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Upcoming Events

Weekly Senior Meals Tuesdays in Holdingford

at City Hall at noon followed by social/ cards for those wishing to play. Cost is \$5.00 per meal

Wednesdays in St. Stephen at Trobec's at noon followed by cards. Cost is \$6.00 per meal

Monthly Lunch & Learns
St. Stephen will be 3rd Thursday of
each month at St. Stephen Church Hall,
Dates are Jan 20th and Feb 17th.

Holdingford will be 4th Thursday of each month at Holdingford American Legion. Join us on Jan 27th and Feb 24th

Both will start at 11:30 with social, 12:00 meal, Speaker at 12:30, and entertainment to follow.



Thank you to:

Holdingford Lions
Holdingford Lioness

For Providing the meal for Lunch & Learn!

Feet First Clinic

Holdingford City Hall

1st Tuesday of the month starting at 9:00 am to Noon

Please call for an appt. 320-746-9960

St. Stephen Hall

1st Wednesday of the even months.

2:00-3:00 pm.

Please Call for an appt. 320-746-9960

Upsala Community Center

2nd Monday of the odd months 9:00 am to Noon

Call Mary at **320-573-4435 for appt. in Upsala**

Our office will be closed
December 27th—31st.
We will be answering phones
and checking our email, so
give us a call at 320-746-9960
if you need assistance during
this week.

Thank you to all who supported Helping Hands during our Annual Appeal. We received the maximum in matching grant from the Home Instead Foundation/Give65 of \$5,500

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Raymond Barthel In Memory of Hilda Barthel
Patricia Becker In Memory of Linda Pilarski
Betty Czech In Memory of Ervin Czech
Dean & Joann Binsfeld In Memory of Larry Kostreba & Mike Bischoff
Leroy & Joan Dobis In Memory of deceased parents
Robert & Johnita Dombrovski In Memory of Vi & Dan Dombrovski
Robert & Johnita Dombrovski In Memory of Paul & Delores Kukok
Ramona Fedor In Memory of Lloyd Fedor
Vera Forner In Memory of Bill Forner

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Laure Fuerstenberg In Memory of Leo Fuerstenberg & Nikki Nathe
                         Robert Gray In Memory of Clem Jonas
                  Art & Rene Harlander In Memory of Art Harlander Sr
                    Betty Hartung In Memory of Alphonse Hartung
                   Florence Heim In Memory of Clarence Heim family
                  Charlotte Huls In Memory of Bernard & Toppy Huls
           Brian & Christine Jemming In Memory of Sister Maureen Blenkush
       George & Donna Kierzek In Memory of Parents of George & Donna Kierzek
                  Laverne Kobylinski In Memory of Sylvester & Louise
                       Bonnie Konsor In Memory of Gary Konsor
              Joe & Barb Lang In Memory of Elmer & Virginia Ehirlichmen
              Karen Larsen In Memory of In memory of Sharron Westrom
                   Ken Lemke In Memory of Harvey & Marcy Lemke
                     Lorraine Lentz In Memory of Frederick Lentz
                Patrick & Ann Maciej In Memory of Mike & Cecelia Fussy
                 Mike & Virginia Marushin In Memory of Dorothy Meier
         Todd & Sheila Meehl In Memory of Deceased members of our families
                    Donna Nentl In Memory of Melvin & John Nentl
                    Carol Opatz In Memory of Ernest (Ernie) Opatz
       Caroline Opatz In Memory of Deceased members of Opatz & Mach families
                      Kathy Pantzke In Memory of Jerry Pantzke
                       John Pilarski In Memory of Linda Pilarski
           Ray & Cindy Pilarski In Memory of Clarence, Stella & Tony Pilarski
                         Arnie Platz In Memory of Chris Platz
Rick & Sharon Pogatschnik In Memory of deceased members of Ertl & Pogatschnik families
                Jeanette Posch In Memory of Al Posch and Posch family
                   LaDonna Reisdorf In Memory of George F Reisdorf
                  Shawn & Ann Riesner In Memory of Mary Wenderski
  Jeff & Bonnie Rooney In Memory of of Clarence Jarnot & in honor of RoseMary Jarnot
                     Scegura Insurance In Memory of James Czech
             Florentine Scepaniak In Memory of my brother, Melvin Bauer
                  Everett Scherping In Memory of Beverly Scherping
                    Rose Schindler In Memory of Jerome Schindler
                    Marcy M Schmidt In Memory of Roger Schmidt
   Ernie & Lois Schmit In Memory of Deceased members of Bieniek & Schmit families
                       Leon Schmitz In Memory of All who cared
                 David Skaj In Memory of Aloys, Evelyn and Gary Skaj
                     Darlene Skroch In Memory of Claude Skroch
           Dale & Melanie Sobania In Memory of Norbert & Jeanette Sobania
                     Glen & Karen Solarz In Memory of Ted Solarz
                    Lois Ann Solinger In Memory of Andrew Solinger
      St Columbkille Christian Women In Memory of Living and Deceased members
          Robert & Karen St Marie In Memory of Helping Hands Thoughtfulness
                 Tom & Jeanette Stodolka In Memory of Nick Stodolka
           Marvin Stoermann In Memory of Robert Stoermann
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             Arnold B Stueve In Memory of my wife, Dorene
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              Anna Mae Trobec In Memory of Roger Trobec
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Gerald & Jeanette Trobec In Memory of Jeff
Arnold & Carol Voss In Memory of Wallace & Eleanor Jacobson
Delores Voss In Memory of Vern, Kevin & Ruby Voss
Donna Vouk In Memory of Donald Vouk
Bruce & Cheryl Warga In Memory of Raymond & Delores Warga & Joyce Krivanek

Allan Warzecha In Memory of Donna Warzecha
Samuel & Amanda Welle In Memory of Amber Zapzalka
Ed Westrom In Memory of Sharron Westrom
Jeanette Woidyla In Memory of Alphonse Woidyla
Linus & Marilyn Yurczyk In Memory of Norbert & Dennis Yurczyk

Sharon Yurczyk In Memory of Dennis Yurczyk



Holdingford Lions Community Appreciation Breakfast



Sunday, January 16th
9:00 AM—Noon
Holdingford City Hall
Drive through pickup

Meal Delivery Drivers Needed Tuesdays

To deliver 4-7 meals for Holdingford's Tuesday lunch

- Pickup time between 11:45—Noon
- ◆ 3 deliveries in Holdingford, 1 in Bowlus, 1 2 miles south on 9, 1 North of Holdingford on
- We are looking for more than 1 driver so we can split up the route and so no one has to drive every week





Ask these questions when you get a new prescription



When you receive a new prescription, it's important to understand when to take it and how it will interact with your other medications, but sometimes it's hard to know what questions to ask. Here are 8 questions to ask when you get a new prescription, so you are equipped with the information you need!

- 1. What is the name of the medication and what does it do?
- 2. How and when do I take it and for how long?
- 3. What food, drinks, other medications or activities should I avoid while taking this medication?
- 4. Are there any side effects, and what should I do if they occur?
- 5. Will this new prescription work safely with the other prescription and non-prescription medicines I'm taking?
- 6. Is there any written information available on this medication?
- 7. What should I do if I miss a dose?
- 8. What is the best way to store this medication?



We get donations of depends occasionally, so if you use them, please let us know!

Thank you to all Santa's Clues who donated to our Santa Bags:

Maria Wentland, Mike Trettle, Carol Tembreull, Marvel Brown, Carla Fowler, Crvin Bueckers, Ron & Mary Ritter, Richard & Carol Schmidt, Kathy Ebngt, Mary Stitch, Stearns County Golden Horshogs 4-11 club, Patty Becker for her mom, Lonnie & Amanda Thompson, Lewis & Sammi Becker, Evelyn Martini, Roselyn Feia, Randy Hietzman, My Salon, Lenorg Pawson, Judy Boulton, Barb Omann, Victor, Mary Stahlberger, Virginia Trettle, Carlena Johnson, Molly Schnell, Roger Justin, Rod Harren, Joe & JoAnne Christensen, Sue Marstein, and many anonymous donations. Due to all of your generosity, we were able to give over 150 seniors some Christmas Cheer! If I missed you, I









Drop off your Teals Market receipts! We continue to accept and benefit from your Teals Market receipts. In 2020 we have received \$800.00. To date in 2021 we have received \$625.00. Please save them and drop them off at our office. Thank you to Teals Market for your donation and to Linda Harren for coordinating this program.

Donations in Memory of

Jeanette Woidyla in memory of Alphonse Woidyla Becker & Thompson Families in memory of Linda Pilarski Allen Warzecha family in memory of Donna Warzecha Phylis Breth in memory of her mom, Sally Kukok Thomas & Kaia Ploof in memory of Linda Pilarski Doug Marstein family and Millie May in memory of Linda Pilarski Bob & Johnita Dombrovski in memory of Ed Kantor Nancy Kantor in memory of Ed Kantor Patricia Becker in memory of my sister, Linda Pilarski Friends in memory of Ed Kantor

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