

# The Scoop



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## **TREASURE ISLAND Audition**

An audition will be held for the Missoula Children's Theatre (MCT) production of TREASURE ISLAND Monday, December 2nd from 3:45 to 5:45 p.m. Those auditioning should arrive at 3:30 p.m. and plan to stay for the full two hours. Some of the cast members will be asked to stay for a rehearsal immediately following the audition.

Among the roles to be cast are Jim Hawkins, his mother and sisters, a rollicking Pirate Crew, Jim's Ruffian friends, seacoast Mariners, shining Treasures, a mysterious Stranger, and cuddly Gulls. All area youth (home-schooled and public schooled), Kindergarten through 12th grade, are welcome and encouraged to audition. No advance preparation is necessary. Assistant Directors will also be cast to aid in rehearsals throughout the week and to take on essential backstage responsibilities.

The Missoula Children's Theatre touring productions are complete with costumes, scenery, and props. MCT Tour Actor/Directors will conduct rehearsals throughout the week from 3:45 to 8:00 each day.

TREASURE ISLAND will be presented on Friday, December 6<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 p.m. and December 7<sup>th</sup> at 4:00 p.m. at the Britton Area Event Center. The Missoula Children's Theatre residency in Britton is brought to you by the Britton Community Theatre. For more information, call Pam Lunzman 605-448-5150.

There will be a weekly

## **Alcoholics Anonymous**

meeting beginning

**Sunday, November 24th at 5pm**  
at Trinity Lutheran Church in Forman

This is a closed meeting open to anyone who is struggling with alcohol addiction and has a desire to stop drinking.

# SARGENT COUNTY

# FOOD PANTRY

## LOCATIONS

**Forman**  
**347 Main St.**

**Forman Library**

**Mondays 4:00 - 6:00 pm**

**Use Back Entrance**

**Gwinner**

**104 Main St.**

**Community Center**

**Tuesdays 1:00 - 4:00 pm**

Food assistance is available for any Sargent County resident who requests it. If your expenses are greater than your income due to a job loss, a medical crisis, etc., we are here to help you.



Contact:

Phone: 701-680-7049

[facebook.com/scfpnd](https://www.facebook.com/scfpnd)

[sargentcofoodpantry@gmail.com](mailto:sargentcofoodpantry@gmail.com)

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## Sargent County AA Meetings

Tuesdays at 7pm  
Methodist Church  
720 Main Street, Milnor ND

Thursdays at 8pm  
Gustaf Adolf Lutheran Church  
207 1<sup>st</sup> St SE, Gwinner ND

**FREEWILL  
SPAGHETTI SUPPER**

**FRIDAY  
11/22**

**5:00 PM**

**MILNOR AREA COMMUNITY  
CENTER**



**DRAWING FOR PRIZES ANNOUNCED @ 7:00 PM**

- 30" TRIANGLE BOX OF TOOLS
- LAS VEGAS TRIP FOR 2
- MEMBERSHIP TO MILNOR LAKEVIEW GOLF COURSE
- MEMBERSHIP TO MILNOR POOL
- \$100 GIFT CERTIFICATE TO THE KEG

**SPONSORED BY THE MILNOR SATELLITE CLUB**

Cogswell Community

# Santa Day



Sunday, December 1

Bingo @ 4p

Potluck Supper @ 6p

...with a visit from Santa Claus!

Forman Public Library  
presents

# Christmas Crafts & Coffee

with Cheryl Wyckoff

**DECEMBER 2**

FROM  
9:30a - 12p



**CALL: 724-4032**

**Register by  
November 25th.  
Space limited!**



Participants will make  
Decoupage Rope Baskets  
that can be used for gift  
baskets, storage or decor.

[www.formanlibrary.org](http://www.formanlibrary.org)



## Havana Santa Day December 7, 2024

Havana's annual Santa Day is being held this year on Saturday, December 7. There will be a potluck supper, cakewalk, bingo, and door prizes.

Festivities begin at 5 p.m. Santa will arrive at 6 with bingo to follow his visit. Door prizes will be awarded at approximately 7 p.m.

Please bring a dish to pass for the potluck and a sweet for the cakewalk.

Everyone is welcome!! Merry Christmas!!



**SATURDAY DECMEBER 7TH**

**RUTLAND CITY HALL 5-7PM**

**FOOD & ACTIVITIES  
FOR ALL AGES**

SPONSERED BY  
THE RUTLAND COMMUNITY CLUB



# St. Arnold's Christmas Pantry Milnor ND

Wednesday, December 11, 2024  
4:00 - 6:00 p.m.

Shop for cookies, candies  
& other Christmas goodies

Cookie gift plates



Come enjoy coffee,  
cider & tasting  
samples



Enjoy fried bread tacos  
for \$10. Eat in or "To Go"  
4:00 p.m. until gone



# MORNING Star

*Arranged and  
Composed  
by Lloyd Larson*

*A Christmas Cantata Presented By*  
**The Southeast North Dakota  
Community Choir**

*Under the Direction of Curt Brownlee*

***Wednesday, December 11 at 7:30 PM***

*Gustaf Adolf Lutheran Church, Gwinner*  
***Saturday, December 14 at 7:30 PM***

*\*\*Immanuel Lutheran Church, Hankinson*  
***Sunday, December 15 at 3:00 PM***

*St. Boniface Catholic Church, Lidgerwood*

**\*\* Note: Location Change**



***A Free Will Offering Will Be Collected***

*The following communities are represented in this year's production:*

*Barney, Fargo, Forman, Gwinner, Hankinson,  
Lidgerwood, Rutland, Wahpeton, ND  
Moorhead, Osage, MN, Veblen, SD.*



November 20, 2024

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**The Strand Theatre, Britton SD**  
703 Main Street  
[www.strand-theatre-brittonsd.com](http://www.strand-theatre-brittonsd.com)

*Ticket cost: \$6 adult  
\$4 youth (12 years and under)  
UNDER 4 years old is FREE.*

# The Best Christmas Pageant Ever

## **TWO WEEKENDS**

**Shows Friday - Sunday Night-- 7:30 p.m.**

Doors open at 6:30 with popcorn ready by 6:45 p.m. Come early to get your favorite treats and avoid the line! 🍿



**Star Sponsor: In Memory of Carlene Pierson**

# THE SCENIC THEATER

Established 1911

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419 MAIN ST LISBON, ND 58054

PLEASE NOTE SHOW TIMES – DOORS OPEN 30 MINUTES PRIOR

## THE WILD ROBOT

NOVEMBER 1, 2 & 3

7:30 PM FRIDAY & SATURDAY

4:00 PM SUNDAY

102 MINUTES LONG RATED PG



INFO ON FUTURE DATES AND CLOSURES COMING SOON

CAN'T MAKE THE MOVIE BUT STILL NEED YOUR SCENIC THEATER  
POPCORN FIX, COME ON IN MOVIE NIGHTS FOR HOT POPCORN



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Schedules subject to change

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CALL 701 683-3435 FOR WEEKLY SCHEDULE UPDATES**

**Gustaf Adolf Lutheran Church**

701-678-2552  
galutheranchurch@outlook.com  
207 1st St. SE  
Gwinner, ND  
[www.galutheranchurch.org](http://www.galutheranchurch.org)  
*Pastor Jaime Decker*



This week's calendar 11/18/2024 thru 11/23/2024

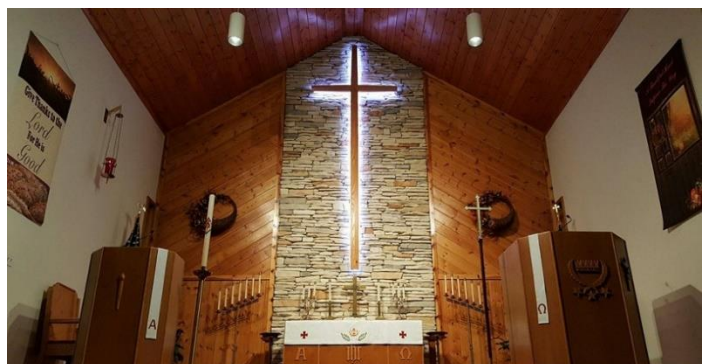
Monday 6:30 PM Book Club ----- December Newsletter Deadline  
Wednesday 3:30 PM GASP  
Thursday 9:00 AM Bits N' Stitches Quilting  
Friday & Saturday Pastor Jaime's Sabbath

This week's calendar 11/24/2024 thru 12/01/2024

Sunday 9:30 AM Worship Service with Communion– Pastor Jaime Decker  
Sunday School after Worship Altar Guild Meeting After Worship  
Monday Pastor Jamie on Vacation thru December 2nd  
Wednesday No GASP  
Thursday Offices closed for Thanksgiving  
Friday & Saturday Pastor Jaime's Sabbath  
Sunday 9:30 AM Worship Service No Communion–Leader Jim Wilson

**Zion Lutheran Church**

701-678-2401  
[zionwinner@gmail.com](mailto:zionwinner@gmail.com)  
420 1st St. SE  
Gwinner, ND  
[www.zionwinner.org](http://www.zionwinner.org)  
*Pastor Mike Grieve*



**Sunday** 9am Catechesis  
10am Divine Service with Holy Communion  
**Wednesday** 9am Catechesis

**St. Vincent's Catholic Church**

302 ND Hwy 13  
Gwinner, ND  
Ph: 701-678-2239  
riley.durkin@fargodiocese.org  
*Rev. Riley Durkin*



**Mass times: 10 am Sunday**

Starting August 26, there will be Saturday mass at 7pm and Sunday mass at 10am.  
The last Saturday of the month will have a Saturday evening mass at 7pm.

**St. Arnold's Catholic Church**

107 3rd Street  
Milnor, ND  
Ph: 701-427-9288  
Email: starnolds@drtel.net

*Pastor Fr. Terry Dodge*



**Sunday Mass:**

8:30 a.m. (April through September)  
10:30 a.m. (October through March)

**Thursday Mass:**

8:30 a.m.

**United Methodist Church**

720 Main St  
Milnor, ND  
Ph: 701-427-9401

*Rev. Tiana Bohn*



*September thru May*

Worship services every Sunday at 9am with fellowship to follow

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## **TNT Parish Churches**

*Trinity Lutheran Church* 410 Cedar Ave, Forman

*Trinity Lutheran Church* 411 2nd St, Havana

*Nordland Lutheran Church* 311 Cooper St, Rutland

*Pastor Julie Johnson*



Services are Live Streamed at Nordland Lutheran Church  
& are available to view on their Facebook Page.

**WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 20** 3:30 pm - Confirmation Class meets at Trinity/Forman

## **SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 24**

9:00 am - Havana Trinity Worship - lay led with Christmas decorating after service

9:00 am - Nordland Worship with Congregational Meeting to follow to discuss the  
replacement of carpet in the church

10:00 am - Nordland Sunday School

10:30 am - Trinity/Forman Worship

## **St. Mary's Catholic Church**

484 4<sup>th</sup> St SW

Forman, ND

Ph: 701-724-3319

[www.stmarysforman.org](http://www.stmarysforman.org)

Email: [4steeples@drtel.net](mailto:4steeples@drtel.net)

*Rev. Timothy Schroeder*



Fall/Winter Schedule  
~ Sundays - Mass at 11am ~

## **Nazareth Lutheran Church**

524 5th Street

Cogswell, ND

nccogswell@drtel.net

Find and follow Nazareth on Facebook

--- search for Nazareth Lutheran Church, Cogswell ND



**\*Church Service-Sundays 8:30am followed by Sunday School & Fellowship\***

**\*Join us for coffee and fellowship Wednesday Mornings at 9:00 am\***

## **Oakes Methodist Church**

210 S 6<sup>th</sup> St

Oakes, ND

Ph: 701-742-2925

[www.oakesunitedmethodistchurch.com](http://www.oakesunitedmethodistchurch.com)

*Pastor Mark Britton*



**Sundays - Worship 9am followed by coffee & fellowship**

## **Sts. Peter and Paul Catholic Church**

229 Franklin Ave W

Cayuga, ND

Ph: (701) 538-4604

[www.stboniface.net](http://www.stboniface.net)

*Pastor Peter Anderl*

**Sunday Mass:**

**April to September - 7pm**

**October to March – Noon**

## Inga Smith

The funeral service for Inga Smith will be 2:00 p.m. Sunday, November 24, 2024 at the Trinity Lutheran Church of Havana, ND. Rev. Julie Johnson will officiate the service. Burial will be at the Havana Cemetery under the direction of Olson Funeral Chapel. Visitation will be one hour prior to the service at the church.

Inga Joyce Barsten was born May 5, 1932 to Oswald and Helen (Uecker) Barsten in Yorktown near Fullerton, North Dakota. Inga was baptized June 23, 1932 at the Grace Lutheran Church in Oakes, ND and was confirmed April 11th, 1944 at Zion Lutheran Church in Ellendale, ND. Inga graduated from Oakes High School in 1950. After high school, she moved to Fargo, ND and obtained a job as billing clerk at Reserve Supply Company, where she worked for six years.

On January 19, 1957 she was united in marriage to Thomas Smith, son of Melvin and Laura Smith, at the Gustavus Adolphus Lutheran Church in Gwinner, ND. They began their life together on the family farm west of Havana. In 1997 Tom and Inga moved to Forman, ND. Tom passed away in 2005. In July of 2017, Inga moved to Spruce Court in Britton, SD.

Inga was an active supporter of her community. She was a member of Trinity Lutheran Church in Havana, where she belonged to the WELCA Ladies Aid and served as president and treasurer, taught Sunday school, and attended bible study. She also served as treasurer of Taylor Township, president of Havana Community Club, and on the advisory board of Marshall County Healthcare in Britton.

Inga liked to shop and bake. She especially loved to bake pies, breads and mocha bars. She enjoyed reading, playing cards, doing puzzles and visiting friends. In her spare time she visited the elderly in assisted living, nursing homes, and the veteran's home. Tom and Inga enjoyed traveling, and had visited 46 states.

Inga passed away Monday, November 18, 2024 at Wheatcrest Hills Healthcare Center at the age of 92.

Grateful for having shared her life are her children, Ralph (Carol) Smith of Havana and their children, Brittany (Tyler) Butler, Sarah (Kyle) Rzaszutak, Nadine Smith and Stephanie (Cole) Kellen; Brenda Smith of Fargo, ND and her children, Jacob Klubben, Laura Klubben (Shawn Fairweather) and Katie (Cassidy) Black; Steven "Sam" Smith of Havana and his children, Justine (Chase) Warburton, Thomas Smith and Marisa Smith; and Rhonda "Rosie" Smith of Watertown, SD; and 11 great-grandchildren.

She is preceded in death by her parents; her husband; two brothers, Oswald (Dorothy) and Wilton (Mabel) Barsten; two sisters, Berma Dudley and Beatrice Hanson; daughter-in-law, Janel Smith; one nephew, Randy Olson; and one niece, Danielle (Hanson) Cortez.

Condolences may be directed to the family in care of Steven "Sam" Smith – PO Box 42 – Havana, ND 58043.

An online guestbook and obituary are available at [www.olsonfuneralchapel.com](http://www.olsonfuneralchapel.com)