

## Jesus Is Our Good Shepherd

## Cougar Chronicle

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## **Upcoming Events:**

Sun Jan 29 8 & 10:30 am Worship 9:15 am Sunday School

Mon Jan 30 4:00 pm Basketball at Lynd

Wed Feb 1 8:20 am Chapel **Singing on Sunday:** Students in Kindergarten through eighth grade will be singing on Sunday, January 29th in the late service as we celebrate Mission Festival. Plan on staying for the potluck dinner which will follow the 10:30 AM service. Please bring a generous dish or two to pass.

**Chapel Offering:** For the second semester the children at Samuel will have an opportunity to contribute to the WELS Prison Ministry. Volunteers provide materials in the form of Bible classes, devotions, Bibles, and even do prison visits at various institutions.

We have invited a representative of the Prison Ministry to talk to the children here at Samuel. After that visit, we will give more direction to projects that the children may get involved in to help with that ministry.

**Grades 3 – 5 Junior Achievement:** This week Melissa Bresnahan from Schwan's is presenting the Junior Achievement program *Our City* to Mrs. MacArthur's class. Topics being discussed include city planning and zoning, sales tax, payment methods for good and services, banking, businesses, and the news media. This is the 3<sup>rd</sup> year that Mrs. Bresnahan has presented a Junior Achievement program in Mrs. MacArthur's room.

Whopper Feed & Grandparents Day: The PTF will be holding a Whopper Feed on Saturday, February 11th. This is also the day that we will be celebrating Grandparents Day during the basketball games vs. Sleepy Eye. Basketball players and cheerleaders are encouraged to invite their grandparents or grand seniors to be recognized between the A and B game. Parents on the Whopper Feed committee are Amanda Berg (chair), Brad and Donna Wendorff, Louise Blum, and Tim Neyens. We could use a few more parents on this committee. Please email the office if you are willing to help. Proceeds from the Whopper Feed will go towards new landscaping around the sign in front of the school.

Birthdays this month!!



Brielle Luckhardt-2 Anna Rubendall-4 Austin Rubendall-4 Elise Kobylinski-5 Myra Kobylinski-5 Molly Thomas-10 Averianna Timm-17 Julia Prahl-18 Jaden Lyons-19 Mrs. Kotecki-20 Miss Sarah Zander-27 Damien Henning-28

Joleigh Kesteloot-29

**Basketball Results:** Samuel played against Redwood Falls on January 5 and won 51 – 28! The scorers were Abby: 8pts, Alex: 5pts, Andrew: 12pts, Bradyn: 14pts, and Preston: 12pts. We played a good game against a somewhat good team but there were some things we could improve. Our passing wasn't very good and we didn't box out very well. We also could've run our plays better. We'll try to improve those things next game. —By Andrew and Bradyn

**Basketball:** The Cougars travel to Lynd on Monday, January 30th. B-team plays at 4:00, A-team at 5:00 PM.

**Snow Shoveling:** We are in need of people to sign up to shovel the school entrances, especially the EC entrance so teachers can get in at 7 AM. Contact the school office if you can help. There is also a sign-up sheet at church for the school shoveling.