

This Week:

<i>Sunday:</i>	8:00 AM	Worship
	9:15 AM	Sunday School and Teen/Adult Bible Class
	10:30 AM	Worship
	3:00 PM	Afternoon of the Arts at Samuel
<i>Monday:</i>	12:30 PM	Women's Prayer Group
<i>Wednesday:</i>	5:00 PM	Confirmation Class
	5:30 PM	Lenten Supper
	7:00 PM	Worship
	8:00 PM	Choir
<i>Thursday:</i>	11:30 AM	Christ Lutheran Church on Cable TV
	6:30 PM	Jesus Cares Ministry
<i>Friday:</i>	8:30 PM	Christ Lutheran Church on Cable TV
<i>Sunday:</i>	8:00 AM	Worship and Holy Communion
	9:15 AM	Sunday School and Teen/Adult Bible Class
	10:30 AM	Worship and Holy Communion

THANK YOU: I want to thank everyone who helped, in whatever way, to make the Seminary Chorus concert stop in Marshall a wonderful event. A lot of work went on behind the scenes but it was worth it. I pray that those who attended the concert were moved in spirit and thank God for being blessed by the choir's work!

PASSION HISTORY: Do you realize that if you don't attend the mid-week Lenten Vespers you don't get a chance to really hear the passion history account of your Savior? Those special readings are not read during the Sunday services. How sad it would be to miss out on hearing what Jesus had to endure to save the likes of us! Pastor Adam Manian from Peace in Echo and St. John's in Vesta will be our worship leader. We will focus on the theme *Three Words of Truth – Watch and Pray*.

SUPPER: We hope you will take advantage of the meals offered before every Lenten service. Our youth groups will be serving spaghetti this week from 5:30-6:30 PM. There are still a few opportunities for you to contribute desserts for our meals in the coming weeks. Signup sheets are available on the table in the narthex.

AFTERNOON OF THE ARTS: The Afternoon of the Arts will be held on today at 3:00 PM at Samuel. Grades 3-8 will sing at this concert and art projects from all the classes at Samuel will be on display in the gymnasium. Following the concert treats and coffee will be served.

FAREWELL: The word "Alleluia" means "Praise you, the Lord". In our service it stands as a musical interlude between the Second and Gospel readings. The Alleluia also serves another purpose. It ratchets things up a notch as we proceed to the Gospel reading. During the Lenten season we observe a "Farewell to Alleluia" since this season is characterized by deep repentance and a more somber tone. The Alleluia is brought back with much joy at Easter.

RADIO: While it is not often we have to cancel church - it does happen. The last two times it has been when Pastor has been gone and our guest preachers can't make it here safely. There are also times members can't get here when we do have services due to ice, cold, and snow. A reminder that you can listen on the radio (KMHL 1400 AM or 101.7 FM) at 8:00 AM. If you don't have a hymnal or supplement and would like to purchase one so you can follow along, they are available at the church office at school.

CALLS: We are happy to announce that Miss Tabitha Mays has accepted our call to teach kindergarten next school year. Miss Rebecca Wagner has returned the preschool call. Watch for details as to our next call meeting.

SUMMER HELP: We are looking for responsible adults who would like to work in our summer care program at school. If you think you might be interested or want to find out more information speak to Pastor or Principal Obry.

MITE BOX: Today and next Sunday we will be taking a door offering for the Lutheran Women's Missionary Society (LWMS) mite box collection. The LWMS Mite Box collections are used to support WELS missions and missionary families.

SUPPORTING THE WORK OF THE CHURCH LAST WEEK

\$1,789 – Budgeted Offerings ~ *Weekly need* - \$7,039
 \$0 – Mission Offerings ~ *Weekly need* - \$327
 \$120 – Media Offerings ~ *Weekly need* - \$90
 \$0 – Building Improvement Fund
 \$0 – Other Receipts
 Budgeted offerings: YTD February 2019: \$44,326.58
 YTD February 2018: \$54,212.52
 Annual Budgeted – 2019: \$366,000.00

Interested in e-giving, check our website.

**Second Sunday in Lent
Sunday, March 17, 2019****Divine Service I**

Opening Hymn #739

Liturgy page 15 (CWS)

First Lesson – see insert

Psalm 42-43 on page 82

Second Lesson – see insert

Gospel Lesson – see insert

Apostles Creed page 20

Hymn of the Day #434

Sermon – Philippians 3:17-4:1

“Create in Me” page 21

Offering

Prayers and Lord's Prayer

Hymn #337

Closing Prayer page 27

Closing Hymn #449

