

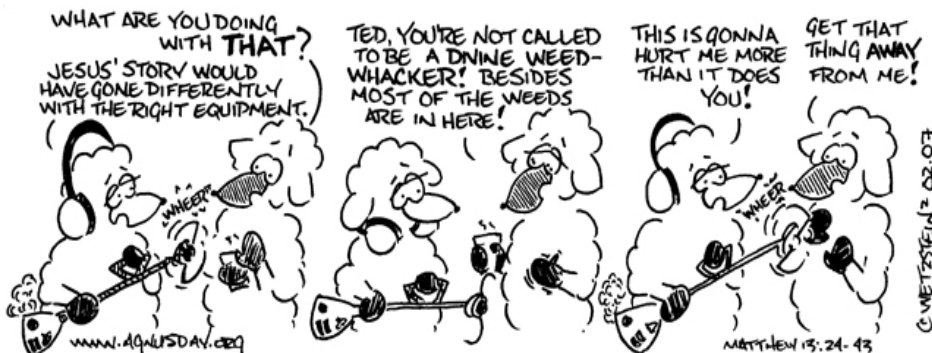
Statistics

July 13 Attendance.....54
July 13 Offering.....\$1,103.00

Those Assisting Us Today

ElderBill Schroeder
Altar Guild Susan Martin
OrganistAlicia Haggin
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Agnus Day



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Bulletin and Newsletter Deadlines

If you have announcements for the weekly Bulletin, please forward those to me by **NOON on Wednesdays**. Please forward articles for the monthly 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

Upcoming Mowing Schedule

July 27.....Shane Zimmerman
August 3.....Larry Lutz and Gene Welborn
August 10.....Leonard Delaney and Mike Miller
August 17.....John Grussing and Aaron Warsaw

IMMANUEL LUTHERAN CHURCH OF OSMAN

The Lutheran Church-Missouri Synod

Sixth Sunday after Pentecost

July 20, 2014 at 9:30 a.m.



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Welcome in Jesus' Name

We are pleased to have you with us and hope that you are enriched today in the fellowship of the Word. May the Lord bless you in the days ahead! If you are a visitor, please sign our guest book at the back of the church or complete a visitor card found in each pew.

"Gangway to Galilee".....VBS Children Sing

DIVINE SERVICE, Setting Three

OPENING HYMN, "Rock of Ages, Cleft for Me"761

Confession and Absolution (page 184)
Introit (Insert), Kyrie (page 186)
Gloria in Excelsis (page 187)
Salutation and Collect (page 189)

Old Testament Reading: Isaiah 44:6-8

A. This is the Word of the Lord.

C. Thanks be to God.

Gradual (Insert)

Epistle: Romans 8:18-27

A. This is the Word of the Lord.

C. Thanks be to God.

Holy Gospel: Matthew 13:24-30, 36-43

(Responses, pg. 190,191)

Apostles' Creed (page 192)

Chapel Talk

HYMN OF THE DAY, "Hark, the Voice of Jesus Calling"827

Sermon

Catechism: Apostle's Creed, Third Article and
Explanation, page 323

The Offering

Prayer of the Church (page 193)

The Lord's Prayer (page 196)

Collect, Salutation and Benedicamus (page 201)

Benediction (page 202)

CLOSING HYMN, "On What Has Now Been Sown"921

Let Us Pray...

...for our members who are homebound:

Alma Hassebrock, Carolyn Heinze,

Carol Martinie, and Marge Morrissey;

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

...for Austin Miller for continued healing;

...for Brad Hoyt for healing;

...for Bryan Warsaw as he recovers from surgery;

...for Marsha Warsaw for healing;

...for Marsha's aunt, Jean Pendleton, as she recovers from surgery;

...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 all the people in the Gifford and Washington areas that are still recovering from the tornadoes;

...for University, Champaign;

...for the North and South Wisconsin Districts;

...and for the missionary endeavors of Pastor Peter Kolb and his family, Osman's mission-giving project for July.

Announcements

Holy Communion will be celebrated again on Sunday, August 3. The communion schedule was modified a bit in July at Pastor McPike's request by the church council to allow for his absence and Vacation Bible School schedule.

Our heartfelt sympathy goes to the family and friends of Mike Hendricks. Mike was called to his eternal home on Monday, July 14, and his funeral was held here at Immanuel on Friday, July 18. May the presence of our loving Lord comfort all those who mourn.

Additional Announcements

Thank You! Bill and Moneta McCleary want to thank our church members and friends for all the thoughts and prayers that was said on our behalf during the time we were ill, in the hospitals and nursing home. We know that because of you and the grace of God we are up and about and feeling pretty well again. May God bless you all. Thanks again!

Change drive for Salt and Light! Bible School is running a change drive for Salt and Light, a community charity for those in need. Please bring your change the next two Sundays and put your change in the jar labeled "Salt and Light" at the back of the church.

Farewell Potluck for Vicar! Plan now to show off your culinary skills at our going away potluck for Vicar Kurt on July 27th after church. Drinks will be provided, but please bring your own table service and dishes to share.

The Altar Guild will be having a brief meeting after church with Pastor McPike on August 3rd. We will be discussing how to use the generous donation given the Altar Guild by an anonymous donor. Please plan to attend this important meeting!

Annual Ladies Aid Luncheon! The Ladies Aid will meet for their annual luncheon at 12 noon on Wednesday, August 6th at the Lost In Time restaurant in Fairbury. Lost In Time is located at 200 E. Locust St. and features a restaurant, bakery and retail store. There are also numerous antique stores in Fairbury to shop in after lunch. The luncheon will be in place of the regular monthly Ladies Aid meeting, and all ladies of the church and their guests are welcome. If you are interested in this annual fun event, please sign up on the back bulletin board. Reservations must be turned in by Sunday, July 27th.

Fellowship Club! Come and join us for fellowship club on Sunday, August 17th at 6 PM in the fellowship hall. We will have a light supper and recognize the July, August, and September birthdays. The main event of the evening will be the program presented by Erik Henriksen who will speak about his Winter Olympics experiences. The evening will conclude with some mini-Olympic games for the young and the "not so young"! So bring your family and friends to the cool Osman Olympic Arena on Sunday, August 17th!

Midweek Bible Study Wednesday! Join us Wednesday at 7 p.m. to study how Jesus' grace extends to all people through the Acts of the Apostles. See you there!

Thank You! I would like to thank Brenda Hendricks, Nikki Gallier, Annette Warsaw, Kim Clemmons, teachers Connie Warsaw, Debbie Lammle, and helpers Vicar Kurt Cockran, Shirley Sprau and Sara McPike for all of your help in making VBS a success. Beth Bidner

Thank You! Thank you to all who donated cookies and other snacks for us to use at VBS. The kids really enjoyed them. Beth Bidner and VBS Staff

A Special Thank You! A special Thank You to Don and Jeff Warsaw for cooking the hamburgers and hot dogs for the VBS cookout. It was a great start to the week. Beth Bidner and VBS Staff

Annual Church Picnic! The annual Church Picnic will be held at the Bellflower Pavilion on August 10th beginning at 10 a.m. More details later.

SAVE THE DATE! The annual Thrivent Bratfest will be Sunday, August 24th. More details to come.