Offering

April 6 - \$3700

Those Assisting Us Today

Organist: Alicia Haggin John Haggin Elder: Jerry Niemann Altar Guild: Debbie Lammle

Debbie Martin
Acolyte: Bella Ford

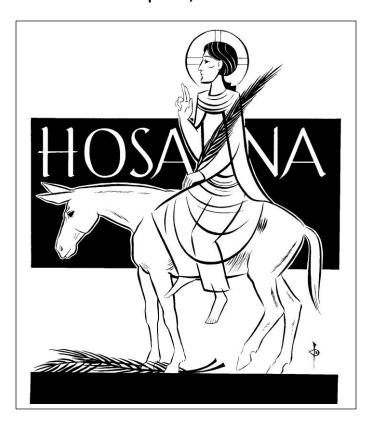
<u>"Worship Anew"</u> – Know someone who can't get to church? Lutheran Ministries from Concordia Theological Seminary produces "Worship Anew". It airs locally on WCIX – 49 on Sunday mornings at 7:30 AM.

<u>Bulletin announcements</u> If you have announcements for next week's 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.

Worship Schedule this week!

Maundy Thursday – worship service at 7 PM – supper before Good Friday – worship service at 7 PM Easter – worship service at 7 AM with breakfast to follow

The Lutheran Church-Missouri Synod Palm Sunday April 13, 2025



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Divine Service, Setting One

Welcome in Jesus' Name! Lutherans believe that Jesus Christ is present in the Sacrament so that we receive His true body and blood along with the bread and wine (Mark 14:22, 24; 1 Corinthians 10:16). We further believe that in this Sacrament, we receive the forgiveness of sins (Matthew 26:28) and strength to live an improved Christian life (Galatians 2:20). A worthy communicant is one who is truly repentant of his/her sins and who resolves to amend his/her life (1 Corinthians 11:28). Furthermore, this Sacrament is not only a communion with Christ (Matthew 18:20; 1 Corinthians 10:16), but also with one another (1 Corinthians 10:17; Acts 2:42). Those desiring to commune with us for the first time should talk with the pastor BEFORE the service begins.

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First Reading: Deuteronomy 32:36-39

P: This is the Word of the Lord.

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C: Thanks be to God.

Gradual – see bulletin insert

Epistle: Philippians 2:5-11

P: This is the Word of the Lord.

C: Thanks be to God.

Lenten Verse – page 157

Holy Gospel: Luke 23:1-56

P: The Holy Gospel, according to St. Luke, the twenty third chapter

C: Glory to you, O Lord.

After the Reading:

P: This is the Gospel of the Lord.

C: Praise to You, O Christ.

Hymn Of the Day, "What Wondrous Love Is This"543

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Service of the Sacrament

Distribution: Communicants will usher themselves to the FRONT of the church in groups of 5-7 people. They will space themselves on both sides of the Baptismal font. Please exit the altar area by the outside aisle to the side where you were seated.

Hymn, "Hosanna, Loud Hosanna".....443

Hymn, "Lamb of God"......550

Post Communion Canticle – page 164-165

Post Communion Collect and Benediction – page 166

Closing Hymn, "Ride On, Ride On in Majesty"......441

Let Us Pray...

....for homebound members: Karen Bryan and Ross Warsaw

....for Jeff Warsaw as he undergoes surgery on broken ankle this week

....for Faith Lutheran in Monticello and Trinity Lutheran in Urbana as they fill minister vacancies

....for St. Paul Lutheran Church – Mattoon (Dorans)

....for LCMS World Relief and Human Care

Announcements #1

<u>We welcome Pastor Strom</u> this morning. He is a retired pastor that served several local churches in our area during his career. The latest of those churches being Faith Lutheran Church in Monticello. Thank you for teaching Bible Class and leading our worship service today in the absence of Pastor McPike.

<u>Ladies Aid/LWML</u> ladies will be serving a soup supper before the Maundy Thursday worship service this Thursday. Serving will be from 5:30 to 6:45 in the fellowship hall. Soup, sandwiches, chips, and desserts will be on the menu. A freewill offering will be taken for Lutheran World Relief to help tornado and fire victims.

<u>Easter Breakfast</u> will be served immediately after the Easter worship service in the fellowship hall. The council members will provide the food which will consist of egg casseroles, fruit, and coffee cakes.

<u>Mowing Schedule!</u> The schedule this year lists the week that the volunteer needs to mow. It is recommended to mow on Thursday through Saturday of that week. If you have any questions, contact trustee Jeff Warsaw or John Grussing. Mowing Schedule:

The week of April 13 – 19 - Brenda Hendricks The week of April 20 – 26 – Dick Johnson

Mens Day Trip! Our congregation is receiving complimentary tickets for the upcoming Mecum Car Auction which is scheduled in May at Indianapolis, Indiana. A day trip is scheduled for Saturday, May 10th. Please contact Jerry Niemann (217-781-2997) or Dwight Hooker (217-649-2927) ASAP if you are interested or want more information. Last minute accommodations can be made for farmers if they cannot be in the fields that day.

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Announcements #2

The LWML ladies of Peace Lutheran Church in Thomasboro will be sponsoring a Mother-Daughter Salad Supper on April 27th at 4 PM. It will be held at the church located at 200 West Arnold Street in Thomasboro. The speaker is Steve Ingram, a local comedian. Bring your mother, daughter, sister, best friend, and join in the good food, fun, and fellowship! If you would like to bring a salad, please do so. Call Peace Lutheran Church at 217-643-3265 or Rev. Michael Stoerger at 217-560-4473 for reservations by April 21st. A freewill donation will be accepted at the door for a charity of their choice. All women of the congregation are invited.

<u>Easter Cards!</u> Invite all of your friends and neighbors to worship at Osman during this next week. There is a beautifully printed card with an envelope on the back elder pew for you to take with you and mail to a friend, relative, or neighbor. Thank you to Annette Warsaw who designed and printed the cards. All of our worship services and times are listed on the card and also directions to our church. This is a great way to share the beautiful message of our risen Savior with our communities. Mail quickly as time is running out!

<u>Lutheran Witness</u> subscriptions are up for renewal. If you do not presently subscribe to the <u>Lutheran Witness</u> and would like to, please notify Brenda Hendricks by April 20th. The church pays for the subscription.

Thank You to Immanuel Lutheran Church of Osman,

We appreciate your continued support of the needs in Fisher Schools. Please know that the donation from your congregation goes a long way in helping alleviate food insecurity with our students. Sincerely, Alison Dupre