

# Week of Twenty-first Sunday after Pentecost

Wednesday, October 21, 2026 · Ordinary Time · 2025–2026 Church Year · Three-Year Series A

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## Appointed Readings

**First Reading:** Isaiah 45:1-7

**Psalms:** Psalm 96:1-9 (10-13) (antiphon: v. 9a)

**Epistle:** 1 Thessalonians 1:1-10

**Gospel:** Matthew 22:15-22

## Hymn of the Day

LSB 940 — Holy God, we praise Thy name

## Daily Lectionary

**Old Testament:** Deuteronomy 20:1-20 · **New Testament:** Matthew 15:21-39

Readings, Hymn of the Day, and Daily Lectionary per the Lutheran Service Book (CPH, 2006) and the LSB Propers of the Day (CPH, 2007).  
Reading references and hymn numbers only; the texts themselves are not reproduced.