

Statistics

September 30 Attendance 63
September 30 Offering \$1,921.00

Those Assisting Us Today

Elder Marvin Clemmons
Altar Guild Annette Whitehouse
Organist Alicia Haggin
Lay Reader..... Marvin Clemmons
Acolyte Jack Gallier

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!

Mowing Schedule

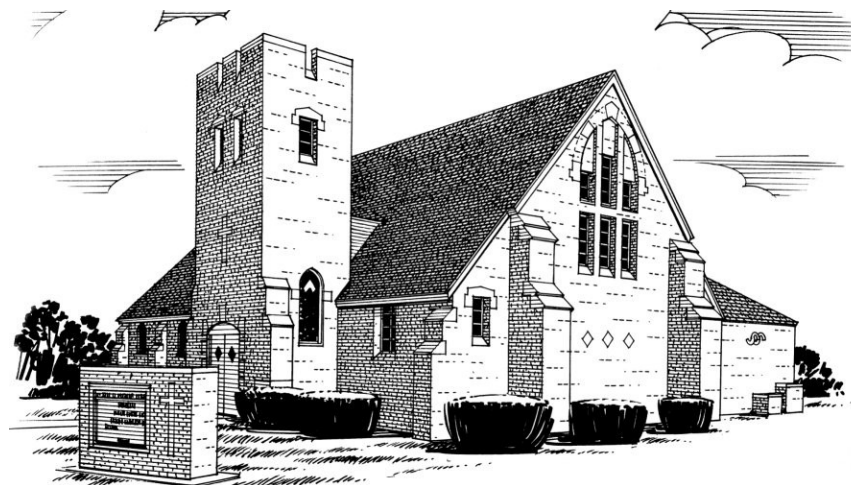
October 13 Bryan and Greg Warsaw
October 20 John Grussing
October 27 Steve Warsaw

IMMANUEL LUTHERAN CHURCH OF OSMAN

The Lutheran Church-Missouri Synod

Twentieth Sunday after Pentecost

October 7, 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.

DIVINE SERVICE, Setting Three

OPENING HYMN, "Blessed Jesus, at Your Word" 904

(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.)

Confession and Absolution (page 184)

Introit

Kyrie (page 186)

Gloria in Excelsis (page 187)

Salutation and Collect of the Day (page 189)

Old Testament Reading: Genesis 2:18-25

A: This is the Word of the Lord.

C: Thanks be to God.

Gradual

Epistle: Hebrews 2:1-13

A: This is the Word of the Lord.

C: Thanks be to God.

Alleluia and Verse (page 190)

Holy Gospel: Mark 10:2-16

A: This is the Gospel of the Lord.

C: Praise be to Thee, O Christ.

Apostles' Creed (page 192)

HYMN OF THE DAY, "Let Us Ever Walk with Jesus" 685

Sermon

Offertory (page 192-193)

The Offering

Prayer of the Church (page 193)

The Lord's Prayer (page 196)

Collect, Salutation and Benedicamus (page 201)

Benediction (page 202)

CLOSING HYMN, "Lord God, to Thee We Give All Praise".... 522:1-3, 8

Let Us Pray...

...for our members who are homebound: **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 Tammy Warren for healing;

...for the safety of our farmers during this harvest season;

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

...and for Missionaries of the LCMS.

Announcements

Service Notes: Today's theme encourages us to keep our relationship with God first in life by following His will in our relationship with others, particularly in family life and our concern for the salvation of those around us. The Old Testament Lesson tells how God blesses marriage. Marriage and family life are thus to be thought of as opportunities to live out God's will for our sanctification. In the Epistle, we have the example of Jesus, who in His human form faced and overcame the same problems and challenges that we face. Because of His devotion to His heavenly Father, He overcame them and won our salvation. Thus we can turn to Him for help, knowing He understands our needs and will respond. In the Gospel, Jesus explains God's will for marriage and divorce and shows His loving concern for all, even little children. The disciples, concerned with Jesus' importance, try to push away little children from bothering Him, but He points out in no uncertain terms that God's concern is to help all, especially the child-like in faith. So we are to be concerned with the salvation of even the lowliest. Paraments remain green, the color of life in nature. As the green of nature is outward proof of the life within a plant, so our works done out of love for Christ are outward signs of our faith in Him.

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

Confirmation Class: Memory work for next week is Fourth Commandment and meaning and books of the Bible from Genesis to Habakkuk. The Confirmation students will be taking notes on the sermon TODAY.

Confirmation Class Sleep Over will begin tonight at 4 PM. The students and their guests will enjoy a wiener roast to begin the evening. They will be listening to some devotions and Bible studies which will concentrate on our moods as we try to live a Christian life. They will be competing in some fun-filled games, tying some fleece blankets for the homeless, baking some cookies for the upcoming benefit, experimenting with some neon bubbles, and watching some Christian movies. After an action-packed night, the events will conclude at 9 AM Monday morning.

Building Committee meeting - October 10th at 6:30pm.

The Choir will practice on Wednesday, October 10th at 7:00pm.

Confirmation teachers' meeting will be held October 11th at 6pm.

Church Council will meet October 11th at 7pm.

Communion Sundays in October: 14th, 21st, and 28th.

October 14th is LWML Sunday. The theme is "Our Rest in a Changing World." The 2017-19 LWML Mission Grant bookmarks will be handed out to each member. The Osman LWML will be participating in the service, and we ask the congregation to join in the LWML pledge. Our beautiful quilts will be displayed. Please continue to pray for our mission grant recipients as they spread the gospel message and care for people throughout the world.

Immanuel Lutheran Church of Osman will celebrate the thirtieth anniversary of Pastor McPike's ordination in the ministry on October 28th at 5pm in the Fellowship Hall. A catered meal will be served with a freewill offering. A short program will follow. Please sign up for this special event by October 14th.

Please remain after church on October 21st for the **Voter's meeting.**

Thanks to all the talented ladies of the church who give their time and talents to piece, tie, and stitch the beautiful quilts and sew the pillowcase dresses that are on display today!

Thanks to the LWML women for organizing and leading the Hayride and Wiener Roast last Sunday. Additional thanks to Steve Warsaw for pulling his hayrack and providing the straw, and to Butch Sprau and John Lammle for grilling the meat. We also appreciate everyone who brought the delicious food for the potluck!

Thank you to members of Immanuel Osman for their support of the LWML adopted family. This single mother of 5 continues to need our assistance. The LWML members are giving birthday gifts to the family, but we continue to collect monetary gifts for holiday gift cards later in the year. If you wish to contribute to this project place your gift in the donation box on the elder's pew, or give to Debbie Lammle. Remember-"Whatsoever you do to the least of my brothers, you do unto Me." Matthew 25:40

"Worship Anew" - Know someone who can't get to church? Lutheran Ministries from Concordia Theological Seminary produces "Worship Anew". It airs locally on WCIX-49 Sunday mornings at 7:30am.

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