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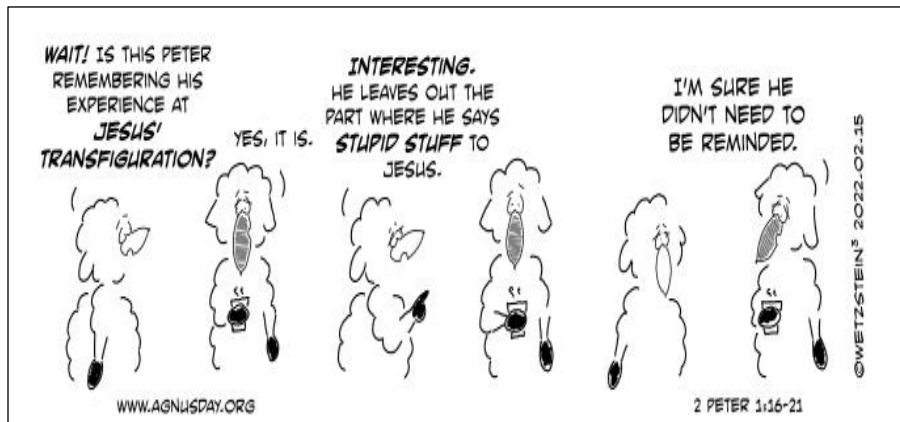
Those Assisting Us Today

Organist: Alicia Haggin

Elder: Don Warsaw

Altar Guild: Susan Martin

Sue Van Wakeman



Bulletin Deadline: If you have announcements for the weekly bulletin, please forward those to Brenda Hendricks by noon on Friday. You may contact her by email at mhendrick@mchsi.com or by text or phone at 309-826-9733.

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

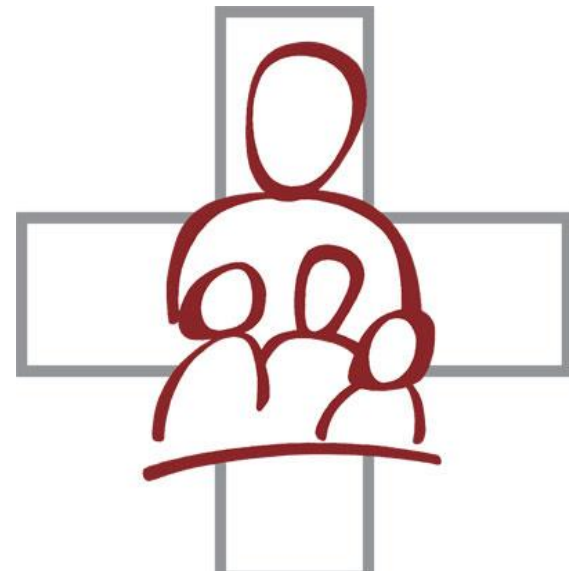
"Worship Anew" – Know someone who can't get to church? Lutheran Ministries from Concordia Theological Seminary produces "Worship Anew". It airs locally on WCIX – 49 on Sunday mornings at 7:30 AM.

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Divine Service, Setting Three

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Readings: **First Reading: Exodus 24:8-18**
P: This is the Word of the Lord.
C: Thanks be to God.

Gradual – bulletin insert

Epistle Reading: 2 Peter 1:16-21
P: This is the Word of the Lord.
C: Thanks be to God.
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Holy Gospel: Matthew 17:1-9
P: The Holy Gospel according to St. Matthew, the
seventeenth chapter
C: Glory be to Thee, O Lord.
P: This is the Gospel of the Lord.
C: Praise be to Thee, O Christ.

Creed – Hymn, “We Praise You and Acknowledge You, O God.....941

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Sermon

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

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Service of the Sacrament

Distribution: 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 front door and meeting the cars as they pass by the front sidewalk. Communion for those seated inside will follow. Communicants will be ushered to the FRONT of the church in groups of 5-6 people. They will space themselves on both sides of the Baptismal font. Please exit the altar area by the outside aisle to the side that you were ushered from.

Hymn, “Tis Good, Lord, to Be Here.....414

Hymn, “Lord Jesus Christ, with Us Abide.....585

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Closing Hymn, “Alleluia, Song of Gladness.....417

Let Us Pray...

....for homebound members: Karen Bryan and Arnita Zimmerman
....for Shirley Sprau during her hospitalization
....for Jill Hardesty’s speedy recovery after her knee replacement
....for John Homann who is suffering with cancer
....for Debbie Lammle as she manages her pain
....for Karla Ruch as she receives treatments for cancer
....for Jayden Upton as he recovers after surgeries from an accident
....for Immanuel Lutheran Church in Charleston, Illinois
....for Military Chaplaincy of the LCMS
....for Montana District
....for Trinity Lutheran Church in Indianapolis

Announcements #1

Ash Wednesday worship service will be held on **THIS Wednesday** evening at 7 PM. The Ladies Aid/LWML ladies will be serving a soup supper starting at 5:30. Come join in some fellowship as the Lenten season begins. There will NOT be Wednesday Lenten services following Ash Wednesday.

Ladies Aid/LWML Adopted Family for the first six months of 2023 is Amy Jamison and her family of Bellflower. Amy's husband passed away in October. They were raising two of her husband's great nephews (Chili and Nova) and in the process of adopting them at the time of her husband's death. The Ladies Aid/LWML members sign up by the month to offer them assistance. There is a box on the back elder pew if any member would want to donate money or gift cards to this needy family.

Clarification on viewing monthly newsletters on church website...the newsletter is not sent to personal email addresses. If members choose not to have a printed copy of the newsletter and want to view it online, they must go to the church website at www.osmanlutheran.org. At the top of the page, you need to click on the info tab. At this screen you can choose recorded services, bulletins, or newsletters. Then you can choose the date of the item you want.

Old history books rebound! When the first history book of the church was printed in 1995 there were some issues with the glue not holding the book together. A member of the congregation has taken a few of these books and had them spiral bound. If you care to have one, you can pick one up on the back elder pew.

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Announcements #2

Before COVID we had volunteers who read the Old Testament reading and the Epistle reading each Sunday from the lectern. If there is enough interest, this practice is ready to be initiated again. If you are interested, there is a sign-up sheet by the flower chart with the Sundays listed on the side bulletin board at the back of the church. There are also the next month's inserts next to the sign up sheet if you would like to take one home to read through.

125th Year History Book will be printed soon. The cost to our members has increased from \$20 to \$25 per book due to the length of the book and the increased price of paper. The actual price of printing the book is approximately \$52 so the congregation is paying approximately half of each book with money that was budgeted for the anniversary celebration that had to be scaled back due to the COVID restrictions. The money will be collected when the books are delivered. If you want a book and have not signed up for one, please see Connie Warsaw or Brenda Hendricks today. There will not be many extra ones ordered.

All Ladies Aid/LWML members! Please mark your calendars now for the Danville Zone LWML Spring Fling which we are hosting in our fellowship hall on Saturday, March 18th, from 8:30 to noon. All hands will be needed! The speaker will be Mary Dickinson who is a master gardener from the Loda area. Please let Brenda Hendricks know if you can attend or sign up on the poster on the back bulletin board by March 4th. More details will be given at the Ladies Aid/LWML meeting on March 9th.

Thank You! Thank you so much for all of the prayers, cards, visits, and meals that our church friends have given to us. Especially thanks to the Sunday School children who tied a beautiful soft fleece blanket for me. Thank you for keeping us in your thoughts, hearts, and prayers. May God bless you with peace and joy. Butch and Shirley Sprau