

This Week:

<i>Today:</i>	8:00 AM	Worship
	9:15 AM	Sunday School and Bible Class
	10:30 AM	Worship
<i>Tuesday:</i>	1:30 PM	CLYF Sledding at Lake Benton
	6:30 PM	Christ Lutheran on Cable TV
<i>Wednesday:</i>	12:30 PM	Christ Lutheran on Cable TV
	5:00 PM	Confirmation Class
	5:30 PM	Lenten Supper
	7:00 PM	Worship
	8:00 PM	Choir
<i>Saturday:</i>	10:00 AM	SLS Basketball at St. James
<i>Sunday:</i>	8:00 AM	Worship and Holy Communion
	9:15 AM	Sunday School and Bible Class
	10:30 AM	Worship and Holy Communion

COFFEE HOUR: Thank you to the families from committee six for hosting our coffee hour this morning.

SINGING TODAY: Students from the three and four year old prekindergarten classes at Samuel will be singing in the 8:00 service this morning. We thank them.

FLOWERS: The flowers on the altar are in loving memory of Rebekah Swanson. The arrangement on the stand as you come into church are from the Agneta Kock (mother of Donna Wendorff) funeral. We all rejoice in the victory that our God gives to those who fall asleep in Christ!

CLYF: We will be attending a sledding party with the youth group from St. John's in Lake Benton at Hole in the Mountain Park this afternoon. We will meet at church at 1:30. Bring warm clothes, boots, and tubes and sleds. If there isn't a lot of snow, we will still get together with their group. We will leave Lake Benton after a pizza supper, around 4 PM. If you plan to attend and have not already done so, please let Pastor know.

LADIES AID: Due to scheduling conflicts with the Ladies Aid officers, the March meeting has been cancelled.

MIDWEEK: This week Pastor Tews from St. Peter in Balaton will be our worship leader. We will focus on the theme *Not During the Festival*.

SUPPER: We hope you will take advantage of the meals offered before every Lenten service. Our youth groups will be serving barbeques this week from 5:30-6:30 PM. There are still a few opportunities for you to contribute desserts for our meals in the coming weeks. Signup sheets are available on the table by the bulletin board.

CAMP SHETEK: Minnesota Valley Lutheran Camp, commonly referred to as "Camp Shetek", will be held June 19-25 at the facilities of the Lake Shetek State Park's Zuya Group Campground, located near Currie. The camp is open to students who will have completed grades 3-8 in the spring. Registration forms are available at the office or you may register online at welsmn.org and click on Events and Registration. The cost is \$240 for all campers which includes a \$75 non-refundable deposit. There is an early bird registration which is \$215 if registered by April 1st. No reservations will be accepted after May 15th. Please be aware that Camp may fill up before this April 1st deadline.

CAMP LUTHER: Camp Luther, directed by Great Plains Lutheran High School, is a summer group camp for those entering 5th grade to those entering 9th grade of the WELS and their friends. This year it is being held at Sibley State Park, north of Willmar, MN from Sunday, July 10-Friday, July 15th. The campers enjoy daily devotions, Bible study, singing, crafts, outdoor activities, hiking, fishing, boating, swimming, evening entertainment, camp fire songs, camp fire devotions, plus other fun activities. Camper fees equal \$130 per camper. The fees cover all lodging, all food and snacks, crafts and activities, and a Camp Luther t-shirt. Questions? Please contact Rev. Tony Hansen, Director at campluther@gplhs.org. If you would like a brochure, please speak to Pastor Schreiner.

SUPPORTING THE WORK OF THE CHURCH LAST WEEK

\$8,176 – Budgeted Offerings ~ *Weekly need* - \$6462

\$425 – Mission Offerings ~ *Weekly need* - \$270

\$0 – Media Offerings ~ *Weekly need* - \$90

\$5 – Debt Reduction Fund \$0 – Building Improvement Fund

\$23 – Other Receipts

Budgeted offerings: YTD January 2016: \$20,882.47

YTD January 2015: \$21,209.80

Annual Budgeted – 2016: \$336,000.00

Interested in e-giving, check our website.

**Second Sunday in Lent
Sunday, February 21, 2016**

Service of the Word

Opening Hymn #444

Liturgy page 38

First Lesson – see insert

Psalm 42-43 on page 82

Second Lesson – see insert

Verse of the Day

Gospel Lesson – see insert

Hymn of the Day #351

Sermon – Luke 13:31-35

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Closing Hymn #446

