## Christ's Love Calls Us Share the Message

## Cougar Chronicle

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## **Upcoming Events:**

Wed Mar 23 5:30 pm Lenten Supper

Wed Mar 23 7:00 pm Ash Wednesday Worship

Sun Mar 27 8 & 10:30 am Worship

Sun Mar 27 9:15 am Sunday School

Mon Mar 28 6:00 pm Kindergarten Round -up **Worship Tonight:** Please join us for our Lenten worship service tonight at 7:00 PM. This week Pastor Faugstad from Our Saviors and Rock Dell (ELS) in Belview will be our worship leader. We will consider the theme *People of the Passion* focusing on "Caiaphas, the Schemer."

\*Our youth will be serving supper (tator tot hotdish) from 5:30-6:30 PM.

**Report Cards:** Report cards were sent home today. Be sure to also check the brown envelope for your lunch bill, conference slip, and band evaluations (upper grades).

**Singing in Vesta:** Students in grades 3-8 will be singing at St. John's Lutheran Church in Vesta on Sunday. The service begins at 9:00 AM - students are asked to arrive at 8:45 AM. The church is located at 260 County Highway 10 in Vesta. If you have any questions please speak to your child's teacher.

**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 4,874 miles.

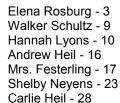
**Teddy Bear Clinic:** Students in grades 1 & 2 will be attending the Teddy Bear Clinic at the hospital on Friday at 10:15. They will learn about germs and what it would be like to stay in the hospital.

**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, April 14th. We will be leaving school at 8:45 AM and return by 3:00 PM. Lunch will be provided. If you are able to assist with transportation please contact your child's teacher.

Kindergarten Round-up: Kindergarten round-up will take place next Monday, March 28th. We certainly hope you will join us at 6:00 for a pizza/pop supper served in the school cafeteria. If not, the actual round-up will begin at 6:30 in the Kindergarten room with a short Bible lesson and an introduction to our Superkids reading series. Mrs. Flock, the school nurse, will be here with information on entering Kindergarten and a representative from Southwest Coaches will also be here to speak about bus transportation for your child. Our Kindergarten Round-up will give the new Kindergartners and their parents an opportunity to see our classroom and some of the materials used, as well as provide time for fellowship with other children and their families. If you are planning to attend, please call the school office (532-2162) by noon on Monday, March 28th, so we will know how many to plan for the pizza supper. If you have any questions, please call the school (532-2162) or you may call Mrs. Festerling at home (872-6353).

**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.

## Birthdays this month!!





**Pre-Kindergarten Round-up:** Pre-K Round-up will be held on Monday, April 4th from 6:00 - 7:00 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, along with their parents, to join us for a pizza and pop supper followed by an hour of fun. At Samuel, we provide a learning environment with God's Word as the focal point. Reading and math readiness, music, physical development, and listening skills are also an integral part of our program. Three-year-old children can enroll in a two day per week program, and four-year-old children may enroll in a three day per week program. The classes meet in the morning during the regular school year. If you are interested or know of someone that might be interested, please call the school office at 532-2162 no later than noon on Monday, April 4th, so we will know how many to plan for the pizza supper.