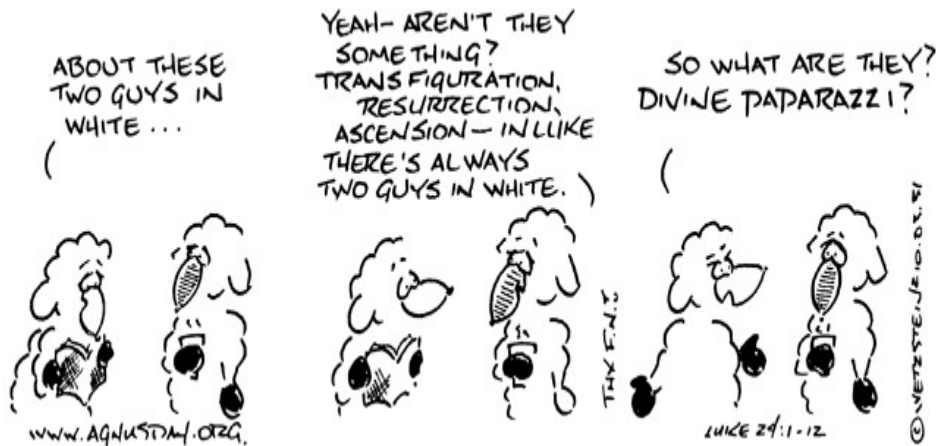


Those Assisting Us Today

Elder.....Don Warsaw
Altar Guild.....Debbie Lammle, Debbie Martin and Jill Hardesty
OrganistAlicia Haggin
Lay Reader.....Joy Johnson

Agnus Day



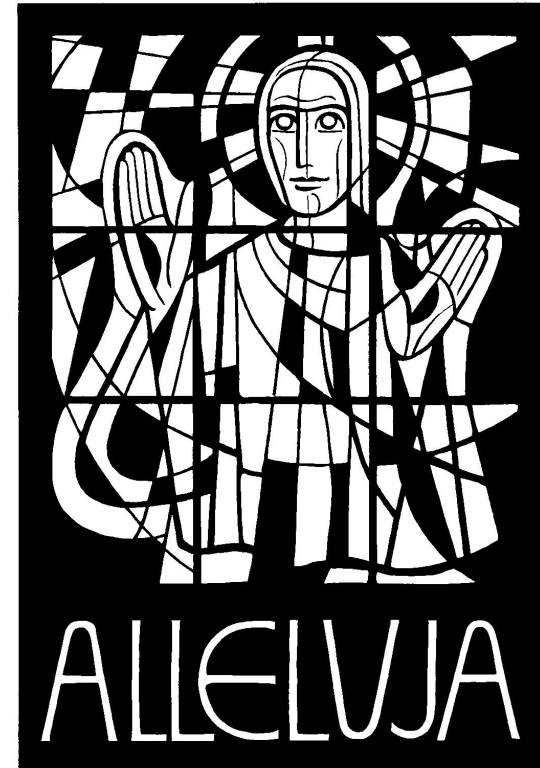
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The Resurrection of Our Lord Easter Day

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Early Easter narrative: John 20:1-10

Music: *Christ Lag in Todesbanden*

(during the singing of the music, which is an Easter Hymn written by Martin Luther based on an Easter Chant from the early church, the altar, which started the service covered in black, will be dressed for our joyous worship service. This symbolizes how gradually it was that the gloom of the death of Christ on Good Friday began to be replaced by joy as the disciples realized that Jesus had risen from the dead.)

P: He is Risen!

C: He is risen indeed! Alleluia!

Hymn, “Jesus Christ Is Risen Today” 457

Kyrie and Gloria in Excelsis (page 186)

Salutation and Collect (page 189)

Old Testament Lesson: Isaiah 65:17-25

Gradual - “Christ Is Risen” as composed by Nicholas Haggin.....Choir

The Paschal Troparion (Christ Is Risen) is an ancient hymn for Easter sometimes attributed to Romanos the Melodist (+556). This setting is arranged from the Galician Chant for our Osman choir by Nicholas Haggin.

Epistle: 1 Corinthians 15:19-26

Verse - Alleluia (page 190) - Congregation

Solo.....Nick Haggin

Alleluia (page 190) - Congregation

Gospel: Luke 24:1-12

Nicene Creed (page 191)

Hymn, “I Know That My Redeemer Lives” 461

1: All; 2: Solo; 3: Men; 4: All; 5: Women; 6: All; 7: Solo; 8: All

Sermon

Confession and Absolution: page 184

(Early communion services in the LCMS included the Confession and Absolution at this point in the service instead of at the beginning. Because of the way in which the service began with the altar being re-dressed, we are observing that again tradition on this day.)

Prayer of the Church

Offering

Service of the Sacrament (page 194ff)

Music During Distribution:

“Joyful, Joyful”Theresa VanWakeman-Wilson, Soloist

Hymn, “Christ Has Arisen, Alleluia” 466

Hymn, “Christ the Lord Is Risen Today” 469

Post Communion canticle p. 199

Concluding Liturgy pp 200 ff.

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 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 Nathan Hooker deployed to Afghanistan and other members and friends who are in the service of our country;

...for Concordia Seminary, St. Louis;

...and for St. Paul, Sadorus.

Announcements

Easter Prayer—My Redeemer, You have risen, just as You said! How I praise You, O Son of God, for assuring me that, because You live, I, too, will rise from the grave and live eternally with You in heaven. Thank You for redeeming my soul from hell and my life from the grave! Amen.

Eternal Flame: The Eternal Flame is being sponsored by Linda Warsaw for the month of March in memory of G. Alan Guinn.

Thank You! Special thanks to all those who donated Easter lilies for our service today. What a wonderful way to serve God by adorning His altar! If you like, you may take them home today; otherwise we will use them again next Sunday.

Thank You! Pastor and Sharon thank everyone who came to the open house for their good wishes and gifts.

Easter Egg Hunt will be held during the end of the breakfast this morning for the children. A Thrivent action team card applied for by Brenda Hendricks was used to purchase the treats inside the eggs and the take home sacks. It will also be used to purchase the shut-ins a potted plant to be delivered when we go caroling next week.

Thank You! Thanks to the children, choir, and Alicia and Nick Haggin for the beautiful Palm Sunday song last week.

Thank You! Thanks to Jill and Rick Hardesty, Brenda Hendricks, Debbie Peyton, Mr. & Mrs. Lee Whitehouse, Mr. & Mrs. Jim Poppe, and Darwin Warsaw for serving the meal on Maundy Thursday.

New Email Address for the Church Secretary! Please direct all church related email for Linda to: secretary@osmanlutheran.org. The old email address will be turned off soon.

LWML Banner: Anyone interested in helping with the LWML banner needed for the CID LWML CID convention in Jacksonville, please meet at the hall on **March 30th at 9am.** All ideas are welcome!

Easter Caroling to shut-ins! Choir will go Easter caroling to our shut-ins on Sunday, April 3. We will leave the church at 11:30am.

Additional Announcements

LWML Spring Gathering: All LWML members are invited to the Danville Zone Spring Gathering on Saturday, April 2nd, at St. John's Lutheran Church, Ash Grove. Registration begins at 8:30, with the brunch and program following. RSVP by March 29 to cteske@localline2.com.

Church Council: The Church Council will meet on Wednesday, April 6th at 7 pm, and the Quarterly Voter's meeting will be Sunday, April 10th after service.

Quilting! All ladies who are interested in assembling quilts for Lutheran World Relief will be meeting on Thursday April 7 and Saturday April 9 at 8 am in the hall. No experience necessary!

Christian Women's Conference: Wednesday, April 27, 2016 at 8:00am-4:00pm at Lincoln Christian University; Registration due by April 20; more details on the bulletin board.

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

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.

"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.