

IT ALL BEGAN WITH GOD

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Upcoming Events:

Fri Jan 25 6:00 PTF Painting Night

Sat Jan 26 9:00 am Basketball at MVL

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

Mon Jan 28 6:30 pm PTF Meeting

Wed Jan 30 8:30 am Chapel

Thur Jan 31 4:15 pm Basketball at Prairie Lutheran **There Still is Room - Painting Night:** There are still a few spots open for the PTF sponsored canvas painting night on Friday, January 25th from 6:00 - 8:30 pm for grades 2-8. The cost will be \$5 per child. Please RSVP to Heather Fischer by Thursday at heather.fischer@usbank.com or txt 507-530-4051.

Spelling Bee Results Grades 1-4: Samuel Manian was the winner of the 1st-4th grade spelling bee last week. Myra Kobylinski took second place. Other classroom winners included Andrew Lee, Hailey Rock, Jaden Lyons, Benjamin Prahl, Abram Frank, and Averianna Timm. Good job Sam!

Calls: Please keep the ladies we called for our Kindergarten teacher, Mrs. Holly Dannecker, and Preschool Director/Teacher, Mrs. Lauren Thiele, in your prayers that God guides their deliberations and decisions. Mrs. Dannecker's letter of acknowledgment is printed at the end of this newsletter.

Chapel Offering: Our second semester chapel offerings will be going to WELS Christian Aid and Relief which sends aid to places that have been hard hit by natural disasters.

MVL Basketball Schedule: Please see below for the schedule of games on Saturday, January 26th at MVL. <u>Samuel is in charge of running the score clock for all of the games that day. We still need parents to help with this! Please email Mr. Obry if you can help.</u>

9:00 am A team Arlington and St. James 10:00 am A team Hutchinson and Marshall

11:00 am B team St. James and Hutchinson

12:00 pm B team Marshall and Arlington

1:00 pm A team Arlington and Marshall

2:00 pm A team St. James and Hutchinson



January Birthdays

Anna Rubendall-4 Austin Rubendall-4 Elise Kobylinski-5 Myra Kobylinski-5 Ryker Hoflock-13 Averianna Timm-17 Julia Prahl-18 Jaden Lyons-19 Mrs. Kotecki-20 Miss Sarah Zander-27 Joleigh Kesteloot-29 **PTF Meeting:** There will be a meeting of the PTF (Parent, Teacher, and Friends of Samuel) on Monday, January 28th at 6:30 PM.

Grandparent's Day: We would like to invite grandparents and grand-seniors to a special grandparent day on March 6th. We will begin the day with chapel at 8:30 AM followed by grandparent/student activities until 11:30 AM when we will have lunch. Finally, at 1:00 PM, we will meet in the gym for a presentation from the SMSU Science Club. Please email the addresses of grandparents and grand-seniors whom your children would like to invite to Mrs. MacArthur at amacarthur@christlutheran-marshallmn.org by January 25th. Thank you!

Basketball Schedule Addition: We have scheduled games at Balaton on Tuesday, February 12th. Grades 3 and 4 will play at 5:00 PM, grades 5 and 6 will play at 5:45 PM.

Save the Date! Kindergarten Round-Up at Samuel Lutheran School will be **Monday, February 11th.** The evening will begin downstairs in the Kindergarten room at 6:00pm with cookies and refreshments. There will be activities for the children to do while parents get to know the teacher and learn all about the day of a kindergartener! We will begin a read aloud around 6:15 and then will dive into the daily schedule and will walk through a typical math lesson. If you are planning on attending, please call the school office at 532-2162 or email Ms. Davis—cdavis@christlutheran-marshallmn.org by February 4th.

Preschool Round-up will also be held on **Monday**, **February 11th** from 6:30-7:00 PM in the preschool classroom. Please contact Miss Gross with any questions - <u>kgross@christlutheran-marshallmn.org</u>. Hope to see everyone there!

Dear members of Christ and Samuel Lutheran,

On Sunday, January 20th, your congregation extended a divine call to me to serve as your Kindergarten teacher for the upcoming school year. Words cannot express how grateful I am that our Lord and Savior not only gives us congregations and schools to serve, but also opportunities to reflect how best we can serve Him.

I am looking forward to learning more about your ministry in Marshall. I am also excited and curious to hear about the mission and vision of the school, and the opportunities that await the servants of your church.

God's richest blessings on the rest of your week, *Mrs. Holly Dannecker*