## Christ's Love Calls Us Share the Message

## Cougar Chronicle

October 6, 2010

## **Upcoming Events:**

Thur Oct 7 3:30 pm Volleyball match vs. MACS

Sun Oct 10 8 & 10:30 am Worship

Sun Oct 10 9:15 am Sunday School

Sun Oct 10 1:00 pm Pioneers

Mon Oct 11 4:15 pm Volleyball match at Redwood

Sat Oct 16 Volleyball Tournament at MVL **Vision/Hearing Screenings:** Mrs. Flock will conduct vision and hearing screenings on Friday. Please be sure your student has their glasses or contacts with them that day.

**Pioneers:** The next outing for this group will be to the Holmberg Orchard on Sunday, October 10<sup>th</sup>. We will meet at the Samuel parking lot at 1:00 PM and carpool to the orchard. We should be returning about 3:30 PM. We will need drivers. If you are able to do this please speak with Pastor.

**Fire Prevention Week:** This is fire prevention week. The theme is "Smoke Alarms: A sound you can live with!" The Marshall Fire Department visited our school today for fire drills as a part of Operation E.D.I.T.H. On Thursday the third grade students will have an opportunity to experience a smoke filled building in a safe environment when they visit a portable smoke house. Everyone is then invited to an open house and whopper feed at the fire department Thursday evening from 5:30 PM – 8:00 PM.

**Fire Poster Contest Winner:** James VanKampen was named the Overall Winner for the Marshall Fire Department's annual fire prevention poster contest. James will be recognized and awarded a prize of \$25 and a fire truck at the open house at the fire department on Thursday night. Way to go James!

**Volleyball:** On Thursday, September 30 the Samuel Lutheran Cougar Volleyball team played Lynd. The first game the younger girls played and won. The last three games the older girls played. We won the second game by good serves and teamwork. The third game we lost but, we played hard. The third game we got back in the game and won. Over all the Cougars won 3 out of 4. Good job Cougars! *Abigayle Blanchette* 

**Christmas Greenery:** Our **C**hrist **L**utheran **Y**outh **F**ellowship (CLYF) will be selling Christmas greens (24" Wreath, 36" Wreath, Balsam Roping, Holiday Swag and Holiday Evergreen Planter) after services on Sunday, October 10th, 17th and 24th. Orders will arrive by Thanksgiving.

**Pictures/Picture Retakes:** Lifetouch will be at school on Tuesday, October 19th to take pictures of the Pre-K 3 year olds and for picture retakes. Please notify the office or your child's teacher if you would like retakes.

**Flu Shot Clinic:** Public Health Services will be at our school on Thursday, November 4th at 8:30 AM to provide 2010-2011 Seasonal Flu vaccinations free of charge for all students. If you would like your student to receive the vaccine please return your consent form by October 15th.

\*Any Pre-K students who are getting vaccinated will need to be accompanied by a parent.

## Birthdays this month!!



Mrs. Zander - 3
Cele Finlo - 4
Mr. Festerling - 4
Alex Heil - 15
Spencer Rosburg -24
Mrs. MacArthur - 28
Pastor Schreiner - 29
Matthew Onken - 30

Children's Challenging Behaviors: Are you concerned about your child's behavior? Are you looking for resources and information? Are you curious what behavior is "typical" and what isn't? The Minnesota Department of Health is sponsoring a training by NAMI (National Alliance of Mental Illness) called *Children's Challenging Behavior* on Saturday, October 30th from 9-4 PM at Western Community Action in Marshall. Raising a child or adolescent with challenging behaviors can be difficult. If you would like to get together with other parents and learn five essential tasks to build confidence in our skills including new parenting strategies, ideas for support, self-care and advocacy please call 651-645-2948, ext. 102 to register. This workshop is free of charge and lunch will be provided.

**Save Those Sunny D UPC's:** You have the opportunity to help each of the classrooms get 20 free books. All you have to do is buy Sunny D and send the UPC's to your student's teacher by **October 8**. It takes 20 UPC's for a classroom to get 20 free books. UPC's from the following bottles are eligible:

3 liter, 2 liter, 1 liter, 128 ounce, 96 ounce, 64 ounce, 48 ounce, or 16 ounce bottles

6.75 ounce, 6 pack, 8 pack, or 24 pack outer wraps

6.75 ounce or12 pack card board case

11.3 ounce, 6 pack, or 24 pack outer wraps

12 ounce, 12 pack, or 24 pack cans outer wraps

The following individual bottle UPC's are not valid:

6.75 ounce, 11.3 ounce, or 8 ounce cans; 12 ounce cans