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"I am that Bread of Life"
John 6:48



The Ladies of
"Our Daily Bread"

March 2005

*We bring you wonderful taste as well as the feeling of home,
of times gone by, of good quality, of healthy food and warm hearts.*

*No one has ever imagined what God has prepared
for those who love him...1 Corinthians 2:9*

That same little sparrow was back tapping on the glass this morning. Connie said she had seen her the other day already. One of the treasured features of our building is the weathered tin awning on the front. I am sure that without it, the windows would not have lasted all of these years. The birds love to build their nest up in the corners and during the year you can watch from the front windows, the progress of the little family as they start with the spring ritual of building their nest and making their home. Until last year, when we had so rudely moved into our new building, I am quite sure this little lady had constructed her nest inside. She is still quite confused about what has changed. She eventually gives up tapping, and asking for admittance and begins to build her nest in the awning.

I'm not sure why we re so resistant to change, it comes all the same. We are told in Ecclesiastes that there is a season for everything and a purpose for everything under heaven. Sometimes we hang on so tightly to what we know, not because it is best, but because it is familiar. The whole story of what has happened at our Daily Bread centers around asking Him what He wants rather than coming with a list of requests, and tapping on the glass with our demands. We believe that we cannot even imagine the wonderful things that He has planned for us, our only job is to trust as He is with us through the uncomfortable process of change.

We became aware at Christmas time that it was going to be necessary for "The Refuge" (The Christian Youth Center) to move from it's location under the Barnes Mercantile. All of us as well as the youth who attend have had a hard time seeing it as locating anywhere else. We have offered this up in prayer and we are looking at other options. It has given us the opportunity to share with the youth that there always will be a Refuge, and it is not a building – It is Jesus Christ.

We are prayerfully looking into the other possibilities, perhaps even building a building that would be a Refuge for all ages. At this point of the dream, the only thing that limits us is our limited vision. Have we been tapping on the glass? My Dad said "The Kids need a place to go." It was his memorial that finished the Refuge as it is today. We have come to understand that Everyone needs a Refuge, and perhaps that building should look different than what our vision is. Perhaps something for the whole community, youth included. Keep us in your prayers! Watching for the Spring...

.....The Ladies of Our Daily Bread



The large windows of the Garden Room are a wonderful home for our shamrock.



Kim Helms is the newest member of the "Our Daily Bread" family. Kim and her husband Robert live on a farm near Linn, and have 5 children. Kim raises sheep, chickens and ducks. Her quiet, gentle spirit is a wonderful compliment to the kitchen at Our Daily Bread.

Join us for our March Event...

**The Great Potato ~~Famine~~
FEAST**

Baked Potato Bar

with over twenty toppings
Featuring Our Famous Dessert Buffet

Saturday, March 12th
\$10.95 all you can eat!

Seating available at 5 ; 6:30; & 8pm

Call for Reservations 1-866-50-BREAD

Calendar of Upcoming Events:

April 9th: Spring Events Dinner

June 25th: Tropical Nights

Event

July 16th: Summer Events Dinner
(Theme to be decided)



The waiters from Our Valentines Event are pictured at the Dessert Buffet. We served 196 meals in three settings, and the ladies all received a rose. The Valentines Dinner is always one of your favorites, and like everything we do, we make it Special!

This was our first visit. The food and service was great. We plan to come back soon!

- Gil & Virginia Griffie

OUR LUNCH IS SPECIAL! Our Daily Bread serves lunch Monday thru Saturday , 11:30am – 2:30pm. If you have not been here before – I'll let you in on the secret. We don't have A Special, we have 4 or 5 to choose from. Your meal includes tea or coffee, your choice of our delicious, made from scratch entrees and sides, and of course your choice of homemade pie or our other delicious desserts. We hope to see you soon! Come by and let us treat you **Special!**



Francis Sweeney Megenity (lovingly referred to as the Pie Man) is Norma's husband. They celebrated the big ONE last year. Sweeney comes over at lunch time and serves as quality control on the desserts. Sweeney is known for the unique ties that he wears at our special events dinners, as he serves wine. As we are celebrating the Irish this month, and who could be more Irish than Francis Sweeney Megenity.

May your glass be ever full, May the roof over your head be always strong. And may you be in heaven half an hour before the devil knows you're dead.

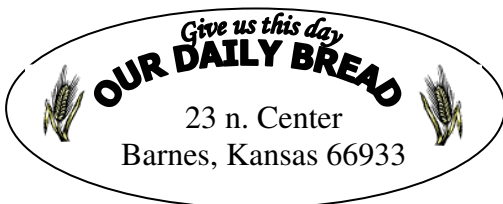
RED HAT ALERT! MARCH 19th
Extremely Limited Dining Space!



Connie has been making Irish Blarney Stones, and Ernie has been swiping them. They are a rich yellow cake dipped in icing and coated with salty peanuts. They are available as a special item at the Bake Shoppe during March as we salute the Irish.



Adena shows off another one of the special items. This crème filled delight is just one of those special items that you will discover on a trip to Our Daily Bread. We love to surprise you!



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