

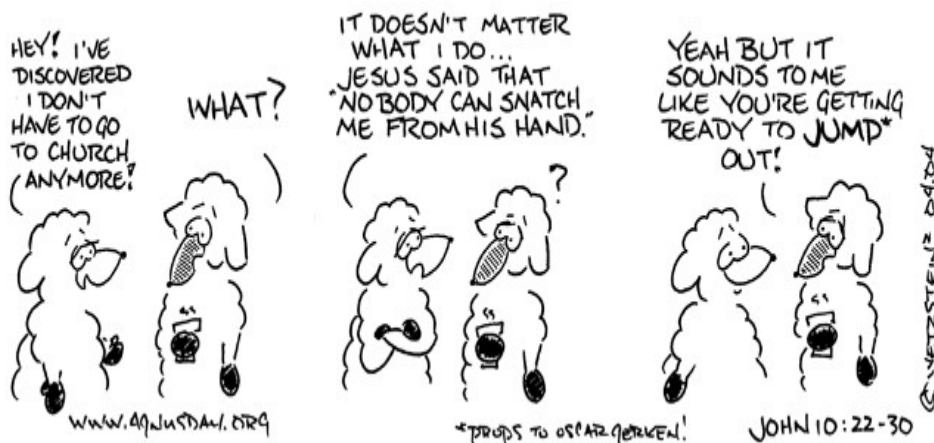
Statistics

May 5 Attendance 58
May 5 Offering \$1,499.94

Those Assisting Us Today

Elder Jim Van Wakeman
Altar Guild Debbie Martin and Terri Hooker
Organist Alicia Haggin
Lay Reader..... Kim Clemmons
Acolyte Reese Gallier

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

Mowing List

May 18 Bill McCleary and Skinner Johnson
May 25 Jerry Edwards
June 1 Butch and Steven Sprau

IMMANUEL LUTHERAN CHURCH OF OSMAN

The Lutheran Church-Missouri Synod

Fourth Sunday of Easter

May 12, 2019 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 One

OPENING HYMN, "The Lord's My Shepherd, I'll Not Want" 710

Confession and Absolution (page 151)

Introit: **"Shepherd Me, O God"** **Choir**

Kyrie (page 152)

Gloria in Excelsis (page 154-155)

Salutation and Collect of the Day (page 156)

First Reading: Acts 20:17-35

A. This is the Word of the Lord.

C. Thanks be to God.

Gradual (Insert)

Epistle: Revelation 7:9-17

A. This is the Word of the Lord.

C. Thanks be to God.

Alleluia and Verse (page 156)

Holy Gospel: John 10:22-30

A. This is the Gospel of the Lord.

C. Praise to You, O Christ.

HYMN OF THE DAY, "The King of Love My Shepherd Is" 709

Sermon

Nicene Creed (page 158)

Prayer of the Church (page 159)

The Offering

Service of the Sacrament

Preface (page 160)

Sanctus, Prayer of Thanksgiving (page 161)

Lord's Prayer (page 162)

Pax Domini, Agnus Dei (page 163)

DISTRIBUTION HYMN, "The Lamb" 547

DISTRIBUTION HYMN, "I Am Jesus' Little Lamb" 740

Post-Communion Canticle (page 164)

Post-Communion Collect (page 166)

Benediction

CLOSING HYMN, "Sent Forth by God's Blessing" 643

Let Us Pray...

...for our members who are homebound: **Johanne Bloch, and Karen Bryan**

...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;

...for Concordia Theological Seminary, Fort Wayne;

...and for favorable weather and the safety and protection of our farmers as they approach planting season.

Announcements

Happy Mother's Day and God's Blessings to all Mothers!

The next Church Council meeting will be this Wednesday, May 15th at 6:30pm.

Pastor McPike will meet with the confirmation class after church on May 19th.

Choir Practice: The choir will practice on May 22 at 7pm in the Annex.

Thank you to Don Warsaw, Dwight Hooker, Steve Martin, Bob Zimmerman, John Lammle, Debbie Lammle and Jim VanWakeman for helping to prepare the church for necessary work being done by removing pews last Sunday after church.

Thank you to Brenda Hendricks for her donation of Thrivent Funds and for working with the Youth Group in sprucing up the church landscape last Sunday. It looks beautiful!

Thanks to the LWML for inviting Chris Walters and family for attending our church service last week from the LCMS Seminary in Ft. Wayne, IN and a special thanks to Chris for stepping up and filling in for Pastor Ehlers on Sunday during the church service. Chris is the son-in-law of Pastor Henry. He is married to Dana and has a son Brendan and daughter Faith. A potluck was held afterwards in which Chris showed a presentation of the Ft. Wayne Seminary and the newer buildings that have been built on the site. It's truly a beautiful campus. We wish them all the best in this next year!

God's Masterpiece

Herbert Farnham

God took the fragrance of a flower,
The majesty of a tree,
The gentleness of the morning dew,
The calm of a quiet sea.

The beauty of the twilight hour,
The soul of a starry night,
The laughter of a rippling brook,
The grace of a bird in flight.

Then God fashioned from these things,
A creation like no other,
And when his masterpiece was though,
He called it simply - Mother.
Susan Miller parishnurse@osmanlutheran.org

Additional Announcements

Due to schedule conflicts, there were only two members of the youth group that could help with the landscaping last Sunday. Thank you to Ashley Genzel and Addison Warsaw who helped plant flowers, distribute mulch and pull weeds. Thanks also to Annette Warsaw who designed the landscaped flower beds. The entire project will be completed in the next few weeks.

The LWML is beginning their fundraiser for the "Pregnancy Resource Center" in Champaign today, continuing through Father's Day. Just pick up a baby bottle after church and fill it with your change, cash, or check and return by June 16th to the elder's pew in the church. Your generous donations go directly to the women and children in our community. Remember: "Children are a gift from the Lord, they are a reward from Him...." Psalm 127:3 **Take a bottle today, change a life tomorrow!**

"Save the Date" - Lifetouch Picture Directory for the celebration: The picture dates are: Friday, July 19th from 2-9pm and on Saturday, July 20th from 9:30am to 4:00 pm. We will be back in touch with everyone close to the time to finalize everything.

Immanuel Osman LWML members voted to support a single mother in Bellflower who has a daughter that has several medical needs. We will assist this family for the entire year. LWML members may sign up on the bulletin board in the church if they wish to help. Anyone else who would like to donate a visa card, gas card, or gift card to a grocery store, please place your donations in the box on the elder's pew. Remember Matthew 25:40 - "I tell you the truth, whatever you did for one of the least of these brothers and sisters of mine, you did for Me."

"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 on Sunday mornings at 7:30am.

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