LOIS WITH THE MONTGOMERY NEWS, APRIL 13, 2025

4/13...It's Sunday, Palm Sunday, John Gorton planned and officiated our Church Service today, his sermon was entitled "Open The Gates." John was not feeling his best today, had a sore throat and a congested cough. He had a busy week, but I think most of them are.. He had been helping a family in Troy area. Thanks John, for bringing that Family much needed love and care.

Monday for me started usual with washings, etc. After the laundry was done I looked at my desk needing some clean up time. I got started to write my Easter cards and send along the Obit of my brother's Committal service coming up in May. I got quite a few completed and I had a phone call inquiring about a funeral for a family member in May. They wanted to know a name of a minister, a priest, who opens the grave, etc. I then got on the phone and made calls and got the needed help for this person and also wrote it down in my book for future needs. It was a busy afternoon. But it is that time of year when Spring finally arrives that burials will take place.

Tuesday 4/8 the 500 Card Club met at the home of Carmen Scott with Nancy Martinson as Hostess. There was so much prepared goodies to choose from, fruit, chips, dips, cold drinks, everyone can just help themselves as needed. Brent Godin, Cathy Ross and Me were the subs. Taking high score for the afternoon was Connie McFarland 3280, second high was Carmen 3210; low was Kathy Ross 690; and Therese Begnoche had 5 horses. It was snowing most the afternoon up near Jay area..bringing in another 5-6 inches of snow.

It's Wednesday, and my day to join with the Bowling Teams and keep score. I have done well and much improved, IF I keep my eye on our teams. It's fun to watch the teams near by us, also. There are some great players..even the senior players are fantastic. Gila Domina, my neighbor fell in her home twice today. She has Life Line that comes to help her get up, the first time they got her up and seated in her chair, the second time shortly after they left came back, this time they transported her to the hospital in St. Albans, Her daughter Ruth and Husband Jim Smith have picked her up and she is now going to live with them for awhile. She has been amazing for her 94 years to do as well for herself. Gila recently had a family friend visit from Maine (David McCormick) for a few days and she enjoyed him cooking for her. This will not be easy for her changing her regular life style, as she dearly loves her home.

Thursday, Lise Gates had her Easter special for the Senior Citizens, at the Dairy Center. She and her helpers prepared a delicious Ham dinner, home made rolls, veggie salad, green beans, potatoes and ham, cookies for dessert. My Niece Melissa Tice came up and joined in with me and my Friends. The tea-cup auction is always a hit with so many people, and surprisingly, they get some nice gifts.

Reminder of the Easter Egg Hunt at the Rec Center this coming Saturday from 1-4 p.m. Lots of games planned, face painting, food, treats. And a huge surprise a VISIT FROM THE EASTER BUNNY. Reminder we are asking everyone to bring something for the Food Shelf. Thanks to everyone for helping out.

Happy Birthday to: Arya Marshall 4/20; Karen Soule 4/21; Amy Hurlbut, Joshua. & Brandon Ryea 4/22; Beth Crane-Daybell, Tara Ryan 4/23; Michael Sheltra 4/24; Susan Auclair 4/25; Howard King, Brent Godin 4/26.

Is it time to laugh: 1. Why shouldn't you tell an Easter egg a joke? It might crack up. 2. Therapists: What's up lately? Chocolate bunny..I don't know Doc..I just feel so hollow inside! 3. How do dinosaurs celebrate Easter? They don't ..they are eggs-tinct 4. Why did the Easter bunny wear a hat? He was having a bad hare day.** Did you laugh..hope so as it's good for the soul. HAVE A WONDERFUL HOLY WEEK..AND A WONDERFUL EASTER DAY WITH YOUR FAMILY AND FRIENDS. LOVE TO ALL.