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**Welcome in Jesus' Name**

*We are pleased to have you with us and hope that you are enriched today in the fellowship of the Word. May the Lord bless you in the days ahead! If you are a visitor, please sign our guest book at the back of the church or complete a visitor card found in each pew.*

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**MATINS**

**OPENING HYMN, "O Sons and Daughters of the King" .....470**

The Office of Matins (page 219)

Psalmody: Introit (Insert)

**OFFICE HYMN, "Who Are You Who Walk in Sorrow" .....476**

**Old Testament:** Acts 2:14a, 36-41

A: O Lord, have mercy on us.

C: **Thanks be to God.**

Gradual (Insert)

**Epistle:** 1 Peter 1:17-25

A: O Lord, have mercy on us.

C: **Thanks be to God.**

**Holy Gospel:** Luke 24:13-35

A: O Lord, have mercy on us.

C: **Thanks be to God.**

Responsory (page 221)

Chapel Talk

Sermon

Te Deum (page 223)

The Offering (Song sung by Patty and Annie Downey)

Dedication

Kyrie, Lord's Prayer, Other Prayers (pages 227, 228)

Benedicamus, Benediction (page 228)

**CLOSING HYMN, "Christ the Lord is Risen Today; Alleluia" .....463**

**Let Us Pray...**

...for our members who are homebound:

**Leona Albin, Alma Hasebrock, 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**

**Dedication.** In loving memory of Lois Christie and her mother, Verna Adams, today the banner, altar, lectern, pulpit paraments, pastor's stole, communion veil, and a picture of Jesus will be dedicated in their honor.

Thanks to Patty and Annie Downey for singing the special song in memory of their mother and grandmother. The beautiful flower arrangements are also given by the Lois Christie family.

Our former Vicar, **Sem. Steve Mazzaferro**, was placed at Ascension Lutheran Church, Marrianna, Florida. According to the Synod's website, Ascension has 67 baptized members, 62 confirmed, and worships about 33 on a Sunday. Marianna is in the Florida panhandle about 120 miles east of Pensacola.

We wish Sem. Mazzaferro all the best as he prepares for this next phase in life. Pastor McPike

**Thank You.** I would like to thank all of those who prayed for me, called, sent cards, and visited before and since my surgery and recovery. A special big "thank you" to Pastor McPike and Vicar Fenker for all their prayers and especially the very uplifting visits. God bless you. Julia Camp

The **Church Council** will meet on Tuesday, May 10, 2011 at 7:00 p.m. in the Annex.

**Church Mowing.** May 14 - Steve Martin.

**Gifts from the Heart Arch Book Special.** LWML members can purchase Arch books for just \$2.00 each. These items are part of the "ingathering items" needed for the National LWML Convention this June. For every one purchased online at [Debbie.bochenek@cph.org](mailto:Debbie.bochenek@cph.org), Concordia will donate an additional Arch book. This special offer is only valid until June 1, 2011. See the flyer on the back bulletin board for more information.

**“Ingathering” Items for Convention.** Ingathering items will be collected for the National LWML Convention until June 19, 2011. To assist with the Japan relief efforts, the Orphan Grain Train is emphasizing the following items: dark colored bath towels and washcloths, bath size bar soap (4-5 oz.), adult size toothbrushes, toothpaste, stick deodorant (all in the original packaging), sturdy combs, Band-Aids (3/4”), and small tissue packets. Place these items in the box under the Elder’s pew marked “Ingathering Items.” They are requesting that price tags be left on each item. As a loving response to Christ’s example of servanthood and love, let’s continue to support those less fortunate than we are!

**Church Website.** You can view the Church Website at <http://OsmanLutheran.org>. Bulletins and newsletters are listed as well as other information about our church.

**Prayer Requests.** If you have any prayer requests, please contact Pastor McPike or call and leave a message at the church. We will try to keep up with prayer requests, and don’t want to leave anyone out, but we won’t know about them unless you tell us! Also, hospitalizations will not automatically be included by pastor unless you give him specific permission (to satisfy federal privacy rules).

**Bulletin Deadline.** To have submissions included in Sunday’s bulletin, please forward them to Karen Bryan by 12:00 noon on Thursday.

**Newsletter Deadline.** To have submissions included in the monthly newsletter, please forward them to Karen Bryan by 12:00 noon on the Wednesday before the last Sunday of the month.

**Statistics**

May 1 Attendance .....73  
 May 1 Offering .....\$1,892.50

**Those Assisting Us Today**

Elder .....Aaron Warsaw  
 Altar Guild .....Kathy Brendel and Debbie Martin  
 Organist .....Alicia Haggin  
 Reader .....Larry Camp



***IMMANUEL LUTHERAN CHURCH OF OSMAN***

The Lutheran Church–Missouri Synod

*Third Sunday of Easter*

May 8, 2011 at 9:30 a.m.



*Reverend Jeffrey McPike, BCC,*

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