

# 13<sup>th</sup> Weekend After Pentecost SEPTEMBER 3-4, 2022

## ORDERS OF WORSHIP

### Saturday Spoken Vespers - 5pm

Welcome & Announcements  
Invocation  
Thanksgiving for Light  
Prayer of the Day  
Bible Readings  
Message Rev. Thomas M. Glasoe  
Creed  
The Prayers of the Church  
The Words of Communion  
Communion  
The Lord's Prayer  
Blessing & Sending

### Sunday Liturgical - 10am

Welcome & Announcements  
Confession & Forgiveness  
Greeting p. 203  
Prayer of the Day  
Bible Readings  
Psalm of the Day Psalm 1  
Today's Message Rev. Thomas M. Glasoe  
Creed  
Prayers & Passing the Peace  
Offering  
Holy Communion & Lord's Prayer p. 206  
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Dismissal

### Sunday Contemporary - 5pm

Welcome & Announcements  
Prayer of the Day  
Bible Readings  
Gospel Reading  
Today's Message Rev. Thomas M. Glasoe  
Creed  
Prayers & Passing the Peace  
We Commune & the Lord's Prayer  
Blessing & Sending

## PRAYER OF THE DAY:

Direct us, O Lord God, in all our doings with your continual help, that in all our works, begun, continued, and ended in you, we may glorify your holy name; and finally, by your mercy, bring us to everlasting life, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. **Amen.**



## WEEKLY WORSHIP BULLETIN FOR ST. JOHN'S LUTHERAN CHURCH OF THE ERIE LUTHERAN PARISH

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YOU BELONG HERE

We welcome you to our congregation this weekend! We are glad to have you with us. We celebrate Holy Communion at every service. If you are a baptized Christian, please join us at the Lord's Supper. We ask that you come down the center aisle as directed and receive your wafer and wine as you walk back to your seat.

If you are new to us, everything you need for worship is projected on the screen and in this bulletin. Please feel free to use the red hymnal found in your pew, if you are more comfortable. The pages and hymn numbers are to the left of this bulletin.

Please join us for coffee after worship in the lobby.

Should you need a bathroom, they are through the glass doors in the back of the nave (sanctuary) and down the hallway on your left.

## TODAY'S THEME

Called to contemplate the cost of discipleship, we might be helped by translating Paul's request to Philemon into our prayer of the day: Refresh my heart in Christ. Strengthened by the company and forgiveness of Christ in holy communion and recalling God's grace in remembrance of baptism, we can be strengthened in this hour to "choose life"—to choose life in God as our own.

## Today's Bible Readings

Deuteronomy 30:15-20	Pew Bible p. 163
Philemon 1-21	Pew Bible p. 970
Psalm 1	Pew Bible p. 424
Luke 14:25-33	Pew Bible p. 850

Today's Message by Rev. Thomas M. Glasoe

## **OUR PRAYER LISTS:**

**Members:** Gayle Matthis, Joan Wheeler, Laurie Sanders, David Roberts, Lynne Schrimper, Robert Schlaufman, Kellie Montifiori, Sharon Hetrick, Judy Crissman, and Amy Nupp.

**Cancer treatments:** Denny Sanders, Ellen Stevens, Phyllis Seggi

**Friends of the congregation:** Jeff LaLonde, Ryan Meyers, Sami D, Jamey Price, Ken Marshall, Amanda VanLoon, Richard D., Ernie Winter, Jarod Stolz, Fran Moriarty, Keri Schmidt, and Brian Boam.

Please keep Lilian Dietzel's family in your prayers as they grieve her passing on Thursday morning.

**Cancer Friends:** Bishop Lozano, Pastor Ken Larson, Lee S, Janie G, Karen B, Norm S, Tony Paggio, Vicki Hanson, Edward Scarpitti, Beaty Emch, Ruth Stiles, Admiral Brent Scott, Katrina, Arlene Rick, Gliceria Conuel, Becky and Nicole C.

## **WORSHIP WITH US (On YouTube)!**

You are invited to worship with us in person or online (go to [www.StJohnsErie.org](http://www.StJohnsErie.org) and click on the "Worship With Us" tab), or join us via YouTube at [www.YouTube.com/StJohnsErie](http://www.YouTube.com/StJohnsErie). You can also find our channel by searching "StJohnsErie" on YouTube. Join us for our regular weekend worships: **5:00 PM Saturday Vesper Worship + 10:00 AM Sunday Morning Liturgical Worship + 5:00 PM Contemporary Worship**

God's Work Our Hands Sunday is September 11<sup>th</sup>. Please see Carolyn or Diane for more information or to volunteer.

CROP Walk is September 25<sup>th</sup>. Walkers, contributors, and a walk coordinator are needed. Please see Carolyn for more information. Packets are available in the church office.

Sunday Supper Serving is October 2<sup>nd</sup>. At 3:00PM at First Presbyterian Church of the Covenant. We need servers and food donation. For more information, please consult Carolyn.

Blessing of the Pets is Sunday, October 9<sup>th</sup>. No slithering pets please.

## **+ ST JOHN'S VISION STATEMENT +**

Loved by God, alive in Christ Jesus, and guided by the Holy Spirit, St. John's unconditionally serves God's people and shares Christian love.