This Week:

Today:	8:00 AM	Worship and Holy Communion
	9:15 AM	Sunday School and Bible Class
	10:30 AM	Worship and Holy Communion
Monday:	6:30 PM	PTF Meeting at Samuel
Tuesday:		Pastors Conference in Fairmont
	6:30 PM	Christ Lutheran on Cable TV
	7:00 PM	Elder's Meeting
Wednesday:	12:30 PM	Christ Lutheran on Cable TV
	6:30 PM	Confirmation Class
	7:30 PM	Choir
	8:00 PM	SMSU Campus Ministry
Thursday:	1:30 PM	Ladies Aid
	6:30 PM	JCM
Sunday:	8:00 AM	Worship Coffee Hour – PTF
	9:15 AM	Sunday School and Bible Class
	10:30 AM	Worship
	11:30 AM	LRPC Meeting

"TAKE EAT, TAKE DRINK!": We're celebrating the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper today. For reasons based solely upon Scripture we practice "close communion" in our Wisconsin Synod congregations. This has been the standard practice of those church bodies fully committed to the Doctrine of the Real Presence. We would ask that only those members of our Synod or those in complete fellowship with us to come forward for the Sacrament. Please speak with our Pastor before the service if you have any questions.

PASTORS CONFERENCE: Pastor will be attending a conference in Fairmont on Tuesday.

LRPC: The members of the Long Range Planning Committee will meet in the church basement after the late service next Sunday, March 6th.

PTF: The PTF (Parents, Teachers, and Friends) will meet tomorrow night at 6:30 PM at school. All parents, teachers and friends of Samuel are invited and encouraged to attend.

ASH WEDNESDAY: Don't forget – Lent begins on March 9th. Our theme: *People of the Passion*. Pre-service meals, pulpit exchange, strengthening of faith - come and worship!

FOOD AND FELLOWSHIP: This year we hope even more people will take advantage of the meals being offered prior to our Lenten services. CLYF and Pioneers are pooling their efforts in order to make these meals even better. For a donation you can have a wonderful meal that you didn't have to make and help support our youth!

DESSERTS: We hope the members are as excited about our new Lenten menu as we are. This year we are asking the members to provide desserts. Please be willing to provide a pan of bars for one or more of the meals. You can choose what day you would like to provide treats by signing up on the sheets on the table by the bulletin board. We will give you a friendly reminder the week that you have signed up for. Thanks.

6958 MILES: That is how far we must travel to get from Marshall to Emmaus. Are you up for the journey? Many of you may have already received your March newsletter that gives more details for the program. Please take a minute to read up on it and seriously consider taking part. There is something for everybody! It should be a fun way to get healthier physically and spiritually.

COUGARS: The Samuel basketball team is in New Ulm this weekend for the annual MLC tournament. We will try to let you know how they are doing and what time they are playing this afternoon. GO COUGARS!

OWLS: The Minnesota Prairie OWLS will meet at Zion in Morton on Tuesday, March 8. The day begins with coffee and muffins and registration at 9:00 AM and devotion at 9:30 AM. A potluck dinner will follow at noon. Please bring your Meditations and donations for the MLC Food Bank.

PEW CARDS: Just a reminder that it would be a big help if you could "police" your area after service. One big thing would be putting the visitor pew cards back into the pocket in the back of the hymnal they came out of - Thanks!

SUPPORTING THE WORK OF THE CHURCH LAST WEEK

$2366 – Budgeted Offerings ~ *Weekly need - $6259*
$350 – Mission Offerings ~ *Weekly need - $154*
$20 – Media Offerings ~ *Weekly need - $90*
$0 – Debt Reduction Fund $0 – Building Improvement Fund
$56 – Other Receipts
Budgeted offerings: YTD January '11: $22,045.53
YTD January '10: $24,874.74
Annual Budgeted – 2011: $325,476.00

Eighth Sunday after the Epiphany
Sunday, February 27, 2011

Divine Service I

Opening Hymn #733
Liturgy page 15 (CWS)
First Lesson – see insert
Psalm 119a on page 109
Second Lesson – see insert
Gospel Lesson – see insert
Nicene Creed page 19
Hymn of the Day #753
Sermon – Psalm 119:1-8
"Create in Me" page 21
Offering
Prayers and Lord's Prayer
The Sacrament page 22
Distribution Hymn #419
The Thanksgiving page 26
Closing Hymn #287

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