

Statistics

March 29 Attendance	41
March 29 Offering	\$601.00
March 30 Attendance	40
March 30 Offering	\$267.22
April 1 Attendance	95
April 1 Offering	\$7,196.39

Those Assisting Us Today

Elder	Roy Whitehouse
Altar Guild	Debbie Lammle and Debbie Martin
Organist	Alicia Haggin
Lay Reader.....	Kim Clemmons

Agnus Day



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Bulletin Deadline

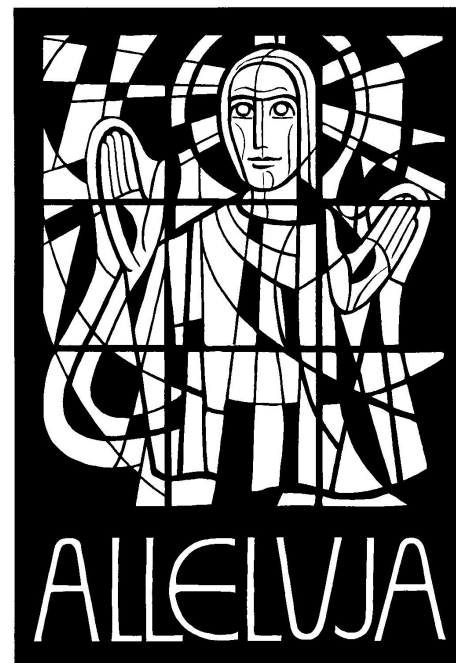
If you have announcements for the weekly Bulletin, please forward those to me by **NOON on Wednesdays**. You may contact me by email at secretary@osmanlutheran.org or by phone at **309-828-5883**. Thank you!
Linda

IMMANUEL LUTHERAN CHURCH OF OSMAN

The Lutheran Church-Missouri Synod

Second Sunday of Easter

April 8, 2018 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.

Matins

Prelude, "The Easter Song" Theresa VanWakeman-Wilson

OPENING HYMN, "Come, You Faithful, Raise the Strain" 487

Printed Matins (*see separate folder*)

Psalm — Introit on bulletin insert

HYMN OF THE DAY, "O Sons and Daughters of the King" 470

First Reading: Acts 4:32-35

A. O Lord, have mercy on us.

C. Thanks be to God.

Epistle: 1 John 1:1-2:2

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Holy Gospel: John 20:19-31

Chapel Talk

Catechism: Apostle's Creed, First Article (page 322)

Sermon

Canticle Hymn, "We Praise You and Acknowledge You, O God" ... 941

The Offering

"Alleluia, Alleluia" by Donald Fishel Choir

Prayers (*please refer to the printed folder*)

CLOSING HYMN, "He's Risen, He's Risen" 480

(The last stanza of this hymn has a triangle after it, indicating that it gives praise to the Trinity. We stand for that stanza, and also sing "Amen" at the end.)

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 Darryl Redding for healing;

...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;

...for Immanuel, Tuscola;

...and for the Kansas District.

PLEASE return your Matins service folder to the Elder's Pew as you leave the church today, so that they may be reused. Thank You!

Announcements

Our deepest sympathy is extended to the family of Dana Burnett who passed away on Wednesday, April 4. May God comfort them during this time of loss.

New Address: Phyllis Burnett now resides at Room 109, 500 Art Bartell Rd., Urbana, IL 61802.

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

Choir Practice: There will be Choir Practice on Wednesday, April 11 at 7:00 PM.

Mowing List: It's almost time to think about mowing again. Anyone who wishes to be added or removed from this year's mowing list, please contact Steve Warsaw or Steve Martin as soon as possible.

Thanks to Pastor McPike for the meaningful and uplifting services during Holy Week. His gift of song is such a blessing to us. May mercy, peace, and love be multiplied to you. Jude 1:2

Thanks to all those who added to the services during Holy Week, including Theresa V. Wilson, Alicia and Nick Haggin, and Sara McPike. Your talents are very much appreciated!

Thanks to the youth and their parents, led by Nikki Gallier, for serving a delicious Easter breakfast. Thanks also to Rick Hardesty for frying the pancakes. **The job of frying pancakes was done by Larry Lutz for 57 years, and we wish to thank Larry (and Esther) for their dedication to the church!** An additional thanks to everyone who gave donations to the youth—\$552 was collected.

Thanks to Brenda Edwards, Barb Gaines, Brenda Hendricks, Terri Hooker, Debbie Lammle, Debbie Martin, and Sue VanWakeman for representing the LWML at the Spring Gathering at Immanuel Loda yesterday. Thanks to Brenda Edwards, Brenda Hendricks, Debbie Martin, Shirley Sprau, Sue VanWakeman, and Connie Warsaw for making bread for the event.

The Osman LWML will be "adopting" a family to help throughout the year. This single mother has 5 children, and is in need of our support. A bunk bed has been purchased, but money for mattresses and rent is needed. If you wish to give a financial donation, please make your checks to "Immanuel Lutheran LWML", and place in the LWML donation box found on the elder's pew. Thanks in advance for showing your Christian love to those in need!

Mark your calendars: Church Council-April 18th at 7pm; Voter's meeting-April 22nd after church.

Additional Announcements

Lexi Peterson has relapsed with a secondary form of Leukemia, AML, Acute Myeloid Leukemia. 80% of her bone marrow is covered. She will be leaving this Friday for 6 months to 1 yr in Memphis at St. Jude for chemo treatments and eventually a bone marrow transplant. Lexi is a former benefit recipient thru Thivent and Osman church. Please say a lot of prayers for this student at Blue Ridge High School. Lexi is 17 and a senior and will be graduating early.

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.

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.