

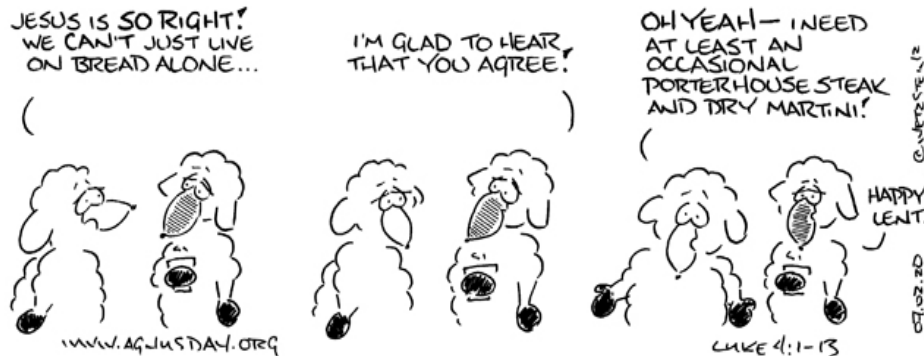
Statistics

February 10 Attendance.....79
February 10 Offering.....\$2,717.00

Those Assisting Us Today

ElderMarvin Clemmons
Altar GuildSusan Martin and Barb Gaines
OrganistAlicia Haggin
AcolyteMacKenzie Delaney
Lay ReaderAaron Warsaw

Agnus Day



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Bulletin and Newsletter Deadlines

If you have news items or articles for the weekly Bulletin, please forward those to the church secretary by **NOON on Wednesdays**. The monthly Newsletter is generally published during the last week of the month. (Sometimes this schedule must be adjusted due to holidays, weather and other special requests). Please forward articles for the newsletter to me by NOON on the Wednesday before the last Sunday of the month. You may contact me by email at **SecretaryOsmanLutheran@frontier.com** or by phone at **309-828-5883**. Thank you! Linda

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The Lutheran Church-Missouri Synod

First Sunday in Lent

February 17, 2013 at 9:30 a.m.



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Welcome in Jesus' Name

Lutherans believe that Jesus Christ is present in the Sacrament so that we receive His true body and blood along with the bread and wine (Mark 14:22, 24; 1 Corinthians 10:16). We further believe that in this Sacrament, we receive the forgiveness of sins (Matthew 26:28) and strength to live an improved Christian life (Galatians 2:20). A worthy communicant is one who is truly repentant of his/her sins and who resolves to amend his/her life (1 Corinthians 11:28). Furthermore, this Sacrament is not only a communion with Christ (Matthew 18:20; 1 Corinthians 10:16), but also with one another (1 Corinthians 10:17; Acts 2:42). Those desiring to commune with us for the first time should register with the pastor in his office BEFORE the service begins.

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A. This is the Word of the Lord.
C. Thanks be to God.

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A. This is the Word of the Lord.
C. Thanks be to God.

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A. This is the Gospel of the Lord.
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Let Us Pray ...

...for our members who are homebound:

**Leona Albin, Alma Hassebrock, Carolyn Heinze,
Marge Morrissey and Paul Zimmerman;**

...for God's healing hand that has touched the lives of those who have been ill recently;

...for those in need of the Lord's care and mercy, of whom we do not know at this hour;

...for our members and friends who are in the service of our country;

...for Marsha Warsaw, who was hospitalized this week;

...for Military Chaplaincy of the LCMS;

...for Immanuel, Charleston;

...Montana District;

...and for Christ the King, Spanish Mission in the Quad Cities, Osman's mission giving project for February.

Announcements

Our thoughts and prayers go to the family of Loretta Brandt. Loretta passed from this earthly life on Saturday, February 9th at her home. Her celebration of life service was conducted by Pastor McPike on Tuesday evening, February 12, at the Calvert-Belangee-Bruce Funeral Home in Farmer City. May our loving Lord comfort all those who mourn.

Additonal Announcements

Bill and Moneta McCleary want to thank the church members, friends and relatives for their thoughts and prayers during the past month, especially for Bill as he underwent lung surgery. With the help of God, he came through it all exceptionally well and is now able to be out and going. Thanks to those who made visits and sent delicious foods. Also, thanks to Pastor McPike for his visits and communion. The Lord is my light and salvation. Whom shall I fear? The Lord is my strength of my life; of whom shall I be afraid?

The confirmands will meet with Pastor Schmidt after church on February 24th. Lunch will be served in the fellowship hall, followed by the study of Luther's Small Catechism.

The Youth Group would like to thank everyone who attended their Valentine's Dinner on February 9th. We had a great time preparing the food for the congregation, and we raised about \$250.00 to add to our National Youth Gathering fund where 4 of the youth will be going to San Antonio, TX in July.

The Lenten Service fellowship committee for February 20 is as follows: Mr. & Mrs. John Lammle, Mr. & Mrs. Steve Gaines, Mr. & Mrs. Rob Gallier, Mr. & Mrs. Neil Bidner, Mr. & Mrs. Steve Martin, Mr. & Mrs. Larry Camp, and Mr. Darryl Redding. The committee for the following Wednesday, February 27, consists of these members: Mr. & Mrs. Dwight Hooker, Mr. and Mrs. Darwin Warsaw, Mr. & Mrs. Steve Warsaw, Mr. & Mrs. Greg Warsaw, Mr. & Mrs. Myron Zimmerman, Mr. & Mrs. Paul Zimmerman, and Deb Peyton. We thank these members in advance for their refreshments and hospitality.

Saturday, March 2nd will be the Fellowship Club and Youth Group Fitness night at the Fisher Grade School gym. Starting time will be at 5 P.M. Eat at 6:00 P.M. Please come out and join us for some great exercise, cards and Domino's. Oh, there'll be great food, too!

The LWML Spring Ping Fling will be held on March 16, 2013 from 9 a.m. - 3 p.m. at St. Paul Lutheran Church in Decatur, IL. The cost will be \$10 for materials and light lunch. Look for more information in the March newsletter. Reservations are due in by March 6th. Please see Connie Warsaw for a registration form, if you are interested in going.

Thrivent Vote! All Thrivent members are going to be asked to vote on the Common Bond Issue. The vote is whether Thrivent should extend their services and products to ALL Christians, not just Lutherans. You can help set the direction of this organization. Watch your mail or email for your ballot to arrive in early March. Then vote online or by phone 24 hours a day, seven days a week or return your paper ballot by April 30. After all, your vote is your voice! Every vote counts!

There are donation envelopes on the Elder's pew in the back of the church if anyone would like to donate to the Lutheran Hour Ministry in 2103

New church directory! Lifetouch Church Directories will be preparing our new church directory. Each family photographed will select a pose for the directory and will receive a FREE 8x10 portrait or 9 wallets and a church directory. Pictures will be taken on April 5th and 6th and appointments will be made during the month of March. All active military, police, fire, and seniors 60 and over will receive a 20% discount. Watch for more details in the near future!