

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, 28:20; 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 register with the pastor in his office BEFORE the service begins.

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A: This is the Word of the Lord.

C: Thanks be to God.

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A: This is the Word of the Lord.

C: Thanks be to God.

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A: This is the Gospel of the Lord.

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Let Us Pray...

...for our members who are homebound:

Leona Albin, Loretta Brandt, Alma Hassebrock, and Paul Zimmerman;

...for God's healing hand that has touched the lives of those who have been ill recently;

...for those in need of the Lord's care and mercy, of whom we do not know at this hour; and

...for our members and friends who are in the service of our country.

Announcements

Ash Wednesday Soup Supper. The LWML will host a soup supper on February 22, 2012, in the Fellowship Hall. Please sign up on the bulletin board in the church to donate soup, sandwiches, or dessert. The food should be brought to the Hall by 4:30 p.m. on the 22nd to be ready for serving at 5:30 p.m. A freewill offering will be taken and the money will be used to support our LWML projects.

Ladies Aid Meeting. The first meeting of the year for Ladies Aid will be held on March 7, 2012, at 1:30 a.m. in the Fellowship Hall. The devotion, prayer, and refreshments will be given by Agnes Martinie and the topic given by Jeannine Henriksen. The roll call is a verse on "love." All Ladies of the church are invited!

The **New Member Reception** has been set for Sunday, March 11, 2012, after the church service in the Fellowship Hall. Cake and punch will be served.

Those new members include our two new confirmands, Kristine Zimmerman and Ashley Hadler, and family transfer's Harry, Jeannine, and Erik Henriksen and Jim, Sue, and Theresa Van Wakeman.

Please help us welcome them into our congregation.

Thrivent Benefit Soup Supper. Thrivent will be sponsoring a benefit soup supper on Saturday, March 17, 2012, in the Fellowship Hall. The donations will be used to help pay medical expenses for Mr. Charles Poland of Newman, Illinois. He is the brother of Carolyn Heinze. A sign-up sheet is on the bulletin board at the back of the church.

LutherTour 2012. There is still room! If you were thinking about the trip but have not yet decided, space is still available. Please contact Pastor McPike if interested.

Church Secretary Position. Church Secretary Karen Bryan has given her notice to resign her position as of April 2012. We are in need of a Church Secretary to prepare weekly service bulletins, newsletters, etc. If you would be willing to give your talents to the congregation, please let Pastor McPike or Chairman Hardesty know.

Monthly Newsletter. An online version of the monthly newsletter is available. Please email <pastor@osmanlutheran.org> to sign up for your electronic copy. This will help us conserve paper and stamps! If you know someone who doesn't attend regularly and see their monthly newsletter on the back Elder's pew, please pick it up and deliver to them.

Online Database. An online version of our official acts book is needed. If you are interested in typing information into a database, please let Pastor or Chairman Hardesty know. There is no time limit, but we'd like for the project to begin soon.

Statistics

February 12 Attendance87
 February 12 Offering\$1,964.55

Those Assisting Us Today

ElderButch Sprau
 Altar GuildBarb Gaines and Debbie Lammle
 OrganistAlicia Haggin
 AcolyteKenzie Delaney
 Lay ReaderDebbie Lammle

IMMANUEL LUTHERAN CHURCH OF OSMAN
 The Lutheran Church—Missouri Synod

The Transfiguration of Our Lord
 February 19, 2012, at 9:30 a.m.



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