Christ's Love Calls Us -Share the Message



Cougar Chronicle

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² Chapel Mission Offerings for 2010-2011: The children will be given an opportunity to support two of our area Lutheran high schools this year. We have chosen the two closest high schools, Great Plains Lutheran High School in Watertown, SD, and Minnesota Valley Lutheran High School in New Ulm, MN. These schools provide a Christ-centered secondary education after children leave our Lutheran Elementary Schools after 8th grade. These schools begin preparing students for all careers such as lawyers, doctors, teachers, nurses, construction workers, and engineers, but can also help prepare students for service in the church as a pastor or teacher if they would want to go on to MLC or the Seminary. Our first mission collection will go to GPLHS. They have started the year with an enrollment of 122 with 5 foreign exchange students. Something else that makes Great Plains special is the fact that they have a dormitory so students from farther away may also attend. This year there are 72 staying on campus. Watch for more information on our missions. If you want to find out more info on GPLHS, go to their website or ask a teacher at Samuel and we will try to find the answer to your question.

No School: There is no school this Friday, September 3rd or Monday, September 6th.

Open House: Open House at Samuel will be held next Wednesday, September 8th from 6:30-8:00 PM. Invite grandparents, friends, and neighbors to visit your school with you. Pre-K students bring treats (cookies, bars) for the evening. Did you sign up to serve for the evening? Check out the parent signup sheet that was sent home with your student today to see what events you have signed up to work for this year. Every parent should have signed up to work at least one event. If you still need to sign up please contact the office.

Early Out: Wednesday, September 15th school will dismiss at noon for a faculty inservice. The busses WILL transport the students home and lunch will be served before they are dismissed.

Sunday School Registration*:* Sunday school registration will take place next Sunday, September 12th between services. A reminder our worship times are 8:00 AM and 10:30 AM.

Free and Reduced: Parents, please turn in your application for free and reduced lunches by the end of the week.

Lunch Menu: If you would like to know what your student is having for lunch you will find a lunch menu on our website - www.christlutheran-marshallmn.org. Click on Samuel Lutheran School to get to the school page. Once you are there click on lunch menu on the left side of the page.

Upcoming Events:

Fri Sept 3: No School

Sun Sept 5 9 am Worship

Mon Sept 6 No School 7 pm Worship

Tues Sept 7 7 pm Board of Ed

Wed Sept 8 6:30 pm Open House

Sun Sept 12 8 & 10:30 am Worship

Sun Sept 12 9:15 am Sunday School Registration

Wed Sept 15 12 pm Early Out

Birthdays this month!!

Rebekah Swanson - 24 **Piano Students**: Any students who would like to start piano lessons are asked to contact the office or our piano teacher, Mrs. Knutson at 507-296-4571. It's never too late to get started!

Staying In Touch: In these busy times we live in it's hard to find time to do all the things we need to do. Fortunately, technology has helped make things a little easier. Did you know that the church and school have a website with important information only a click away. You can stay in touch with things that are happening at school in general and specifically in your child's classroom. Our newly designed and easily accessible website is a great tool for the busy parent. You can check the lunch menu, calendar, past Cougar Chronicles, classroom news and late breaking news. Be sure to add it to your favorites and check it often!! www.christlutheran-marshallmn.org

School Pictures: School pictures will be taken on Monday, September 20th. Pre-K 1st year students will have their pictures taken on Tuesday, October 19th. More information will be sent home at a later date.

Pre-K Immunizations: Parents of new Pre-K students please turn in your immunization forms to Mrs. Flock as soon as possible.