

This Week:

<i>Today:</i>	8:00 AM	Worship
	9:15 AM	Sunday School and Bible Class
	10:30 AM	Worship
<i>Monday:</i>	6:00 PM	Sunday School Teachers Meeting at SLS
<i>Tuesday:</i>	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>Thursday:</i>	7:00 PM	Mission Society
<i>Friday:</i>	7:00 PM	Science Fair at Samuel
<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
	11:30 AM	Council/Board of Ed Meeting
	1:00 PM	Pioneers

COFFEE HOUR: We wish to thank the members of Board of Education for hosting our coffee hour today.

MEETINGS: There will be a Sunday School teachers meeting at 6 PM on Monday at Samuel in Miss Dorn's classroom. Mission Society will meet on Thursday, March 10th at 7 PM at church.

SPECIAL MEETING: There will be a joint meeting between the Council and Board of Ed on Sunday, March 13th at church after the late service about 11:30. A reminder the regular council meeting will be held the next day at 7 PM at school.

MIDWEEK: This week Pastor Schlieve from Peace in Echo and St. John's, Vesta will be our worship leader. We will focus on the theme *We have no king but Caesar*. A nacho supper will be served by our youth groups from 5:30-6:30 PM.

FOOD SHELF: We will be taking a door offering today for our local food shelf. This is a good way for us to show our Christian love for others. We are collecting money rather than "food" as they can purchase more and get the products people need. During the month of March donations are also doubled. *"Whatever you did for one of the least of these brothers of mine, you did for me."* (Matthew 25:40)

DON'T BE LATE: Just a reminder to set your clocks ahead one hour next Saturday before you go to bed so you aren't late for church next Sunday.

PIONEERS: The Pioneer group will meet next Sunday, March 13th from 1:00-3:00 PM at Samuel.

ROUND-UPS: We will be hosting Kindergarten round-up on Monday, March 14th at 6:00 PM beginning with a pizza/pop supper. If you are interested or know someone who is please contact Mrs. Julie Festerling at 872-6353 or the school office at 532-2162. Pre-Kindergarten Round-up will be held on Monday, March 21st from 6:00-7:30 PM. Children that will be 3 or 4 years old by September 1 and are not currently enrolled in our Pre-K program are invited to attend. For more information or to register, please call the school office at 532-2162 or you may call Mrs. Zander at home at 337-0996.

ECC: It's not too early to start thinking about summer plans regarding your younger children. Have you considered Samuel's Early Childhood Center which runs throughout the summer months? Our summer program will be open to children ages 3 through those entering 5th grade. Since space is limited, we need to know as soon as possible if you are taking advantage of this wonderful opportunity. For more information or to enroll in the summer program contact the church office or our director, Mrs. Zander.

SOUTHWEST MINNESOTA AREA LUTHERAN CHORALE: The Southwest Minnesota Area Lutheran Chorale will present their Sacred Music Concert "Who Is Jesus?" on Sunday, March 13th at 2:00 PM at St. John's Lutheran Church in Redwood Falls and at 7:00 PM at Trinity Lutheran Church in Nicollet. The offering has been designated by the chorale to support the Jesus Cares Ministry.

SUPPORTING THE WORK OF THE CHURCH LAST WEEK

\$4,263 – Budgeted Offerings ~ *Weekly need* - \$6462

\$240 – Mission Offerings ~ *Weekly need* - \$270

\$100 – Media Offerings ~ *Weekly need* - \$90

\$15 – Debt Reduction Fund \$15 – Building Improvement Fund

\$115 – Other Receipts 15

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.

**Fourth Sunday in Lent
Sunday, March 6, 2016****The Common Service**

Opening Hymn #337

Liturgy page 15

First Lesson – see insert

Psalm 32 on page 78

Second Lesson – see insert

Gospel Lesson – see insert

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Hymn of the Day #339

Sermon – Psalm 32:1-11

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Offering

Prayers and Lord's Prayer

Hymn #304

Closing Prayer page 25

Closing Hymn #106

