Lonnie Lee; 218-697-2645; Adult SS 9; Worship 10 am; Bible Study, Fri., 7 pm.

Isle — Pastor Nick Skogen; 676-3171; SS 9:30; Service 10:30; Bible Study, Wed., 7 p.m.

Opstead — 676-8859; SS 9:30; Worship, 10:30; Bible Study Wed., 7 p.m.

CATHOLIC

Aitkin* — St. James, Fr. David Forsman, 218-927-6581; Mass Sat. 5 pm, Sun. 10 AM. Confession Sat. 10-10:45 am and 4-4:45 pm.

Brainerd — St. Andrew's, Fr. Daniel Weiske, Sat.4:30; Sun. 10:00 and St. Matthias Sunday 8:00.

Brainerd — St. Francis, Fr. Anthony Wroblewski, Sat. 5:00; Sunday 7:30, 9:00, 11:15 and All Saints Saturday 4:00 and Sunday 10:30.

Cromwell/Wright — Immaculate Conception, Mass: Sat. 5 p.m.

Crosby* — St. Joseph's, Mass: Sat. 4:30 pm; Sun 10:30.

Crosslake — Immaculate Heart, 218-692-3731; www.ihmsternis.org; Mass: Sat. 4 pm; Sun. 8:30; Confession Sat. 3 pm.

Emily — St. Emily, Mass: Mon. & Wed. 8; Sun. 10:30; Confession 1st Sat. 11 or by appt. 218-763-2101.

Garrison — Our Lady of Fatima, Fr. Elias Gieske, Mass Sun. 8 am. Confession Sun 7:15-7:45 am.

Grand Rapids — St. Joseph's, Fr. Jerry Weiss, Mass: Sat. 5 pm; Sun. 8 & 10:30. 218-326-2483

Hillman — Holy Family; Sun. 10 to Mass Sat. 6:30 pm (only through Labor Day) w/ confession before or by appt.

McGregor — Holy Family, Fr. David Forsman, 218-927-6581; Mass Sun. 8 am. Confession 7:15-7:45 am.

Vineland — St. Therese, Mass Sun. 11; Holy Days 8:30.

CHURCH OF CHRIST

Baxter, Lakes Area — Nondenominational; 7001 Highland

Scenic Road; Bible Study every Wed. 7 pm; Worship 10:30-11:30. 218-828-1362

Tamarack — Pastor Terry Banker, 608-475-1528, Worship 9:30; SS 10:45; Wed Youth 4 pm.

CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST OF LATTER-DAY SAINTS

Aitkin — Co. Rd. 12, Chapel Ph. 218-927-4454; Kevin Haffner 218-792-5684; Sacrament Mtg. 10

COMMUNITY

Aitkin — Nondenominational; 927-2749; at 219-1st Ave. NE., Aitkin, Services Sun.10, 218-927-6959

Brainerd - Community of Hope Church of the Nazarene- Pastor Dave McGaffey Sunday worship at 10:45, SS 9:30 -16549 Johnson Rd -church phone 218-829-9005

Glen — Pastor R. F. Stauter, 218-838-1981; Worship 9 May-Oct.

Grand Rapids — Solid Rock Church of God, Pastor Robert Kimberling; 218-326-0711; Sun. BS 9:30, Worship 10:30; Wed. BS 6:30 pm

Jacobson — Jacobson Community Church, Pastor George Collins, 218-252-5938, Sun. SS (All ages) 9:30, Worship 10:30; Family Time 2nd & 4th Sundays; Wed. BS 7 pm

Kimberly — Nature Ave. Rev. Rick Perry; Worship 9; Adult Bible Study & Sunday School 10:30; 218-927-6256.

McGregor — Amazing Grace Christian Church; Worship 10; 99 South 1st Street (at the McGregor United Methodist church [shared] in downtown McGregor) Pastor Joel Seibel.

McGregor — Victory Mission, Pastor J. Gould, 218-768-2160; Sun. 10; Wed. Bible Study, 7:30 pm.

Merrifield — Community Church of the Nazarene, Pastor Ron Christensen; Service 11 & 6 pm. Wed. Prayer Meeting, 7 p.m.; 218-829-7536.

Merrifield — Ossipee Community, SS 10; Service 11; Wed. Bible Study Prayer, 7:00 p.m.

Nisswa — Christ Community Church, Pastor Richie Bean; Service 10; Fellowship 9:30-10

Outing* - Narrows Community Church, Pastor Stanley Mikles, 218-792-5530 Worship 9:30; Children's Sunday School 9:30; 6297 Woods Bay NE, just north of Hwy. 6 bridge

Palisade/Waukenab Twp. — Hilltop Chapel, Pastor B. Hite; Service 10 a.m.; Adult and Children's SS 9 a.m.; between Esquagama & Round Lake. Handicap Accessible.

Tamarack — Church of Christ, 218-768-3898; Service 9:30; SS 10:45.

CONGREGATIONAL

Aitkin — First (UCC) Rev. Lijja Behr; Sun.10; Comm. 1st Sun; Council Mtg. 2nd Sun. Spiritual fellowship, Sun. 9.

EPISCOPAL

Aitkin — St. John's, Holy Communion or Morning Prayer 9

Brainerd* — St. Paul's, Holy Communion Sunday 10

EVANGELICAL FREE

Baxter — Lakewood EFC, Pastor Steve Anderson; Worship at 9 & 10:45; Wed for all ages 6:30 pm

Crosslake — Pastor Mark Holmen; Call for Service Times at 218-692-4141, email thelogchurch@crosslake.net

Isle — Pastor Kerry Johnston; Worship 9; SS 10:15; Wed. Youth Group 6 pm; Adult Prayer 6:30 pm

Malmö — Pastor Glenn Browning; SS 9:30; Fellowship 10; Worship 10:15

Wright — Pastor Ken Mitchell, 218-426-5115; SS 9:30; Worship, 10:30; Thu., Bible Study, 7 pm.

HEBREW/MESSIANIC

Glen — Beth Shalom Tabernacle of Truth, Rabi Frank Dell, for information 320-684-2804

LUTHERAN

Aitkin — Bethlehem (ELCA), Rev. Rebecca Hinz; Worship 9:30; Holy Comm. 1st & 3rd Sun each month.

Aitkin — First* (ELCA) Pastor Reggie Denton, Pastor Jordan Gades; worship Sat. 5 pm, Sun. 8 am & 10 am, Wed. 5:30 pm w/supper; contemporary services 2nd & 4th Sun.; nursery staffed during 10 am Sun. service; Sunday service is live streamed on YouTube (First Lutheran Church Aitkin); broadcast on KKKIN (94.3FM); community meal every Mon.

& Thu. 5 pm; food shelf 2nd & 4th Thu. 9:30 am-5 pm.

Aitkin — St. John's (Missouri Synod), Pastor D. Becker; Worship Sun. 9, SS 10

Baxter — Christ Lutheran Church and Preschool (WELS). Pastor Bill Werth. Sunday Worship 9. Sunday School/ Adult Bible Class 10:15. 13815 Cherrywood Dr. in Baxter. (Corner of Inglewood and Cherrywood). 218-829-4105. www.christbaxter.com.

Baxter — Prince of Peace (LCMS); Communion every Sunday 9, Fellowship 10:15, Adult Bible Class & Sunday School 10:30 am 218-829-7092 www.pppbaxter.org

Beaver Township — Finnish EA, Hwy. 27, Worship 1st & 3rd Sun., 10:30.

Brainerd — Good Shepherd Free Lutheran Church, AFLC, Sunday School 9, Worship 10 coffee fellowship 11, Wednesday evening 7 pm adult Bible study. Located at 5878 Pine Beach Road, Brainerd, 218-824-3052, www.goodshepherdfreechurch.org

Brainerd - Laestadian Lutheran Church; 1501 So. 8th St. - Sunday Worship Services 11 am. (www.lchchurch.org)

Brainerd — Trinity Lutheran Church (ELCA) 1420 South 6th Street Brainerd - Pastor Hans Anderson Worship times September through May are 8:15 a.m. & 10:30 a.m.; Summer Worship time is 9:00 a.m. Phone: 218-829-5147 Website: www.trinitybrainerd.org Email: trinity@trinitybrainerd.org

Brainerd — Truth Lutheran Church (LCMC, Pastor James Walth, Corner of 5th and Kingwood, Worship 9

Cedar Lake, Norwegian Lutheran — Third Sun 11, May - Oct. Cedarbrook — St. John's (ELCA); Worship 8:30; Holy Comm. 1st & 3rd Sun.

Crosby — Immanuel (LCMC, NALC) Rev. Paul Mattson; Sun. 9 & 10:30 worship; SS (Sept.-May) 10:40.

Crosby — Zion (LC-MS) Pastor Dean Stolz; Worship 8:30; SS 10; Bible Study Wed. 7 pm; handicap accessible. 218-546-6910

Crosslake —(ELCA) Pastor Kristin Oltmann, Pastor Kurt Hagestuen, 218-692-3682, In-Car Outdoor Worship, Sundays at 10 am at 14019 Daggett Pine Road, Crosslake View Worship online at crosslakelutheran.com

Crosslake —Mission of the Cross (LCMS), Pastor Leslie Uhrinak; Worship 9:30 with every Sunday Communion, Fellowship 10:30, Adult Bible Class 11, 218-692-4228, www.missionofthecross.org

Deerwood — Salem (ELCA), Pastor Michael Briggs; Worship 9; Sunday School 9:15.

Garrison — Light of the Cross (ELCA), Pastor Juli Sutton-Deem; Worship 9 SS 9; 320-692-4773 or 877-406-9101.

Garrison — Shepherd of the Lake (LCMS), Rev. Tom Petersen. Worship 10 with Communion Every Sunday. Adult Bible Study 8:30am, Sunday School Sept-May, 8:30am. Fellowship 11am. 320-692-4581. www.shepherdofthelake.org

Giese — Immanuel, Rev. R. Langhorst & Rev. R. Lovaas; Worship 9; SS 10; Holy Communion 1st Sun. of month 8:45.

Hill City — Trinity, (Missouri Synod), Pastor M. Eckert; Worship 9; Bible Study 10:15.

Hillman — Immanuel, (ELCA) Sun. Worship 9:30, SS 10. Located on the corner of Hwy. 27 and Co. Rd. 47. (Handicap accessible)

Iron Hub — Immanuel (LC-MS), Pastor Dean Stolz; Worship 9 am Alternating with Zion of Crosby; 218-534-3069

Isle — Faith (ELCA), Interim Pastor Rev. Henry French; Worship 9:30; handicapped accessible.

Isle — Holden (ELCA), SS 9:30; Worship 10:30.

Isle — Trinity (Missouri Synod); Rev. Mark Maunula; Worship 8:30; Fellowship follows; SS 9:45; Adult Bible 10.

Jacobson — Carmel, Vicar Mark Wagner; SS 1st & 3rd Sun. 10, Service 11, fellowship follows.

Lake Shore — Living Savior Lutheran Church, 8327 Interlachen Rd.; Worship 9:00 Sunday mornings, followed by fellowship and Bible study. (Located on Co. Rd. #77 N)

Malmö — Bethesda (ELCA) Sun. Worship 9 (winter) 8:30 & 10 (summer); Fellowship after first service; Comm. 1st & 3rd Sun.

McGrath — Grace; Wed. potluck 5 pm, Bible study 6 p.m.; SS 10; Worship 11.

McGrath — Zion (ELCA), Pastor Elliott Malm; Worship 9; SS 9.

McGregor/Big Sandy Lake — Grace Lutheran Log Church (ELCA), Pastor Ericka Foss; Worship 9, Fellowship follows, SS 10.

McGregor — Our Savior's (Missouri Synod), Pastor Joshua C. Reinke; Worship 9; SS 10; Bible Study Tue. 9, Wed. 7 pm

Outing — Our Saviors ELCA; Pastor Peter Rosenkvist, Worship 9.

Palisade* — Bethel (ELCA), Rev. Wm. J. Sass; Worship 9:30. Pequot Lakes* - Our Savior's Lutheran Church (ELCA) Rev. Stephen Blenkush Worship 9:00 a.m., SS 9:15 a.m., Fellowship 10:15 a.m. Wed. Adult Bible Study 11:00 a.m.

Rosburg — Bethesda (ELCA); Comm. 1st & 3rd Sunday each month.

Tamarack (AFLC) — Pastor Ron Staudinger; 1st, 3rd and 4th Sundays 10 am; 41163 Kestrel Ave 3.3 mi. South of Hwy 210

OBITUARIES

JACK KRAUSE



Jack "John G." Krause, 87, of Deerwood died on June 28, 2020 at his home on Serpent Lake.

A Memorial Mass will be held 11:00 a.m. Tuesday, July 7, 2020 at St. Joseph's Catholic Church in Crosby.

Visitation will be one hour prior to the service at the church. Burial will be at the Oak Park Cemetery in Forest Lake. In lieu of flowers memorials are preferred to St. Vincent DePaul or the Cuyuna Range Food Bank (218-546-7444).

He was born on February 24, 1933 in Minneapolis during the Great Depression to older parents, which deeply influenced the development of Jack's character. He attended Catholic grade schools and finished 8th grade at Immaculate Conception in Columbia Heights, where he commuted by car from Mounds View to school. The good nuns of Immaculate Conception strongly suggested that his parents send him to De La Salle High School where the good Brothers further developed Jack's character. Upon graduation at age 18, he secured a job on the assembly line at Donaldson Company Incorporated in Bloomington, where he worked his way from the factory, to the lab, to sales, to his final position before retirement as an International Business Director. He retired at age 62 after 44

years at DCI, having never missed a paycheck. He was a proud member of AA for 35 years. Tenacious would be the one word to describe Jack. He loved sports his whole life. He continued to play, watch and coach throughout his life, well into his 80's until cancer finally slowed him down. Jack and Sharon were "Snowbirds" descending to Sun City West, AZ on November 1st enjoying golf, softball, and travel, returning May 1st to their beloved Minnesota.

Jack is survived by his wife of 66 years, Sharon Barott Krause; six children: Gary (Liz Scarlett) Krause, Sandra Krause, Janet (Michael) Sandretzky, Nancy (Rich) Friedrichs, Kristina (Ramin) Rashedi and John Joseph Krause; 11 grandchildren: Peter Krause, William Krause, Katie Hobday, Melissa Martini Laughlin, Jack Friedrichs, Lindsey Sandretzky, Ayla Sandretzky, Isaac Krause, Noah Krause, Arianna Rashedi, and Sam Rashedi; great grandchildren: Angiulo Damiani, Kameron, Kruse, Kiona Krause, Ben Hobday, Jon Hobday, Finley Rousu, Connor Laughlin, Emma Laughlin and Taylor Laughlin; and many nieces, nephews and lifelong friends.

Preceding Jack in death were his parents, Leo and Kathryn Krause; brother, Elroy; four sisters: Marion, Marge, Maxine and Mary Agnes; daughter-in-law, Kristi Hoff Krause and grandson, Adam Michael Sandretzky.

Arrangements were with the Koop Funeral Home in Crosby.



Linda Mary Wenzel, 70, of Aitkin, died Saturday, June 27, 2020 in Riverwood Healthcare Center, Aitkin.

A gathering of family and friends was held Thursday, July 2, 2020 at the Sorenson-Root-Thompson Funeral Home, Aitkin.

She was born September 26, 1949 in Minneapolis to Robert and Jean (Cook) Mansk. Linda graduated from St. Cloud State University with a Bachelor of Science degree in Teaching. She taught in both Palisade and Aitkin for over 30 years. Linda had a love and passion for teaching children even after her retirement. Linda was united in marriage to Kenneth Wayne Wenzel in July of 1997. Linda loved to read and was a member of the Rippleside Readers Book Club. She also enjoyed jigsaw puzzles, fishing, traveling and especially spending time up north with family and friends. Linda also loved animals,

especially her dogs. Linda will be dearly missed by all who knew her.

Linda is preceded in death by her husband, Kenneth Wenzel.

Linda is survived by her parents, Robert and Jean Mansk of Columbia Heights; son, Gabe (Anne) Carlstrom of Laporte; step-children: Amanda (Peter) Lowe of Aitkin, Jonathon (Heather) Wenzel of St. Cloud and Nickolas (Lynn) Wenzel of Aitkin; nine grandchildren: Allyson Gregory and Logan Wenzel, Peyton and Micah Carlstrom, Jordan, Jillian and Jackson MacDonald and Natalie and Brooklyn Wenzel; siblings: Dan (Ann) Mansk of Wausau, WI; Dave (Julie) Mansk of Cape Canaveral, FL; Mark (Jeanne) Mansk of Chisago, Kathy (Scott) Billehus of Anoka and Sonny (Brian) Purdy of White Bear Lake; several nieces, nephews, other relatives and friends.

Arrangements were with the Sorenson-Root-Thompson Funeral Home and Cremation Service of Aitkin. Go to www.srtfuneral.com to sign the online guest register.

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