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Low income families feel pinched as food support cut

Bv ANN SCHWARTZ Since the COVID Public

Health Emergency has ended, supplementary SNAP benefits are ending as well.

Low-income families have been getting extra SNAP (food stamp) benefits throughout the pandemic. Because the emergency is over, nationwide, March is the last month families will receive extra

Starting with the April 2023 benefit payment, many families will see their food support

Coming at a time when food prices are up 12 percent. it is known that this will be a hard adjustment for some families.

Call the WIC program in Aitkin 927-7201 or 1-800-328-3744 or Crow Wing county public health. 218-824-1073 to schedule an appointment or with any questions you may have. For

more info, log onto http:// www.health.state.mn.us/divs/ fh/wic/eligibility/step1.html to see if you, as a pregnant mom, or your babies or small children qualify for WIC

Also, food resources are available in Aitkin and Crow Wing County.

Aitkin County

- Aitkin Area Food Shelf, 612-803-1839, 102-4th Street NW, Aitkin, is open every Wednesday: 10:30 a.m.-3 p.m.
- · Community Food Shelf-First Lutheran, 218-927-2028, 107-2nd St SE, Aitkin, is open 2nd and 4th Thursday: 9 .am.- 4 p.m. Pick up only one time per month
- St. James Catholic Church Food Shelf, 218-927-6581 or 218-927-2745, 299 Red Oak Dr, Aitkin, Tuesdays: noon-3 p.m. Can only be used twice
- Hill City Food Shelf, 218-697-8263, Trinity Lutheran

Church-Ione Ave NE, Hill appointment City, 3rd Saturdays; 8 a.m.-

12 p.m. call to set-up an 218-426-4799 or 218-426-

through the ice.

A fundraiser started

to support the boy's

family identified the

six-year-old as Owen

Benjamin. A Face-

book post shared by

East Central Schools

ISD 2580 in Finlayson

on Monday, March 13

confirmed that Owen

Sheriff's Office, the

4712, Carmel Lutheran • Jacobson Food Shelf. Church- MN-65, Jacobson. **Continued on Page 3**

Boy drowns after fall through ice



A six-year-old boy dies af-

On Sunday, March 12 at

1:36 p.m. the Aitkin County

Sheriff's Department received

a call about a six-year-old

ter falling through the ice on

a small lake near McGrath.

was a first-grader at the school. According to the

location was next to a dock on a small lake in an area was usually used as an ice skating rink, but was covered with snow.

Owen was removed from the waist-deep water by a

boy who had fallen family member.

He was not breathing and CPR was started.

Multiple agencies were dispatched and lifesaving efforts were continued.

Approximately 14 inches of snow affected the response and a snowmobile was needed to transport Owen to an ambulance waiting on a passable road.

Life-saving efforts continued until Owen was in the emergency room where he was pronounced dead.

The Ramsey County Medical Examiner's Office has confirmed the cause of death as freshwater drowning.

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MnDOT responds to Garrison feedback by altering Hwy. 169 layout

By ANN SCHWARTZ

In response to community advice from meetings held last November, MnDOT has adjusted the proposed new layout for Hwy. 169 and the Garrison Roundabout.

The updated layout considers changes to the proposed concept that addresses what the MnDOT project team heard during the Nov. 30, 2022, public meeting. The new concept shifts the proposed roundabout at Highway 18 and Highway 169 to the north and provides access to Monroe Street.

The revised layout adds a dedicated northbound acceleration lane on Highway 169 for motorists turning left from Crow Wing County Road 26. It also reduces Highway 169 from four lanes to two lanes from County Road 26 through the city limits—one lane each direction. These changes will reduce motorists' speed, discourage weaving and pass- concerns related ing, and improve safety as they approach and depart the city of Garrison, according to a MnDOT press release.

The public may view the latest layout and alternatives on the project webpage at Hwy 169 - Garrison.

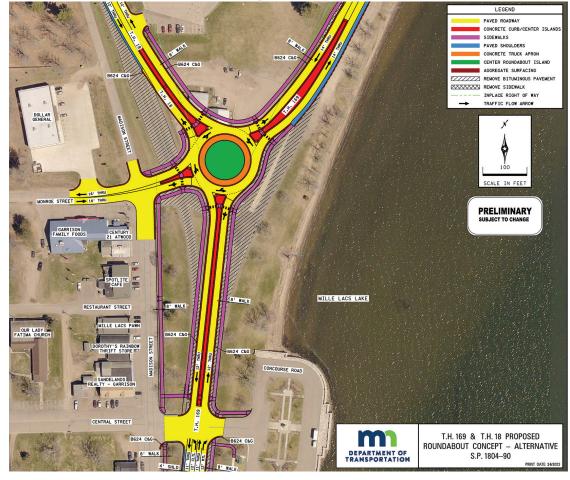
The proposed project will reconstruct or resurface five miles of Highway 169 from south of Garrison at the Crow Wing County Road 26 intersection to Pike Avenue. The 2025 project will improve access and traffic flow; reduce congestion; improve ride quality and drainage; and increase motorist and pedestrian safety. Preliminary design and environmental review are currently in progress.

"We heard support for the needed improvements, but we also heard concerns about lack of direct access to Monroe Street through the roundabout as well as other

to speed, weaving, safe access and congestion," explained Engineer Eric Schiller of the Brainerd MnDOT office,

project manager. " Among other design modifications, the updated alternative provides a safe connection of Monroe Street to the roundabout, and the shifted placement will offer more flexibility in managing area traffic and access during construction when compared with previous alternatives.

"We appreciate the community's patience as we



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work toward a solution that needs while incorporating

local feedback," Schiller conbest addresses the project tinued. "These projects can be challenging as we strive

for alternatives that balance all the unique objectives now and into the future."

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LLCC NATURE NOTES

Spring is officially here.

Historically, this is the beginning of the time when the first Red-winged Blackbirds return to the region.

Garter Snakes begin to emerge from their hibernacula. Look for writhing balls of snakes soaking up the sun. Very cool.

Otters can be seen year round in rivers or near open water. Lake Otters, on the other hand, become more active in late March, actively

feeding on frogs. With temperatures reaching

the 40s in the day and below freezing at night, the maple sap is likely to be flowing.

RAIN! This is the typical time when we receive our first rainfall of the year.

STARGAZING NOTES, provided by the Minnesota Astronomical Society

What is happening in the starry sky this week:

The Vernal Equinox, the official start of spring in the northern hemisphere, is on

March 20 at 4:24 p.m. The sun rises due east and sets due west on this date, with 12 hours of daylight and 12 hours of night.

The Moon: New moon occurs on March 21. A slender crescent moon will be extremely close to Jupiter on March 22, but will be challenging to see in the twilight sky. Look due west between 7:30 and 8 p.m. The moon will be close to Venus on March 23 and 24 - a beautiful

Cuyuna Range Whitetails donate deer skin gloves



Kent Olson holds a donation 10 pairs deer skin gloves made by Cuyuna Range Whitetails Minnesota Deer Hunters Association to Sentence to Serve in

The Cuyuna Range Whitetails 22nd Annual Banquet will be held at the Hallett Community Center in Crosby on Saturday, April 15 at 5 p.m. Tickets for the event can be purchased at the Taconite Canteen in Ironton.

(Published in NewsHopper Sat., March 18, 2023)

PUBLIC NOTICE FOR BAY LAKE TOWNSHIP SPECIAL MEETING

The Bay Lake Township Board of Supervisors will be holding a special meeting for the Public to present options regarding a building project

for the Bay Lake Town Hall on April 1, 2023 at 10:00 a.m.

Depending on the option chosen by those attending the meeting a vote by registered electors of Bay Lake Township may be needed to approve the project. Once the project has been approved the Town Supervisors will enter into a final contract with the lowest responsible bidder.

Location of Meeting Bay Lake Town Hall 13861 County Rd 10 Deerwood, MN 56444

Dated: March 2, 2023 **CAROL PUNDT** Clerk, Town of Bay Lake

March

17th - St. Francis Catholic Church Community Fish Fry 4:30-7pm at 411 N 10th St., Brainerd, menu includes: fried & baked fish, grilled cheese sandwiches, scalloped potatoes, baked potatoes, baked beans, green beans, dessert, lemonade, water & coffee. The cost is \$15 for adults and \$8 for children age 11 and under.

17th & 18th - Lifespring Church in Crosby, has invited Bible Teacher and Evangelist Justin Peters, 6:30-8:30pm on Friday and 8:30am-3:00pm Saturday to present his well-received seminar "Clouds Without Water." This is a free event, all are welcome. Register by calling 218-545-5433.

20th - Challenger Courses for Fathers, 6:30-8:30pm at 315 E River RD Suite 1 in Brainerd. Topic will be " Legacy Legends." Refreshments and snacks provided. For more info and to register call Sherri Borowicz

21st - You are inivited to the Aitkin Lions membership meeting at 6pm at the Forty Club in Aitkin. 24th - Knights of Columbus spring Walleye dinner serving 5-6:30pm at Aitkin American Legion. Dinner is

Walleye fillet, baked potato, salad, roll, dessert for \$15 per person. 24th - St. Francis Catholic Church Community Fish Fry 4:30-7pm at 411 N 10th St., Brainerd, menu includes: fried & baked fish, grilled cheese sandwiches, scalloped potatoes, baked potatoes, baked beans, green beans, dessert, lemonade, water & coffee. The cost is \$15 for adults and \$8 for children age 11 and under.

For more info call 218-822-4040. 24th & 25th - Brainerd Lakes Home Show & Expo at Essentia Health Sports Center, Brainerd. Admission: \$5 Adults (16+), \$4 Seniors (65+), Free - 0-15 years (must be accompanied by an adult)

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1st & 3rd Thursdays;4-6 p.m. McGregor Food Shelf, 218-218-426-3330 (Sharon), 2 N Maddy St, McGregor, 2nd & 4th Thursdays; 9:00

used twice per month • Isle Food Shelf, 320-676-8890 (Karen), 250 2nd Ave S, Isle, 1st Tues. 3:30-5:30 p.m. & 3rd Tues. 3:30-5:30 p.m.

a.m.-12 p.m. Can only be

• Free community meals are served at First Lutheran Church in Aitkin, Monday and Thursday evenings at 5

• Ruby's Pantry. Economical food purchase once a month Aitkin location: 810 2nd St NW, 1st Saturday of the month, registration begins at 8:00 a.m., food bundles available 8:00-9:30 a.m. hosted by: The Journey North Church

Crow Wing County

• Emily Food Shelf, 218-763-3663.

• Garrison Area Caregivers Foodshelf 320-692-5399

• Sharing Bread Soup Kitchen, 218-829-4203, 923 Oak St., Brainerd

• Cuyuna Range Food Shelf, Crosby, 218-546-7444.

• Lakes Area Foodshelf,

Pequot Lakes, 218-568-8474 Crosslake Food Shelf, 218-692-1004, Crosslake,

 Salvation Army Food Shelf, Brainerd, 218-829-

• Ruby's Pantry. Economical food purchase once a month Brainerd location: 1511 Northern Pacific Road, Brainerd, 2nd Tuesday of the month, registration begins at 4 p.m., food bundles available 4:30-6 p.m., hosted by The Journey North Church

Carlton County

• Cromwell Park Pavilion, 5577 Cromwell Park Drive, Cromwell, 2nd Thurs. 9-10:30 a.m., doors open at 9 a.m.

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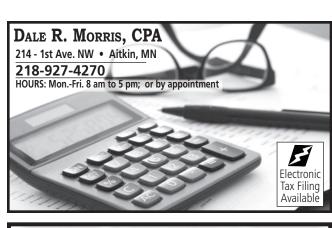
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OBITUARIES

CORRINE HALVORSON



Corrine Irene Halvorson, 73. of McGregor, died Wednesday, March 8, 2023 in Riverwood Health Care Center,

Services will be Saturday, March 18, at 11 a.m. in United Methodist Church of Mc-Gregor with Dianne Brennan

officiating. Visitation will be one hour prior to the service at the church. Inurnment will be at a later date in Lakeview-Rat Lake Cemetery, Workman Township.

She was born September 17, 1949 in Moose Lake to Carl and Vergene (Otten) Witz. Corrine

was united in marriage to Lyle James Halvorson on September 16, 1967 in Wright. Corrine enjoyed gardening, knitting and especially spending time with her family.

Corrine is survived by her children: Cheri Young, Tim (Tricia) Halvorson, Charles Halvorson, Terry Halvorson, Melissa Halvorson and Beth (Henry) Schultz; 13 grandchildren; 8 great-grandchildren; and brother, Bill Witz.

Corrine is preceded in death by her husband, Lyle and her parents.

Arrangements were with the McGregor Funeral Home and Cremation Service in McGregor. Leave online condolences at www.srtfuneral.com.

DORIS ANDERSON



Doris W. Anderson, 95, died Tuesday, March 7, 2023. Her cremains will be interred in the Memorial Garden at First Congregational Church,

Doris was born in Chicago March 13, 1927. She started school at Flossmoor Com-

munity School. After graduating from Parsons College, Fairfield, IA, in 1948 and marrying Hal Anderson, she and Hal moved to Minnesota, locating in Brainerd in 1950. Doris and Hal had three daughters; Chris (Kwong), Carla (Benjamin), and Kate (Canady), who survived, along with two grandchildren, Alan and Laura Kwong. Doris was a public school music teacher in Brainerd elementary schools from 1963-1977, and also

Brainerd.

taught piano and voice lessons privately. In 1977, she retired from teaching. After retiring, Doris began tape recording textbooks for MN State Services for the Blind, continuing this service until 2004. She also began reading aloud to residents of assisted living facilities in Brainerd, first as an Evergreen Reader, later with RSVP. Another interest was community theatre. She and Hal attended Elderhostels from coast to coast, as well as Canada. Doris was choral director for The Geritol Frolics for several years after it's beginning in 1987, and she also appeared in a number of plays and musicals at Central Lakes College. Her favorite role was that of Bloody Mary in "South Pacific." She was a member of First Congregational United Church of Christ, AAUW, Unlimited Learning, Crow Wing Co. Historical Society, and RSVP.

BRIAN AND PATRICIA FINCH



Patricia L. (Kruchten) Finch, 64, of East Gull Lake, died following a motor vehicle accident in Harnett County, NC on Friday, March 3, 2023.

A celebration of their lives was held at 1:00 p.m. on Friday, March 17, 2023, at Lord

of Life Lutheran Church in Baxter. Family and friends were invited to gather starting at 11:00 a.m. at the church and to stay for a luncheon following the service.

Brian was born November 27, 1957, in Brainerd, the son of Dale and Lois (Kyar) Finch. After graduating from high school, Brian attended the Vocational Technical College. He was a dedicated employee and spent his entire career with Crow Wing Power in a variety of capacities. He retired after numerous years as the President of Crow Wing Power Credit Union. Brian was always able to stay busy with his many hobbies. He loved to travel, either with his wife, Pat, or fishing in Canada and Alaska. He also loved golfing, playing poker, and watching sports, especially football games with his children and grandchildren.

Pat was born on December 31, 1958, the daughter of LeRoy and Helen (Tischner) Kruchten. After graduating from St. Cloud Technical High School in 1977, Pat continued her education at St. Cloud State University and earned a degree in Elementary Education. She moved to Mankato where she enjoyed teaching and raising her family. She pursued her Masters

Brian A. Finch, 65, and in Elementary Counseling and spent the next 29 years making a profound impact on so many lives. Pat loved life and found iov spending time with her kids and grandkids. She was known for bringing people together, she was a loyal and fun friend that would go on walks, talk on the phone for hours, make you a pot of wild rice soup or come and decorate your house for you. She taught those around her how to find joy in the big and little things in life.

Brian and Pat met in 2013, and after many miles traveling from Mankato to Brainerd, they married on August 2, 2014, in Breezy Point. Together they built a beautiful home on Gull Lake and, true to their nature, enjoyed hosting family and friends. Their children and grandchildren loved visiting them.

They are survived by Pat's children: Dan Hall, Brittany (Brandon) Shada; Sarah (Tanner Mace) Davies; grandchildren: Ryker Hall, Colton and Carter Shada, Mya Stauffer, Anna and Ivan Davies and Maddyn Mace; Pat's mom, Helen Kruchten; Pat's siblings: Gary (Lonna) Kruchten and Judy (Bob) Varshal.

They are also survived by Brian's children: Jared, Ryan and Alicia Finch; grandchildren: Keira, Tyree, Aalivah and Khia Finch: Brian's mom, Lois Finch; Brian's siblings: Bill (Carrie) Finch, Jeff (Lindsey) Finch and JoEllen (Jeff) Stave; and many other family members and

They were preceded in death by Pat's father, LeRoy Kruchten; Pat's brother, Brian Kruchten; Brian's father, Dale Finch; Brian's brother, Brad Finch.

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

Garrison* — Worship 10:30am

Onamia — Vineland Native American Chapel, Hwy. 169 north of casino; Worship 11; Pastor Boeringa 320-532-4449

ASSEMBLY OF GOD

Aitkin — Pastor Andrew Jergenson; Sunday Morning Service 10.

Baxter — Heritage Church, Pastor Heath Beard; 9 & 10:45 Sundays, 6:30p Wednesdays, iamheritage.org

Crosby — Pastor Dustin McCaleb; Worship 10:30 Crosslake — Crossroads Christian, Rev. Gary Espeseth; SS

at 9:30, Worship at 10:45 Interim Pastor John Koppel, Staff Pastor Lisa Jordan; Worship 10; hillcityagchurch@gmail.com; 218-

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

BAPTIST

Aitkin - The Journey North, Pastor Jeremiah Rice, 218-824-5617, Worship 10:30, thejourneynorth.com

Baxter - The Journey North, Pastor Jeremiah Rice, 218-824-5617, Worship Saturday 5, Sunday 9 & 10:30, thejourneynorth.com

Brainerd* - Faith Baptist Church, Pastor Jim Stephens, 218-829-3191; SS 9:00, Worship 10:30 and 6 p.m., Wed. Classes and Clubs 6:30 p.m.; fbcbrainerd.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 9:30, SS 11.

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

Deerwood* - 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. aitkinchurch.com 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. Mike Patullo, 218-927-6581; Mass Sat. 5 pm, Sun. 10:30. Confession Sat. 10-10:45 and Brainerd — St. Andrew's, Fr. Gabriel Waweru, Sat.4:30; Sun.

10:00 and St. Mathias Sunday 8:00. Brainerd — St. Francis, Fr. Michael Garry, 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.

Crosby* — St. Joseph's, Fr. Eli Gieske, Mass: M, Th and F at 8; Tues at Noon, Sun. 8:30 & 10:30. Crosslake - Immaculate Heart, 218-692-3731; www. ihmstemilys.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. Eli Gieske, Mass Wed. 9 & Sat. 4 pm, Confession Sat. 3:30 - 3:50 pm 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. Mike Patullo, 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.

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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, SS 9; 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

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 Christenson; 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 Kenny Holm, 218-792-5530 Worship 9:30; 6297 Woods Bay NE, just north of Hwy 6 bridge Palisade —Hilltop Chapel (Waukenabo Twp)*- service

10 a.m.; Adult and Children's SS 9 a.m.; 49448 Osprey Avenue, Palisade,

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

EPISCOPAL

Aitkin — St. John's, Holy Communion or Morning Prayer 9 Brainerd* — St. Paul's, Rev. Joyce A. Rush. In-person worship service at 10 am Sunday. Online at 5 pm Saturday. Call the church 219-829-3834 and leave a message with email to receive a Zoom invitation. **EVANGELICAL FREE**

Baxter - Lakewood EFC, Pastor Matt Nagel; Worship at 9:00 and 10:45. Wednesday for all ages 6:30 pm.

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

Isle — Pastor Mark Lee; Sunday School 9:00 am; Worship 10:30 am, Sun. Youth group 6:00 pm, Wed. Adult Prayer 6:30 pm and Kids Konnect 6:30 pm Malmo — 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; worship Sun. 99am (9am service also available via livestream on YouTube - First Lutheran Church, Aitkin and broadcast on KKIN 94.3 FM radio at 10am), take out community meal every Mon. & Thurs. 5pm and Tues. 12pm; food shelf 2nd & 4th Thurs. each month 9am-4pm.

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.princeofpeacelutheran.church

3rd Sun., 10:30. Brainerd — First Lutheran Church (ELCA) Pastors: Patty

Beaver Township - Finnish EA, Hwy. 27, Worship 1st & Bjorklund and Jordan Gades, Sunday worship 9, Sunday School following worship. Services also available on YouTube and Facebook. 218-829-9552 flcbrainerd.com 424 8th Street South, Brainerd

Brainerd* — Good Shepherd Free Lutheran Church (AFLC), Pastor David Franz, find service info at www. goodshepherdfreelutheran.church, 5878 Pine Beach Road, Brainerd, 218-824-3052

Brainerd — Laestadian Lutheran Church, 1501 So. 8th St. - Sunday Worship Services 10:30 am. (www.llchurch.org) Brainerd - Trinity Lutheran Church (ELCA) 1420 South 6th St. Brainerd, Worship time September through May 8:15am & 10:30am; worship (June through August) 9 am. 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

 ${\it Crosslake-- (ELCA)\ www.crosslakelutheran.com \bullet Kristin}$ Oltmann, Pastor 218-692-3682 Labor Day-Mem. Day: Sun. 9:30am, Wed. 6:15pm Mem. Day-Labor Day: Sun. Indoor 8:30am, Outdoor 10am 14019 Daggett Pine Rd 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 Amanda Kempthorne;

Worship: 9; Sunday School 9:50. 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. Caleb Worrel. 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

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 Alternates 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 9; Fellowship follows; SS 10:30; Adult Bible 10:30. 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 Sunday mornings, followed by fellowship and Bible study. (Located on Co. Rd. #77 N) Malmo — Bethesda (ELCA) Rev. James Muske: Sun. Worship 9am. Fellowship following Service. Communion

every Sunday. McGrath — Grace; Wed. potluck 5 pm, Bible study 6 p.m.; SS 10; Worship 11. McGrath - Zion (ELCA), Pastor Elliott Malm; Worship

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 Luke Lekander, 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. Rossburg — Bethesda (ELCA); Comm. 1st & 3rd Sunday Tamarack (AFLC) — Pastor Ron Staudinger; 1st, 3rd and 4th Sundays 10 am; 41163 Kestrel Ave 3.3 mi. South of Hwv 210

Thor — Zion, Worship 11; 1st and 3rd Sun. April through December.

Wright — Bethlehem, Worship; SS 9. Wright — St. John's (Missouri Synod), Pastor Joshua

Reinke; Worship 10:30; Bible Study and Sunday School Sun. 9:30; Lent services Wed. 5:30 pm.\

NON-DENOMINATIONAL Brainerd—Oak Street Chapel, Pastor Todd Wooden.

Worship service is Sunday at 9:30, 523 SE 11th Street, Brainerd, 218-454-0984

Brainerd—Remnant Ministry Center, Pastor Ben Davis, Worship service is Sunday at 10am, 512 S 8th St., Suite 2, 218-829-2989.

PENTECOSTAL

Baxter — Christ Alive, 12485 Forestview Drive, Baxter,

Emily — Corne one Church: Pastor Earl Ready: Worship 10, 41536 Birchwood Drive, Emily; 218-763-2939. Ironton — Iron Range Christian Center; Pastor Dwight

Semler; 218-546-6523; meeting at Irondale Town Hall*, Co. Rd. 12, (Deerwood Shortcut); Worship 10 & Wed. 7 pm. Tamarack — Warriors of the Rainbow Ministry, Pastors Ken and Ron Fairbanks, Sat. 11. 218-768-3585

PRESBYTERIAN

Crosslake - Pastor Mark Ford, 218-692-4769; Worship 9; Fellowship 11. 14444 Daggett Pine Road, Crosslake, just passed the Community Center; www.crosslakepres.org. McGrath — Calvary, Pastor - Todd Oltmann; Worship 9. McGregor/Round Lake — Pastor Talley; Worship Sat. 5 pm. Tamarack — First, Rev. J. Yingling; Worship 11.

REFORMED Crosby — Lifespring Church, a member of Fellowship of Independent Reformed Evangelicals, 9:30, 30 Hallett Ave NE 218-545-5433, www.visitlifespring.com

SEVENTH DAY ADVENTIST Aitkin - Pastor Roger Hagen; Worship Sat. 9:30, Bible Study 10:30; Prayer Mtg. Wed. 5:30 p.m.; www.aitkinadventist. org; 423-805-0933

Brainerd - Pastor Roger Hagen; Worship Sat. 11:20, Bible Study 10; Bible Study & Prayer Mtg. Wed. 6:30 p.m.; 2910 Oak Street, Brainerd, 218-829-1676 **UNITARIAN UNIVERSALIST**

Pequot Lakes — 28877 State Hwy 371, Pequot Lakes 10:30 1st and 4th Sundays. 218-330-3476 UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST Brainerd — First Congregational UCC, 415 Juniper St,

Brainerd. Sunday worship at 10. Pastor; Leslie Moughty. Handicapped accessible. **UNITED METHODIST**

days at 5:30 pm Bible & Brew, Facebook live. Crosby/Deerwood* — Cascade, Pastor Gary Taylor; Sunday Worship with Youtube live streaming 10 am with fellowship

Aitkin* — Aitkin - Pastor Dawn Houser; Worship 10, Wednes-

to follow. Cascade Ladies meet on the first Wednesday of each month at noon. Come & Eat Community dinner on the third Wednesday of each month at 5:30 pm. Please call the office to sign up: 218-534-3507. Cutler — Pine Lake Chapel, Worship 9, fellowship follows.

Cromwell — Pastor Tim Homstad; Worship 10; SS 9

Emily* — Pastor Gary Taylor; Sunday Worship with Facebook live streaming 8:30 with fellowship to follow. UWF meet on the first Sunday of each month following worship. Men's prayer breakfast 2nd Saturday of each month at 8. Bible

Study Thursday at 6 pm. Fleming* — (Northern Lights Parish) SS 9:15; Worship

10:30; fellowship follows. Hill City — Pastor Roger Lynn; Worship 10 McGregor* — (Northern Lights Parish) Worship 8:45;

fellowship follows. Onamia — Pastor Rick & Judy Wilder; Worship 11; fellowship 10; 2 blks north of Post Office; handicap ramp; 320-532-3150; office: 218-546-7656; cell: 218-360-1947 WESLEYAN

Emily — Rev. Jason Gressman; Worship 9; Friendship Time 10; SS 10:30; Wed. Activities 6:30 p.m.; 218-763-HOPE.

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