

God's Word is our Great Heritage



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Upcoming Events:

Wed Nov 23
7:00 pm Worship

Thurs Nov 24
NO SCHOOL
9:30 am Worship

Fri Nov 25
NO SCHOOL

Sun Nov 27
8 & 10:30 am
Worship
9:15 am Sunday
School

Mon, Nov 28
6:00 pm PTF
7:00 pm Basketball
Parent Meeting

Wed Nov 30
8:20 am Chapel
5:30 pm Spaghetti
Supper
7:00 pm Worship

Birthdays this month!!

Arryanna Rosburg-2
Eric VanKampen-4
Grace Doering-14
Mrs. Knutson-14
Kristina Hagberg-19
Randi Wendorff-23

Thanksgiving Vacation: There will be no school November 24th and 25th. Thanksgiving Worship at Christ is Wednesday evening, November 23rd at 7:00 PM and on Thanksgiving Day at 9:30 AM. Classes resume on Monday, November 28th.

PTF Meeting: The PTF (Parents, Teachers, and Friends) of Samuel will meet on Monday, November 28th at 6 PM.

Basketball/Cheerleading Meeting: The mandatory parent meeting for students participating in basketball or cheerleading this year will be held on Monday, November 28th at 7 PM (right after the PTF meeting).

Advent: The advent season will begin on Sunday, November 27th. That also means that we will have our midweek advent services too. The first will be on Wednesday, November 30th at 7:00 PM. Prior to our worship we will be serving a spaghetti supper from 5:30-6:30 PM. We hope you will join us!

Church Decorating: Be sure to come help decorate the church for the Christmas season. Holiday decorating will start at 10:00 AM on Saturday, December 3rd. Stick around after for a chili dump lunch. Everyone provides the chili – everything else is provided by the church.

Christmas Concert: Sunday, December 4th the children of our school will present their Christmas concert "Christ is Born". The concert begins at 3:00 PM. **Parents, you do not need to bring treats for the concert. We will be serving the cookies the students decorate with their grandparents the Friday before.** Parents signed up to host the fellowship time are: Tanya Blanchette-chairperson, Amy Doering, Melanie Werner, Heather Fischer, and Julie Lyons. Just a reminder when you sign up to host an activity you should come early to the kitchen to help set up and stay late to help clean up. The chairperson is responsible for organizing the things that need to be done ahead of time (coffee, juice, etc.). If you have questions please call the school office.

PTF Advent Meal: PTF will be hosting an Advent meal on December 7th. We will be serving BBQ's, chips and bars or cookies. Please sign up for one of the items listed below for that evening by sending me an email letting me know what you will be able to help out with. This is the first time that we are going to be serving for Advent and would really like to see this turn out well.

Please send an email to gandbswanson@iw.net by Friday Dec 2nd so that I will know who is able to bring what or help out where we need it.

Thank you again in advance for your support in making this meal a success.

4 - 3 pounds BBQ, 10 dozen buns; 7 bags chips, 7 pans of bars/cookies

Becky Swanson



Christmas for Kids: We will be hosting “Christmas for Kids”, a one day Vacation Bible School on Saturday, December 10th for kids from Pre-K 3 year olds through 4th grade. It will run from 11:00 AM (right after our first children’s Christmas practice is over) until 1:30 PM. There is a signup sheet on the table in the narthex at church or you can call or email the office to register.

Playground: Have you had an opportunity to check out what is being proposed for the new playground equipment at Samuel. A picture display can be seen in both entryways at school. If you would like to donate to this project, there are envelopes available on the display.

Final Days for Sunny D Labels: Please help your school by saving **Sunny D UPC labels** until November 28th. All shrink-wrapped packs and bottles 16 oz. or larger are eligible. For every 20 UPC labels, we will receive 20 free Scholastic books.