

**11<sup>th</sup> Sunday After Pentecost  
AUGUST 3-4, 2024**

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Confession & Forgiveness

Litany of Praise

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Creed, Prayers and Peace

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**WEEKLY WORSHIP  
BULLETIN FOR  
ST. JOHN'S  
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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**

Apparently not satisfied by Jesus' feeding of thousands, some who were there press him for a sign of his power; perhaps it is daily manna they want. As always in John's gospel when people want a sign, Jesus offers himself. He is the bread come from heaven to give life to the world. He calls us to come to him and believe in him, and through that relationship to know the one who sent him.

**Today's Bible Readings**

Exodus 16:2-4, 9-15

Pew Bible p. 55

Ephesians 4:1-16

Pew Bible p. 951

Psalm 78:23-29

Pew Bible p. 468

John 6:24-35

Pew Bible p. 867

**Today's Message**

*"Food For Hungry Hearts"*

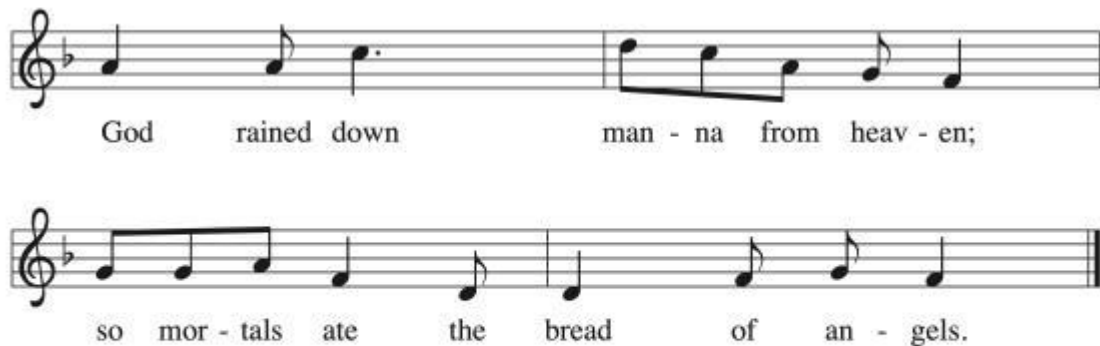
*by Rev. Ralph Mineo*

## PRAYER OF THE DAY:

O God, eternal goodness, immeasurable love, you place your gifts before us; we eat and are satisfied. Fill us and this world in all its need with the life that comes only from you, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

Amen.

## PSALM RESPONSE:



God rained down man - na from heav - en;  
so mor - tals ate the bread of an - gels.

Psalm 78:24-25

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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, Amelia

**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.

### Bishop Lozano will be joining us for Worship August 11<sup>th</sup>

- There will not be worship on Saturday, August 10<sup>th</sup>
- All are invited to attend the Sunday 10 AM Worship Service.
- A potluck lunch will follow worship at 11:30 AM. Chicken & drinks will be provided.
- Please sign up to bring a dish to share.

### Special Music on Sunday, August 11

There will be several special music offerings at the 10:00 AM worship service on Sunday, August 11<sup>th</sup>. Janel Anderson will be playing a flute prelude before the service and The Stained-Glass Ensemble will be playing the Offertory. The ensemble consists of St. John's members - Carolyn Sturtevant (flute), Janel Anderson (flute), Bill Kay (clarinet) and Mark Eller (clarinet). The instruments will, also, be joined by the pipe organ. On August 11 we will have Bishop Lozano leading us in worship.