

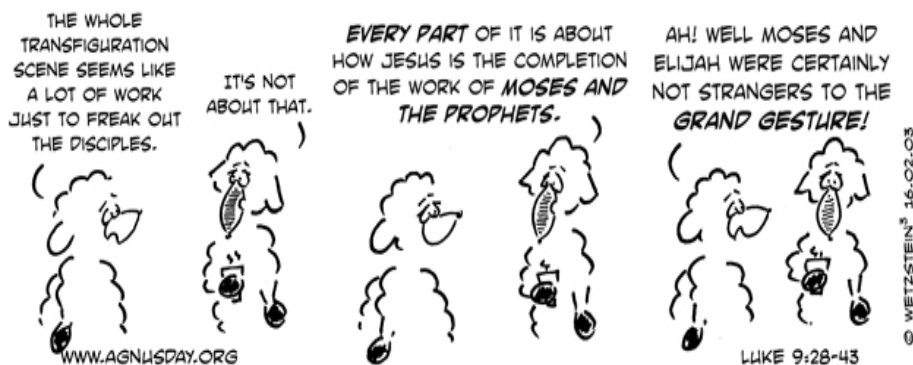
Statistics

January 17 Attendance.....	58
January 17 Offering.....	\$4,155.89
January 24 Attendance.....	64
January 24 Offering.....	\$1,483.00
January 31 Attendance.....	68
January 31 Offering.....	\$1,765.47

Those Assisting Us Today

Elder	Marvin Clemmons
Altar Guild	Barb Gaines and Debbie Lammle
Organist	Alicia Haggin
Lay Reader.....	Marsha Warsaw

Agnus Day



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Bulletin Deadline

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

The Transfiguration of Our Lord

February 7, 2016 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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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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Let Us Pray...

...for our members who are homebound:

Phyllis Burnett, Alma Hassebrock, Carolyn Heinze, and Marge Morrissey;

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

...for Cindy Masko for healing;

...for Jeri Bidner for recovery;

...for Jeff Warsaw for healing and strength;

...for Jodi Welborn Stockle for healing and strength;

...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 Pastor Peter Kolb and family, LCMS Missionary serving in Hong Kong, for healing and strength;

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

...for Chaplains at Carle and Covenant, Urbana;

...for the Iowa District East of our Synod;

...and for the Spiritual Care Department, Faith Regional Health Services, Norfolk, NE.

Announcements

Important Thrivent Meeting! There will be a very important Thrivent meeting after church on February 14th in the HALL. We need ALL Thrivent members to attend. Thanks!

Our deepest sympathy to the family of Stanley Warsaw who passed away Jan. 28th. May God provide comfort during this difficult time.

Thank You! Thanks so much to Pastor and the choir for coming to my home caroling. It is so uplifting to see all the smiling familiar faces. You do such a great job. Also, thank you for the plate of goodies, poinsettia, and Sunday School's snowman. I pray you all have a healthy and happy 2016. God Bless each of you, Marge Morrissey

Thank You! We received a Thank You from Samaritan's Purse for last month's local mission money.

Valentine Dinner! TODAY is the last day to sign up for the Valentine's dinner. Everyone is welcome! The Youth Group will be hosting a free-will donation Valentine's Dinner for you and your sweetheart on Saturday, February 13, 2016 in the Hall. The evening will start at 5:00 PM with some pre-dinner musical entertainment by Patty, Annie and Tricia Downey as well as photos with your sweetheart. At 5:30 lasagna dinner and dessert will be served by our Youth Group. Post-dinner musical entertainment will also be enjoyed. Come with your sweetheart or on your own for some "sweet" fellowship and to support our youth who will be attending the National Youth Gathering this July 2016 in New Orleans.

Soup Supper Benefit: Thrivent Financial will be organizing a benefit soup supper for the children of Alex Clark of Mansfield. Alex graduated from Blue Ridge in the Class of 2007 and passed away on December 5th at the age of 27. She left behind a 2 year old son and a 3 month old daughter. The grandparents now have legal guardianship of the children. The soup supper will be held on Saturday, February 27th, from 4:30 to 7. The menu will be chili, oyster soup, potato soup, sandwiches, pie, and drinks. If you would like to donate food, the sign-up sheet is on the back bulletin board. The family has been blessed with many donations of diapers and formula so there is not a need at this time to organize a Thrivent Action Team to purchase material items for them.

Additional Announcements

Confirmands! Confirmation meal and class with Pastor McPike will be February 28th following church.

Ash Wednesday Supper and Service: The LWML will be hosting an Italian beef and soup supper beginning this Wednesday, at 5:30pm. LWML members please sign up on the bulletin board to donate food for the Ash Wednesday Supper. The Ash Wednesday Service with Holy Communion begins at 7pm following the meal.

The Maundy Thursday social hour will be prior to the service on March 24th.

The Lenten Service Refreshment List was included in the February newsletter. The couple at the top of the list will coordinate with the rest of the committee as to what to serve during the social hour after the weekly mid-week service. Drinks will be provided by the church.

VBS: The theme for this year's VBS is Barnyard Roundup by CPH. If you would like to volunteer to help, please let Connie Warsaw know. We will be picking dates later when parents have their children's summer schedules.

Osman Wi-Fi: The Osman Wi-Fi code for "OsmanChurch(public)" is "romans1017".

"Worship for Shut-ins" - Know someone who can't get to church? Lutheran Ministries from Concordia Theological Seminary produces "Worship for Shut-ins". It airs locally on WCIX-49 Sunday mornings at 7:30am.

Important news is sent via EMAIL. Urgent alerts (such as service time or location changes) are sent via cell phone text message. If you want to be on either or both lists, please contact Pastor McPike.

Reminder of Upcoming Services:

Ash Wednesday: February 10th 7pm with LWML sponsored meal before.

Lenten Services: February 17th, 24th, March 2nd, 9th, 16th

Maundy Thursday: March 24th

Good Friday: March 25th;

Easter: March 27th

Confirmation Questioning: changed to March 2nd, 9th, and 16th.