

Scripture Reading for August 3, 2025

John 6:35-51

³⁵ Then Jesus said, "I am the bread of life. Whoever comes to me will never go hungry. And whoever believes in me will never be thirsty. ³⁶ But it is just as I told you. You have seen me, and you still do not believe. ³⁷ Everyone the Father gives me will come to me. I will never send away anyone who comes to me. ³⁸ I have not come down from heaven to do what I want to do. I have come to do what the one who sent me wants me to do. ³⁹ The one who sent me doesn't want me to lose anyone he has given me. He wants me to raise them up on the last day. ⁴⁰ My Father wants all who look to the Son and believe in him to have eternal life. I will raise them up on the last day."

⁴¹ Then the Jews there began to complain about Jesus. That was because he said, "I am the bread that came down from heaven." ⁴² They said, "Isn't this Jesus, the son of Joseph? Don't we know his father and mother? How can he now say, 'I came down from heaven'?"

⁴³ "Stop complaining among yourselves," Jesus answered. ⁴⁴ "No one can come to me unless the Father who sent me brings them. Then I will raise them up on the last day. ⁴⁵ It is written in the Prophets, 'God will teach all of them.' ([Isaiah 54:13](#)) Everyone who has heard the Father and learned from him comes to me. ⁴⁶ No one has seen the Father except the one who has come from God. Only he has seen the Father. ⁴⁷ What I'm about to tell you is true. Everyone who believes has life forever. ⁴⁸ I am the bread of life. ⁴⁹ Long ago your people ate the manna in the desert, and they still died. ⁵⁰ But here is the bread that comes down from heaven. A person can eat it and not die. ⁵¹ I am the living bread that came down from heaven. Everyone who eats some of this bread will live forever. This bread is my body. I will give it for the life of the world."