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Love of Jesus



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Upcoming Events:

Thur Nov 10
2:00 pm Veteran's
Day Program
Parent Teacher
Conferences

Fri Nov 11
NO SCHOOL
Parent Teacher
Conferences

Sun Nov 13
8:00 am Worship
9:15 am Sunday
School
1:00 pm Pioneers

Wed Nov 16
8:15 am Chapel

New Baby! Congratulations to Mr. Obry and his family on the birth of their baby girl, Tegan Rose last Thursday. Tegan weighed 5 pounds, 7 ounces and was 18.5 inches long. Welcome to the Samuel family Tegan!

Paws To Read Every Day – Scholastic Book Fair: Yesterday, Tuesday, the students were able to preview the books at our book fair and make a wish list. Parents, please ask for your child's list when you attend the fair. We had a guessing contest for each grade as to how many pieces of cat or dog treats were in a container. Yesterday at lunch the students found out the winner for each grade. Those students are able to choose a free book, priced less than \$10, from our book fair. **The book fair is open today, Wednesday, November 9, from 1:30-6:00PM, and tomorrow, Thursday, November 10, from 2:00-8:00PM.** Proceeds from the book fair make it possible for Mrs. Paxton to add several more books to our school's library. Thank you! *Mrs. Ellingson*

Veteran's Day Program: On Thursday we will be having a Veteran's Day Program from 2:00-2:45 in the gym. You are all invited to attend. We will be having an Honor Guard, a speech on the importance of Veteran's Day, an explanation of folding the flag, and more.

Parent-Teacher Conferences: Parent/Teacher Conferences for Grades K-8 will be held after school on Thursday and on Friday.

No School: A reminder on Friday there is no school for K-8th. The childcare center will be open from 7:30 AM to 5:30 PM for those who need our services. There will be NO hot lunch, please bring a sack lunch.

Pioneers: On Sunday, November 13 at 1:00 PM the Pioneers and CLYF will be packing snack bags for the non-profit Food 4 Kids at Agape Fellowship (301 N High Street). All supplies are provided, we just need to do the assembly line packing, put the correct number of bags in totes and clean-up the area when we are done.



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-29

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).

Basketball Open Gym: Open gym for the upcoming basketball season for students in grades 3-8 will be held from 3:30 – 5:00 pm on **November 15 and 22**. Students who intend to play basketball this year and are interested in coming should bring gym shoes and athletic clothes to participate. We will start working on fundamentals and possibly have some scrimmages. Regular practices for the A team will be held on Tuesdays and Thursdays beginning November 29th.

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.

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!