Statistics

December 15 Attendance	82
December 15 Offering	\$ 1,233.27
December 22 Attendance	60
December 22 Offering	\$ 1,775.00
December 24 Attendance	104
December 24 Offering	\$ 4,497.51
December 29 Attendance	46
December 29 Offering	\$ 6,331.16
January 5 Attendance	66
January 5 Offering	\$ 1,690.93

Those Assisting Us Today

Elder	Robert Zimmerman
Altar Guild	Debbie Martin and Terri Hooker
Organist	Alicia Haggin
	Kim Clemmons
Acolyte	Reese Gallier

Agnus Day



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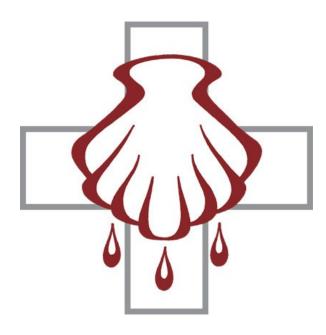
If you have announcements for the weekly Bulletin, please forward those to Linda Warsaw by **NOON on Wednesdays**. You may contact her by email at **secretary@osmanlutheran.org** or by phone **at 309-828-5883**. Thank you!

IMMANUEL LUTHERAN CHURCH OF OSMAN

The Lutheran Church-Missouri Synod

The Baptism of Our Lord

January 12, 2020 at 9:30 a.m.



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> Rev. Jeffrey McPike, BCC (312) 650-9890 Pastor@OsmanLutheran.org

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

OPENING HYMN: "To Jordan's River Came Our Lord" 405
Printed Matins (see separate folder)
Psalm — Introit on bulletin insert
HYMN OF THE DAY, "To Jordan Came the Christ, Our Lord 406
Old Testament Reading: Isaiah 42:1-9 A. O Lord, have mercy on us. C. Thanks be to God.
Epistle: Romans 6:1-11 A. O Lord, have mercy on us. C. Thanks be to God.
Holy Gospel: Matthew 3:13-17 Responsory: (see Matins folder)
Catechism: The Sacrament of Holy Baptism (page 325)
Sermon
Canticle Hymn, "We Praise You and Acknowledge You, O God" 941
The Offering
"Merkt und hört, ihr Menschenkinder" from "Christ unser Herr zum Jordan kam, BWV 7" by J.S. Bach

The German text is as follows:
Merkt und hört, ihr Menschenkinder,
Was Gott selbst die Taufe heißt.
Es muß zwar hier Wasser sein,
Doch schlecht Wasser nicht allein.
Gottes Wort und Gottes Geist
Tauft und reiniget die Sünder.

In English:

Mark and hear, you humans, what God himself calls baptism. Indeed water must be there, yet not merely water alone. God's word and God's Spirit baptises and purifies the sinner

Prayers (please refer to the printed folder)

CLOSING HYMN, "God's Own Child, I Gladly Say It".......594

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 Shirley Sprau for healing and strength;
- ...for Declan Lammle as he goes through hernia surgery in the near future.
- ...for Brandon Miller for health and healing;
- $... for \ \mathsf{Darryl} \ \mathsf{Redding} \ \mathsf{for} \ \mathsf{healing} \ \mathsf{and} \ \mathsf{strength} \ \mathsf{through} \ \mathsf{his} \ \mathsf{cancer} \ \mathsf{treatment};$
- ...for Bret Hassman for healing and strength following a stroke;
- ...for those in need of God's mercy and care;
- ...for the North Dakota District;
- ...and for St. John, Mattoon.

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

Thank you! Pastor and Sharon want to thank everyone for the cards, good wishes and gifts over this past Advent/Christmas holiday season. Your generosity and support continue to be a blessing! Peace to you all in this new year, the 125th Anniversary Year of Immanuel Lutheran Church of Osman!

Our deepest sympathies are extended to the family of Dorothy Welborn, who passed away Tuesday, December 31 at Carle. Her funeral was here at Immanuel Osman on January 6th, and burial following at Willow Brook in Fisher. May her family and friends be comforted with God's peace during this difficult time.

Pastor McPike will meet with the Confirmation students NEXT Sunday after the service.

Donuts and drink will be served on January 19th at 9am in the church annex for the adults, and in the hall for the confirmands and Sunday School class. This is to say "thanks" for all the mite offerings turned in at the end of the year for LWML Mission Grants.

Church Council will be held January 15th at 6:30pm

The Voter's Meeting will be held January 26th after church service, with a potluck following. Please bring table service and dishes to share. Drinks will be provided.

There will be choir practice on Wednesday, January 15, at 7 PM in the church.

Thank you for all the kind words and cards at the death of our father, father-in-law, and grandfather, Joe, in November. We truly appreciate your support in our time of sorrow. Thank you also for the Christmas cards, gifts, and wishes. Your generosity and kindness is much appreciated.

Nick and Alicia Haggin and family

"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".

Laryngitis

Laryngitis is an infection or irritation of the voice box (larynx). You may be hoarse, lose your voice, and feel the need to clear your throat a lot. You may have a fever, throat pain, and a cough and feel more tired than usual. You can get laryngitis because of:

- A virus, such as a cold.
- Allergies
- Lots of talking, singing and yelling.
- Cigarette smoke.
- Backflow (reflux) of stomach acid into the throat.

Your larynx usually heals in 5-10 days. If you drink alcohol or smoke, you may reach a point of chronic irritation. Home treatment:

- If a cold makes you hoarse, treat the cold. You may be hoarse for up to one week after the cold is gone.
- Rest your voice. Try not to talk much or clear your throat.
- Do not smoke, and avoid other people's smoke.
- Use a humidifier in your bedroom or your whole house. Or try standing in the steam from a hot shower.
- Drink extra water and other fluids.
- To soothe your throat, gargle with warm salt water. (1 teaspoon salt in 8 ounces water).
- If you think that acid reflux may be the cause, reducing heartburn may help.

When to call a doctor.

- You are hoarse or have lost your voice and have a fever 104 F.
- You have symptoms of a worse infection, such as fast or shallow breathing; a cough that brings up colored or bloody mucous from the lungs; or pain, fever and fatigue are getting worse.

You are hoarse for more than 2-3 weeks.

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