

Statistics

March 1 Attendance.....	26
March 1 Offering.....	\$232.32
March 5 Attendance.....	72
March 5 Offering.....	\$1,851.00

Those Assisting Us Today

Elder.....	Butch Sprau
Altar Guild.....	Barb Gaines and Deb Lammle
Organist	Alicia Haggin
Lay Reader.....	Marsha Warsaw

Agnus Day



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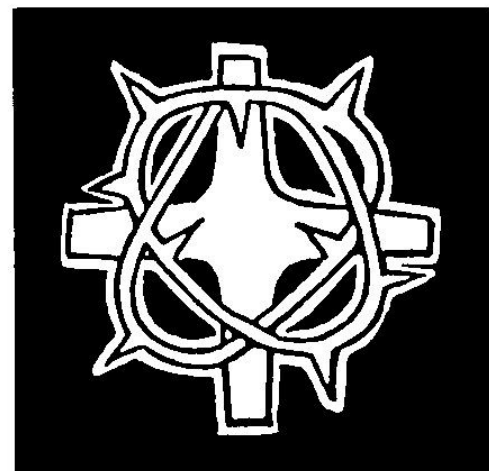
If you have announcements for the weekly Bulletin, please forward those to me by **NOON on Wednesdays**. You may contact me by email at secretary@osmanlutheran.org or by phone at **309-828-5883**. Thank you!
Linda

IMMANUEL LUTHERAN CHURCH OF OSMAN

The Lutheran Church-Missouri Synod

Second Sunday in Lent

March 12, 2017 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.

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A: This is the Word of the Lord.
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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A: This is the Gospel of the Lord.
C: **Praise be to Thee, O Christ.**

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Let Us Pray...

...for our members who are homebound: **Phyllis Burnett, Wilma Forrest, Alma Hassebrock, Carolyn Heinze, Moneta McCleary, Marge Morrissey, and 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;
...and for Friendship, Champaign.

Announcements

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

The Choir will practice after church on the Sundays and Wednesdays of Lent. I'm not seeing any meetings on the calendar for those times, but if there are, we'll just cancel for that week. Thanks.

The Choir will go caroling to our shut-ins on Sunday, April 9. Time, TBD.

Thank you to all who volunteered their time this week to make the benefit soup supper for Cindy Masko a success. It took several cooks, bakers, servers, dish washers, decorators, and organizers to make this supper possible. If you were not able to attend but still want to donate, you can make your check to Immanuel Lutheran Church of Osman and give it to Roy and Annette Whitehouse or Dwight and Terri Hooker.

Church Council meeting will be held after Lenten Service in the annex on March 15th.

The LWML Zone President's meeting will be held in the fellowship hall on Saturday, March 18th, at 9:30am.

Brian Johnston, our previous Vicar, will be visiting next Sunday. Let's give him a warm Osman welcome!

Please sign-up on the bulletin board if you wish to donate a lily for Easter. The price for the lily with a bow is \$10. Please sign up by April 9th and give your money to Bob Zimmerman. Checks may be made to Immanuel Lutheran Church of Osman. Thanks!

Those members at the top of the refreshment list should check in the kitchen if enough Crystal Light and coffee are available for the Lenten Service Social Hours.

Communion will be changed from March 19th to March 26th.

Congratulations to Susan Miller for completing the Parish Nursing Program at Carle. God's blessings as she pursues this new endeavor!!

Additional Announcements

Rick Hardesty Pump Fund Benefit: The Farmer City Fire Department along with area churches (including Osman) will be holding a benefit for Rick Hardesty on April 15th at the Farmer City American Legion, 755 Stensel Drive, beginning at 4pm. Tickets will be \$20 for ages 13 and up, with age 12 and under eating free. A paid ticket includes a pulled pork meal and one chance to win a 50" TV. A live auction, silent auction, 50/50 raffle, and music from the "Modern Cowboys will all be included in the evening's events. A lantern is located at the back of the church for donations. Checks may be made to "Rick Hardesty Pump Fund Benefit". **Thanks everyone for your Donations! A sign-up sheet has now been posted on the bulletin board for those willing to donate desserts (pies, bar cookies, etc.) for this benefit.**

"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.

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