



# Tenth Sunday after Pentecost

*Year B*

2 Samuel 11:1-15 and Psalm 14 • 2 Kings 4:42-44 and  
Psalm 145:10-18 • Ephesians 3:14-21 • John 6:1-21

David wrote a letter to Joab ... "Set Uriah in the forefront of the hardest fighting ... so that he may be struck down and die."

2 Samuel 11:14a, 15b



Uriah Falls at the Siege of Rabbas -- Rudolf von Ems, World Chronicle, Fulda University Library, Germany

"Give it to the people and let them eat, for thus says the LORD, 'They shall eat and have some left.'"

2 Kings 4:43b



Peace and Plenty -- William Hart, New Britain Museum of American Art, New Britain, CT



Potluck, First Lutheran Church -- Tyson Creek Station, Idaho

The LORD upholds all who are falling,  
and raises up all who are bowed down.

Psalm 145:14

Don't Look down  
on a man...  
Unless you gonna  
Pick him up



"Don't Look Down..." -- Mural, Washington, DC



I pray ... that Christ may dwell in  
your hearts through faith, as you  
are being rooted and grounded in  
love.

Ephesians 3:16a, 17



Peace Begins with Love -- Peace Wall, Hamilton, New Zealand

When he looked up and saw a large crowd coming toward him, Jesus said to Philip, "Where are we to buy bread for these people to eat?"

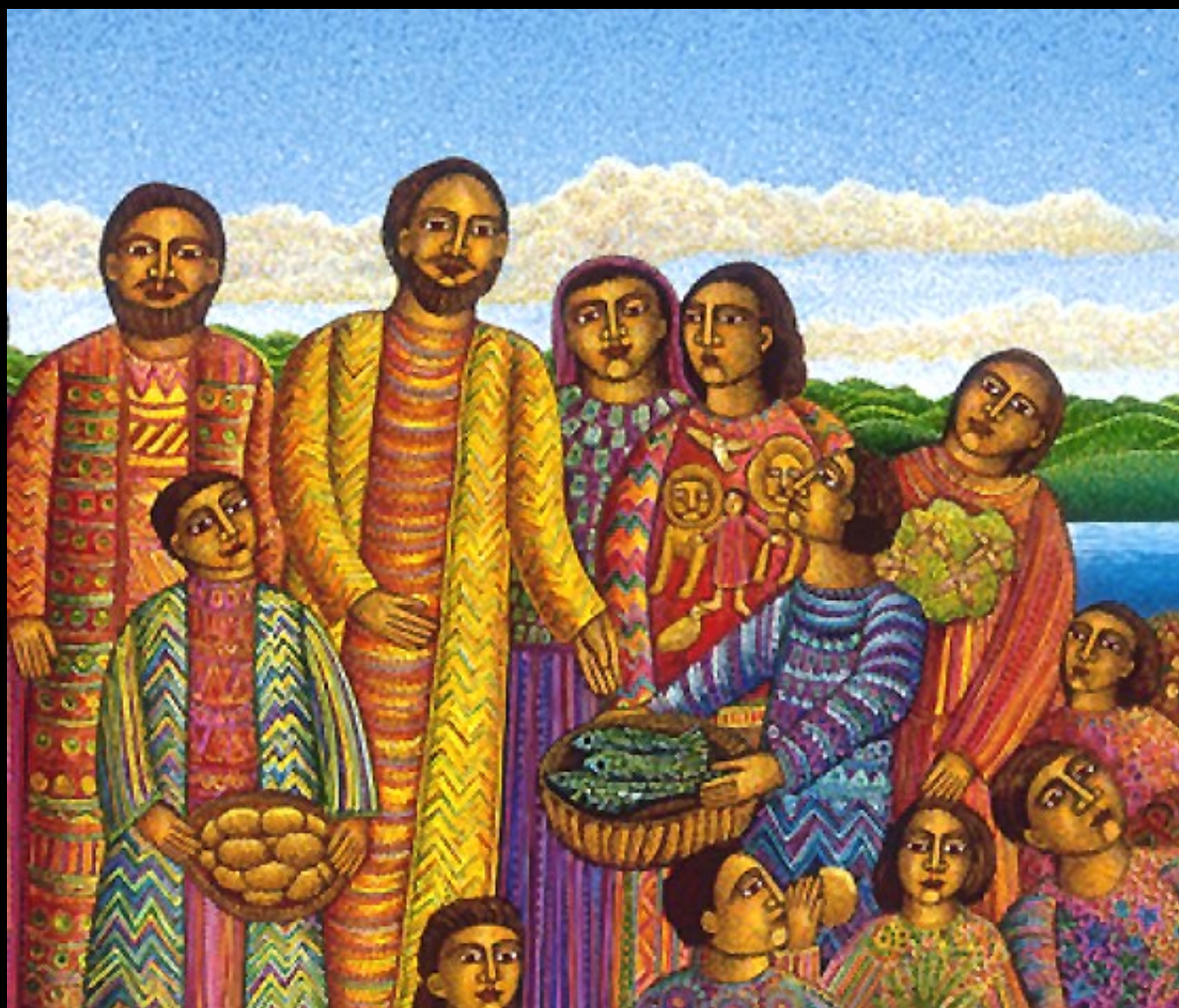
John 6:5



"Where are we to buy bread?" Loaves and Fishes, detail -- John August Swanson, print, 2003

"There is a boy here who has five barley loaves and two fish. But what are they among so many people?"

John 6:9



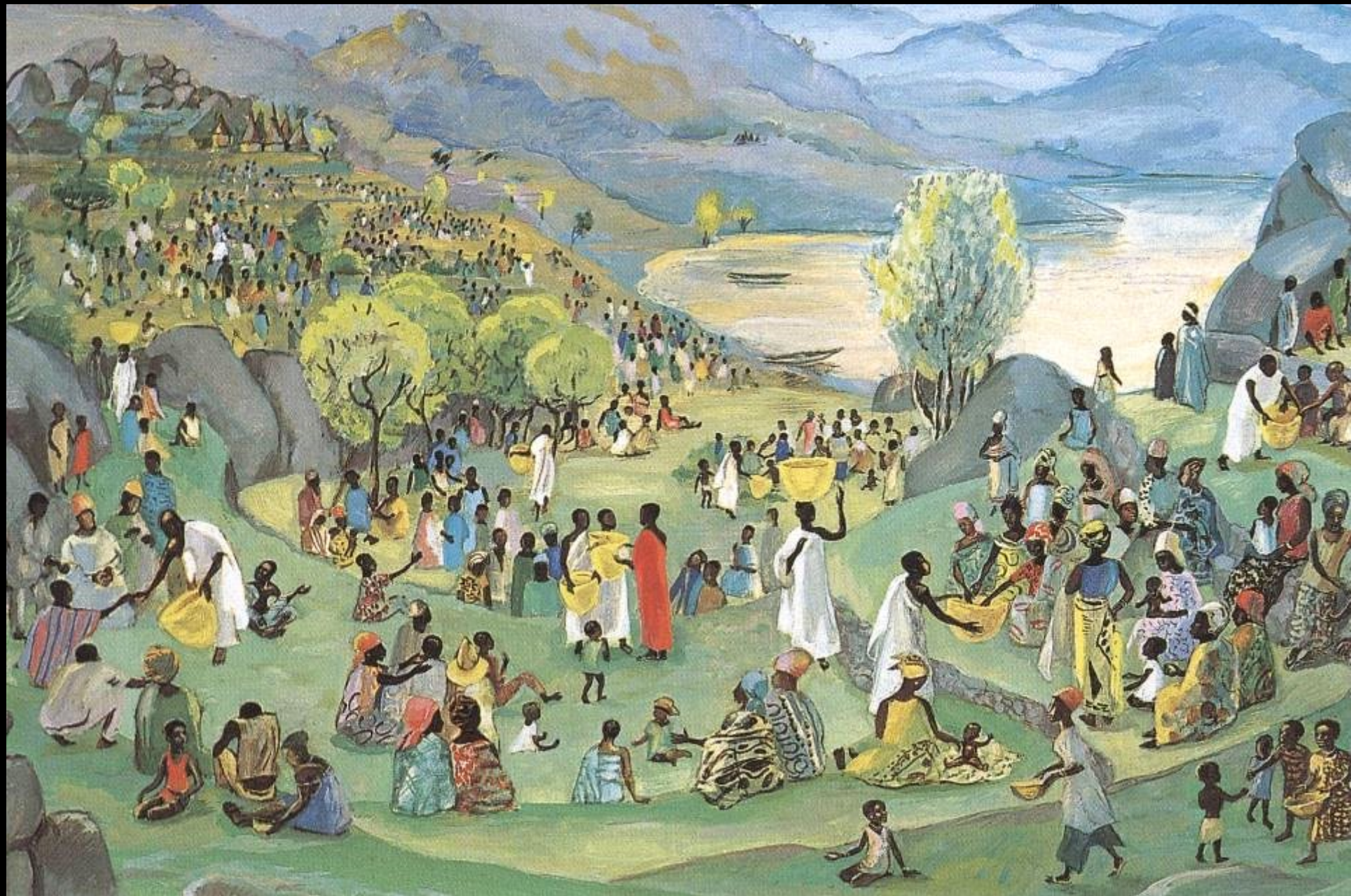
Jesus with Boys, Loaves and Fishes, detail -- John August Swanson, print, 2003

Then Jesus took the loaves, and when he had given thanks, he distributed them ... so also the fish, as much as they wanted.

John 6:11







Jesus Multiplies the Loaves and Fish -- JESUS MAFA

When Jesus realized that they were about to come and ... make him king, he withdrew again to the mountain by himself.

John 6:15

The Contemplative Christ

Peksow Brzyzek Cemetery  
Zakopane, Poland



... his disciples went down to the sea,  
got into a boat, and started across the  
sea ... It was now dark, and Jesus had  
not yet come to them.

John 6:16b, 17ac

Disciples in the Boat  
(Jesus Walking on the  
Water)

Manuscript from 1386  
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Los Angeles, CA



When they had rowed about three or four miles, they saw Jesus walking on the sea ... and they were terrified.

John 6:19ac



Christ at the Sea of Galilee -- Tintoretto, National Gallery of Art, Washington, DC

But he said to them, "It is I;  
do not be afraid."

John 6:20





Christ Walking on the  
Water

Museu Frederic Marès  
Barcelona, Spain

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