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Those Assisting Us Today

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Elder: Ryan Lammle

Altar Guild: Susan Martin

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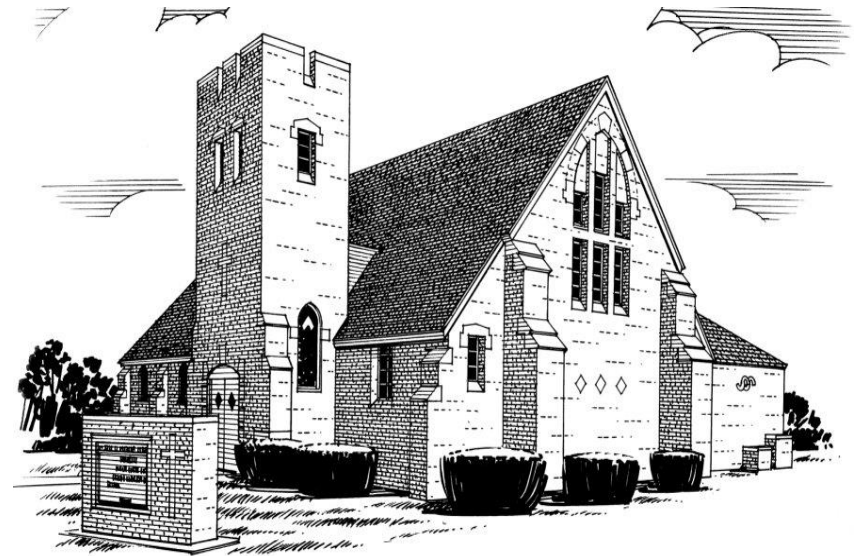
Bulletin announcements! If you have announcements for next week's bulletin, please forward those to Brenda Hendricks by noon on Friday. You may contact her by email at mhendrick@mchsi.com or by text or phone at 309-826-9733.

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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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P: This is the Word of the Lord.

C: **Thanks be to God.**

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Epistle: Hebrews 12:4-24

P: This is the Word of the Lord.

C: **Thanks be to God.**

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Holy Gospel: Luke 13:22-30

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

C: **Glory to you, O Lord.**

After the Reading:

P: This is the Gospel of the Lord.

C: **Praise to You, O Christ.**

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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 members: Karen Bryan, Ross Warsaw, and Linda Warsaw

....for Karen Bryan who is recovering from pneumonia

....for Mark Browning, friend of Marsha and Steve Warsaw, who is recovering from complications from a heart procedure

....for Lilly Griffin, Pastor McPike’s mother-in-law

....for Imanuel Lutheran Church of Broadlands

....for St. Peter Lutheran Church in Thawville

....for the Central Illinois District

Announcements #1

We welcome Pastor Strom as our guest pastor today. He is a retired pastor that served several churches in our area during his career. Thank you to Pastor Strom for teaching Bible Class and leading our worship service today in the absence of Pastor McPike.

Mowing Schedule! 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 August 24 – August 30 – Ryan Lammle

The week of August 31 – September 6 – Jerry Edwards

Thank you to everyone who made the delicious selection of food for the church picnic last Sunday. No one can ever leave a potluck at Osman hungry! The homemade ice cream and sundae bar was an added feature thanks to Terri and Dwight Hooker. Thanks to Eric Henriksen for grilling moose burgers, a great addition to the meal. Thanks to Brenda Hendricks for organizing some games. The adults enjoyed a few rounds of Family Feud, and the children were quite entertained by some indoor games and water guns and water balloons in the grassy lawn by the fellowship hall. Thanks also to those who helped serve drinks and did the kitchen work. A Thrivent Action Team card was used to purchase some of the games and decorations. Can't put together an Osman event without everyone's help!

Church T-shirts! Add another beautiful T-shirt to your collection! Annette Warsaw has designed a T-shirt advertising our church. It is a 100% cotton shirt, or you can order a collared knit shirt with the same imprint. If you are interested in ordering one, please sign up on the order form on the back pew. There are two color options and also indicate the size of shirt that you would desire. The cost will depend on how many shirts are ordered. Next Sunday will be the last day to order.

Announcements #2

Take your hymnal to communion! Every now and then there is a hymn that you love to sing, just about the time that you need to go up for communion. Do not hesitate to bring your hymnal along and sing while you are walking up or waiting in line. It helps with "making a joyful noise to the Lord!"

Operation Christmas Child! We will be packing shoe boxes for Operation Christmas Child in November for children in poor countries across the world. Since school supplies are on sale NOW, this would be a good time to purchase the items needed. We need 8 glue sticks, 7 pencil sharpeners, 58 pencils, 11 boxes of colored pencils, 8 wash cloths, 12 nail clippers, and 23 individual packages of Kleenex. We usually pack 12 boxes for boys and 12 boxes for girls. If you prefer to give a cash donation, we would be glad to buy items that are needed. There is a collection box on the back pew. Two Thrivent Action Team cards will be used to buy larger items and to pay the \$10 postage fee (maybe more) for each box. If you would like to pack a box or have questions about what is acceptable, please see Terri Hooker or Connie Warsaw. Notice that soap was taken off of the list as it can no longer be added to the boxes as it causes complications in customs in some nations.

The humidity in the hall is regulated with a dehumidifier in the back room. It needs to be dumped quite regularly so if you happen to be in the hall and the dehumidifier is not running, please dump it.