

## When We Worship

### SUNDAY WORSHIP

- 8:30 a.m. **Traditional Service**  
(Communion 1st, 3rd, 5th Sunday)
- 9:30 a.m. **Coffee/fellowship time**
- 10:00 a.m. **Contemporary Service**  
(Communion 1st, 3rd, 5th Sunday)

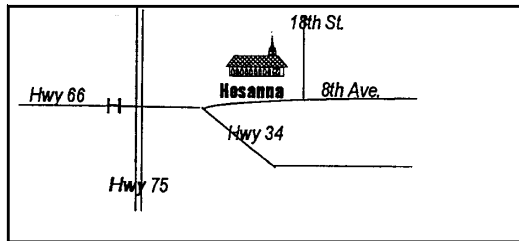
**LENTEN WORSHIP** – During the season of Lent, preceding up to Holy Week and Easter, Wednesday evening services are held.

**SPECIAL WORSHIP SERVICES** – Holy Week, Thanksgiving, Christmas, Healing Services, etc. are times for additional services.

### How To Find Us

700 South 18th Street – Plattsmouth, NE 68048

We are located at the corner of **8th Avenue** and **South 18th Street**, across from Plattsmouth Elementary/Middle School. (2 blocks east of Highway 75)



### Interested in Membership?

If you desire to find a church home and would like to become a member of Hosanna, you can do so by presenting a transfer from another Lutheran congregation or by participating in New Member class which takes place twice a year. Contact the Pastor for more information – 296-2662.

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**10:00 Contemporary**



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- P.O. Box 301

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I will strive to...

- **Pray** daily
- **Worship** weekly
- **Read** the Bible
- **Serve** at and beyond Hosanna
- Encourage others in **Relationship**
- **Give** of my time, talents and resources

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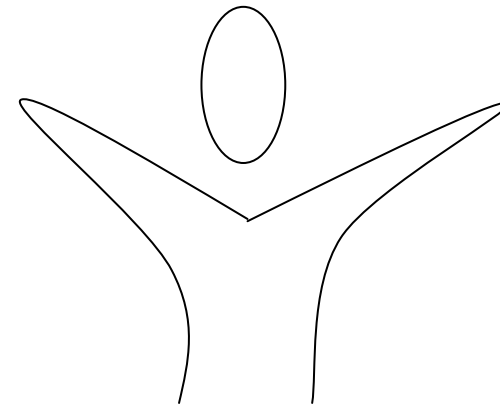
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# HOSANNA LUTHERAN CHURCH

A Congregation of the Evangelical Lutheran Church in America

## Who We Are

- We are **baptized members** of the Church of Christ, responding in faith to the call of the Holy Spirit through the Gospel, desiring to unite together to preach the Word of God, administer the Sacraments, and carry out God's mission in this world.
- We are a **congregation** representing this community with a history and mission dating back to 1983.
- We are a member congregation of the **Nebraska Synod of the Evangelical Lutheran Church in America**.

## What We Believe

- This congregation confesses faith in the **Triune God: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit**.
- That **God the Father** has created and preserves all things.
- That **God the Son, Jesus Christ**, has redeemed all people through his life, death, and resurrection.
- That **God the Holy Spirit** has brought us to faith and preserved and sustains us in that faith.
- The **Holy Bible** is the written Word of God, inspired by God's Spirit.
- The **Apostles', Nicene, and Athanasian Creeds** are true declarations of the Christian faith.
- The **Gospel** (Good News) is the power of God to create and sustain the Church for God's mission in the world.
- As Christians, **we are called** to worship God through proclamation of the Word, sharing of the sacraments, and living lives of prayer, service, witness, praise, and thanksgiving

## Service and Mission

*We welcome all people to worship God by offering their lives in daily witness to the love of Jesus Christ.*

Some areas of service and mission include:

- Pastoral care, spiritual, and referral
- Support local food pantry, shelters, and other organizations serving our area.
- Support throughout the ELCA: missionaries, colleges, seminaries, Lutheran Social Services, Lutheran World Relief, and the World Hunger Fund.
- Support group such as Alanon, NA, Lion's Club, and The Resolution Center, by offering a place to meet.

## Committees

- **Welcome Ministry:** *The Welcome Ministry empowers a caring fellowship of seekers and finders embodying Christ's love.*

We do this by providing opportunities to develop deep and lasting friendships in community with others and by focusing on our ability to be caring here and to all people in the community. We will provide a clean, safe and welcoming atmosphere where these opportunities can take place.

**Groups Within this Ministry:** Women's Group, Men's Group, Children's Ministry, Confirmation, Youth Group, Saints Go Marching Out, World Hunger Task Force, Calico Angels

- **Worship Ministry:** *The Worship Ministry evolves around individuals from every age coming together in celebration of life in Christ at the foot of the cross.*

We do this by hearing the Word, confessing our faith, receiving Christ's presence in bread and wine, singing our praises to God, making our offering and going in peace.

- **Witness Ministry:** *The Witness Ministry equips us and leads us to remember the poor and serve the Lord.*

We do this by providing faith-building opportunities to grow as Christians and to live the gospel each day of our lives in service to others in community and in the world.

Cass County SENCA - Food Pantry, School Supplies, Christmas gifts, Open Hearts Kitchen, Prevent Blindness Nebraska, Open Door Mission, World Hunger - Wine to Water—Tour DE Revs, My Neighbor's Closet, Labels for Education

## Education

Christian education at Hosanna provides learning opportunities for all ages.

- **Kids Church** – Our curriculum is Bible-based and Christ-centered. The Gospel is presented with age appropriate games and crafts for children ages 4 through grade 5 beginning at 10:00 a.m..
- **Confirmation Classes** – Students in grades 6–8 are involved in the confirmation program. Call for dates and times.
- **Adult Education Opportunities**—check times
- **Vacation Bible School** – Vacation Bible School is a fun-filled, one week, summer educational experience for children of all ages.
- **New Member Orientations** – This course is provided as a part of New Member preparation for those who choose to take part.

## Youth Ministry

**WE CARE** about the youth and look for new and exciting ways to support and encourage them in their lives of faith. We invite all youth to be involved in planned Youth Activities throughout the year and to take advantage of our great Youth Center, adjacent to the church.

- Sr. High Youth—Sunday evenings
- Confirmation Program—Wednesday evenings
- Kids Church—Sundays 10:00am