

This Week at St Mark

July 26, 2020 – August 2, 2020

Sunday (7/26)

9:00 am Worship Service

Monday (7/27)

Tuesday (7/28)

Wednesday (7/29)

9:00 am Parish Nurse in

Office

10:00 am GriefShare

Thursday (7/30)

No Church Service*

Friday (7/31)

Saturday (8/1)

Sunday (8/2)

9:00 am Worship (w/HC)

* You can watch a live stream of Sunday's service at [Facebook.com/stmarksheboygan](https://www.facebook.com/stmarksheboygan).

If you are unable to join us live the service is recorded and available on our Facebook page. Sermon will continue to be recorded and available after Sunday's service on our website.



THE MESSENGER



Sharing the Love of Jesus

Sunday, July 26, 2020

Eighth Sunday after Pentecost



The altar flowers this week are provided by church in honor & celebration of the graduates.

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Thank you for your commitment to this mission. December 2018 \$247, 1st Half 2019 \$1,248, 2nd Half 2019 \$1,428, January 2020 \$225, February 2020 \$177, March 2020 \$180, June 2020 \$231

Thrivent Choice Dollars

Thank you Thrivent members for assigning your Choice dollars to St. Mark. The church has received \$4,384 in Choice Dollars grant funds this year. Last year our total was \$7,866. Please remember to contact Thrivent Choice Dollars in order to keep the funds coming. You can do this by calling 1-800-847-4836 or on-line at Thrivent.com/thriventchoice and follow the prompts. Please contact Bev Sorenson at 458-4279 to let her know where you want to designate the funds at St. Mark.

**Celebrating a special occasion?
Honoring a loved one?**



Why not check out the morning meditations on WHBL at 7:26am or between 10:45am and 10:50am. You can also check out the Morning-Meditations.com web site - where you can listen to meditations anytime and anywhere. You can also find out what's happening in our area churches and schools. You can support this mission with a gift to the church which can be used to sponsor the broadcasts.

OPERATION BACKPACK SCHOOL YEAR 2020-2021

How you can help? You can donate school supplies and backpacks. Bring them to Good Shepherd Lutheran Church 1614 S 23rd St, Sheboygan WI 53081 or contact Rev David Blas 630-229-2455/ 920-452-8759 ; Tim Glocke 920-565-2912.

School Supply List: Pens, Pencils, Plastic Pencil Box, Erasers, Crayon box, Children's scissors, Glue Sticks, Bottle of Glue, Pocket Folders, Washable Markers, Backpacks (boys), colored pencils, Highlighters, etc. You can also donate cash. Send it to the attention of Pastor Blas at Good Shepherd.

Texas Roadhouse ♥ Churches

10% donation EVERY Sunday.

Come in Sundays between 11am and 9pm to support your church! Tell your server what church you are from and Texas Roadhouse will donate 10% of your total food purchase back to your church! **Thank you** to those that have used this wonderful program. The church received \$30.19 last year and \$7.28 so far this year. We also receive food from them for various events at the church.

Part-time Custodial Position openings – Sheboygan Lutheran High School is accepting applications for (2) evening custodial positions. This year-round position requires 5 days/week, 4 hrs/day of cleaning the school buildings to maintain a well-kept and sanitary facility. Applications for employment can be downloaded from the www.lutheranhigh.com website or obtained in the LHS school office (Mon - Thurs, 9a-3p).

Full-time Buildings & Grounds Director Position opening – Lutheran High is also looking to replace our retiring Facility Manager and will start as soon as possible and train for 5 months. This full-time permanent year-round position requires 5 days/week from 7am – 4pm Monday - Friday, special events, and weekend activities set up. Application for employment can be downloaded from the www.lutheranhigh.com website or obtained in the LHS school office (Mon - Thurs, 9a-3p).

Some encouraging words:

Now faith is confidence in what we hope for and assurance about what we do not see.

Hebrews 11:1

Stephen Ministry Update: St. Mark has joined with Trinity Lutheran downtown and St. John's Lutheran Church, Plymouth for joint Stephen ministry classes to be held at Trinity Lutheran starting in Fall. If you would like to serve your church in a 1to 1 lay ministry to those in need or just want to take the course for your own benefit and personal ministry in life contact your Parish Nurse Carolyn for more information.



Does life matter? The value of life is not based on assets accumulated or popularity with the most people. Value of days is utterly connected with constant witness to Jesus. Do you ever let your humbleness convince you that you really can't do much? Even a "modest" gift from an estate may be part of God's plan to supply crucial future ministry needs, all with an aim at sharing Jesus with a world that desperately needs the life He alone can give. Each one works with whatever gifts God provides. Your LCMS Gift Planning Counselor can help you focus that work through your estate. Contact Craig Toerpe, Gift Planning Counselor of the LCMS Foundation to answer questions regarding gifts to ministry, or other questions you may have regarding your Lifetime Plan for Giving at 262-707-3005 or craig.toerpe@lfnd.org