## **Offerings**

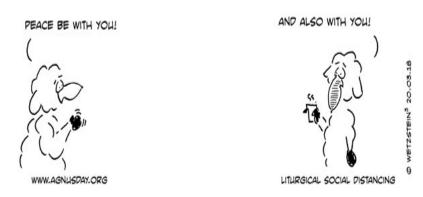
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# **Those Assisting Us Today**

Organist: Alicia Haggin

Elders: Jim VanWakeman and Steve Martin Altar Guild: Sue VanWakeman and Deb Lammle

# **Agnus Day**



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## **Bulletin Deadline**

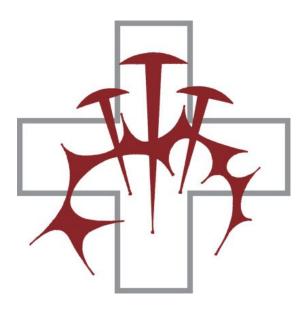
If you have announcements for the weekly Bulletin, please forward those to Linda by NOON on Wednesdays. You may contact her by email at secretary@osmanlutheran.org or at 309-828-5883.

Thank you!

### **IMMANUEL LUTHERAN CHURCH OF OSMAN**

The Lutheran Church-Missouri Synod

Palm Sunday / Sunday of the Passion March 28, 2021 at 9:30 a.m.



942 Grape Avenue, Fisher, Illinois 61843-8512 http://www.OsmanLutheran.org Church@OsmanLutheran.org (217) 897-6170

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

### Divine Service, Setting Three

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Readings Old Testament Reading: Zechariah 9:9-12

P: This is the Word of the Lord.

C: Thanks be to God.

**Epistle: Philippians 2:5-11**P: This is the Word of the Lord.

C: Thanks be to God.

Holy Gospel: Mark 14:1-15:47

P: The Holy Gospel according to St. Mark, the

fourteenth chapter

C: Glory be to Thee, O Lord.P: This is the Gospel of the Lord.C: Praise be to Thee, O Christ.

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#### Communion Distribution

Congregation will remain seated. Please follow the directions of the elders to leave the church. Communion will be given at the back of the church as you exit. Please observe social distancing regarding any visiting in the parking lot. Thank you for helping promote health and wellness in these difficult times.

Hymn, "All Glory, Laud, and Honor" .......442

Offering plates are available in the back of the church. Thank you!

### 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 Pastor Ehlers for strength while dealing with health issues;
- ...for Shirley Sprau for health and healing;
- ...for Brandon Miller for health and healing;
- ...for Cameron Harmon for healing and strength as he battles cancer;
- ...for Bryan Warsaw for healing as he recovers from sinus surgery;
- ...for all first responders and medical field workers during this crisis;
- ...for Concordia Seminary, St. Louis;
- ...and for St. Paul, Sadorus.

#### **Announcements**

Most merciful God, as the people of Jerusalem, with palms in their hands gathered to greet Your dearly beloved Son when He came into His Holy City, grant that we may ever hail Him as our King and, when He comes again, may go forth to meet Him with trusting and steadfast hearts and follow Him in the way that leads to eternal life; through the same Jesus Christ, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

### **Upcoming Events:**

April 1: Maundy Thursday service 7pm

April 2: Good Friday service 7pm

April 4: The Resurrection of our Lord Easter Day

Services at 7am and 9am

Please join us on April 1st at 7pm for a Maundy Thursday Service with Holy Communion here at Immanuel Osman. Our Good Friday service will be 7pm, April 2nd. Please call Rick (309-830-8531) or Jill (217-841-3487) to indicate your desire to attend Holy Week services. The parking lot services are also available.

**Calling ahead:** Please help us keep everyone safe by calling Rick (309-830-8531) or Jill (217-841-3487) to indicate your desire to attend church the upcoming Sunday. While "reservations" for church may sound really counter to Christ's example of being welcoming, it is currently an unfortunate part of the way this nasty virus has turned our world upside-down. Thank you for doing your part to keep us all safe.

For the parking lot services, please call Rick or Jill Hardesty if you are coming for the services on Sundays, so your attendance is counted for the week. We appreciate your cooperation! You turn your car radio to the new channel 88.1MHz to hear the Sunday service. Instead of the Pastor and elder coming to each car, we will invite the cars to file past the front of the church similarly to the way we did "drive-up communion" back in late June. An elder will give directions, and also directions will be spoken on Radio Osman when it is time to line the cars up.

Mowing Schedule for April 03: Jerry Edwards Mowing Schedule for April 10: Rob Gallier

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

**Zoom bible study** will not be held on April 1st, but the sessions will continue on April 8th.

On LWML Sunday in October mite boxes were put on the back pew for members to take home to fill with coins to help support the Central Illinois LWML missions grants and National LWML mission grants. If you are ready to return your box, please put it on the back pew in the next few weeks. The National LWML mite goal of \$1.2 million was reached this last week! That money helped many needy people in the United States and other countries with basic necessities as well as providing material for their spiritual needs. The Central Illinois LWML mite goal of \$105,000 has not been reached with the deadline fast approaching at the end of March. Many mites have been collected since the 1928 original mite box appeared in lady societies in Lutheran Churches across the United States! "Praise God from whom all blessings flow".

**Easter Lilies:** The Altar Guild will be taking care of the flowers for Easter Sunday service. Thanks to everyone who donated Easter lilies for past Easter services.

"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.

We have lots of extra "Our Church", the 100th Anniversary history of Immanuel Lutheran Church books due to a glue problem on the binding. There will be copies on the elder's pew. Please help yourself. They are free to whoever wants them.

We have plenty of Osman 125th Anniversary Ornaments remaining. They are \$10.00 each. Please contact Deb Martin, Wilma Grussing or Marsha Warsaw, if you are interested.