

## **LOIS WITH THE MONTGOMERY NEWS, JANUARY 25, '26**

Today is a Holiday, Martin Luther King Jr. is being remembered by many Services in his honor. That gives many Federal Business's a day off. Tuesday, no school again, FNESU in service day.

My daughter Veronica and granddaughter Samantha Royer came over, they got caught up in the snow storm at Christmas Day and then Veronica came down with a cold/cough that hung on for days. Now this day 1.20 was a perfect day for us four to get together, Penny was home as school was out for the day. Veronica wanted to go to Bernie's Restaurant for Lunch, but they were closed as other places were also. Jolley's Deli which is now Stewarts made us a delicious chicken strip sub and French fries. We had our luncheon banquet right here at home..so delicious...Veronica was surprised when it was dessert time, as I had purchased her favorite ice cream cones called Drumsticks. She came prepared with her scissors and hair attire to trim my hair and her daughter Samantha. We had a jolly good visit, great food and the weather stayed calm. They got home safe and sound. 1/20. Sue Peters, Cindy Gilchrist and Debbie Chauvin went to Montpelier where they had a few hours to check out "A Quilting Garden Shop". Sue Told me they all had a fun day.

Wednesday, Sue Peters picked me up at 11:50 to head to the Center where we met up with our Friends to go to the Bowling Alley, Carol Farmer was our driver today. There were a few players missing on different teams. The team that played along side us was missing a player. But they have the score board fixed up, letting us know he/she is absent. .1/22..I stayed home today there was one snow squall after the other. Some were very powerful..whiteouts can be dangerous to drive in. 1/23..Friday I had a call from Lois Babbitt, she was down on certain items and wanted to pick up Connie and go to Enosburg. But, the time she had planned to go, a snow squall came in, she decided to wait it out, and all of a sudden the snow squall was over, the sun came out and we enjoyed beautiful blue skies on our way to Hannafords. We both went in and got things and was going to go over to McDonalds for a sandwich but looking toward home it was all covered with a snow squall, we came home. It did not snow in Enosburg, but was snowing here in Montgomery but not a lot, Lois thought there was like a fog mixed in.

Well, here it is Saturday morning. I have made notes for my News so thought I would work at getting some of it done. My iPad is screwed up with the new UPDATED Version that has been downloaded. I did not want this download and there is so many changes and I cannot, do not understand the changes, Penny said she is going through the same thing on her phone. I think the best remedy is to RETIRE from all this technology stuff.

1/25..Sunday morning is almost gone, been to Church, nine parishioners showed up.our organist and minister. Yes, it was a cold morning but warmed up in the night so it was 8 below when I went down to Church. John Mercy went into the Church Saturday to check on our heating units and today the Church was cozy warm for all to enjoy. John Gorton prepared the Service entitled his sermon"

The Great Light.” Merle and Linda made copies of the service for everyone. We got through the service and the snow storm was on its way to our area for the afternoon. We are in for a few inches of heavy snow..the weatherman tells us.

Our first Senior Dinner by Chef Joey Buttendorf will be held on February 5 at the Conference Room, (same Place) NOTE..first Thursday of every month. This is when a dinner will be provided. Leave message on Patti Perl’s cellphone. 1-862-216-1199; Please keep note of this number, leave your name so she will know who is coming to eat. Thank You!!

Happy Birthday to: Rohan Hardy. 2/2/2026; Emily Smith 2/3/‘26; Eric Mercy, Leila Blanchard 2/4/‘26; Janis Hess, Shannon Smith, Ashley Barney 2/5. Ava Walker 2/6. Harper Rae Bredin 2/7/26.

ANNIVERSARY WISHES TO: Bobby & Aline Baker 2/2/26;

Jokes; \*\* 1. What do you get at a barber shop in the winter? Cold cuts. 2. How do polar bears make their bed? With a blanket of snow and a sheet of ice. 3 What does December have other months don’t? The letter D. 4. What happens when a moose feels cold ? It gets Moose bumps.\*\*\*\* Here it goes..we are in the last week of January already.... Have a good week, stay warm and well. Love to All.