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SINGING TODAY: We want to thank both choirs for beautifying our services today, senior choir in the early service and Samuel grades K-2 in the late service.

COFFEE HOUR: Thank you to the families of Serving Committee 5 for hosting this morning's coffee hour.

MITE BOX: Today we will be taking a door offering for the LWMS mite box collection.

AFTERNOON OF THE ARTS: Samuel Lutheran invites you to attend Afternoon of the Arts today at 3:00 PM. The band will perform and grades 3-8 will sing at this concert. Art projects from all the classes at Samuel will be on display in the gymnasium.

MIDWEEK: This week Pastor Faugstad from Our Savior's and Rock Dell Lutheran (ELS) in Belview will be our worship leader. We will consider the theme *People of the Passion* focusing on "Caiaphas, the Schemer".

SUPPER: We hope you will take advantage of the meals offered before every Lenten service. Our youth groups will be serving Tator tot hotdish this week from 5:30-6:30 PM.

WALK TO EMMAUS: Bonus Activity for week 3: Read devotions with your family at least 3 times. Include your spouse or children or extended family in your daily devotion. Don't forget to turn in your weekly miles sheet. So far we have accumulated 1813 miles.

LENTEN VESPERS SERVICE: Martin Luther College will offer a special opportunity for reflection at its Lenten Vespers on March 26th at 7 PM in the Chapel of the Christ. Join three MLC choirs – Chorale, Men's Choir, and Women's Choir – in a service focused on the life and redemptive work of the Lamb of God. Using an adapted form of Evening Prayer with Service of Light in *Christian Worship*, choirs and congregation will sing songs that have become familiar during this time of the church year.

ROUND-UP: We will be hosting Kindergarten round-up on Monday, March 28 at 6:00 PM beginning with a pizza/pop supper. Round-up for our pre-kindergarten will be held on Monday, April 4 at 6:00 PM. If you are interested or know someone who is please contact Mrs. Julie Festerling at 872-6353 (kindergarten), Mrs. Lois Zander at 734-2309 (pre-kindergarten), or the school office at 532-2162.

MLC AUXILIARY: The Redwood Falls West MLC Auxiliary Meeting will be held at Christ Lutheran on Saturday, March 26th with registration and coffee starting at 9:00 AM and meeting starting at 9:30 AM. Besides the regular business meeting, there will be a presentation or entertainment by MLC students. After the conclusion of the meeting there will be a noon lunch in the church basement. The ladies of the congregation are invited attend.

LWMS RALLY: The LWMS Minnekota Circuit Spring Rally will be held at Good Shepherd Lutheran Church in Sioux Falls, SD, on Saturday, April 2nd. Registration begins at 9 AM with the meeting to follow at 10:00. Pastor Tim Flunker will speak on Hispanic Missions.

REMINDER: Please continue to bring in your County Fair receipts, Box Tops, Campbell's labels, ink cartridges, milk caps, etc. to school or church. The County Fair program ends on March 31. Please turn in all receipts by April 10 so they can be sent in on time. The other programs are ongoing throughout the year. Thanks for your participation.

SUPPORTING THE WORK OF THE CHURCH LAST WEEK

\$4504 – Budgeted Offerings ~ Weekly need - \$6259

\$175 – Mission Offerings ~ Weekly need - \$154

\$20 – Media Offerings ~ Weekly need - \$90

\$125 – Debt Reduction Fund \$75 – Building Improvement Fund

\$112 – Other Receipts

Budgeted offerings: YTD February '11: \$41,466.17

YTD February '10: \$45,877.96

Annual Budgeted – 2011: \$325,476.00

Second Sunday in Lent Sunday, March 20, 2011

Morning Praise

Opening Hymn #337

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Psalm 121 on page 112

Lesson – see insert

Seasonal Response

Hymn of the Day #391

Sermon – John 4:5-26

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Closing Hymn #338

