

Sermon Notes

ST. MATTHEW



June 19 & 20, 2021

Reset Refresh Renew

Greetings Friends,

Our Gospel lesson today starts with Jesus telling His disciples “Let’s go the other side” of the lake. That would be the Sea of Galilee. We might want to ask “What’s on the other side?” But what was important for the disciples that day and for us is not what was on the other side but what lay between where they were and where they were going. It was what was in the middle that was important, not what was on the other side. Jesus’ statement, “Let’s go to the other side” started a roller coaster of faith opportunities for the disciples. Let’s look at it today and learn something about Jesus and storms.

Grace and Peace,

Pastor Bill Hugo

WORSHIP NOTES: Our thanks to the trio of singers (Abigail Capaul, Anissa Lubbers, and Sarah Meier) presenting “It Is Well” as a response to the gospel lesson for this weekend, and to the music team and all other worship assistants for their leadership throughout the weekend. To God be the glory!

The altar flowers are in honor of Pat Rosenberg on her 85th birthday.

Prayers for the Week of June 20

Today we pray for all Fathers. **Pat Rosenberg** is celebrating her 85th birthday. **Bob Nehring** and **Cynthia Schillinger** are recuperating from surgery. **Les Linngren** is hospitalized. **Danna Nelson** and **Jill Westlund** are receiving treatment for cancer.

GIVING TO THE LORD

Weekly Worship Attendance: 50
June Tithes & Offerings to date: \$13,033
June Budgeted Offerings: \$28,885

Bill Hugo, Pastor † Carol Blase, Coordinator of Music
Brenda Hugo, Coordinator of Children’s Ministries † Faustina Allen, Director of Teen Ministries
Kathy Rosenberg, Parish Nurse † Sarai Kretschman, Pastoral Care Assistant † Martin Cornes, Vicar
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WEEKLY CALENDAR

Monday, June 21

6:30 PM FACILITIES & PROPERTY COMMITTEE

Tuesday, June 22

7:30 AM MEN'S BIBLE STUDY ONLINE

Wednesday, June 23

6:00 PM "THE CHOSEN" DVD
7:00 PM "THE CHOSEN" BIBLE STUDY

Friday, June 25

YOUTH RETREAT THROUGH JUNE 27

Saturday, June 26

5:30 PM WORSHIP SERVICE

Sunday, June 27

8:30 AM ADULT BIBLE CLASS on ZOOM
9:00 AM SUNDAY SCHOOL - CHILDREN/YOUTH
10:00 AM WORSHIP SERVICE IN PERSON & ONLINE
STAFF RETREAT

Please let the church office know if you have someone in your family who is graduating.

Read-Aloud Bible Stories are on the St. Matthew Facebook page!



You may need to scroll down past recent posts to find all five volumes of the series; 25 stories geared for young children! The stories will remain on the St. Matthew FB page through July.

Donations Welcome! Columbia Heights is celebrating 100 years with a party at Huset Park on July 17. St. Matthew will be hosting a duck pond with prizes (and advertising for VBS) at this celebration. If you would like to donate your time (11:00am-2:00pm) or your finances (for prizes), please contact Brenda.



TAKE HOME DETAILS AVAILABLE IN NARTHEX

Pick one up today!

ANNOUNCING...

Children's Ministries: (contact: brenda.hugo@stmatthew-ch.org)



Summer Sunday School

June 6 – Aug. 29, 9:00-9:45 am; "The Non-Avengers: Bible Heroes Who Forgave"

The Non-Avenger we learned about today? Reviewed with a DVD of one of the past two Non-Avengers studied; The Prodigal Son's Dad or Esau (and Jacob).

VBS Rocky Railway! All Aboard!

Sun., July 25–Wed., July 28 (6:30P.M.-8:00 P.M.)

Info is posted/available about how you can be involved! Volunteer positions available are listed below (as of this writing - subject to change). The current list of volunteers, along with Volunteer Application Forms & Details are by the VBS board.



- Wrap-Up assistant (1-2)
- *****STANDBY** co-ldrs mxd ages (4-6)
- Snack Team assistants (1-2)
- Optional 2nd assistant - Imag. Sta.
- Imagination Strn. Clean Team (w/Deb S.) (1)
- Building Security (Mon., Wed.)
- Crew co-ldr mxd ages (w/Brad C.) (1)
- Games co-lead (work w/Kristen L)
- Wrap-Up Tech (1)
- Floaters (Sun., Wed.)
- Games Clean Team (2)

****The STANDBY co-leader folks would train in with the other crew co-leads, but may or may not have a crew, depending on registrations. Be available all 4 evenings, just in case.**