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C: Thanks be to God.

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Distribution: COVID-19 Update: Masks are still required. The council decided to make the following changes to the service: Communion for those outside in cars will still be the first part of the communion distribution. The distribution will take place with the elder and pastor going out the counting room door and meeting the cars as they pass by the first sidewalk (just east of the church) instead of the front door. Communion for those inside will follow. Communicants will be ushered to the FRONT of the church by household (as we did in the back of the church), communed, and invited to return to their seats. The service will then conclude with the concluding liturgy. Pastor will greet (without shaking hands) at the end of the service. If you have questions, please contact Pastor McPike.

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Let Us Pray...

....for our homebound members: Johanne Bloch, Karen Bryan, and Moneta McCleary

-for God's healing hand for those who have been ill
-for Jeri Bidner as she recovers at home
-for Debbie Lammle as she goes through cancer treatment
-for Bill 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 for continued care
-for John Gercken for continued care
-for Linda Warsaw as she recovers at home
-for Concordia Seminary in St. Louis
- ...for Concordia Theological Seminary in Ft. Wayne
-for St. Pauls in Sadorus

Offerings

November 21 \$1567.00

November 21 (evening)\$295.00

Those Assisting Us Today

Organist: Alicia Haggin

Elder: Steve Martin

Altar Guild: Terri Hooker Debbie Martin



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.

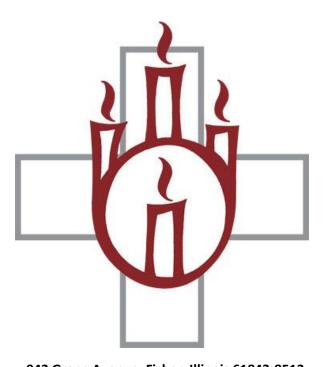
"Worship Anew" - Know someone who can't get to church? Lutheran Ministries from Concordia Theological Seminary produces "Worship Anew". It airs locally on WCIX-49 on Sunday mornings at 7:30am.

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

If you are listening outside, please tune your FM radio to 88.1. Please ask an elder if you have problems. Thank you!

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Announcements #1

January 2022 Election of Officers: New officers to be elected this coming year will be Chairman, Treasurer, 2 Elders, 1 Trustee, and Assistant Financial Superintendent. Please consider using your God given talents to help in these offices. There is a sign-up sheet on the back bulletin board.

Ladies Aid/LWML Christmas Luncheon will be held at Jack's Café in LeRoy on Thursday, December 9th at 11:30. All Ladies Aid/LWML members are welcome to invite a guest. Please sign up on the back bulletin board so that a reservation number can be called in before December 2nd. Instead of exchanging gifts, members are asked to donate hats, mittens, or gloves. They will be donated to needy causes in our communities. ALL members of the congregation are also invited to donate these items. There is a collection box on the back church pew.

The Ladies Aid/LWML has been helping a needy family in Saybrook for the past two years. With a new year upon us, the group's intention is to help a family again in 2022. If any member knows of a family in need, please give name and information to Brenda Hendricks.

THANK YOU! Like an angel, you appeared in my life to help me along my journey. Words cannot express how thankful I am you were there for me when I needed comfort, kindness, and understanding. You opened your heart and lightened my load. For all you do, I am beyond BLESSED! Thanks for all the cards, prayers, visits, and food throughout my cancer treatment so far. Thanks to Brenda Hendricks for her help in substituting for me as Council secretary. Thanks to Debbie Martin and Terri Hooker for helping with Altar Guild in my absence this month. God's blessings, Debbie Lammle

Poinsettias! Anyone who would like to donate a poinsettia for the Christmas Eve Service please sign up on the poster on the back bulletin board. The cost will be published at a later date. Please sign up by December 19th.

Church Council will meet on Wednesday, December 15th, at 6:30.

Announcements #2

Christmas Treat Bags: Anyone who would like to contribute to the fruit and candy sacks which are given out on Christmas Eve, can give their money to one of the elders: Dwight Hooker, Jim VanWakeman, Steve Martin, or Chase Zimmerman in the next four Sundays. Don Warsaw has applied for a \$250 Thrivent Action Team card to help pay for the goodies. The exact date that the treat bags will be assembled will be announced in the next weeks. Everyone is invited to help assemble them.

Church Decorating will be progressive this year. The Christmas tree and the greenery adorn our place of worship today. Next Saturday, December 4, at 9 AM the added decorations will be added to the tree and greenery. Everyone is invited to help decorate. The decorations will be taken down after church on Sunday, January 9.

Happy 100th **Birthday!** On Sunday, December 12th, the congregation will be celebrating the 100th Birthday of the Ladies Aide organization. Yes, 100 years ago in August the organization was established at this congregation. There is an informative bulletin board at the back of the church displaying some of the history of this organization. With the COVID restrictions, cake and punch can not be served in the fellowship hall, but there will be a treat bag given to each attendee on that Sunday.

2022 offering envelopes will be distributed starting on Sunday, December 12. If you had offering envelopes this year and do not care to have them for 2022 or if you need offering envelopes for the first time, please see Brenda Hendricks or Barb Whitehouse-Gercken.