

**9th Sunday After Pentecost
JULY 20-21, 2024**

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**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. We believe that Christ is present in this meal of forgiveness and unconditional love. We welcome all to join us at the Lord's Table. If you choose not to commune, we welcome you to come forward for a blessing.

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 restroom, they are through the glass doors in the back of the nave (sanctuary) and down the hallway on your left. A family/handicap accessible restroom with baby changing station is available in the front lobby (Peach Street entrance).

TODAY'S THEME

Mark's gospel makes clear how great is the press of the crowd, with its countless needs to be met, on Jesus and his disciples. Yet in today's gospel Jesus advises his disciples to get away and rest, to take care of themselves. Sometimes we think that when others are in great need we shouldn't think of ourselves at all; but Jesus also honors the caregivers' need. We are sent from Christ's table to care for others and for ourselves.

Today's Bible Readings

Jeremiah 23:1-6	Pew Bible p. 633
Ephesians 2:11-22	Pew Bible p. 950
Psalm 23	Pew Bible p. 435
Mark 6:30-34, 53-56	Pew Bible p. 818

Today's Message

"Hunger of the Soul"

by Rev. Ralph Mineo

PRAYER OF THE DAY:

O God, powerful and compassionate, you shepherd your people, faithfully feeding and protecting us. Heal each of us, and make us a whole people, that we may embody the justice and peace of your Son, Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen.

PSALM RESPONSE:



The LORD is my shep-herd; I shall not be in want.

Psalm 23:1

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OUR PRAYER LISTS:

Members: Barb Huff

Cancer treatments:

Friends of the congregation: Ian Minner, Rev. Jerry Gray, Michelle, Baby Easton, Matt, Mary Bemis

Cancer Friends: Canda, Chris

Other prayer requests:

Prayer Requests/Names will be removed on the 1st of each month unless otherwise requested. If you would like a name on the prayer list, please use the "Prayer Request" link on our church website, email or phone the church office.

"What It Means To Be A Lutheran"

Pastor Ralph is leading this session for anyone interested in becoming a member of St. John's and for anyone interested in a refresher: Sunday, September 15 from 2:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. For those interested in attending, there's a sign-up sheet on the church office window. Please sign up, since Pastor Ralph is preparing a booklet for each participant. To provide a meal for those attending the session, we will have a congregational potluck at 5:00 p.m. on September 15.

Thank You – We would like to thank Nolan Durst for his gift of music this morning.