



The Visitor
July - 2025

Pastor's Reflection
Being the Light is no Small Task

Being the light in real life is no small task. I received a letter from the IRS this past week. I see the letter, and my heart rate ticks up a bit. What is this? I get home and open the letter, and they say I owe money. Now my heart rate is rising higher yet. I think I will send all this to my tax accountant and let it go. My heart rate has come back down. I haven't heard back from my tax accountant, so I called the IRS today. I searched for the number and gave it a call. I got a machine, and my heart rate is increasing again. I go through the prompts, but cannot get out of the unending loop, with no way to talk to a real person. Now my heart rate is climbing higher. I am now speaking with a harsh and increased volume to the machine, insisting on speaking to someone. The machine remains in the same calm and completely unaffected tone. My level of peace, light, and joy is beyond lost. I go back to my computer search to find a live person. I see I can set up an appointment at an office near me. The site says no appointments from June 1 to July 21, but gives me a number to call. I called the number and am on hold as I write this article. My heart rate is moderate, and I intend to remain in the light with this poor soul on the other end of this call. Finally, I am off hold and talking to a real person, and his name is John. He takes some quick info to prove it is me and tells me it will take him five to seven minutes to check out my situation. Fingers crossed. Fair to say I have never written an article while being on hold with the IRS before, and an article about being the light at that. This helps keep it real!

John 14:27

²⁷*Peace I leave with you; my peace I give to you. I do not give to you as the world gives. Do not let your hearts be troubled, and do not let them be afraid.*

Back to being in the light, the world can often be a distraction from being in the light. Nothing like being on hold or being forced to be in a computer loop trying to get information or set an appointment. Life comes with many frustrations and challenges that can quickly steal away your joy. Being in the light is short-hand for being centered in God, the love you have in your heart, the grace and compassion you have for others. The smile on your face radiates the beautiful light that God has put into your soul.

Wait, I am off hold, and John is back to help. He has a distinct Indian accent, and he is lovely. He asked a quick question and put me back on hold. I am very calm now, writing about being the light might be helping. I think about John. Does he have a family, kids, a wife, mom, and dad still alive, and does he get home to India often? How is it for him? Is he like so many other Indians I know who have such a rich understanding of

hospitality? Oh no! I am pretty sure I just got hung up on, no doubt accidentally, by my new friend John, but now my heart rate is climbing again. Do I call back or wait for John to call me? I will put this challenge on hold and return to writing the article.

The amount of focus we must have on being in the light depends on the challenge we face. There are days that I must return to the wellspring of God's love many times. That is the work of being the light. Let's break it down to three steps.

1. Stop and get off the ride even when you are in the throes of it.
2. Catch your breath, count to ten if needed, and breathe in. Be grateful for the air in your lungs and the life in your body. Quiet your mind and be present to God in your heart.
3. Be present to God's love growing in your heart. When you are fully restored, you will be overflowing with gratitude. You have just been to the well. Now, you can return to the challenges of being in the world.

In my world, I have not heard back from John, my new friend with the IRS. I will call again, my heart rate is still low, and joy is still in my heart. I may have to repeat steps one to three several times in this process getting this handled with the IRS, but the work is worth it, both for the joy of being in the spirit and the power to bring the light into the lives of those we come into contact with. John's job is too often a thankless one, but an essential one. I intend to treat John with respect and appreciation. He is a man on a journey as a father, husband, son, and a precious child of God.

As we move from frustration to renewal with increasing ease and speed, we become strong advocates for a life lived in the light. It is a joy to be on this path with all of you!

Pastor

P.S. I reached my friends at the IRS, and I only owed \$211.67. They were great to work with.

Church Council Minutes – April 14, 2025

The meeting was called to order at 6:30 PM by Amy Rohlfing. Pastor Poole opened the meeting with a prayer. Those in attendance were Susan Koesterer, Ron Richeson, Fay Ross, Debbie Eckart, Jim Maurer, Brian Edler, Amy Juelfs and Pam Muertz.

Review and Approval of Minutes from March 10, 2025 Council Meeting

The minutes from the March meeting were reviewed. There being no further corrections a motion was made by Fay Ross and seconded by Jim Maurer to accept the minutes. Motion carried.

Review and Approval of Treasurer's Report, Bills, Timecard and Pastor's Expenses

The treasurer's report, bills, timecard and Pastor's expenses were presented and reviewed. There being no changes or corrections a motion was made by Jim Maurer and seconded by Ron Richeson to accept the reports as presented. Motion carried.

OLD BUSINESS

Solar Power Update

- We are still waiting on final state approval before issuing final payment.

Bids for Siding on Church Hall

- Thank you to Pam who secured bids for both painting and residing the Church Hall. The congregational meeting to gain approval to either paint or reside the Church Hall and also replace the Church Hall gutters will be held on May 18th.

Arborist for Pine Forest

- Debbie shared that after further review the remaining trees are in good shape. Motion made by Fay Ross and seconded by Amy Juelfs to ask Ryan Hesterberg to order pine trees to replace the trees that were removed.

Furnace Update

- Pastor is following up when the outside air conditioning units will be installed.

Carpet in the Parsonage

- The carpet will be installed in May.

Generator first step cost: \$300 Materials

- The installation is not yet complete.

Snow Removal Plan

- Amy Juelfs will meet with Clean Cut LawnCare this summer.

6-Inch Gutters

- Replacement of the existing Church Hall gutters, down spouts, and drainpipe at an approximate cost of \$1,300 will be added to the May 18th congregational meeting.

NEW BUSINESS

Roof on the Back of Church

- Brian reported that the roofs on the back of church and school house may need to be replaced. In addition, the gutter on the church may need to be replaced. The maintenance committee will review further.

Past Giving Envelopes

- The council discussed storage of past giving envelopes. Decision to retain one year of past envelopes and dispose of all others.

PASTOR'S REPORT

- Pastor provided an update on this year's top priorities to rebuild programs.
 1. **Maintenance Committee** – The maintenance committee met on April 14th. They will inspect the church gutters.
 2. **New Parents Programming** – Pastor reviewed the materials that will be sent to new parents over the first three year. Pastor also shared that we have a lot of baptisms coming up.
 3. Young Adult Programming – No Update
 4. Senior Programming – No Update
 5. Men's Programming – No Update
 6. Media/Social Committee – No Update

There being no further business, a motion was made by Brian Edler and seconded by Pam Muertz to adjourn the meeting. Meeting adjourned. Pastor closed the meeting by leading us in the Lord's Prayer.

Susan Koesterer, Secretary

Church Council Minutes – May 12, 2025

The meeting was called to order at 6:30 PM by President Amy Rohlfing. Pastor Poole opened the meeting with a prayer. Those in attendance were Susan Koesterer, Fay Ross, Amy Juelfs, Debbie Eckart, Brian Edler, Ron Richeson and Pam Muertz.

Review and Approval of Minutes from April 14, 2025 Council Meeting

The minutes from the April meeting were reviewed. There being no changes or corrections, a motion was made by Fay and seconded by Amy J to accept the minutes. Motion carried.

Review and Approval of Treasurer's Report, Bills, Timecard and Pastor's Expenses

The treasurer's report, bills, timecard and Pastor's expenses were presented and reviewed. There being no changes or corrections, a motion was made by Susan and seconded by Fay to accept the reports as presented. Motion carried.

COUNCIL MEMBER REPORTS

Fay addressed a concern brought to her by a church member regarding children in the after-school program who are not members of the church. The member voiced concern about the completion of permission slips, as well as supervision, structure and discipline. Pastor explained that when permission slips are missing or incomplete, he contacts the parent or guardian, and they usually respond. Pastor also affirmed that we are good with supervision and doing well with the lessons. Outside is always unpredictable, but it was noted that most of the children are very well mannered.

If there are further concerns, members are encouraged to reach out to Pastor.

OLD BUSINESS

Solar Power Update

- Pastor said the solar is working great. We are nearing completion of all stages and will soon be able to claim the renewable energy credit of \$32,738.

Bids for Siding on Church Hall

- The congregational meeting to gain approval to either paint or re-side the church hall will be held on May 18th. Amy R will ask for a motion to power wash and paint the church hall for an amount not to exceed \$12,000 or re-side the church hall for an amount not to exceed \$35,000. If it is decided the church hall will be painted, the color will be the same or similar to what we have now. The money will come from a combination of our savings account and Memorial Fund. Pastor will also contact the administrators of the Maher Trust fund to see if they have any money available for this project. The council will proceed accordingly with choosing a contractor to complete the work.

Arborist for Pine Forest

- This project is being put on hold until fall, when the new trees will be planted.

Furnace Update

- Pastor reported that the outdoor air conditioning units should arrive this week. We need to make another installment to pay for the equipment, and then it will be installed.

Carpet in the Parsonage

- The carpet installation date has been pushed off until June.

Generator first step cost: \$300 Materials

- Paster will follow up with Drew regarding the generator.

Snow Removal Plan

- Amy J will meet with Clean Cut LawnCare this summer. Removing from agenda until a later date.

6-Inch Gutters

- Gutter discussion is being put on hold until a decision is made regarding the siding.

Roof on the Back of Church

- Brian received bids to replace the roof on the back of church and school house. The bids are as follows:

1. Kyle Blanchard quoted a price of \$8,420 for roof work, \$1,425 to wrap the fascia under the shingles with aluminum and \$4,300 to replace the cedar siding.
2. Total Roofing submitted a bid in the amount of \$7,931.
3. Barringer Brothers out of Belleville submitted a bid in the amount of \$8,110.

Amy R suggested that we do the roof work and wrap the fascia but hold off on replacing the cedar, since that was not really necessary at this time. Brian made a proposal for the council to ask the congregation for a motion to spend up to \$10,000 for the roof and fascia repairs at the congregational meeting on May 18. Susan seconded. Motion carried. If the congregation votes to proceed with these repairs, a decision was made to go with Kyle Blanchard due to the fact that he is local, insured and can start right away.

NEW BUSINESS

Contract for Lawn Mowing

- The lawn mowing contract with Rehmer-Ruemker Lawn Care was approved at a cost of \$350 per mowing.

PASTOR'S REPORT

- Pastor provided an update on this year's top priorities to rebuild programs.
 1. **Maintenance Committee** – Pastor reported they are doing a wonderful job! The gutter and fascia were pulling away from the front of the church hall, and they reattached it. Brian said that they are also looking at the erosion at the end of our driveway (past the basketball court). It appears the erosion may be due to rain runoff not properly going through the culvert under Hanover Road.
 2. **New Parents Programming** – We have the received the material. Nicole and Sheryl will develop a plan and next steps.
 3. Young Adult Programming – No Update
 4. Senior Programming – No Update
 5. Men's Programming – No Update
 6. Media/Social Committee – No Update
- We need to focus on who will lead the children's choir.
- We will be having a 5th Sunday offering June 29 and will be donating the money to Rose Schultheis, the 23 year old niece of Dorothy Schilling who is going through daily kidney dialysis while awaiting a transplant.

There being no further business, a motion was made by Fay and seconded by Debbie to adjourn the meeting. Meeting adjourned. Pastor closed the meeting by leading us in the Lord's Prayer.
Minutes taken by Pam Muertz

Church Financial

April & May 2025

Beginning balance:\$47,422.58

Income: \$31,808.93

Expenses: \$47,982.84

Ending balance \$31,248.67 May 31, 2025

Women's Fellowship

The April 3rd meeting of the Women's Fellowship was called to order by President Sue Taylor with 15 members, Tim, Pastor, and a baby bunny. Pastor opened with a prayer.

Connie gave the treasurers report with the balance at the end of March at \$6247.21. A motion made by Faye and seconded by Patty to accept was made and passed.

Ellen read the secretaries report. The 2 corrections that were made were, \$267.00 was sold at the country store instead of 237.00, and the Region 2 clean up buckets will be put together at St Paul's in Waterloo instead of New Hanover. Motion to accept with corrections was made by Linda and Yvonne. Motion carried.

Pastor's discussion was about how important the Women's fellowship is in the life of the church.

The constitution and the by-laws for the Women's fellowship were presented by Sue with recent changes. A motion was made by Faye and Connie to accept the new documents. Motion carried.

Our churches responsibility for the 100 cleanup buckets are 30 - 45 gal. heavy duty trash bags. They want a box of 20-28. Sue checked prices at Rural King (12.99) and Dollar General (9.95). These need to be brought to our church by May 11. Assembly of the buckets will take place on May 18 at noon at St Paul's Waterloo and helpers will be needed.

Greeting Cards were discussed and Nancy V volunteered to take over for Linda Sutter. It was decided that only milestone birthdays (80 or 90), get well, and shut ins, for the women of church will receive these cards. Thank you, Nancy for volunteering.

At the May 1st meeting we will come at 10:00 AM to wash the hall windows. Bring Norwex rags.

Do to lack of participation there will be no Hike N Bike. This money was earmarked for summer activities so a motion was made to send a check for \$500.00 for summer activities. Motion made by Linda and Sharon G, motion carried.

Birthdays were celebrated by Sharon B and Pastor whose birthday is in March but left the meeting early last month.

Nancy and Barb made the motion to adjourn. Motion carried.

The meeting was closed with the Lord's Prayer.

Ellen Edler Secretary

YPL Minutes

Youth Fellowship met at 7:30 PM on May 21, 2025. The meeting was called to order by President Cody with thirteen members present. Pastor opened with a prayer.

Pastor and Sheryl presented our devotion time, centered on forgiveness. We talked about how to forgive yourself. We also talked about how we keep learning how to forgive throughout life.

Minutes of the March meeting were approved on a motion by Sofia, seconded by Wyatt B. Motion carried.

The treasurer's report showed a balance of \$2,882.84, and a preliminary profit of \$385.15 on the soda stand at the Springfest. There is a small amount of extra soda still to be sold. A motion was made by Hayden, seconded by Ella to approve the treasurer's report. Motion carried.

Old Business: We talked about what did and didn't work at the soda stand. We talked about maybe changing it up a bit by offering juice, tea, Gatorade, lemonade, water and some soda. A decision will be made later.

New Business: We are planning to have a Youth Sunday on June 29. Several members volunteered to be a part of the worship that morning.

For VBS, we had twelve of our members volunteer to be teachers and helpers for the week. Way to go, youth!!

We also had several members volunteer to help with the Little Rascals summer camp in July. Thanks for stepping up to do this as well.

It was decided that we wouldn't have any activities in June or July, but will resume our meetings on the third Wednesday in August.

A motion to approve all old and new business was made by Kadie, seconded by Jacqui. Motion carried.

A motion to adjourn was made by Julia, seconded by Owen; and Pastor led us in the Lord's Prayer.

VBS Recap

The theme for this year's VBS was "On the Road with God." The kids took a road trip with Scout the dog and were taught about Joshua 1:9 and how God is with them wherever they go. This year's VBS was a massive success with well over 50 kids registered as well as another 10 to 15 teenagers who volunteered their time and talents. We were also blessed with an abundance of adult volunteers. Each day the kids rotated through the 5

stations of craft time, story time, science, snack time, and an outdoor activity. Thank you to everyone who helped this year. Thank you to all those who taught and chaperoned as well as to all the parents and grandparents who dropped off and picked up kids each day. As we journey through life may we all remember that God is with us wherever we go!

-Student Pastor Tim

Visitor

Beginning Balance - \$487.83
Income - \$30.00
Don Siegal - \$30.00
Expense - \$ 0.00
Ending Balance - \$517.83

Thank you, Don for your Generous Donation!!!!
Faye Birk, Treasurer

Sunday School Checking Account

Beginning Balance - \$48.31
Income - \$379
Offering - \$42.00
Transfer from Savings - \$200.00
VBS Offering - \$137.00
Expenses - \$161.32
Tricia Matzenbacher – VBS Science Supplies - \$161.32
Ending Balance - \$265.99

Sunday School Savings Account

Beginning Balance - \$4943.88
Income - \$0.00
Expense - \$200.00
Transfer to Checking - \$200.00
Ending Balance - \$4743.88

Faye Birk, Treasurer

THANK YOU'S ...

I want to extend a heartfelt thank you for all the cards, prayers, and well wishes sent while my Mom, Linda Sutter, was in rehab. Each note truly lifted her spirits, and she especially enjoyed hearing what everyone has been up to. It made her feel so connected and loved.

At the end of May, Mom moved to Trenton Village, located at 980 E. Broadway, Apt. 118, Trenton, IL 62293. She would be delighted to continue hearing from you during her time there. Your kind words mean more than you know!

Jennifer Albat

Dear Parishioners of St. John UCC Maeystown,

I am writing to send my deepest thanks for your generosity in taking a collection to assist with my medical bills. Valmeyer and Maeystown never cease to amaze me. I feel so incredibly lucky to work in a community of people that look out for one another. My husband, Sean, is especially overwhelmed by this kindness. Since he is from a large city in New Jersey, he had a hard time processing that there are communities that take care of one another and offer so much support without expecting anything in return. So thank you so much for not only your gift, which will go a very long way in getting us back on our feet financially, but also for your constant support and prayers that lighten our hearts in ways I can't even explain. Thank you sincerely, from Sean and myself, as well as my family. Your generosity ripples out so far. Sean and I look forward to being in a position to pay this kindness forward. Thank you, you have truly touched our hearts.

Emily & Sean Holland

Congratulations to our 2025 graduates!

Hudson Brandt: Hudson graduated from Valmeyer High School. Will be attending Missouri S&T University in the fall, majoring in Mechanical Engineering. Hudson has received his FFA State Degree, a 4-H Foundation Scholarship, Valmeyer High School Science Award, Valmeyer FFA Alumni Scholarship, Heavner Family Scholarship and Missouri S&T Border Counties Award

Cole Dilley: Cole graduated from Waterloo High School. Plans to become a union electrician once apprenticeship status is obtained through IBEW. Was on high honor roll all 4 years, received Cum Laude status recognition, Perfect Attendance (2 years); Baseball - all four years (Varsity - 3 years); Football - all four years (Varsity - 3 years). Currently employed at McCroskey Horse Farm.

Alicia Koester: Alicia graduated from Massage Therapy School and is in the process to take her State Licensure test... She is planning to open her own business in Red Bud once she receives that.

Little Rascals Camp is back!

The 2025 Little Rascals Camp will be on Wednesdays in July: 2, 9, 16, and 30 (NOTE: No Little Rascals Camp on the 23rd.) It will run from 9:00 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. each Wednesday. We will be building wooden Go-Karts as teams! The first day, we will fix up the clubhouse, and the rest of the days, we will design and build our go-karts in teams. Registration information can be found on the Facebook page!

Coat Drive 2025

The women's Fellowship is sponsoring a coat drive this year, with the coats to-be delivered in October of 2025. We will accept gently used or new coats.

This serves as a heads-up to anyone planning on getting rid of any of your coats between now and September/October. We would appreciate it if you could save any of your gently-used coats for our coat drive this coming fall.

We will NOT be collecting the coats until after the summer, so please keep them to donate. We will start collecting coats from September 1-30, 2025.

More information will be available later on when and where to drop them off.

Thank you. ~The Women's Fellowship

This and That

Prayer List:

- Linda Sutter is now recovering at Trenton Village, 980 E. Broadway, Apt 118, Trenton, IL 62293. If you would like to send a card or note, you can send it to this address.
- Kevin Hirsch has pancreatic cancer. Please keep Kevin, his family, and the Evansville church in your prayers.
- Debbie Barnes for heart concerns.
- Rose Schultheis, a 23-year-old, is now on the active kidney list for a transplant and on daily dialysis.
- Please pray for Bob Barnes, whose feet are healing, and who has significant heart issues.
- Gideon, infant son of Chris and Amanda Schweigert, as he receives therapy for a dislocated jaw.
- Keep John Bueschel in your prayers as he receives chemotherapy treatments.
- Keep Joyce Kuergeleis in your prayers as she continues her treatments.
- Jane and Pat McCarthy as they struggle with ongoing health concerns.
- Willie Krebel has a new tumor in the lymph node under his liver. Please continue prayers.
- Mona Mothershead is now in hospice care in her home.
- Mary Ann Lutz, Julie Birk's aunt, needs a Kidney Transplant.
- Kaylee is getting stronger every day but still needs our prayers.
- Tim Branson in his battle with cancer.

Birthday Shoutouts:

- Curtis Rusteberg turned 79 on June 6.
- Mona Mothershead will turn 86 on July 11.
- Florence Feldmeier will turn 101 years young on July 14!
- Susie Brinkmann & Jim Matzenbacher will both turn 70 years young on July 22.
- Connie Roberson will turn 70 on July 24.
- Karen McCoy will turn 76 on July 27.
- Linda Green will turn 73 on August 8.
- Paul Hoffmann will turn 75 on August 13.
- Nancy Schilling will turn 78 on August 15.

Special Anniversaries:

- Randy & Michelle Coats celebrated their 47th wedding anniversary on June 3, while Mark & Brenda Rey celebrated 42 years the same day.
- Paul & Jackie Hoffmann celebrated their 53rd wedding anniversary on June 10.
- Lynden & Karen Prange celebrated 45 years of marriage on June 14.
- John & Sharon Glessner celebrated their 44th wedding anniversary on June 27.
- Steve & Dana Hicks will celebrate their 41st wedding anniversary on July 14.
- Dennis & Dorothy Schilling will celebrate 48 years of marriage on July 23.
- Dwight & Kathy Asselmeier will celebrate 47 years of marriage on August 12.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO...

SHARON ANN REESE	June 16
SCOTT LLOYD ROHLFING	June 16
REAGAN LOUISE SKAGGS	June 16
HARPER LYNN FLOARKE	June 16
LAURA GOLDSCHMIDT	June 18
LANCE HOWARD EDLER	June 20
RON RICHESON	June 21
LANDEN CARTER JOHNSON	June 21
KRISTINE VOELKER	June 22
CARLEY MACHEAL HOFFMANN	June 22
KEVIN WISCHMEYER	June 23
RYAN DEAN HESTERBERG	June 23
BEAR ENGBRING	June 24

KATE LOUISE EDLER	June 25
AMY MICHELLE HICKS	June 25
RANDY K COATS	June 26
WILLIAM ROSEMAN	June 28
TRAVIS BRANSON	June 28
GEMMA ANN NOLAN	June 28
JEFFREY ALAN HOFFMANN	June 29
LOGAN JAMES WHITLOCK	June 29
JULIE UPCHURCH	June 30
JACQUELYN KELLER	June 3
JACLYN KNOBLOCH	July 2
CIERRA GOLDSCHMIDT	July 3
SHAWN HICKS	July 3
LAUREN HESTERBERG	July 4
BRIAN EDLER	July 4

CHRISTINE (CHRISSEY) ECKERTY	July 4	KAREN MARIE MCCOY	July 27
BROOKS THOMAS BIRK	July 4	MICHELLE K COATS	July 27
DAX WILLIAM WILD	July 4	ELI WILLIAM VESPER	July 27
PAULA BUNDY	July 5	EMMA ELLEN SCHULTHEIS	July 27
KATHY ASSELMEIER	July 5	BRAYDON ECKART	July 29
AMY JUELFS	July 5	ANDREW WHIPPLE	July 30
CODY ROHLFING	July 5	LISA MAURER	July 31
MICHELLE VOGT	July 5	MICHAEL (MIKE) MIKE ROSEMAN	July 31
JASON CROUCH	July 5	CHRISTINA FAYE RIPPELMEYER	Aug 1
JIM MAURER	July 8	KAREN SCHWARZE	Aug 2
CLAIRE HOFFMANN	July 8	TATE JOHNATHON STEIBEL	Aug 3
NORA ANN MATHEWS	July 8	LARITA MOHL	Aug 4
OWEN ANTHONY SCHREDER	July 8	LEAH HILL	Aug 4
LLOYD ALAN SCHWARZE	July 9	KONNOR STELLHORN	Aug 4
MARGARET JUNE VOGT	July 10	ROBIN EVANS	Aug 5
MONA MOTHERSHEAD	July 11	JULIE RUSTEBERG	Aug 5
AMANDA LEE SCHULTHEIS	July 12	KELLI BRELLINGER	Aug 5
DANE BARNES	July 13	BLAKLEE CHEYENNE SCHWARZE	Aug 5
FLORENCE FELDMER	July 14	GRANT NICHOLAS COATS	Aug 6
JENNIFER ALBAT	July 14	LILYANNE POOLE	Aug 7
CALEN SCHAEFER	July 14	CAROLINE GRACE KREBEL	Aug 7
ELLA MATZENBACHER	July 14	LINDA GREEN	Aug 8
HENRY JAMES HICKS	July 14	JUSTIN SCHMITZ	Aug 10
LENNY SCHWARZE	July 15	AMY JEAN ROEVER	Aug 10
KAYLEE McENTIRE MUERTZ	July 16	BARRY HOFFMANN	Aug 11
RANDALL (RANDY) ESKER	July 17	LAYNE MITCHELL PRANGE	Aug 11
GEORGE (RICH) RICHARD HARSEY	July 17	JESSICA LYNNE HICKS	Aug 12
COLE WILLIAM SCHMITZ	July 18	PAUL HOFFMANN	Aug 13
KEITH VOELKER	July 19	LYNNE HICKS	Aug 13
CHRISTOPHER (CHRIS) PETER MUERTZ	July 20	JAY LEBER	Aug 13
JACOB ZEBULON REY	July 20	LAURIE KNOLL	Aug 13
REBECCA (BECKY) LEE HUDDLESTON	July 21	ROBERT SIMON MATHEWS	Aug 13
PAIGE GALLIGOS	July 21	GRADY JAY ASSELMEIER	Aug 13
SUSAN (SUSIE) BRINKMANN	July 22	MAXWELL JAMES SCHAEFER	Aug 13
JAMES (JIM) MATZENBACHER	July 22	ADAM TYBERENDT	Aug 14
EMELIE NILGES	July 22	RANDY HICKS	Aug 14
MEAGHAN KIPPING	July 22	JACKSON KLINKHARDT	Aug 14
MATTHEW BLACKWELL	July 22	NANCY SCHILLING	Aug 15
COLTON WILBERT STAFFORD	July 22	DEBBIE WISCHMEYER	Aug 15
DENNIS SCHILLING	July 23	RACHEL RUSSELL	Aug 15
MICHAEL BROWN	July 24	TRAVIS JONATHAN BUSCH	Aug 15
CONNIE MITCHELL ROBERSON	July 24		
CALVIN OSCAR LARSON	July 24	HAPPY ANNIVERSARY TO...	
AMELIA LANE SCHELLHARDT	July 24	Jonathan & Jessica Liefer	June 1
ZOEY BELLE SCHELLHARDT	July 24	LJ & Jennifer Rosenkranz	June 1
JARED ALLEN COATS	July 25	Wesley & Andrea Kuergeleis	June 2
CADEN ANDREW HUDDLESTON	July 25	Randy & Michelle Coats	June 3
LINCOLN DUANE RICHESON	July 25	Mark & Brenda Rey	June 3
ALICIA KOESTER	July 26	Cole & Laura Goldschmidt	June 3
CLAIRE STAFFORD	July 26	David & Amanda Rusteberg	June 5
LILLIAN JADE COATS	July 26	Mike & Dr. Shannon Krebel	June 6

Aaron & Katie Esker
Matt & Paige Galligos
Greg & Jaclyn Knobloch
Paul & Jackie Hoffmann
Scott & Hannah Rohlfing
Brent & Cherie Langsdorf
Ryan Dean & Lauren Hesterberg
Ryan & Emily Richeson
Lynden & Karen Prange
SCOTT & LESLIE RUSH
CALEB & AMY HICKS
LYNDA MORRISON & STEVE LAWLER
MATTHEW & GRETCHEN BRANDT
JOHN & SHARON GLESSNER
MATTHEW & JENNIFER ALBAT
MICHAEL & SAMANTHA DATEMA
LUKE & KRISTY EDLER
ARTHUR & JULIE RUSTEBERG
PAIGE & ADAM JACKSON
ALEX & LAURIE KNOLL
STEVE & DANA HICKS
MALLORY & ALEX BAKKEN
DAVID & AMANDA SCHULTHEIS
DAVID & NIKKI ASSELMEIER
TERRY & CONNIE ROBERSON

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BRIAN & ROBIN EDLER
SARA & ANTHONY SCHREDER
DENNIS & DOROTHY SCHILLING
TODD & SHANNON JANSEN
ADAM & STEFANIE TYBERENDT
BRENT & LISA CARRON
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