

# Week of Ninth Sunday after Pentecost

Friday, July 25, 1997 · Ordinary Time · 1996–1997 Church Year · Three-Year Series B

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## Appointed Readings

**First Reading:** Jeremiah 23:1-6

**Psalms:** Psalm 23 (antiphon: v. 6)

**Epistle:** Ephesians 2:11-22

**Gospel:** Mark 6:30-44

## Hymn of the Day

LSB 644 — The Church's one foundation

## Daily Lectionary

**Old Testament:** 1 Samuel 9:1-27 · **New Testament:** Acts 21:37-22:16

## Also Commemorated: St. James the Elder, Apostle

*O ALMIGHTY God, Whom to know is everlasting life: Grant us perfectly to know Thy Son Jesus Christ to be the Way, the Truth, and the Life; that following His steps we may steadfastly walk in the way that leadeth to eternal life; through the same Jesus Christ, Thy Son, our Lord, Who liveth and reigneth with Thee and the Holy Ghost, ever One God, world without end. Amen.*

Readings, Hymn of the Day, and Daily Lectionary per the Lutheran Service Book (CPH, 2006) and the LSB Propers of the Day (CPH, 2007).  
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