

Christ's Love Calls Us - Share the Message



Cougar Chronicle

April 13, 2011

Upcoming Events:

Wed Apr 13
5:30 pm
Lenten Supper

Worship Tonight: Please join us for our Lenten worship service tonight at 7:00 PM. This week Pastor Wentzlaff from Faith in Clara City (ELS) will be our worship leader. We will consider the theme *People of the Passion* focusing on "Pontius Pilate, the Thinker". *Our youth will be serving supper (baked potatoes) from 5:30-6:30 PM.

Wed Apr 13
7:00 pm
Ash Wednesday
Worship

Examination: Since Easter is late this year our eighth grade confirmation examination will be held on Sunday (Palm Sunday) between services. Many members have enjoyed the opportunity that this public examination gives them to refresh their Biblical knowledge. You are invited to attend. We ask that if you plan to witness this examination you be in the church by 9:30.

Thurs Apr 14
6:30-8 pm 8th Grade
Confirmation Class
at Church

Earth Day Promotion: An Earth Day promotion is being offered through **Cartridges for Kids** for Samuel Lutheran School. For every \$50 worth of items sent in, we will receive a \$25 bonus! Now is the time to clean out your house or workplace to get rid of those unnecessary items. Bring in your old ink cartridges, cell phones, laptops, iPods, game consoles, etc. Many of these items decrease in value as time goes on so please turn them in now. Items need to be at church or school by April 18th in order to take advantage of this promotion. Thanks!

Fri Apr 15
6:30-8 pm 8th Grade
Confirmation Class
at Church

Children's Theater Students in grades K-5 will be attending the MLC Children's Theater production of *Mr. Toad's Mad Adventures* on Thursday. We will be leaving school at 8:45 AM and return by 3:00 PM. Lunch will be provided. **We could still use one driver.** If you are able to assist with transportation please contact your child's teacher.

Sun Apr 17
8 & 10:30 am
Worship

Sun Apr 17
9:15 am
Sunday School

Graduation Service: Due to a scheduling conflict the time for the 8th grade graduation service on May 19th has been changed to 7:30 PM. This will allow the 6th - 8th grade students to participate in the softball tournament in Mankato that same day.

Sun Apr 17
9:30 am
Examination

Mon Apr 18
6:30 pm PTF

Wednesday Chapel: As you know every Wednesday morning the student body and faculty meet in the gym for a chapel service. This service is conducted by Pastor Schreiner. We are also privileged once a month to have Pastor Berg of Wood Lake and Pastor VanKampen of Cottonwood leading the service. We begin chapel at 8:15 and are usually done by 8:45. Everyone is invited to worship with us. If you have this time free, why not join us.

Birthdays this month!!



James VanKampen -
5
Andrew VanKampen -
19
Bailey Wolff - 25

Parent Transport Day Changes: The public school has changed their schedule for April 20 and 21 which means our parent transport days have changed. They will have school all day on Wednesday, the 20th so there will be bussing that day. Thursday, April 21st will now be a parent transport afternoon since the public school is dismissing at noon. We will have school until 3:00 so you will need to provide afternoon transportation.

PTF: The Parents, Teachers and Friends (PTF) of Samuel will meet on Monday, April 18th at 6:30 PM. Some of the items on the agenda will be the election of officers for next school year and approval of the proposed changes to the PTF bylaws.

Walk to Emmaus: Bonus Activity for week 6: Volunteer for church cleaning on Thursday and Saturday as we spruce up for Easter and Confirmation. Also in the spirit of helping out - do something special for somebody – two times during this week. This can be for the same person or for different people.