ATONEMENT LUTHERAN CHURCH ONEONTA, NY

EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH HARTWICK SEMINARY, NY

ST. MATTHEW LUTHERAN CHURCH LAURENS, NY

The Rev. Paul R. Messner, S.T.S., Pastor The Rev. Robert Mansbach, Pastor Emeritus

+ The 3rd Sunday after Pentecost + Service of the Word June 9th, 2024

+ Welcome in the name of God: Father, Son and Holy Spirit, to all members, friends, visitors and guests! Guests and visitors please fill out a Voice from the Pew folder and sign our Guest Book. Please include your complete mailing, e-mail address, and phone number. If you are new to the community or are looking for a Church Home, please let us know how we can be of service and consider our Christian family your own. Members please fill out a Voice From The Pew folder at least once a year to fulfill "active voting member" status. Thank you!

Gathering

Prelude Meditation & Prayer Welcome & Parish News

Confession & Entrance Rite

*Entrance Hymn:	"All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name!"	LBW	#328
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^{*}Invocation & Dialog: "Holy is the Lord" pg. 126

^{*}The Apostle's Creed pg. 128

^{*}Canticle: "And Have the Bright Immensities" LBW #391

^{*}First Prayer pg. 128/TWFT

Word

First Lesson: Genesis 3:8-15 TWFT
Psalmody: Ps. 130 (Tones: single-32, double-31) TWFT
Second Lesson: 2 Corinthians 4:13—5:1 TWFT
*Gospel Acclamation LBW #440- st 1

The Gospel: Mark 3:20-35 TWFT

*Gospel Response LBW #440- st 2 Children's Sermon/Homily Pr. Paul Messner(Ev./St. J)

OCLP Deacon Dave Forbes (St. M/Aton)

Hymn of the day: "I'm But a Stranger Here" Insert

Response

Sharing of the Peace of the Lord

Offering/Musical Offering

Presentation of Gifts: Offertory: "Give Thanks" Insert
Offertory Prayer TWFT
Prayers of the Church pg. 129/pg. 52/TWFT
Lord's Prayer pg.130

Sending

Benediction pg. 130

Recessional: "A Hymn of Glory Let Us Sing!" LBW #157 (w-st.3; m-st.4; All on "Alleluias" each time)

Dismissal: Go in Peace! Serve the Risen Lord! Thanks be to

God!

Postlude

(*= Stand in body or spirit; LBW= Lutheran Book of Worship-green book; WOV= With One Voice-blue book; TWFT=The Word for Today insert with lessons and prayers; + = Hymn request)

Pastors Pericope Paragraph

(a "pericope" is a selected reading from scripture used as a lesson at worship)

A house divided against itself cannot stand. Yet Jesus appears to reject His own immediate family ("house"). Nothing comes between Him and His devotion to God (Gospel). Adam and Eve hide from their Creator because they have rejected His sovereignty - believing the Tempter's doubt inducing question - trying to be their own gods. Consequences resound (1st lesson). "We do not lose heart" because our "house" (home) is in eternity (2d lesson).

Weekly Worship Practice:

Note to parents and guardians- Please bring quiet, soft toys for our younger friends to use in the pews during worship. Some of our congregations have Children's Activity Bags available-feel free to use one any Sunday. Help us to keep them cleaned, re- stocked and placed back where they'll be ready for next Sunday. Thank you!

We welcome OCLP Deacon Dave Forbes to lead worship at St. Matthew and Atonement.

Next week ELCA Deacon (Ret.) Sandy Shear leads worship at St. John and Evangelical.

+ Parish News and Notes +

Attendance & Offering Statistics

Date	Atonement	Evangelical	St.	St.
		_	Matthew	John
6/2	29/557	9/277	23/493	5/203
**	(\$1,290)	(\$850)	(\$1,309)	
6/5	1/93	1/50	5/174	

** Needed to meet weekly expenses

+ THIS WEEK +

+ Today 6/9- Service of the Word

+Wednesday Services:
7:30 am St. Matthew
Noon Evangelical
7:00 pm Atonement
10:30 a.m.-Clergy Bible Study Christ Church, Cooperstown

+ COMING UP +

Next Sunday 6/16- Holy Communion/Father's Day Wednesday 6/19- Ruth Nelson (Nielsen) Burial, Laurens Friday 6/21-Rene Prins & Marilyn Roper Service of Remembrance 1:00 pm, Atonement- Reception follows Saturday 6/22- 8:30 am, OCLP Men's Breakfast- Evangelical 11:00 am-Worship & Music, Atonement Sunday 6/23-Atonement Council follows worship

Thought of the Week

"It's better to light one candle than to curse the darkness"
-Anonymous

OCLP 2024 Rummage Sales

+Friday Aug. 30 -9am-5pm, Saturday Aug. 31 9am-4pm at Ev. +Friday Sept. 6 - 9am-5pm, Saturday Sept 7- 9am-4pm at Ev. +Friday Oct. 4 - 9am-6pm, Saturday Oct 5- 9am-1pm at St. John