# THE IMMANUEL MESSENGER

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# IMMANUEL LUTHERAN CHURCH OF OSMAN The Lutheran Church-Missouri Synod



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"Trust in the LORD forever, for the LORD, the LORD himself, is the Rock eternal." Isaiah 26:4 NIV

#### **Time Change**

Ready or not here comes the time change! On November 1st it will be time to put your clocks back one hour!

#### **Church Council Meeting**

The next Council meeting will be Wednesday, November 18th.

#### **LWML / Ladies Aid News**

LWML Sunday was celebrated on Sunday, October 4th. The ladies did not get to participate in the worship service due to the COVID 19 restrictions, but quilts were displayed in the back and the front of the church. The pillowcase dresses were hung on the inside walls of the sanctuary. A poster highlighting the theme for this year which was found in Matthew 21:43 that ... The kingdom of God will be ... given to a people producing its fruits was displayed in the back of the church. A bulletin board under the balcony outlined the many mission projects that our ladies are presently supporting.

The October monthly meeting was cancelled due to illnesses and harvest. The next meeting will be on Thursday, November 12, at 7 PM in the fellowship hall. The topic will be given by Brenda Hendricks and the hostesses will be Diana Zimmerman, Shirley Sprau, and Wilma Grussing. Roll call will be answered with a Bible verse on "thanks".

#### **Benefit Soup Supper**

It is with great sadness that the benefit soup supper that we usually serve in November will be cancelled due to the COVID restrictions. The committee will assess the conditions in the spring to possibly sponsor a soup supper then.

#### Quilting

The next quilting dates will be Monday, November 2 and Wednesday, November 4 at 8 AM. All ladies of the congregation are invited to help tie the quilts.

## With Heartfelt Sympathy

Our heartfelt sympathy to the family and friends of Darryl D. Redding who passed away on Friday, October 16 at Carle Foundation Hospital, Champaign. His funeral service was held October 21 at Immanuel Lutheran Church of Osman. Burial was in Mt. Hope Cemetery, Champaign.

#### With Heartfelt Sympathy

Our deepest sympathy to the family of Dr. William Schuh who passed away on Tuesday, October 13, at Carle Hospital from injuries sustained in a bicycle accident near Mahomet. He is survived by his wife, Kim; two sons, Jon and Dan; and one daughter, Sarah. Private family services were held. Dr. Schuh, his wife, and children attended our church for several years. God's comfort and peace to the family as we remember His words: "I am the resurrection and the life. The one who believes in Me, even if he dies, will live. Everyone who lives and believes in Me will never die!" John 11:25-26

# NOVEMBER 2020

Due to the COVID-19 Virus guidelines, all these activities will be pending the decisions made by the Church Council and Pastor McPike.

## **Osman's Upcoming Events**

#### **Tentative Upcoming Events**

2021 - Centennial Celebration

#### **Statistics**

Date	Worship	Sunday School	Adult Class
9/27	37	0	0
10/4	38	0	0
10/11	27	0	0
10/18	30	0	0
10/25	?	0	0

## **Birthdays**

Deb Peyton	11-02
C. J. Genzel	11-03
Emily Grussing	11-05
Lee Whitehouse	
Malachi Johnson	11-10
Karen Bryan	11-11
Brent Lutz	11-11
Randy Zimmerman	11-13
Steve Warsaw	11-14
Dwight Hooker	11-15
Rick Hardesty	11-16
Mary Beth Duncan	11-19
Agnes Watson	11-22
Nick Forrest	11-24
Jenna Clemmons	11-25
Bill Forrest	11-25

#### **Anniversaries**

Annette and Jeff Warsaw	11-03-2001
Stefani and Greg Warsaw	11-16-2002
Rong and Aaron Warsaw	11-20-2016
Connie and Don Warsaw	11-22-1969
Anne and Rill Amdor	11-26-1983

#### **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!