

# Week of Eighth Sunday after Pentecost

Friday, July 25, 2053 · Ordinary Time · 2052–2053 Church Year · Three-Year Series A

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## Appointed Readings

**First Reading:** Isaiah 44:6-8

**Psalm:** Psalm 119:57-64 (antiphon: v. 89)

**Epistle:** Romans 8:18-27

**Gospel:** Matthew 13:24-30, 36-43

## Hymn of the Day

LSB 772 — In holy conversation

## 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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