

Offerings

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Those Assisting Us Today

Organist: Alicia Haggin
Elder: Steve Martin
Altar Guild: Susan Martin

Agnus Day



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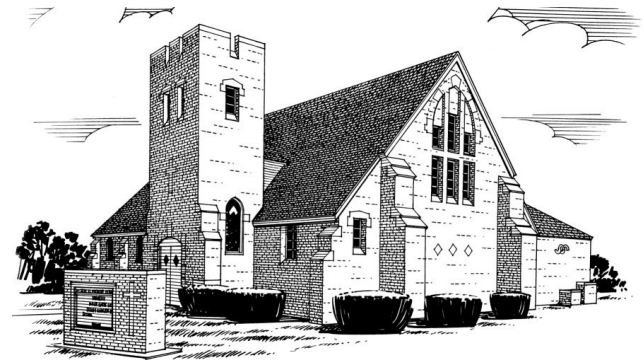
Bulletin Deadline

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

Ninth Sunday after Pentecost
July 25, 2021



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Matins

Psalmody

Venite

Office Hymn, “**Our Father, Who from Heaven Above**” **766**

Readings: **Old Testament Reading: Genesis 9:8-17**

P: O Lord, have mercy on us..

C: Thanks be to God.

Epistle: Ephesians 3:14-21

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Holy Gospel: Mark 6:45-56

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Sermon

Te Deum Hymn, “**We Praise You and Acknowledge You, O God**” .. **941**

Prayers

Benediction

Holy Communion will be celebrated next Sunday.

Offering: Collection plates are available in the back of the church.

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 Bill and Moneta McCleary for continued care;

...for Shirley Sprau for health and healing;

...for Cameron Harmon for healing and strength as he battles cancer;

...for Rae Ringer who fell at her home;

...for North and South Wisconsin Districts;

...and for University, Champaign.

Announcements

Mowing Schedule for: July 31 - Leonard Delaney
Aug 7 - Bob Zimmerman

The Altar flowers are dedicated by Steve and Marsha Warsaw in celebration of their 44th anniversary and with thanksgiving for their family.

SAVE THE DATE: Immanuel Lutheran Church of Osman will celebrate their 125th anniversary on August 29th. More details to come.

Please stay for the Voter's Meeting TODAY after the service.

The 125th Anniversary History Book Committee is compiling a history book to be printed in December 2021. The book will cover the time from mid-1995 through our celebration in August 2021. We will need to know the approximate number of copies before the order is completed. The approximate price of the book is \$20. There is a signup sheet on the back bulletin board. Please also indicate the number of books that you would like on the sheet. There will not be many extra copies printed, so ask your relatives and friends who might have a connection to our church if they want a copy. If you have any questions, please see Brenda Hendricks or Connie Warsaw.

Operation Christmas Child - Once again we will be packing shoe boxes in November for children in poor countries across the world. Since school supplies are on sale NOW, this would be a good time to purchase needed items. We are in need of scissors, ink pens, pencils, pencil sharpeners (need 11), glue sticks, markers (10-12 packs) (need 9), combs, wash cloths, bars of soap. We usually fill 12 boxes for boys and 12 boxes for girls so other small items can be added such as matchbox cars, bracelets, small hair bows or clips, etc. If you prefer to give a cash donation, we would be glad to buy items that are needed. We could not do this project without the help of the congregation. There will be a collection box on the back elder's pew. Through a Thrivent Action Team we will also be receiving \$250 for this project. If you would like to pack a box or have questions about what is acceptable, please see Terri Hooker or Connie Warsaw. Thanks so much for helping with this worthwhile project.

All LA/LWML members and guests are invited to a luncheon on August 19th at Olive Garden in Champaign, 30 E. Anthony Drive. The group will meet at the restaurant at 11:30, and be seated in a separate room. Please sign up on the bulletin board by August 12th if you plan to attend.

Stain Glass Crosses and Picture Frames! Today the names will be drawn for the crosses and picture frames before the quarterly meeting. These items can be picked up in the numerical order that the names are drawn after the quarterly meeting in the fellowship hall. The frames are \$30, and the crosses are \$15. If there are items left, there will be another drawing in August. There are 25 frames and 25 crosses that were created by two men from Jacksonville Stained Glass Company in Jacksonville, Illinois.

"Pray for the USA" was the theme for the church float that appeared in the Bellflower July 4th Parade and the Fisher Fair Parade on July 5th. Parts of the float are now decorating the back bulletin board under the balcony in the church. Check it out to see our honor to the ninety-plus year old members who are Jeri Bidner, Moneta McCleary, Bill McCleary, Wilma Grussing, Arnita Zimmerman, and Gene Welborn.

COVID-19 CONSIDERATIONS: While much progress has been made, COVID is unfortunately not gone! We are thankful to our great God for blessings in the fight against this virus. We continue with the following considerations: Masks are recommended, but not required for those who are fully vaccinated. Offering is still being taken using a plate in the back of the church, and communion is still distributed at the end of the service in the back of the church. Communion will be given to those outside before the worshipers inside. Please complete communion cards to record your attendance. Thank you for your continued vigilance as we strive to remain safe.

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.

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