

May 20, 2020 Daily Church Email

Wednesday morning Bible study has been radically changed since the COVID-19 pandemic. We used to sit around the dining room table drinking coffee and eating tasty treats and getting around to Bible study around 10, and closing with prayer around 10:45. For now, it is just me on Facebook live streaming with Daniel running the ipad. Then Coffee Chat Zoom time. If you have feedback, please let me know. If you participate, I hope that you are blessed by the middle of the gospel of Matthew and by the comments and prayers lifted up. If you have your own Bible study, I applaud your discipleship. The Word of God has great meaning for these days, and for bringing the Spirit within your spirit. God bless.

In Christ,
Pastor Julie

Today's passage: Matthew 14:

At that time Herod the ruler heard reports about Jesus; 2 and he said to his servants, "This is John the Baptist; he has been raised from the dead, and for this reason these powers are at work in him." 3 For Herod had arrested John, bound him, and put him in prison on account of Herodias, his brother Philip's wife, 4 because John had been telling him, "It is not lawful for you to have her." 5 Though Herod wanted to put him to death, he feared the crowd, because they regarded him as a prophet. 6 But when Herod's birthday came, the daughter of Herodias danced before the company, and she pleased Herod 7 so much that he promised on oath to grant her whatever she might ask. 8 Prompted by her mother, she said, "Give me the head of John the Baptist here on a platter." 9 The king was grieved, yet out of regard for his oaths and for the guests, he commanded it to be given; 10 he sent and had John beheaded in the prison. 11 The head was brought on a platter and given to the girl, who brought it to her mother. 12 His disciples came and took the body and buried it; then they went and told Jesus.

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