Sharing the Love of Jesus



Cougar Chronicle

November 16, 2022

Upcoming Events:

Thur Nov 17 5-8 Grade at Forensics Meet

Sun Nov 20 8:00 am Worship 9:15 am Sunday School

Mon Nov 21 6:30 pm PTF Meeting 7:30 pm Basketball and Cheerleading Parent Meeting

Wed Nov 23 8:15 am Chapel Out at Noon 7:00 pm Worship **Reminder!** As the snow has started flying please remember to send coats, hats, gloves, **snow pants, and boots** so your child can play in the snow. We go outside every day for recess unless it is below zero. Thank you!

Forensics: The Forensics meet for 5-8 graders will be Thursday starting at 3:00 p.m. at Martin Luther College in New Ulm, MN. We will be leaving school at 1:00 p.m. that day and returning by 8:00 p.m. that night to school.

Singing on Sunday: Preschool - second grade will sing for the 10:30 service this Sunday, November 20. We will meet in the church basement at 10:15. Christ Lutheran Church is located at 208 West Marshall Street.

Paws to Read Every Day Book Fair Recap

Thank you to:

- The students in grades 6 8 for their assistance with the tables.
- The students in grades 3 5 for helping the PreK with their preview,
- Mrs. Paxton for selecting books for our school's library and for her help with the takedown,
- Mrs. Klumb, Mrs. Vierstraete, and Mrs. Loe for assisting with the preview and Tuesday night's sale,
- The teachers for allowing their students to come to the preview, and All of you that purchased items.

Thanks to **all** of you, our classrooms had a total of 46 books donated and Mrs. Paxton was able to get 59 books for our school's library. We appreciate your generosity. We plan to host a Scholastic Book Fair at the same time next year. Paws to Read Every Day! *Mrs. Ellingson*



November Birthdays

Mrs. Knutson-14 Callen Fischer-17 Alyssa Rubendall-17 Natalie Sandgren-17 Mrs. Onken-18 Jaxxon Schultz-19 Rylynn Tupman-21 Derek Lee-24 Charlotte Baumann-28 Kamila Morales-28

Alfonso Retamoza-

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PTF Meeting: The PTF (Parents, Teachers, and Friends) of Samuel will meet on Monday, November 21st at 6:30 PM.

Basketball/Cheerleading Meeting: We will be having a mandatory parent meeting for students participating in basketball or cheerleading this year. It will be held on **Monday, November 21st** at 7:30 PM (right after the PTF meeting).

Thanksgiving Vacation: School will dismiss **at noon** on Wednesday, November 23rd and resume on Monday, November 28. Thanksgiving worship at Christ is Wednesday evening, November 23rd at 7:00 PM.

ECC: A reminder that the ECC is closed on Thanksgiving Day and the Friday after Thanksgiving. It will be open normal hours (till 5:30) on Wednesday, the 23rd.

Christmas Concert: On Friday, December 2 the children of our school (Preschool-8th grade) will present their Christmas concert, *Break Forth in Joyful Song*. The concert begins at 6:30 PM.

Help Wanted: Samuel Lutheran School is looking to hire someone to vacuum the hallways and classrooms after school. If you are interested, please contact Mr. Obry at robry@christlutheran-marshallmn.org or 402-992-4419, or contact the school office at 507-532-2162.

School Door/Security Project: At the July Voters' Meeting of Christ Lutheran Church, the voters approved a motion to move forward with a project to upgrade the locking system of the doors at Samuel Lutheran School. This includes the locking system, the wiring, and a new front door to the entryway. The total cost for the project is estimated at \$41,000. To date we have raised \$38,139.84 through money that has been given in previous years to a gift fund and through donations that have been given directly towards this project. If you would like to give to this project, please send your check to the school's office at 500 Village Dr. You can make the check out to "Samuel Lutheran School" and please include "school security" on the memo line. If you have questions on the project please contact a member of the Board of Education or Mr. Obry.

School Wish List: The school has created a wish list on Amazon for different products that the school in general or specific classrooms could use. Please check it out at https://amzn.to/3QKkE4I Also, please remember to use smile.amazon.com and choose Samuel Lutheran School as your organization to support when you make purchases as we will receive a percentage as a donation.

MLC Concert: Martin Luther College invites you to the annual Christmas concert, *Dawn of Redeeming Grace*, presented Saturday, December 3, at 7:30 pm and Sunday, December 4, at 4:00 pm in the MLC Chapel of the Christ. All are welcome as we open the Advent season with this joyous campus tradition!