

**LWML South Dakota District Mission Grant**  
**Mite Box Devotion – Lutheran High School of Sioux Falls**  
\$5000 (Paid in Full)

- All:** "Now you are the body of Christ, and each one of you is a part of it." 1 Corinthians 12:27
- Reader 1:** Lutheran High School of Sioux Falls opened its doors in the fall of 2010 with grades 9 and 10 and will be adding 11<sup>th</sup> and 12<sup>th</sup> grades in subsequent years.
- Reader 2:** Lutheran High believes that teaching scripture is an integral part of development for youth in mind, body, and spirit. Faith is crucial in forming strong character traits of honesty, integrity, courage, self-control, unselfishness, determination, hope, forgiveness, and empathy.
- Reader 1:** Lutheran High offers a daily study of scripture, weekly chapel opportunities and Christian faith in action through service-learning activities. Lutheran high believes that school, along with one's church, serves as a support and ally for students and parents through the nurture of well-trained, loving and caring Christian teachers and staff.
- ALL:** "Don't let anyone look down on you because you are young, but set an example for the believers in speech, in life, in love, in faith and in purity." 1Timothy 4:12
- Reader 2:** Our Mission Grant to Lutheran High School in Sioux Falls will be used for public relations, recruitment events, event fundraisers and a communication system software program – Constant Contact. This grant will increase their ability to promote the school throughout Sioux Falls and its surrounding areas. Lutheran high recognizes that relationships among fellow students, their families, staff members and our community can change lives in our world.
- Prayer:** Gracious and loving heavenly Father, as we bring our mite offerings before You today, we remember all the students and staff working and learning at Lutheran High School in Sioux Falls. May they continue to work toward their mission statement of: *Developing capable Christian leaders in a complex world: World Ready, Faith Secure.* "Each one should use whatever gift he has received to serve others, faithfully administering God's grace in its various forms . . . so that in all things God may be praised through Jesus Christ." 1 Peter 4: 10, 11b We thank You, too, that through our mite giving, You make it possible for us, the members of the LWML South Dakota District, to reach out to these people in faith, love and compassion as You have done for us through our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ. In His dear name we pray. Amen.