

Statistics

February 12 Attendance.....76
February 12 Offering.....\$1,515.25

Those Assisting Us Today

ElderDon Warsaw
Altar GuildDebbie Martin
OrganistAlicia Haggin
Lay Reader.....Shirley Sprau

Agnus Day



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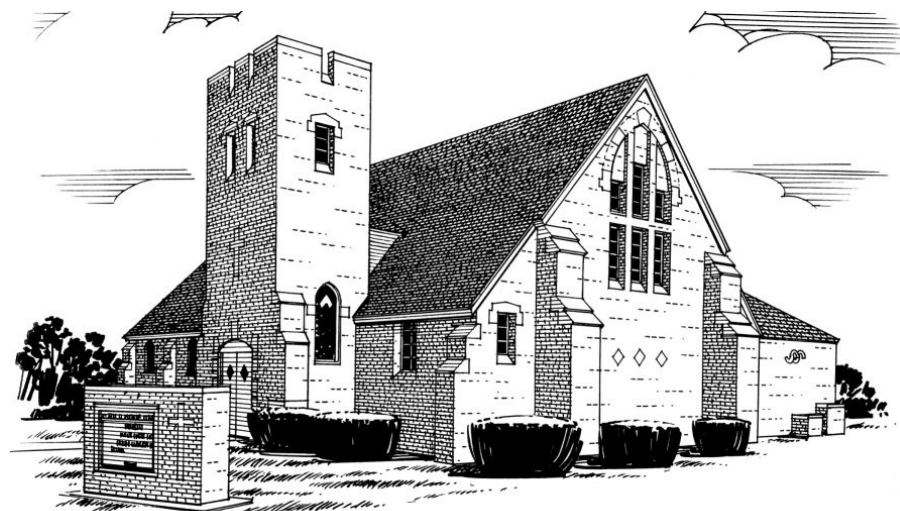
If you have announcements for the weekly Bulletin, please forward those to me by **NOON on Wednesdays**. You may contact me by email at secretary@osmanlutheran.org or by phone at **309-828-5883**. Thank you!
Linda

IMMANUEL LUTHERAN CHURCH OF OSMAN

The Lutheran Church-Missouri Synod

Commemoration of Martin Luther

February 19, 2017 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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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: **Phyllis Burnett, Wilma Forrest, Alma Hassebrock, Carolyn Heinze, Marge Morrissey, Johanne Bloch**
...for thanksgiving and praise for our blessings;
...for God's healing hand for those who have been ill;
...for Rick Hardesty for healing and strength;
...for Kathy Brendel for healing and strength;
...for Cindy Masko as she goes through a new round of treatment for cancer;
...for Jodi Burgess for healing and strength;
...for Steve Martin as he recuperates from knee surgery;
...for Pastor Peter Kolb and family, LCMS Missionary serving in Hong Kong;
...for those in need of God's mercy and care;
...for Immanuel, Charleston;
...for Military Chaplaincy of the LCMS;
...and for the Montana District.

Announcements

Ash Wednesday Service with Holy Communion will be March 1st beginning at 7 PM. Social Hour will be following the service.

Thanks to everyone who contributed to the "Face of Reformation" meal last night in the Fellowship Hall. A great time was had by all attending!

Soup Supper Benefit! The Stewardship Committee will be organizing a benefit soup supper for Cindy Masko who is undergoing continued treatments for breast cancer. The soup supper will be held in the hall on Saturday, March 11, from 4:30 to 7. The menu will be chili, oyster soup, potato soup, sandwiches, pie, and drinks. A free will offering will be taken. Some of the Thrivent Choice dollars that have been generously donated by our Thrivent members will be added to the free will offering. A Thrivent Action Team card for \$250 was applied for by Dwight Hooker. This will be used to cover some of the grocery expenses. There is a sign-up sheet for food donations on the bulletin board at the back of the church.

The Ladies Aid will hold their March meeting on March 1st at 1:30 PM in the fellowship hall. Wilma Grussing will have devotion, prayer, and refreshments. Brenda Hendricks will give the topic. Roll call will be answered with a verse on obedience. All ladies of the church are invited!

The Concordia Wind Symphony is having a concert closer than Chicago to Osman - at Zion Lutheran Church, 625 Church Dr, Bethalto, Illinois on Friday, March 3, 2017 at 7:00 PM. On Saturday, March 4, they are a bit closer yet, at Cornerstone Lutheran Church, 4850 E. Main Street, Carmel, Indiana at 6:00 PM Central (7:00 PM Eastern Time). Sara McPike plays in this group.

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

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.

Introit (Psalm 119:46; Psalm 46:1–3, 7a)

I will also speak of Your testimonies be- | fore kings*
and shall not be | put to shame.

God is our ref- | uge and strength,*
a very present help in | trouble.

Therefore we will not fear though the | earth gives way,*
though the mountains be moved into the heart | of the sea,
though its waters | roar and foam,*
though the mountains tremble at its | swelling.

Glory be to the Father and | to the Son*
and to the Holy | Spirit;
as it was in the be- | ginning,*
is now, and will be forever. | Amen.

The Lord of hosts is | with us;*
the God of Jacob is our | fortress.
I will also speak of Your testimonies be- | fore kings*
and shall not be | put to shame.

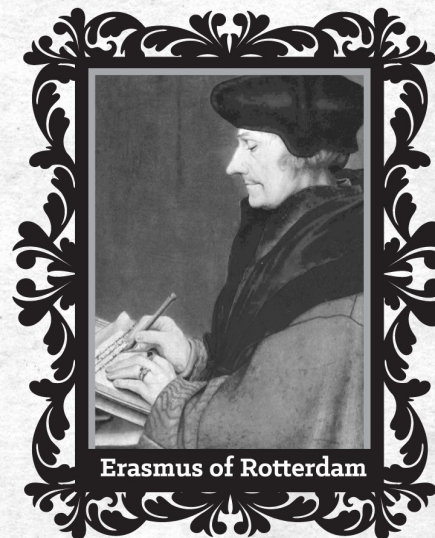
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Gospel: John 5:1-11

FACES OF THE REFORMATION

Erasmus, Scholar of the Enlightenment eclipsed by Luther and the Reformation



Erasmus of Rotterdam

ERASMUS OF ROTTERDAM

Born: Oct. 28, 1466

Died: July 12, 1536

MARTIN ELEUTHERIUS — WHICH MEANS

“MARTIN, THE FREE MAN” — is how Martin Luther signed his name for a while. Hellenizing names, modeling them after Greek words, was the fashion among young scholars who had been influenced by humanism, a movement characterized by a renewed interest in the ancient writers of Greece and Rome.

The most important representative of humanism in Northern Europe was Desiderius Erasmus. Born in the Netherlands, Erasmus had studied in Paris and Turin, lectured in Cambridge and worked for a publisher in Basel. He was a man of the world and a prolific scholar.

Like Luther, he had criticized abuses in the Roman Catholic Church, but Erasmus had a different understanding of Christianity altogether. Pressured by the pope, Erasmus (who saw Christianity as an ethical philosophy for which dogma was unimportant) attacked Luther for denying free will. Luther's response, *Bondage of the Will*, clearly articulates the sinner's complete dependence upon God's grace. The Reformation was about more than humanism's academic freedom; it was about freedom from the bondage of sin in Christ.



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