

Statistics

March 7 Attendance	26
March 7 Offering	\$236.89
March 11 Attendance	42
March 11 Offering	\$1,271.00

Those Assisting Us Today

Elder.....	Don Warsaw
Altar Guild	Debbie Lammle
Organist	Alicia Haggin
Lay Reader.....	Annette Warsaw

Agnus Day



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Bulletin Deadline

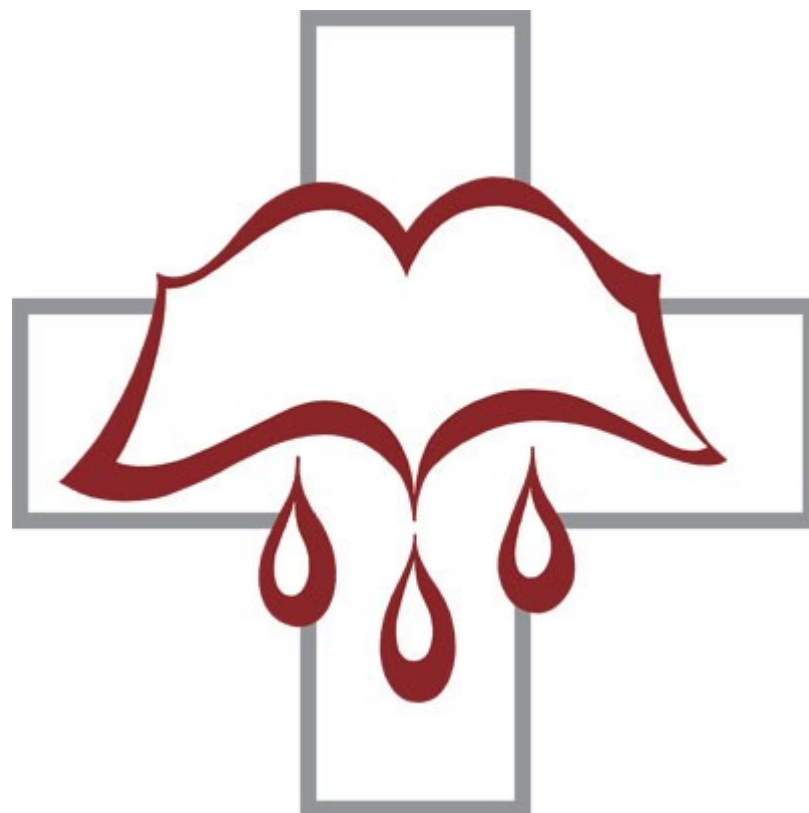
If you have announcements for the weekly Bulletin, please forward those to Linda Warsaw by **NOON on Wednesdays**. You may contact her by email at secretary@osmanlutheran.org or by phone at **309-828-5883**. Thank you!

IMMANUEL LUTHERAN CHURCH OF OSMAN

The Lutheran Church-Missouri Synod

Fifth Sunday in Lent

March 18, 2018 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, "Come to Calvary's Holy Mountain" 435

Confession and Absolution (page 203)

Introit

Kyrie

Salutation and Collect of the Day (page 205)

Old Testament Reading: Jeremiah 31:31-34

A: This is the Word of the Lord.

C: Thanks be to God.

Gradual (Insert)

Epistle: Hebrews 5:1-10

A: This is the Word of the Lord.

C: Thanks be to God.

Holy Gospel: Mark 10:35-45

A: This is the Gospel of the Lord.

C: Praise be to Thee, O Christ.

Nicene Creed (page 206)

HYMN OF THE DAY, "Glory Be to Jesus" 433

Sermon

Prayer of the Church (page 207)

The Offering

Service of the Sacrament

Preface (page 208)

Sanctus (page 208)

Prayer of Thanksgiving (page 209)

Lord's Prayer (page 209)

The Words of our Lord (page 209)

Pax Domini (page 209)

Agnus Dei (page 210)

DISTRIBUTION HYMN, "Amazing Grace" 744

DISTRIBUTION HYMN, "Drawn to the Cross, Which Thou Hast Blessed".. 560

Nunc Dimittis (page 211)

Post-Communion Collect (page 212)

Benedicamus and Benediction (page 212)

CLOSING HYMN, "Jesus, I Will Ponder Now" 850

Let Us Pray...

...for our members who are homebound: **Phyllis Burnett, Marge Morrissey, and Johanne Bloch**

...for thanksgiving and praise for our blessings;

...for God's healing hand for those who have been ill;

...for Kathy Brendel for healing and strength;

...for Jodi Burgess for healing and strength;

...for Esther Lutz for healing and strength;

...for those in need of God's mercy and care;

...and for the Rocky Mountain District.

Announcements

The Eternal Flame is being sponsored during the months of February and March by Rick and Jill Hardesty in honor of the 1st anniversary of Rick's heart transplant.

Schedule for Holy Week: Church Council-March 28th at 7pm, Lenten Social Hour **before** Maundy Thursday Service on March 29th; Good Friday Service-March 30th at 7pm; Easter Morning Service-7am on April 1st with Breakfast following served by our youth.

Thank you to all the members who volunteered in a variety of ways for the Benefit Soup Supper on Saturday, March 10. Several volunteers on Thursday peeled potatoes and worked on setting up for the supper. On Saturday we had 25 members volunteer to work at the supper not counting the many members who made food for the 270 hungry attendees. It was indeed a great outreach project for our congregation. We collected \$9276 from the freewill offering for our recipient, Tammy Warren. The money will help with her expenses for her treatment and care for bladder cancer. \$1500 was added to the collected amount from our Thrivent Choice Dollars that our congregation has received from Thrivent members which makes the total at this time \$10,776. The groceries were purchased with a \$250 Thrivent Action Team Card which was applied for by Dwight Hooker. It was a great evening of food and fellowship as we worked together to help someone in need in our community.

Choir Practice: There will be choir practice at 6:15 p.m. on Wednesday, March 21, in the Annex.

Reminder: Mr. & Mrs. Jim VanWakeman, Theresa VanWakeman-Wilson, Mr. & Mrs. Dwight Hooker, Arnita Zimmerman, Mr. & Mrs. Myron Zimmerman, Mr. & Mrs. Bob Zimmerman, and Mr. & Mrs. Shaun Zimmerman are on the committee for Lenten refreshments for March 21st.

Easter Lilies: Please sign-up on the bulletin board if you wish to donate a lily for Easter. The price for the lily is \$9.00. Please sign up by March 25 and give your money to John Lammle. Checks may be made to Immanuel Lutheran Church of Osman. Thanks!

Additional Announcements

Please see Debbie Lammle TODAY if you plan to attend the LWML Spring Gathering at Immanuel Loda, 215 N. Poplar. The gathering is scheduled for April 7th from 9-noon, with registration beginning at 8:15am. The registration fee is \$5. The theme for the day is "Recipe for a Courageous Woman" and Lisa Shields, who has been featured on CI Living, will be on the program presenting a food demonstration. The ingathering includes monetary gifts to "Hands of Christ" food pantry. Immanuel Osman joins Immanuel Loda and Peace Thomasboro to host this event.

All ladies who would like to fold palms into crosses, please come out on March 24th at 9am in the church annex. Many hands make light work!

The Ladies Aid will meet on Wednesday, April 4, 2018 at 1:30 p.m. in the fellowship hall. Dorothy Miller will present the topic. Roll call will be answered with a verse on discipline. Wilma Grussing will have devotions and prayer and serve as hostess. All ladies of the church are invited to attend!

The choir will lead our annual Easter caroling to our shut-ins on Sunday, April 8. We will meet at the church at 12:30 PM. All are welcome to come and spread Easter joy!

The CID 73rd Annual LWML Convention will be held in Bloomington on April 27-28th. Servant Events will begin at 1:30pm at Christ Lutheran Church, 311 Hershey Rd on the 27th and the Saturday convention begins at 8:45am at Trinity Lutheran Church, 801 S. Madison St. Connie Warsaw and Barb Gaines will be our delegates from Immanuel Osman. **Please give your selection for Mission Grants to Debbie Lammle by April 22nd.** The Orphan Grain Train will be at Trinity Lutheran on Saturday, accepting any items that OGT normally takes. A list of items are posted on the back bulletin board. If you are not attending and want to donate, please give your items to Connie Warsaw or Barb Gaines.

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.