

Statistics

March 15 Attendance.....	66
March 15 Offering.....	\$1,775.00
March 18 Attendance.....	30
March 18 Offering.....	\$236.00
March 22 Attendance.....	74
March 22 Offering.....	\$1,887.00

Those Assisting Us Today

Elder	Shane Zimmerman
Altar Guild	Debbie Lammle and Jill Hardesty
Organist	Alicia Haggin
Acolyte.....	Will Delaney
Lay Reader.....	Annette Warsaw

Agnus Day



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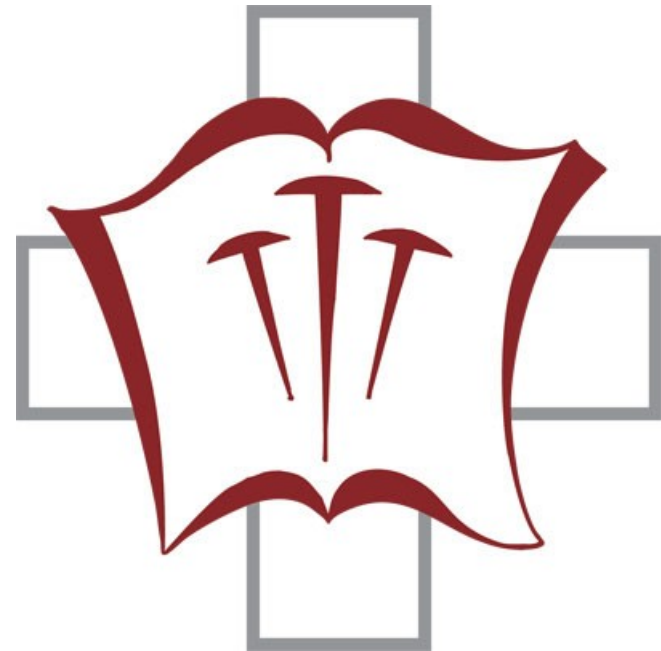
If you have announcements for the weekly Bulletin, please forward those to me by **NOON on Wednesdays**. Please forward articles for the monthly newsletter to me by NOON on the Wednesday before the last Sunday of the month. You may contact me by email at **SecretaryOsmanLutheran@frontier.com** or by phone at **309-828-5883**. Thank you! Linda

IMMANUEL LUTHERAN CHURCH OF OSMAN

The Lutheran Church-Missouri Synod

Palm Sunday/Sunday of the Passion

March 29, 2015 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.

Divine Service, Setting Four

OPENING HYMN, "Hosanna, Lord Hosanna"443

(The Sunday School children will lay palms in the center aisle)

Confession and Absolution (page 203)

Introit (Insert)

Kyrie (page 204)

Salutation and Collect of the Day (page 205)

Old Testament Reading: Zechariah 9:9-12

A. This is the Word of the Lord.

C. Thanks be to God.

Gradual (Insert)

Epistle: Philippians 2:5-11

A. This is the Word of the Lord.

C. Thanks be to God.

Holy Gospel: John 12:12-19 (Response page 206)

A. This is the Gospel of the Lord.

C. Praise to You, O Christ.

Nicene Creed (page 206)

HYMN OF THE DAY, "All Glory, Laud, and Honor"442

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Service of the Sacrament

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DISTRIBUTION HYMN, "Soul, Adorn Yourself with Gladness"636

Nunc Dimittis (page 211)

Post-Communion Collect (page 212)

Benedicamus and Benediction (page 212)

CLOSING HYMN, "Cross of Jesus, Cross of Sorrow"428

Let Us Pray...

...for our members who are homebound:

Alma Hassebrock, Carolyn Heinze, Carol Martinie,

Marge Morrissey and Frances Zimmerman;

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

...for Jodi Stockle for healing and strength as she begins chemotherapy;

...for Kim Schuh for healing and strength as she undergoes surgery;

...for Austin Miller for continued healing;

...for Brad Hoyt for continued healing;

...for Harry Henriksen for continued healing;

...for Steve Dirksen for healing strength and comfort;

...for Julia Camp who is recovering at home from surgery and expecting another surgery soon;

...for Natalie Hooker for safety and support as she teaches in South Korea;

...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 Immanuel, Broadlands;

...for Concordia College, Seward, NE;

...and for Orphan Grain Train, Osman's mission giving project for March.

Announcements

Eternal Flame...The eternal flame is being sponsored during the month of March by Ilene and Gary Bickel in memory of Henry and Mary Warsaw and Clarence and Freda Warsaw. We thank them for their thoughtful tribute.

Attention Youth! We will have a brief meeting after church TODAY to discuss Easter breakfast. We'll meet in the Sunday School area under the balcony.

Easter Caroling! We will go Easter caroling to our shut-ins after church TODAY. We will leave the church at 11:30 a.m. All are welcome to spend the afternoon visiting and singing.

Ladies Aid Meeting: The Ladies Aid will meet on Wednesday, April 1st at 1:30 p.m. Dorothy Miller will have the devotion and prayer and serve as hostess. Annette Warsaw will present the topic. Roll call will be answered with a verse on Angels. All ladies of the church are invited to attend!

Church Council Meeting: The church council will meet at 7 p.m. on Wednesday, April 1st in the Fellowship Hall.

Holy Week Services: The Maundy Thursday service begins at 7 p.m. on April 2nd. Holy Communion will be celebrated with homemade wine made by Shane Zimmerman and Aaron Warsaw and unleavened bread made by Debbie Lammle. Good Friday service will be held on April 3rd at 7 p.m. Easter sunrise service begins at 7 a.m. on April 5th followed by breakfast.

Easter Breakfast! As is our tradition at Osman, the youth will be serving breakfast after service on Easter morning in the Hall. The menu includes our traditional pancakes by Larry Lutz, eggs, ham, and toast with coffee, juice or milk. Please join us to celebrate Jesus' resurrection!

Soup Supper Benefit Date Change: We will be preparing a benefit soup supper on Saturday, April 11, 2015 from 4:30 - 7 p.m. for Emily Robinson. Emily is 13 years old and has scoliosis. She is the daughter of Bobby Robinson who runs the Lions Den Cafe in Bellflower. The meal will be chili, potato soup, oyster soup, sandwiches and pie. There is a signup sheet on the back bulletin board for food donations. You do not have to be a Thrivent member to donate or help at the benefit. Thrivent will match \$1 for every \$3 donated up to \$1,000.

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