

LOIS WITH THE MONTGOMERY NEWS, AUGUST 20, 2023

8/20. Our Church Service was completed by Merle Van Gieson, his message to us was entitled "Salvation", Vivian Elbe read the Bible readings. As always, our Hymns are played by our organist Patrick Evans coming each Sunday from Bakersfield. It's going to be another nice Sunday for us to enjoy so hopefully we will get out and do just that. At the present time lawns are being mowed as Saturday was raining.

8/19..The Farmer's Market had a cool rainy morning, with 7 vendor's coming to hopefully sell their veggies, and homemade items, Veronica de Saint Phalle my daughter was here and she has taken pictures of all our Covered Bridges the 5 that are still in use, and has made post cards of each one and has one picture of the 5. She now's plans to paint each one. She plans to have pics at the Lil Crafty Shop in Montgomery Center.

8/19..Louise Yamada hosted a luncheon at her beautiful home and gardens for friends and hanger-oners from the Montgomery Garden Club/Covered Bridges Garden Club Saturday. It's a pot-luck and the food is usually a strong draw as well as catching up with precious Friendships. Louise and her lovely partner John are warm and make everyone very special. The room, not having hosted the group since last year was alive with laughter and stories from everyone. Basic food was scarce but the desserts were plentiful. Blueberry everything was delicious because of the bountiful season. Cuttings and roots were also available for each of us as we departed. Catching up with precious friends is always of sharing Love and Love filled the air. The rain kept us indoors and her fabulous windows gave everyone ample time to share her many trees. The walk about of her property and pond had to be postponed until next time. Thanks to Louise and John for hosting this wonderful luncheon and with this gathering of FRIENDS, Thank-You!!!

On Wednesday after my appointment with the physical Therapist, Penny and I were invited to the home of Linda Sturgeon for a luncheon and then a quiet visit around her pool and screened in gazebo. We could just put our feet up and RELAX. It was heavenly.

Happy Birthday to; Colin McGovern, Mike Cennamo 8/27; Adrien Agim, Levi Royea 8/28; Delwin Lumbra 8/29; John Pelkey, June Abramowitz 8/30.

Anniversary Wishes to: Jesse & Karen Soule 9/1; Marty & Alysa Vallender 9/2.

**A Texas lad rushes home from kindergarten, and insisted his Mother go out and buy him a gun belt with a pistol and holster. Why, whatever for, dear? Mother asked. You're

not going to tell me you need these for school? Yes, I do he asserted. Teacher said tomorrow she's going to teach us to draw.***

This is all folks, been a wonderful afternoon, drying some blankets out on the line, such nice fresh air to dry. Have a wonderful week. M.L.T.A.