

**Announcements**  
**"St John's Tide"**  
**Trinity II:6, July 11, 2021**

**Welcome** to Saved By Grace! If you are a guest, it is our pleasure to have you worship with us today. We would be glad to answer any questions you may have and hope that you will return to visit us again.

**Miniseason of Trinity II:** The 6th through 18th Sundays of Trinity all tell of the growth and fruit of the Christian Life. During this time of the church year we hear many of the parables of Jesus and are encouraged in our daily cycle of repentance and renewal. This is sometimes called, "St. John's Tide," since it usually follows soon after the Festival of St John the Baptist (June 24). The words of St John, "He must increase; I must decrease," nicely sum up the theme for this time of the church year.

**Today's theme:** Today's Epistle speaks of walking in [the] newness of Life, considering ourselves dead to sin and alive to God in Christ Jesus, because we are baptized into Christ. In the Holy Gospel our Lord tells us that he requires a righteousness exceeding the respectability of the scribes and the Pharisees. [It is the righteousness he provided for us by his perfect life and clothed us with in Baptism.] ( The Sermon and the Propers, Vol. III by Fred Lindemann). May God bless us as we hear his Word today!

**Bible Class:** The **Bible Reading Group** will take a break this morning and resume in August.

**Summer Schedule for the Church's Youth**

- Basketball Camp will be held Monday, July 19-Friday, July 24, 10 AM- 2PM. Please contact Sam or Rachel Liebelt (360-828-5055) for more information.
- The area youth event has been **rescheduled** from Sunday, July 18, TO **Sunday, August 29**. On that date youth of ages are invited to play "Ultimate Frisbee" and enjoy food and fun at Red Sunset Park.

Pastor is currently scheduled to be gone on a **field trip to Peru** from Monday, July 12 through Monday July 26th. with Board for World Outreach Administrator, Tom Heyn.

Sunday services will continue as normally scheduled during his absence. You may follow the Peru field trip by going to the church's website,

- [savedbygracelutheranchurch.org](https://savedbygracelutheranchurch.org)

and clicking the FaceBook icon.

**Save the Dates for:**

- The **Quarterly Voters Meeting**, Sunday, July 25. The voters will meet after the morning service.
- The **Church Picnic**, Sunday, August 22nd. We have the pavilion at Red Sunset Park reserved for the whole day.
- The Pacific Northwest **Women's Mission Rally**. The rally will meet at Our Savior Lutheran Church, Grants Pass September 24-25, 2021. This year's theme: Comfort in Affliction.