BLESSED SAVIOR LUTHERAN CHURCH THURSDAY, JULY 8, 2021 SUNDAY, JULY 11, 2021

Listen and then Do – Mark 6:14-29

- **1.** Life-time sports.
- **2.** Follow-through correctly or be lost.
- **3.** King Herod was having a bad day.
- **4.** Give Herodias back to your brother Philip.
- **5.** Poor follow-through leads to costly results.
- 6. God tells us what to know and do.

Additional selections for further study: Matthew 17:5, Ephesians 2:8-10, Colossians 3:1-4 and Matthew 7:24-27.

SEVENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

The Lord Jesus Brings His People through Death into Life by the Preaching of Repentance

Amos did not choose to be a prophet, but the Lord took him "from following the flock" and said to him, "Go, prophesy to my people Israel" (Amos 7:15). It was a hard word given him to preach: King Jeroboam would "die by the sword," and Israel would "go into exile away from his land" (Amos 7:10–11). For this word, Amos was hated and threatened. St. John the Baptist also suffered for his faithful preaching of repentance. King Herod "sent and seized John and bound him in prison," even though he knew that John "was a righteous and holy man" (Mark 6:17, 20). Out of pride and fear, Herod "sent an executioner with orders to bring John's head" (Mark 6:27). Yet in Christ, St. John the Baptist "has been raised from the dead" (Mark 6:14, 16). For Christ is the destruction of death itself "before the foundation of the world," and even now by faith, "the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ" has blessed us in Christ "with every spiritual blessing in the heavenly places" (Eph. 1:3–4). Through Baptism into Christ, you also "were sealed with the promised Holy Spirit" for life and salvation (Eph. 1:13).

CHURCH INFORMATION

SPECIAL MISSIONS THIRD QUARTER: Rachel Meyer, a Lutheran School Teacher is a missionary in Bufuula, Uganda. Rachel is to be admired for her courage to go in our place into a nation that is politically in conflict. Let us pray for her safety. May the Lord surround her with His holy angels and bless her ministry of teaching seventh graders the ways of the Lord. – Go, Rachel, go! The Lord be with you!

GARDEN TEA PARTY: Save the date! Women's Ministries is hosting a Garden Tea Party on Saturday, September 11th at 1pm. This is an outdoor event, weather permitting. Watch for more details to come!

TABLE HOSTESSES NEEDED: We are looking for hostesses for the Garden Tea Party event on September 11th at 1pm. As a hostess, you will provide a table and chair for four (4), decorations for the table, and the tea settings (teapot, carafes, etc). You can sign up on the Women's Ministries bulletin board, or by emailing <u>wminbs@gmail.com</u>

OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD: We will once again partake in Operation Christmas Child through Samaritan's Purse. This is just a friendly hint if you plan to pack shoe boxes this Christmas to keep in mind that some of the items that they suggest you pack are available NOW. Items like t-shirts, flip flops, etc. are around during the summer months and can be found fairly inexpensive. Be sure to stock up now and when it comes time to stuff those shoe boxes you will have the items you need! More information on this wonderful project can be found at <u>www.samaritanspurse.org</u> or if you have questions see Jennifer Leinss.

SCHOOL KITS: Please keep your eyes peeled for when those wonderful school supplies go on sale! We will once again participate in the school kit program through Lutheran World Relief. We are blessed each year to pack over 100 kits for those in need. Please consider helping with this wonderful cause and be a blessing to others! More information and a list of supplies can be found at <u>www.lwr.org</u>. There will also be a list and more information available in the narthex in the next coming weeks!

CLASSROOM AIDE NEEDED: Our 3K class is looking for a classroom aide for the upcoming 2021-2022 school year. We are looking for a nurturing, kid-loving, reliable individual to serve in this position. This is a paid position, and the hours are from 8:30 a.m. until 12:00 p.m. If you or someone you know might be interested, please contact Jennifer Leinss at jleinss82@gmail.com.

FLOWERS, BULLETINS, & SPECIAL MISSIONS SIGN-UP: If you would like to sign up for flowers, bulletins, or special mission contact the church office by email blessedsavior.nb.lcms@gmail.com, or call 262-786-6465. The Altar Flowers are sponsored by Gary & Kathy Hintz in celebration of their 55th Anniversary.

The Bulletins are sponsored by Roland & Ila Liske in celebration of their 65th Anniversary.

RADIO CHURCH SERVICES

SUN 6:30AM—WTMJ (AM 620) LUTHERAN HOUR & SUN 7:00AM—WJYI (AM 1340) LUTHERAN RADIO

PRAYERS OF THANKSGIVING AND INTERCESSIONS

We pray for those undergoing medical treatment: Arliss Judy Adeline Laverne Karen John Holley Nancy Ralph

We pray the Lord to watch over those who are serving in the military.

Thur	7:00 pm	Worship & Communion
Sun	8:00 am	Worship & Communion
	9:30 am	Worship & Communion
Mon		Scrip Orders Due
Tue	6:30 pm	Elders Meeting
Thur	7:00 pm	Worship
Sun	8:00 am	Worship
	9:30 am	Worship

Last Week's Attendance: YouTube: 77 Offerings: \$2,363.00 Needed Weekly: \$11,800