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

Today Next Week

Elder: Mike Heywood Jim Armentrout

Usher: Rich Rauch Jerry Greek

Screens: Dawn Russert Sandy Moran

Acolyte: Dexter Saam Luke Werner

Communion: Bonnie Conway Janice Schultz

Our Prayers

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

For God's Healing: Derrick Bell (Nephew of Becky Martin), Susan Bryant (Daughter of Joanne Floyd), Judy Erdman, Beverly Fullerton, Isabelle Gabrielson, Marek Majerski, Ruthann Molihan (Sister of Richard Smith), Bill Payne (Cousin of Judy Bischopink), Garrett Wischer (Son-in-law of Dick & Sandy Moran)

For God's Continued Care: Karen Bever (Friend of Sandy Moran), Sally Capeheart (Sister of Arlene Schultz), Wilma King (Aunt of Judy Bischopink), Gil LaRoche, 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 Next Sunday Busy Sew & Sews 9:00 AM
Divine Service 9:00 AM
Fellowship 10:00 AM
Bible Class 10:15 AM

Announcements

Each week we highlight and pray 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 **Mike Heywood.**

The **sermon** is based on Luke 19:28. Advent celebrates the "Coming of the Lord." Today we remember Jesus' coming into Jerusalem. Jerusalem had had a storied past but a doomed future. However, because of what Jesus accomplished in Jerusalem we will be called to the Jerusalem above.

There is a sign-up sheet in the narthex for anyone wanting to provide a **Christmas Poinsettia**. Orders will be taken this Sunday and next Sunday. The poinsettias will adorn the chancel beginning on Sunday, December 16. The cost is \$15.

There will be a time of **Christmas caroling** on Sunday, December 9 at 2:00 PM. We will meet at the home of Richard and Ellen Smith at 567 Willow. After caroling, a light dinner will be enjoyed at their home. Please RSVP to them so they can plan accordingly.

The next **free meal to the community** will be held on Friday, December 7. If you would like to help in any way, please sign the sheet in the binder in the narthex.

If you would like to provide items to those in need at the **Veterans' Home** in Manteno, there is a list on the bulletin board and a collection box in the narthex. We will honor our veterans this morning.

Golden Opportunity Books are once again available for \$25. They include many BOGO coupons for local merchants. Please see Debbie Christensen.

The next **MANNA Order** will be taken this morning. Debbie always has multiple gift cards on hand which can be purchased immediately.

The Busy Sew & Sews meet on Tuesdays at 9:00 AM. They would appreciate donations of clean sheets and fabric. Walmart and Joanns gift cards would also be wonderful.

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

Offerings 11/22/18

Free Will: \$66.00 Envelopes: \$345.00 Baskets: \$40.00 Quilts: \$25.00 **Total: \$476.00**Offerings 11/25/18

Free Will: \$60.00 Sunday School: \$2.00 Envelopes: \$1,215.00 Other: \$40.00 Capital: \$85.00 Building: \$150.00 Electronic Sign: \$25.00 Build a Buck: \$10.00 Basket: \$10.00

Total: \$1,597.00

An average of \$2,700 needed each week