



*Celebrating
125 years of
God's Grace
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Giving Thanks to God for Many Years of Grace

*Samuel
Lutheran
School*



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Upcoming Events: **Our Feature Family: *The Doerings* Levi, Grace, & Morgan**

Sat Sept 15
Volleyball at
Redwood

Sun Sept 16
8 & 10:30 am
Worship
9:15 am Sunday
School

Mon Sept 17
4:00 pm Volleyball
at Lynd
6:30 pm PTF

Wed Sept 19
8:20 am Chapel

Thur Sept 20
4:00 pm Volleyball
vs. MACS

Levi is a 4th grader this year. He plays the piano, trumpet in the Cougar band, baseball in the summer and hockey for the Marshall Tigers. He would play every sport if he could but his parents wouldn't be able to keep up if he did. Grace is a 1st grader this year. She loves her 6 kittens, momma cat and uncle cat. She also enjoys swimming and plans to start gymnastics lessons this year. Grace just started playing the piano this summer. Morgan is a 1st year pre-K student. He enjoys baseball, playing outside with the kittens and loves to ice skate. He can't wait to start playing hockey like his older brother. Jon and Amy moved their family to Marshall 5 years ago. They both attended parochial schools from K-8th grade. Jon and Amy met at Bethany Lutheran College and then completed undergraduate degrees at Mankato State University. Jon majored in Biology and Ecology and minored in Chemistry. Amy majored in Speech Language Pathology. Jon then went to the U of M where he got his Master's Degree in Engineering. Amy finished her Master's degree in Rehabilitation Counseling at Mankato State. Currently, Jon works for Schwans as their Senior Director of Engineering and Technology for Global Supply Chain. He serves on the school board for Samuel and the board for Marshall Area Hockey Association. Amy recently resigned from 10 years of employment with the State of Minnesota working with high school students and adults with disabilities for State Services for the Blind. She now spends her time keeping up to their three children. Jon and Amy enjoy camping and fishing with the kids. In their spare time Jon enjoys hunting for that big buck while Amy searches for the next spa. We hope you enjoyed meeting the Doering family. Next week we will feature the Haro family.

Kindergarten Kernel "Kontest": And the winner is—Lori Schultz. She guessed there were 246 kernels in the container. After careful counting, the Kindergarten class found out that there were 243!! Good guess, Mrs. Schultz. Enjoy your treat☺!

Birthdays this month!!



Katherine Prah-19
Morgan Doering-20
Rebekah Swanson
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Volleyball: The Cougar volleyball team will travel to Redwood Falls this Saturday for their annual "fun" tournament. Our first game is at 9:00 AM. Players should arrive at **8:30 AM**. The tournament is held at the Redwood Valley High School. A schedule and map is available on our website under *Latest News*.

School Pictures: School pictures will be taken on Monday, September 17th. Pre-K 1st year students will have their pictures taken on Tuesday, October 16th. Picture forms for individual pictures and the all-school picture were sent home last week. Extra forms are available if you have misplaced yours.

Volleyball Pictures: Volleyball pictures will be taken on Monday, September 17th following the school pictures. Order forms were sent home with the players today.

Bushes: The bushes in front of the school building need to be trimmed. If you can help with this, please contact Mr. Festerling.

Subway/Burger King: The PTF of Samuel now has Subway and Burger King gift cards for sale. They are in denominations of \$10 or \$20. Our school receives 10% of the value of each card sold. They can be purchased from Mrs. Onken in the office. Don't forget we also have Hy-Vee and County Fair gift cards for sale.

PTF: The first PTF (Parents, Teachers, and Friends) meeting will take place Monday, September 17th at 6:30 PM. There will be a presentation on the Superkids reading program at this meeting. The purpose of the PTF is to support and promote Samuel Lutheran School. All parents, teachers and friends of Samuel are invited and encouraged to attend and become members.

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.

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

Saving for Samuel Lutheran School: Please help your school by saving **Sunny D UPC labels** until October 15th. All shrink-wrapped packs and bottles 16 oz. or larger are eligible. For every 20 UPC labels, we will receive 20 free Scholastic books.

Please continue to save all eligible items such as **milk caps, Box Tops, UPCs from Campbell's soup products, etc.** Once again, we are saving **County Fair receipts** as well. Send in your recyclables for our **Cartridges for Kids** program. Our acceptable list of items includes scientific and graphing calculators, ink cartridges (laser and inkjet), cell phones, laptops, PDAs, iPods, digital cameras, video systems (consoles and games), DVDs, and GPS systems. If possible, please include all power cords and accessories. Thanks!