# Risen Savior Lutheran Church

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Risen Savior Evangelical Lutheran Church: people created by God the Father, claimed by Jesus Christ the Son of God, and commissioned by the Holy Spirit of God through Word and Sacraments. We glorify the Name of Jesus by reaching out with the Gospel and acts of Christian love to the people of Manteno, Peotone, the surrounding communities, and the whole world.

## **Worship Assistants**

	<u>Today</u>	Next Week
Elder:	Tom Taden	Paul Russert
Jsher:	John Sauerbier	Jerry Greek
Screens:	Michael Gaffney	Sandy Moran

Acolyte: Aurora Schmidt Lindsay Bischopink

Communion: Judy Bischopink Barb Taden

## **Our Prayers**

Our Shut-Ins: Phyllis Podgorski, Jean Albrecht, Luke Hebel, Millie Pudwell

For God's Healing: Randy Brust (Friend of Bonnie Conway), Susan Bryant (Daughter of Joanne Floyd), Zak Christensen, Judy Erdman, Beverly Fullerton, Isabelle Gabrielson, Marek Majerski, Paula Martineau, Delmar Mather, Bill Payne (Cousin of Judy Bischopink), Lorretta Reid (Friend of Loretta Whalen), Ellen Smith, Richard Smith

For God's Continued Care: Karen Bever (Friend of Sandy Moran), Wilma King (Aunt of Judy Bischopink), Gil LaRoche, Mary Parks (Friend of Loretta Whalen), Rory Polk, Jordan Russert, Audrey Ryan (Niece of Lori Hatalla), Christie Voss (Daughter of Mary Voss),

For Our Military Personnel: Dan Ford (Friend of Marge Polk), Ross McClellan (Nephew of Dawn Russert), and Edward Mercer (Husband of Kelly Mercer)

## This Week at Risen Savior

Tuesday	Busy Sew & Sews	9:00 AM
Next Sunday	Divine Service	9:00 AM
	Fellowship	10:00 AM
	Bible Class	10:15 AM

### **Announcements**

Each week we will be highlighting and praying for a family or an individual of our congregation. Please pray for them throughout the week that God would meet all of their needs. This week we will pray for **Bob, Judy, Dena, Kara, and Lindsay Bischopink**.

The **sermon** is based on Luke 1:57-80. John the Baptist prepares us by awakening us to our sin and pointing us to Jesus who takes away our sin. As a result, John the Baptist fulfills a vital role in the larger story of salvation. We commemorate his birth this morning.

We are glad to welcome **Marvin Juergens and Phil and Cindy Raddatz** as the newest members of Risen Savior this morning. We welcome you and are glad that you are among us.

The next **free meal to the community** will be on Friday, July 6 from 5:00-6:30 PM. We will be serving hamburgers and hotdogs. If you would be willing to help, please sign the sheet in the binder in the narthex.

We thank all our **volunteers** who helped prepare for **VBS** and served throughout the week. Your dedication to our children is much appreciated.

The next edition of **Portals of Prayer** is available in the narthex. These are an excellent daily devotion and an opportunity to read God's Word each day.

It is not too late to help with the **community garden**. Any and all help is always appreciated. Please speak with Larry and Loretta Whalen or Becky Martin if you are interested in helping.

Risen Savior will hold their annual **Rummage Sale** on Thursday, July 19, 8am-4pm; Friday, July 20, 8am-4pm; and Saturday, July 21, 8am-12pm. Items can be brought to the church on Sunday, July 15. Mark your calendars and begin gathering any and all items.

The next **MANNA Order** will be made on Sunday, July 1. Debbie always has multiple gift cards on hand which can be purchased immediately.

**The Busy Sew & Sews** will meet on Tuesday morning at 9:00 AM. They would appreciate donations of clean, flat, fitted or any kind of sheets-any size, any condition.

During **Communion**, a cup of grape juice is provided in the center of the tray for those who prefer to refrain from alcohol.

#### Offerings 6/17/18

Free Will: \$55.00 Envelopes: \$2,098.00 Capital: \$165.00 Building Fund: \$10.00 Build a Buck: \$16.00

Total: \$2,344.00