

Oculi - My Eyes
Third Sunday in Lent - March 19, 2017

Prayer upon entering and leaving God's house: In the front of the hymnal and pages 308-309. Welcome one and all. We pray and trust that you will be enriched as you hear the Word of the Lord, our risen Savior, Jesus, and worship Him. Guests, sign our guest book (providing your complete mailing address), and come again soon. Have a great day and week in the Lord, enjoy the peace He has won, and tell someone about Him this week.

"The body and the blood of Jesus, given and shed on Calvary for the forgiveness of our sins, will be distributed and received during our worship service this morning. Since those who commune at the altar are joined together in Christ as well as together in the teachings of the congregation (Acts 2:42; 1 Cor. 11:17-30; 1 Cor. 1:10; 1 Cor. 10:16-18), Immanuel Lutheran Church observes the historical and biblical practice of Closed Communion so that no one would receive the holy sacrament to their damnation and so that they may give a proper witness to their faith. Visitors from congregations of the Lutheran Church - Missouri Synod are invited to commune. Others are invited to visit with the pastor concerning our Communion practices."

Liturgy: Divine Service 3 page 184

Hymns – 904 – "Blessed Jesus, at Your Word"

703 – "How Can I Thank You, Lord"

609, 627, 636

704 – "Renew Me, O Eternal Light"

During the season of Lent we will omit the Gloria in Excelsis, Alleluias, & Hallelujahs from the liturgies

This morning we thank Pastor John Fuchs for leading us in worship while Pastor Meilner is in Iowa for the baptism of his youngest grandchild.

IN HIS SERVICE TODAY ARE THE FOLLOWING MEMBERS:

March Altar Guild: Pat Miller & Dottie Michaelis

8:15 A.M. Ushers: Clair Sauer and Adam Hinckley.. 10:30 A.M.

– Ushers: Adam Prigge, Cody Prigge, and Paul Tveten.

Greeters: Paul & Rae Tveten, Kallista, Lyza and Troy. Elder on Duty: John Harper

THIS WEEK AT SILO

Today 8:15 & 10:30 A.M. -Communion
9:30 A.M. - Bible Study & Sunday School

Monday Scroll articles due
Scrip orders due

Wednesday 8:10 A.M. – Chapel
1:00 P.M. – Camp Omega presentation
4:00 P.M. – PSC
5:30 & 7:30 P.M. – Worship
6:30 P.M. Supper – Dorcas
Offering: Home

Thursday – Saturday – Girls Basketball Team at National
Tournament in Indiana

Sunday 8:15 & 10:30 A.M. -Worship
9:30 A.M. - Bible Study & Sunday School

Looking ahead: March 20 – Scroll items due

April 8 – Annual Hog Roast & Auction – 5:00 -8:00 P.M.

April 13 – 7:30 P.M. Maundy Thursday Worship / Communion

April 14 – 1:00 P.M. Good Friday Worship

April 16 – Easter Worship at 7:30 & 10:00 A.M.

Youth Easter Breakfast at 8:30 A.M.

April 23 – Quarterly Voters Meeting (4th Sunday)

April 29 – LWML Winona Zone spring Rally @ St Martin's.

June 12-16 – Vacation Bible School

Immanuel Lutheran (Silo) will be hosting a Red Cross Blood Drive on Monday, April 10, 2017 from 1:30 – 7:30 P.M. You may sign up online at redcrossblood.org or by emailing me your preferred time. We do have several POWER RED slots open for those of you with A negative, B positive, or O blood. Volunteers are also needed to help get donors signed in and to hand out refreshments to donors when finished. Please let me know if you would like to contribute in this way. Thanks!

Emily Anderson

A very big thank you to all who helped clean up and put everything away after the operetta. Your help was very much appreciated.

Preschool Registration – Immanuel Lutheran School is now accepting registration for the preschool program for the 2017-2018 school year. Classes offered: **3 year old class**: Tuesday & Thursday morning 8:00-10:30 Must be 3 years old by September 1, 2017

4 year old class – Tuesday & Thursday 12:30 – 3:00 Must be 4 years old by September 1, 2017 A registration fee of \$30.00 is due when submitting your registration form. Tuition will be \$90.00 per month. Contact Tannis Steinberg with any questions. tsteinberg@immanuelsilo.org

Redeemer Lutheran Church, Winona is hosting a French toast breakfast fundraiser on Sunday, March 26 8:30 – 12:30 at the American Legion, 302 E. Sarnia Street, Winona. Tickets: Adults \$7.00; ages 5-12 \$4.00 Preschool ages Free. Tickets will be available at the door.

Scrip cards - Joanne Prigge will be in the cafeteria each school morning from 7:45 to 8:15 if you want Scrip cards. If this time does not work for you, please contact Joanne, Jana Prigge, Paula Michalowski, or Emily Anderson.

OUR RESPONSE TO GOD'S LOVE

Church attendance for Sunday, March 12: 72+121=193

Church attendance for Wednesday, March 15: 92+34=126

Offering for Sunday, March 12: \$7,098.00 (Home), \$196.00 (Missions), \$52.61 (Loose), \$85.00 (Building)

Total Offering for Sunday, March 12: \$7,431.61

Offering for Wednesday, March 15: \$488.23 (Lutheran Heritage)

2016 Budget required contributions / week: \$12,905

PRAISE THE LORD FOR THESE GIFTS!

2017 Lenten Schedule and Offering designation & Supper

Special Service	Worship Time	Offering	Supper
March 22	5:30 & 7:30 P.M.	Home	Dorcas
March 29	5:30 & 7:30 P.M.	POBLO	Board of Ed
April 5	5:30 & 7:30 P.M.	Joint Seminary	Elders
April 13	Maundy Th. 7:30 P.M.	Missions	
April 14	Good Fri. 1:00 P.M.	Home	
April 16	Easter 7:30 A.M. & 10:00 A.M.	Regular (Home)	
May 25	Ascension Th. 7:30 P.M.	Home	

10th ANNUAL HOG ROAST/SILENT AUCTION

Saturday, April 8th, 5-8pm

Profits go towards the Building Addition

Ticket Sales/Availability -

- Meal tickets will be for sale starting Monday, March 27th from Heather Sauer or Miss Steinberg.

Volunteers -

- Volunteers are needed for Friday set-up.
- Volunteers are needed for Saturday during the event. Serving the meal, clean-up, pouring beverages, serving ice cream, with the auction, and more.
- All church and school families are encouraged to help. Please check out the sign-up sheet, with Miss Steinberg or talk with Heather Sauer if you are willing to volunteer.

Donations-

- We will be accepting donations up until Friday, April 7th at 5pm.
- Please bring any donations to **Miss Steinberg's Kindergarten Room** during the week or to church on Sundays. Only **NEW** items please.
- We have some baskets, bags and ribbons. We are more than happy to assemble your baskets for you.
- Sporting tickets, gift certificates, hotel stays, or dinner certificates would also be wonderful! Get Creative! Check with the company you work for as they may be willing to donate something.

Contact Heather Sauer at 523-2753 or email hsauer@hbc.com with questions

**Additional tables are needed for the auction. Any 6 or 8 foot tables would work nicely. Please label your tables. We would like them at school by April 6th. Please put tables in the cafeteria.*