

Offering

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Those Assisting Us Today

Organist: Alicia Haggin

John Haggin

Reader: Theresa Van Wakeman Wilson

Elder: Steve Martin

Altar Guild: Susie Martin

Sue Van Wakeman

“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.

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.

IMMANUEL LUTHERAN CHURCH OF OSMAN

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Festival of Reformation

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Divine Service, Setting Three

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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P: This is the Word of the Lord.

C: Thanks be to God.

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Epistle Reading: Romans 3:19-28

P: This is the Word of the Lord.

C: Thanks be to God.

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Holy Gospel: John 8:31-36

P: The Holy Gospel according to St. John, the eighth chapter

C: Glory be to Thee, O Lord.

P: This is the Gospel of the Lord.

C: Praise be to Thee, O Christ.

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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.

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Let Us Pray...

....for homebound member: Karen Bryan

....for Emily Fuqua for recovery after a liver transplant

....for safety for our farmers as they complete harvest

....for all the people in the damaged areas of the hurricanes

....for Larry Lutz as he gains strength at Goldwater Care Facility in Gibson City

....for Immanuel Lutheran Church in Charleston, Illinois

Announcements #1

October is Pastor Appreciation Month! Take time to thank Pastor McPike as his example in the ministry encourages us to stand firm in our faith. Thank God that he serves us faithfully and keeps our small congregation praising the Lord.

Next Sunday is All Saints Day. We will recognize Gene Welborn who is the only departed soul from our congregation since the last All Saints Day which was November 5, 2023.

Mowing Schedule! The schedule this year lists the week that the volunteer needs to mow. If you have any questions, contact trustee Jeff Warsaw or Lee Whitehouse. Mowing Schedule:

The week of October 27 – November 2 – Dwight Hooker

The rest of November – trustees

The Stewardship Committee will be sponsoring a benefit soup supper on Saturday, November 16th, from 4:30 to 7:00 PM. There is a signup sheet on the back bulletin board if you would like to donate food. Emily Fuqua will be the recipient for this benefit. She is 32 years old and lives in Oakwood. She has had a heart procedure and a liver transplant in the last several months.

The Reformation Fest and organ dedication recital will be held TONIGHT at 4:00. The meal of German food will follow the recital. Past and present organists at our church will perform. Get ready to prepare your best German recipe and bring it to share.

Upcoming Quilting Dates for November will be November 4th at 8 AM and November 6th at 12:30. The quilts that were completed last year were taken to the collection places for Lutheran World Relief and Orphan Grain Train this past week. A new count will begin in November.

Announcements #2

Bellflower Thanksgiving Feast will be held on Sunday, November 10th, with serving starting at 11 at the Bellflower Community Center Gym. A free will donation will be taken to benefit community events. Come and enjoy a meal with friends and family or take the meal to go. The feast is sponsored by the Village of Bellflower.

Time Change! Daylight Saving Time started on March 10, 2024, and will end on November 3rd, 2024. DO NOT FORGET to set clocks BACK an hour before bedtime on THIS SATURDAY!

Samaritan's Purse Operation Christmas Child boxes will be packed by the Sunday School children on Sunday, November 24th. Thank you to the members who contributed items in August and September for the boxes. Two Thrivent Action Team cards will be used to buy gifts for the boxes and for the shipping costs.