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INTRODUCTION

Each year the Secretariat of Divine Worship of the United States Conference of Catholic Bishops publishes the *Liturgical Calendar for the Dioceses of the United States of America*. This calendar is used by authors of *ordines* and other liturgical aids published to foster the celebration of the liturgy in our country.

The calendar is based upon the General Roman Calendar, promulgated by Pope Paul VI on February 14, 1969, subsequently amended by Pope John Paul II, and the Proper Calendar for the Dioceses of the United States of America, approved by the United States Conference of Catholic Bishops.¹ This calendar has been updated to reflect the names and titles of the various liturgical days in conformity with the *Roman Missal*, *Third Edition*.

The *General Instruction of the Roman Missal* reminds us that in the cycles of readings and prayers proclaimed throughout the year in the sacred liturgy "the mysteries of redemption are celebrated so as to be in some way made present." Thus may each celebration of the Holy Eucharist which is served by this calendar be for the Church in the United States of America "the high point both of the action by which God sanctifies the world in Christ and of the worship that the human race offers to the Father, adoring him through Christ, the Son of God, in the Holy Spirit."

Sincerely in Christ,

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¹ For the significance of the several grades or kinds of celebrations, the norms of the Roman Calendar should be consulted (cf. *Liturgy Documentary Series 6: Norms Governing Liturgical Calendars*, Washington, DC: USCC, 1984). For information concerning the choice of texts and formularies, the *General Instruction of the Roman Missal* and the Introduction to the 1998 revised *Lectionary for Mass* (cf. *Liturgy Documentary Series 1: Lectionary for Mass, Introduction*, Washington, DC: USCC, 1998) should be consulted.

² General Instruction of the Roman Missal, third edition, no. 16.

PRINCIPAL CELEBRATIONS OF THE LITURGICAL YEAR 2018

First Sunday of Advent	December 3, 2017
Ash Wednesday	February 14, 2018
Easter Sunday	April 1, 2018
The Ascension of the Lord [Thursday]	May 10, 2018
Pentecost Sunday	May 20, 2018
The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ	June 3, 2018
First Sunday of Advent	December 2, 2018

CYCLES – LECTIONARY FOR MASS

Sunday Cycle	YEAR B	December 3, 2017 to November 25, 2018
Weekday Cycle	YEAR II	January 9, 2018 to February 13, 2018 May 21, 2018 to December 1, 2018
Sunday Cycle	YEAR C	December 2, 2018 to November 24, 2019

The cycles given above have been used in the preparation of this calendar. The readings from the Proper of Time and Proper of Saints have been used for all Solemnities and all Feasts since they must take the place of the weekday readings for those respective days. The readings from the weekday cycle generally are to be used even on days on which a Memorial or Optional Memorial of a Saint occurs. The exceptions to this rule are the Memorials or Optional Memorials which have "proper readings" (usually only the Gospel) assigned to them in the *Lectionary for Mass* and which must be used on those days. Substitutions from the Commons or Proper of Saints may be made for the other readings suggested for those Memorials or Optional Memorials. The Priest Celebrant, however, should not omit "too often or without sufficient cause the readings assigned for each day in the weekday Lectionary" (Introduction to the *Lectionary for Mass*, no. 83). In this Calendar, Optional Memorials are designated by the use of italics within brackets.

The Scripture citations and *Lectionary* numbers for all readings are from the *Lectionary for Mass* for Use in the Dioceses of the United States of America, second typical edition (1998/2001), which is based on the Ordo Lectionum Missæ, editio typica altera (1981). The spellings of the names of Saints and Blesseds are from the Roman Missal, Third Edition (2011), based on the Missale Romanum, editio typica tertia emendata (2008).

LITURGY OF THE HOURS

Dec. 3, 2017 – Jan. 8, 2018	Advent, Christmas	Vol. I
Jan. 9 – Feb. 13, 2018	Weeks 1 to 6, Ordinary Time	Vol. III
Feb. 14 – May 20, 2018	Lent, Triduum, Easter	Vol. II
May 21 – Aug. 4, 2018	Weeks 7 to 17, Ordinary Time	Vol. III
Aug. 5 – Dec. 1, 2018	Weeks 18 to 34, Ordinary Time	Vol. IV
Dec. 2, 2018 - Jan. 13, 2019	Advent, Christmas	Vol. I

MISCELLANEOUS NOTES

- 1. The 2018 liturgical year begins on the First Sunday of Advent, December 3, 2017.
- 2. Scripture citations are based on the *New American Bible* with the revised New Testament and may differ slightly from the citations given in the *Ordo Lectionum Missæ* (1981) due to difference in versification.
- 3. In the preparation of diocesan and provincial Calendars and *ordines*, the dedication of diocesan cathedrals, the dedication of parish churches, and special days of prayer (cf. *General Instruction of the Roman Missal*, no. 373) should be added, along with other commemorations of Saints and Blesseds which are included in those particular calendars.
- 4. In several ecclesiastical provinces of the United States of America, the Solemnity of the Ascension of the Lord is transferred from May 10, 2018, to the following Sunday, May 13, 2018. In those archdioceses and dioceses, Thursday, May 10, 2018, is an Easter Weekday or the Optional Memorial of Saint Damien de Veuster, Priest.
- 5. Outside Advent, Christmas Time, Lent, and Easter Time, on Saturdays which have no commemoration having the rank of Obligatory Memorial or higher, a Mass in honor of the Blessed Virgin Mary may be celebrated. This is indicated in the calendar by "BVM." The readings and prayers may be selected from the *Collection of Masses of the Blessed Virgin Mary*.
- 6. In a decree dated March 23, 1992, the Bishop of Honolulu designated Christmas and the Immaculate Conception as the only two Holydays of Obligation for the State of Hawaii. This implements the indult received from the Congregation for Divine Worship and the Discipline of the Sacraments on May 26, 1990, and the subsequent *nihil obstat* from the National Conference of Catholic Bishops allowing Hawaii to legislate on this matter in accord with the policies of the Episcopal Conference of the Pacific (CEPAC).

- 7. Since the Solemnity of Mary, the Holy Mother of God on January 1, 2018 falls on a Monday this year, it is not observed as a Holyday of Obligation.
- 8. In 2018, since the Solemnity of the Epiphany of the Lord is celebrated on January 7, the Feast of the Baptism of the Lord is transferred to the following Monday, January 8, with only one reading before the Gospel.
- 9. Since March 25, 2018 is Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord, the Solemnity of the Annunciation of the Lord, normally assigned to this date, is transferred to Monday, April 9, 2018.
- 10. Since the Memorial of the Immaculate Heart of the Blessed Virgin Mary is celebrated on June 9, 2018, the Optional Memorial of Saint Ephrem, Deacon and Doctor of the Church, is omitted this year.
- 11. This liturgical calendar includes some but not all civic holidays commonly celebrated in the United States (for example, Martin Luther King, Jr. Day, Memorial Day, Labor Day, etc.) and makes no suggestions of Mass formularies for those days.

ABBREVIATIONS OF THE BOOKS OF THE BIBLE

OLD TESTAMENT

Amos Baruch 1 Chronicles 2 Chronicles Daniel Deuteronomy Ecclesiastes Esther Exodus Ezra Ezekiel Genesis Habakkuk Haggai Hosea Isaiah Jeremiah	Am Bar 1 Chr 2 Chr Dn Dt Eccl Est Ex Ezr Ez Gn Hb Hg Hos Is	1 Kings 2 Kings Lamentations Leviticus 1 Maccabees 2 Maccabees Malachi Micah Nahum Nehemiah Numbers Obadiah Proverbs Psalm(s) Ruth 1 Samuel 2 Samuel	1 Kgs 2 Kgs Lam Lv 1 Mc 2 Mc Mal Mi Na Neh Nm Ob Prv Ps(s) Ru 1 Sm 2 Sm
Hosea	Hos	Ruth	Ru

NEW TESTAMENT

Acts of the Apostles	Acts	Mark	Mk
Colossians	Col	Matthew	Mt
1 Corinthians	1 Cor	1 Peter	1 Pt
2 Corinthians	2 Cor	2 Peter	2 Pt
Ephesians	Eph	Philemon	Phlm
Galatians	Gal	Philippians	Phil
Hebrews	Heb	Revelation	Rv
James	Jas	Romans	Rom
John (Gospel)	Jn	1 Thessalonians	1 Thes
1 John	1 Jn	2 Thessalonians	2 Thes
2 John	2 Jn	1 Timothy	1 Tm
3 John	3 Jn	2 Timothy	2 Tm
Jude	Jude	Titus	Ti
Luke	Lk		

PROPER CALENDAR FOR THE DIOCESES OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

January 4 January 5 January 6 January 22** January 23	Saint Elizabeth Ann Seton, Religious Saint John Neumann, Bishop Saint André Bessette, Religious* Day of Prayer for the Legal Protection of Unborn Children Saint Vincent, Deacon and Martyr Saint Marianne Cope, Virgin	Memorial Memorial
March 3	Saint Katharine Drexel, Virgin	
May 10 May 15	Saint Damien de Veuster, Priest Saint Isidore	
July 1 July 4 July 5 July 14 July 18	Saint Junípero Serra, Priest Independence Day Saint Elizabeth of Portugal Saint Kateri Tekakwitha, Virgin Saint Camillus de Lellis, Priest	Memorial
September 9	Saint Peter Claver, Priest	Memorial
October 5 October 6 October 19 October 20	Blessed Francis Xavier Seelos, Priest Blessed Marie Rose Durocher, Virgin Saints John de Brébeuf and Isaac Jogues, Priests, and Companions, Martyrs Saint Paul of the Cross, Priest	Memorial
November 13 November 18 November 23 Fourth Thursday in November	Saint Frances Xavier Cabrini, Virgin Saint Rose Philippine Duchesne, Virgin Blessed Miguel Agustín Pro, Priest and Martyr Thanksgiving Day	Memorial
December 8	THE IMMACULATE CONCEPTION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY (Patronal Feastday of the United States of America)	Solemnity
December 12	Our Lady of Guadalupe	Feast
Sunday between Janu	ary 2 and January 8: THE EPIPHANY OF THE LORD	Solemnity
Sunday after the Mos	t Holy Trinity: THE MOST HOLY BODY AND BLOOD OF CHRIST (Corpus Christi)	Solemnity

^{*}When the rank of the celebration is not indicated, it is an Optional Memorial.
** January 23, when January 22 falls on a Sunday.

YEAR B - WEEKDAYS II

DECEMBER 2017

3 SUN FIRST SUNDAY OF ADVENT

violet

Is 63:16b-17, 19b; 64:2-7/1 Cor 1:3-9/Mk 13:33-37 (2) Pss I³

4 Mon Advent Weekday

violet/white

[Saint John Damascene, Priest and Doctor of the Church]⁴ Is 2:1-5/Mt 8:5-11 (175)

5 Tue Advent Weekday

violet

Is 11:1-10/Lk 10:21-24 (176)

6 Wed Advent Weekday

violet/white

[Saint Nicholas, Bishop] Is 25:6-10a/Mt 15:29-37 (177)

7 Thu Saint Ambrose, Bishop and Doctor of the Church

white

Memorial

Is 26:1-6/Mt 7:21, 24-27 (178)

8 Fri THE IMMCULATE CONCEPTION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY

white

(Patronal Feastday of the United States of America)

Solemnity [Holyday of Obligation]

Gn 3:9-15, 20/Eph 1:3-6, 11-12/Lk 1:26-38 (689) Pss Prop

9 Sat Advent Weekday

violet/white

[Saint Juan Diego Cuauhtlatoatzin] Is 30:19-21, 23-26/Mt 9:35—10:1, 5a, 6-8 (180)

10 SUN SECOND SUNDAY OF ADVENT

violet

Is 40:1-5, 9-11/2 Pt 3:8-14/Mk 1:1-8 (5) Pss II

11 Mon Advent Weekday

violet/white

[Saint Damasus I, Pope]

Is 35:1-10/Lk 5:17-26 (181)

³ Citations indicating the proper week of the Psalter for the *Liturgy of the Hours*, or proper psalms, when applicable, designated by Pss I, Pss II, etc., or Pss Prop respectively, are included in this calendar.

⁴ Optional Memorials are designated by the use of italics within brackets.

	USA: Our Lady of Guadalupe	white
or any readin	or Rv 11:19a; 12:1-6a, 10ab/Lk 1:26-38 or Lk 1:39-47 (690A), gs from the <i>Lectionary for Mass</i> (vol. IV), the Common of Virgin Mary, nos. 707-712 Pss Prop	
13 Wed	Saint Lucy, Virgin and Martyr	red
Memorial Is 40:25-31/N	At 11:28-30 (183)	
14 Thu	Saint John of the Cross, Priest and Doctor of the Church	white
Memorial Is 41:13-20/N	Mt 11:11-15 (184)	
15 Fri Is 48:17-19/N	Advent Weekday At 11:16-19 (185)	violet
16 Sat Sir 48:1-4, 9-	Advent Weekday -11/Mt 17:9a, 10-13 (186)	violet
17 SUN Is 61:1-2a, 10	THIRD SUNDAY OF ADVENT 0-11/1 Thes 5:16-24/Jn 1:6-8, 19-28 (8) Pss III	violet or rose
	Advent Weekday t 1:18-25 (194)	violet
	Advent Weekday 4-25a/Lk 1:5-25 (195)	violet
	Advent Weekday (1:26-38 (196)	violet
	Advent Weekday Canisius, Priest and Doctor of the Church] Zep 3:14-18a/Lk 1:39-45 (197)	violet
22 Fri 1 Sm 1:24-28	Advent Weekday 3/Lk 1:46-56 (198)	violet
	Advent Weekday of Kanty, Priest] 3-24/Lk 1:57-66 (199)	violet
24 SUN	FOURTH SUNDAY OF ADVENT	violet

2 Sm 7:1-5, 8b-12, 14a, 16/Rom 16:25-27/Lk 1:26-38 (11) Pss IV

Night: Dawn:	Is 62:1- Is 9:1-6 : Is 62:1	THE NATIVITY OF THE LORD (Christmas) [Holyday of Obligation] 5/Acts 13:16-17, 22-25/Mt 1:1-25 or 1:18-25 (13) 6/Ti 2:11-14/Lk 2:1-14 (14) 1-12/Ti 3:4-7/Lk 2:15-20 (15) 6/Heb 1:1-6/Jn 1:1-18 or 1:1-5, 9-14 (16) Pss Prop	white
26 <i>Feast</i> Acts 6	Tue 5:8-10; 7	Saint Stephen, The First Martyr 7:54-59/Mt 10:17-22 (696) Pss Prop	red
27 Feast 1 Jn 1:		Saint John, Apostle and Evangelist 20:1a, 2-8 (697) Pss Prop	white
28 Feast 1 Jn 1:	Thu :5—2:2	The Holy Innocents, Martyrs /Mt 2:13-18 (698) Pss Prop	red
_		Fifth Day within the Octave of the Nativity of the Lord is Becket, Bishop and Martyr] (2:22-35 (202) Pss Prop	white
30 1 Jn 2:	Sat :12-17/I	Sixth Day within the Octave of the Nativity of the Lord Lk 2:36-40 (203) Pss Prop	white
		THE HOLY FAMILY OF JESUS, MARY AND JOSEPH 14/Col 3:12-21 or 3:12-17/Lk 2:22-40 or 2:22, 39-40 or, for Year B, :1-3/Heb 11:8, 11-12, 17-19/Lk 2:22-40 or 2:22, 39-40 (17) Pss Prop	white
		JANUARY 2018	
Solem Nm 6:	-	SOLEMNITY OF MARY, THE HOLY MOTHER OF GOD The Octave Day of the Nativity of the Lord [not a Holyday of Obligation] Gal 4:4-7/Lk 2:16-21 (18) Pss Prop	white
2 Memo 1 Jn 2:		Saints Basil the Great and Gregory Nazianzen, Bishops and Doctors of the Church (n 1:19-28 (205) Pss I	white

3 Wed Christmas Weekday

white/white

[The Most Holy Name of Jesus] 1 Jn 2:29—3:6/Jn 1:29-34 (206)

4 Thu USA: Saint Elizabeth Ann Seton, Religious

white

Memorial

1 Jn 3:7-10/Jn 1:35-42 (207)

5 Fri USA: Saint John Neumann, Bishop

white

Memorial

1 Jn 3:11-21/Jn 1:43-51 (208)

6 Sat Christmas Weekday

white/white

[USA: Saint André Bessette, Religious]

1 Jn 5:5-13/Mk 1:7-11 or Lk 3:23-38 or 3:23, 31-34, 36, 38 (209)

7 SUN THE EPIPHANY OF THE LORD

white

Solemnity

Is 60:1-6/Eph 3:2-3a, 5-6/Mt 2:1-12 (20) Pss Prop

8 Mon The Baptism of the Lord

white

Feast

Is 42:1-4, 6-7 or Is 55:1-11 or Acts 10:34-38 or 1 Jn 5:1-9/Mk 1:7-11 (21) Pss Prop

9 Tue Weekday (First Week in Ordinary Time)

green

1 Sm 1:9-20/Mk 1:21-28 (306) or

1 Sm 1:1-8 (305) and 1:9-20 (306)/Mk 1:14-20 (305) and 1:21-28 (306)⁵ Pss I

10 Wed Weekday

green

1 Sm 3:1-10, 19-20/Mk 1:29-39 (307)

11 Thu Weekday

green

1 Sm 4:1-11/Mk 1:40-45 (308)

12 Fri Weekday

green

1 Sm 8:4-7, 10-22a/Mk 2:1-12 (309)

13 Sat Weekday

green/white/white

[Saint Hilary, Bishop and Doctor of the Church; BVM] 1 Sm 9:1-4, 17-19; 10:1a/Mk 2:13-17 (310)

14 SUN SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

green

1 Sm 3:3b-10, 19/1 Cor 6:13c-15a, 17-20/Jn 1:35-42 (65) Pss II

⁵ "When the Baptism of the Lord occurs on Monday of the First Week in Ordinary Time, the readings assigned to Monday may be joined to those of Tuesday so that the opening of each book will be read" (305).

15 Mon Weekday green 1 Sm 15:16-23/Mk 2:18-22 (311) 16 Tue Weekday green 1 Sm 16:1-13/Mk 2:23-28 (312) 17 Wed Saint Anthony, Abbot white Memorial 1 Sm 17:32-33, 37, 40-51/Mk 3:1-6 (313) 18 Thu Weekday green 1 Sm 18:6-9; 19:1-7/Mk 3:7-12 (314) 19 Fri Weekday green 1 Sm 24:3-21/Mk 3:13-19 (315) 20 Sat Weekday green/red/red/white [Saint Fabian, Pope and Martyr; Saint Sebastian, Martyr; BVM] 2 Sm 1:1-4, 11-12, 19, 23-27/Mk 3:20-21 (316) SUN THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME 21 green Jon 3:1-5, 10/1 Cor 7:29-31/Mk 1:14-20 (68) Pss III 22 Mon USA: Day of Prayer for the Legal green/Mass: white or violet **Protection of Unborn Children** 2 Sm 5:1-7, 10/Mk 3:22-30 (317) or, for the Day of Prayer, any readings from the Lectionary for Mass Supplement, the Mass "For Giving Thanks to God for the Gift of Human Life," nos. 947A-947E, or the Lectionary for Mass (vol. IV), the Mass "For Peace and Justice," nos. 887-891 23 Tue Weekday green/red/white [USA: Saint Vincent, Deacon and Martyr; USA: Saint Marianne Cope, Virgin] 2 Sm 6:12b-15, 17-19/Mk 3:31-35 (318) 24 Wed Saint Francis de Sales, Bishop and Doctor of the Church white Memorial 2 Sm 7:4-17/Mk 4:1-20 (319) 25 The Conversion of Saint Paul the Apostle white Feast

2 Tm 1:1-8 or Ti 1:1-5 (520)/Mk 4:26-34 (321)

26

Memorial

Fri

Acts 22:3-16 or Acts 9:1-22/Mk 16:15-18 (519) Pss Prop

Saints Timothy and Titus, Bishops

white

27 Sat Weekday green/white/white [Saint Angela Merici, Virgin; BVM] 2 Sm 12:1-7a, 10-17/Mk 4:35-41 (322) 28 SUN FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME green Dt 18:15-20/1 Cor 7:32-35/Mk 1:21-28 (71) Pss IV **29** Mon Weekday green 2 Sm 15:13-14, 30; 16:5-13/Mk 5:1-20 (323) **30** Tue Weekday green 2 Sm 18:9-10, 14b, 24-25a, 30—19:3/Mk 5:21-43 (324) 31 white Wed Saint John Bosco, Priest Memorial 2 Sm 24:2, 9-17/Mk 6:1-6 (325) FEBRUARY 2018 Weekday Thu green 1 Kgs 2:1-4, 10-12/Mk 6:7-13 (326) 2 Fri The Presentation of the Lord white Feast Mal 3:1-4/Heb 2:14-18/Lk 2:22-40 or 2:22-32 (524) Pss Prop 3 Sat Weekday green/red/white/white [Saint Blaise, Bishop and Martyr; Saint Ansgar, Bishop; BVM] 1 Kgs 3:4-13/Mk 6:30-34 (328) 4 SUN FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME green Jb 7:1-4, 6-7/1 Cor 9:16-19, 22-23/Mk 1:29-39 (74) Pss I 5 Mon Saint Agatha, Virgin and Martyr red Memorial 1 Kgs 8:1-7, 9-13/Mk 6:53-56 (329) 6 Tue Saint Paul Miki and Companions, Martyrs red Memorial 1 Kgs 8:22-23, 27-30/Mk 7:1-13 (330) Wed Weekday 7 green 1 Kgs 10:1-10/Mk 7:14-23 (331)

8 Thu Weekday [Saint Jerome Emiliani; Saint Josephine Bakhita, Virgin] 1 Kgs 11:4-13/Mk 7:24-30 (332)	green/white/white
9 Fri Weekday 1 Kgs 11:29-32; 12:19/Mk 7:31-37 (333)	green
10 Sat Saint Scholastica, Virgin Memorial 1 Kgs 12:26-32; 13:33-34/Mk 8:1-10 (334)	white
11 SUN SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME Lv 13:1-2, 44-46/1 Cor 10:31—11:1/Mk 1:40-45 (77) Pss II	green
12 Mon Weekday Jas 1:1-11/Mk 8:11-13 (335)	green
13 Tue Weekday Jas 1:12-18/Mk 8:14-21 (336)	green
14 Wed Ash Wednesday Jl 2:12-18/2 Cor 5:20—6:2/Mt 6:1-6, 16-18 (219) Pss IV	violet
15 Thu Thursday after Ash Wednesday Dt 30:15-20/Lk 9:22-25 (220)	violet
16 Fri Friday after Ash Wednesday Is 58:1-9a/Mt 9:14-15 (221)	violet
17 Sat Saturday after Ash Wednesday [The Seven Holy Founders of the Servite Order] Is 58:9b-14/Lk 5:27-32 (222)	violet
18 SUN FIRST SUNDAY OF LENT Gn 9:8-15/1 Pt 3:18-22/Mk 1:12-15 (23) Pss I	violet
19 Mon Lenten Weekday Lv 19:1-2, 11-18/Mt 25:31-46 (224)	violet
20 Tue Lenten Weekday Is 55:10-11/Mt 6:7-15 (225)	violet
21 Wed Lenten Weekday [Saint Peter Damian, Bishop and Doctor of the Church] Jon 3:1-10/Lk 11:29-32 (226)	violet

22 Thu The Chair of Saint Peter the Apostle Feast 1 Pt 5-1 4/Mt 16-12 10 (525) Pag Prop	white
1 Pt 5:1-4/Mt 16:13-19 (535) Pss Prop 23 Fri Lenten Weekday [Saint Polycarp, Bishop and Martyr] Ez 18:21-28/Mt 5:20-26 (228)	violet
24 Sat Lenten Weekday Dt 26:16-19/Mt 5:43-48 (229)	violet
25 SUN SECOND SUNDAY OF LENT Gn 22:1-2, 9a, 10-13, 15-18/Rom 8:31b-34/Mk 9:2-10 (26) Pss II	violet
26 Mon Lenten Weekday Dn 9:4b-10/Lk 6:36-38 (230)	violet
27 Tue Lenten Weekday Is 1:10, 16-20/Mt 23:1-12 (231)	violet
28 Wed Lenten Weekday Jer 18:18-20/Mt 20:17-28 (232)	violet
MARCH 2018	
1 Thu Lenten Weekday Jer 17:5-10/Lk 16:19-31 (233)	violet
2 Fri Lenten Weekday Gn 37:3-4, 12-13a, 17b-28a/Mt 21:33-43, 45-46 (234)	violet
3 Sat Lenten Weekday [USA: Saint Katharine Drexel, Virgin] Mi 7:14-15, 18-20/Lk 15:1-3, 11-32 (235)	violet
4 SUN THIRD SUNDAY OF LENT Ex 20:1-17 or 20:1-3, 7-8, 12-17/1 Cor 1:22-25/Jn 2:13-25 (29) or, for Year A, Ex 17:3-7/Rom 5:1-2, 5-8/Jn 4:5-42 or 4:5-15, 19b-26, 39a, 40-42 (28) Pss III	violet
5 Mon Lenten Weekday ⁶ 2 Kgs 5:1-15b/Lk 4:24-30 (237)	violet

⁶ The following readings may be used on any day this week, especially in Years B and C when the Gospel of the Samaritan Woman is not read on the Third Sunday of Lent: Ex 17:1-7/Jn 4:5-42 (236).

6 Tue Lenten Weekday Dn 3:25, 34-43/Mt 18:21-35 (238)	violet
7 Wed Lenten Weekday [Saints Perpetua and Felicity, Martyrs] Dt 4:1, 5-9/Mt 5:17-19 (239)	violet
8 Thu Lenten Weekday [Saint John of God, Religious] Jer 7:23-28/Lk 11:14-23 (240)	violet
9 Fri Lenten Weekday [Saint Frances of Rome, Religious] Hos 14:2-10/Mk 12:28-34 (241)	violet
10 Sat Lenten Weekday Hos 6:1-6/Lk 18:9-14 (242)	violet
11 SUN FOURTH SUNDAY OF LENT 2 Chr 36:14-16, 19-23/Eph 2:4-10/Jn 3:14-21 (32) or, for Year A, 1 Sm 16:1b, 6-7, 10-13a/Eph 5:8-14/Jn 9:1-41 or 9:1, 6-9, 13-17, 34-38 (31)	violet or rose Pss IV
12 Mon Lenten Weekday ⁷ Is 65:17-21/Jn 4:43-54 (244)	violet
13 Tue Lenten Weekday Ez 47:1-9, 12/Jn 5:1-16 (245)	violet
14 Wed Lenten Weekday Is 49:8-15/Jn 5:17-30 (246)	violet
15 Thu Lenten Weekday Ex 32:7-14/Jn 5:31-47 (247)	violet
16 Fri Lenten Weekday Wis 2:1a, 12-22/Jn 7:1-2, 10, 25-30 (248)	violet
17 Sat Lenten Weekday [Saint Patrick, Bishop] Jer 11:18-20/Jn 7:40-53 (249)	violet
18 SUN FIFTH SUNDAY OF LENT Jer 31:31-34/Heb 5:7-9/Jn 12:20-33 (35) or, for Year A, Fz 37:12-14/Rom 8:8-11/Jn 11:1-45 or 11:3-7 17 20-27 33b-45 (34) Pss J	violet

 $^{^7}$ The following readings may be used on any day this week, especially in Years B and C when the Gospel of the Man Born Blind is not read on the Fourth Sunday of Lent: Mi 7:7-9/Jn 9:1-41 (243).

Mon SAINT JOSEPH, SPOUSE OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY 19 white Solemnity 2 Sm 7:4-5a, 12-14a, 16/Rom 4:13, 16-18, 22/Mt 1:16, 18-21, 24a or Lk 2:41-51a (543) Pss Prop 20 Tue Lenten Weekday⁸ violet Nm 21:4-9/Jn 8:21-30 (252) Wed Lenten Weekday 21 violet Dn 3:14-20, 91-92, 95/Jn 8:31-42 (253) 22 Thu Lenten Weekday violet Gn 17:3-9/Jn 8:51-59 (254) 23 violet Fri **Lenten Weekday** [Saint Turibius of Mogrovejo, Bishop] Jer 20:10-13/Jn 10:31-42 (255) 24 **Lenten Weekday** violet Sat Ez 37:21-28/Jn 11:45-56 (256) 25 SUN PALM SUNDAY OF THE PASSION OF THE LORD red Mk 11:1-10 or Jn 12:12-16 (37)/Is 50:4-7/Phil 2:6-11/Mk 14:1—15:47 or 15:1-39 (38) Pss II 26 Mon Monday of Holy Week violet Is 42:1-7/Jn 12:1-11 (257) 27 **Tuesday of Holy Week** Tue violet Is 49:1-6/Jn 13:21-33, 36-38 (258) 28 Wed Wednesday of Holy Week violet Is 50:4-9a/Mt 26:14-25 (259) 29 Thu Thursday of Holy Week (Holy Thursday)⁹ violet/Mass: white Chrism Mass: Is 61:1-3a, 6a, 8b-9/Rv 1:5-8/Lk 4:16-21 (260) Evening Mass of the Lord's Supper: Ex 12:1-8, 11-14/1 Cor 11:23-26/Jn 13:1-15 (39) Pss Prop

30 Friday of the Passion of the Lord (Good Friday) Is 52:13—53:12/Heb 4:14-16; 5:7-9/Jn 18:1—19:42 (40) Pss Prop red

⁸ The following readings may be used on any Lenten day this week, especially in Years B and C when the Gospel of Lazarus is not read on the Fifth Sunday of Lent: 2 Kgs 4:18b-21, 32-37/Jn 11:1-45 (250).

⁹ If necessary, the Chrism Mass may be celebrated on a suitable day before Holy Thursday.

31 Sat Holy Saturday¹⁰

Vigil: Gn 1:1—2:2 or 1:1, 26-31a/Gn 22:1-18 or 22:1-2, 9a, 10-13, 15-18/ Ex 14:15—15:1/Is 54:5-14/Is 55:1-11/Bar 3:9-15, 32—4:4/Ez 36:16-17a, 18-28/

Rom 6:3-11/Mk 16:1-7 (41) Pss Prop

APRIL 2018

violet/Vigil: white

white

1 SUN EASTER SUNDAY OF THE RESURRECTION OF THE LORD white Solemnity Acts 10:342-37 43/Col 3:1 4 or 1 Cor 5:6b 8/In 20:1 9 (42) or Mk 16:1 7 (41)

Acts 10:34a, 37-43/Col 3:1-4 or 1 Cor 5:6b-8/Jn 20:1-9 (42) or Mk 16:1-7 (41) or, at an afternoon or evening Mass, Lk 24:13-35 (46) Pss Prop

2 Mon Monday within the Octave of Easter¹¹ Acts 2:14, 22-33/Mt 28:8-15 (261) Pss Prop

3 Tue Tuesday within the Octave of Easter white Acts 2:36-41/Jn 20:11-18 (262) Pss Prop

4 Wed Wednesday within the Octave of Easter Acts 3:1-10/Lk 24:13-35 (263) Pss Prop

5 Thu Thursday within the Octave of Easter Acts 3:11-26/Lk 24:35-48 (264) Pss Prop

6 Fri Friday within the Octave of Easter white Acts 4:1-12/Jn 21:1-14 (265) Pss Prop

7 Sat Saturday within the Octave of Easter white Acts 4:13-21/Mk 16:9-15 (266) Pss Prop

8 SUN SECOND SUNDAY OF EASTER white (OR SUNDAY OF DIVINE MERCY) Acts 4:32-35/1 Jn 5:1-6/Jn 20:19-31 (44) Pss Prop

9 Mon THE ANNUNCIATION OF THE LORD white Solemnity Is 7:10-14; 8:10/Heb 10:4-10/Lk 1:26-38 (545) Pss Prop

¹⁰ Nine readings are assigned to the Easter Vigil: seven from the Old Testament and two from the New. If circumstances demand in individual cases, the number of prescribed readings may be reduced. Three selections from the Old Testament, both from the Law and the Prophets, should be read before the Epistle and Gospel. In any case, the reading from Exodus about the escape through the Red Sea (reading 3) should never be omitted.

¹¹ Although not given the title of Solemnity, "[t]he first eight days of Easter Time constitute the Octave of Easter and are celebrated as Solemnities of the Lord" (*Universal Norms on the Liturgical Year and the Calendar*, no. 24).

10 Tue Easter Weekday Acts 4:32-37/Jn 3:7b-15 (268) Pss II	white
11 Wed Saint Stanislaus, Bishop and Martyr Memorial Acts 5:17-26/Jn 3:16-21 (269)	red
12 Thu Easter Weekday Acts 5:27-33/Jn 3:31-36 (270)	white
13 Fri Easter Weekday [Saint Martin I, Pope and Martyr] Acts 5:34-42/Jn 6:1-15 (271)	white/red
14 Sat Easter Weekday Acts 6:1-7/Jn 6:16-21 (272)	white
15 SUN THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER Acts 3:13-15, 17-19/1 Jn 2:1-5a/Lk 24:35-48 (47) Pss III	white
16 Mon Easter Weekday Acts 6:8-15/Jn 6:22-29 (273)	white
17 Tue Easter Weekday Acts 7:51—8:1a/Jn 6:30-35 (274)	white
18 Wed Easter Weekday Acts 8:1b-8/Jn 6:35-40 (275)	white
19 Thu Easter Weekday Acts 8:26-40/Jn 6:44-51 (276)	white
20 Fri Easter Weekday Acts 9:1-20/Jn 6:52-59 (277)	white
21 Sat Easter Weekday [Saint Anselm, Bishop and Doctor of the Church] Acts 9:31-42/Jn 6:60-69 (278)	white/white
22 SUN FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER Acts 4:8-12/1 Jn 3:1-2/Jn 10:11-18 (50) Pss IV	white
23 Mon Easter Weekday [Saint George, Martyr; Saint Adalbert, Bishop and Martyr] Acts 11:1-18/Jn 10:1-10 (279)	white/red/red

24 **Tue Easter Weekday** white/red [Saint Fidelis of Sigmaringen, Priest and Martyr] Acts 11:19-26/Jn 10:22-30 (280) 25 Wed Saint Mark, Evangelist red Feast 1 Pt 5:5b-14/Mk 16:15-20 (555) Pss Prop Thu Easter Weekday 26 white Acts 13:13-25/Jn 13:16-20 (282) 27 **Easter Weekday** white Fri Acts 13:26-33/Jn 14:1-6 (283) white/red/white 28 **Easter Weekday** [Saint Peter Chanel, Priest and Martyr; Saint Louis Grignion de Montfort, Priest] Acts 13:44-52/Jn 14:7-14 (284) 29 SUN FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER white Acts 9:26-31/1 Jn 3:18-24/Jn 15:1-8 (53) Pss I **30** white/white Mon Easter Weekday [Saint Pius V, Pope] Acts 14:5-18/Jn 14:21-26 (285) MAY 2018 Tue **Easter Weekday** white/white 1 [Saint Joseph the Worker] Acts 14:19-28/Jn 14:27-31a (286) or, for the Memorial, Gn 1:26—2:3 or Col 3:14-15, 17, 23-24/Mt 13:54-58 (559) 2 Wed Saint Athanasius, Bishop and Doctor of the Church white Memorial Acts 15:1-6/Jn 15:1-8 (287) 3 Thu Saints Philip and James, Apostles red Feast 1 Cor 15:1-8/Jn 14:6-14 (561) Pss Prop Fri **Easter Weekday** white Acts 15:22-31/Jn 15:12-17 (289)

white

Easter Weekday

Acts 16:1-10/Jn 15:18-21 (290)

6 SUN SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER¹²

Acts 10:25-26, 34-35, 44-48/1 Jn 4:7-10/Jn 15:9-17 (56) Pss II

white

7 Mon Easter Weekday

Acts 16:11-15/Jn 15:26—16:4a (291)

white

8 Tue Easter Weekday

Acts 16:22-34/Jn 16:5-11 (292)

white

9 Wed Easter Weekday

Acts 17:15, 22—18:1/Jn 16:12-15 (293)

white

Ecclesiastical Provinces of Boston, Hartford, New York, Newark, Omaha, Philadelphia:

10 Thu THE ASCENSION OF THE LORD¹³

white

Solemnity [Holyday of Obligation]

Acts 1:1-11/Eph 1:17-23 or Eph 4:1-13 or 4:1-7, 11-13/Mk 16:15-20 (58) Pss Prop

All Other U.S. Ecclesiastical Provinces:

10 Thu Easter Weekday

white/white

[USA: Saint Damien de Veuster, Priest]

Acts 18:1-8/Jn 16:16-20 (294)

11 Fri Easter Weekday

white

Acts 18:9-18/Jn 16:20-23 (295)

12 Sat Easter Weekday

white/red/red

[Saints Nereus and Achilleus, Martyrs; Saint Pancras, Martyr] Acts 18:23-28/Jn 16:23b-28 (296)

Ecclesiastical Provinces of Boston, Hartford, New York, Newark, Omaha, Philadelphia:

13 SUN SEVENTH SUNDAY OF EASTER¹⁴

white

Acts 1:15-17, 20a, 20c-26/1 Jn 4:11-16/Jn 17:11b-19 (60) Pss III

All Other U.S. Ecclesiastical Provinces:

13 SUN THE ASCENSION OF THE LORD

white

Solemnity

Acts 1:1-11/Eph 1:17-23 or Eph 4:1-13 or 4:1-7, 11-13/Mk 16:15-20 (58) Pss Prop

¹² When the Ascension of the Lord is celebrated on the following Sunday, the Second Reading and Gospel from the Seventh Sunday of Easter (see no. 60) may be read on the Sixth Sunday of Easter.

¹³ Regarding the Ascension of the Lord, the ecclesiastical provinces of Boston, Hartford, New York, Newark, Omaha, and Philadelphia have retained its celebration on the proper Thursday, while all other provinces have transferred this Solemnity to the Seventh Sunday of Easter, May 13. If transferred, Thursday, May 10, is observed as an Easter Weekday or as the Optional Memorial of Saint Damien de Veuster, Priest (USA).

¹⁴ In those places where the observance of the Solemnity of the Ascension of the Lord has been transferred to this day, the Mass and readings of the Ascension are used.

14 Mon Saint Matthias, Apostle

red

Feast

Acts 1:15-17, 20-26/Jn 15:9-17 (564) Pss Prop

15 Tue Easter Weekday

white/white

[USA: Saint Isidore]

Acts 20:17-27/Jn 17:1-11a (298)

16 Wed Easter Weekday

white

Acts 20:28-38/Jn 17:11b-19 (299)

17 Thu Easter Weekday

white

Acts 22:30; 23:6-11/Jn 17:20-26 (300)

18 Fri Easter Weekday

white/red

[Saint John I, Pope and Martyr] Acts 25:13b-21/Jn 21:15-19 (301)

19 Sat Easter Weekday

white

Morning: Acts 28:16-20, 30-31/Jn 21:20-25 (302)

20 SUN PENTECOST SUNDAY

red

Solemnity

Vigil: Gn 11:1-9 or Ex 19:3-8a, 16-20b or Ez 37:1-14 or Jl 3:1-5/Rom 8:22-27/Jn 7:37-39 (62), or, for the Extended Vigil, Gn 11:1-9/Ex 19:3-8a, 16-20b/Ez 37:1-14/Jl 3:1-5/Rom 8:22-27/Jn 7:37-39 (*Lectionary for Mass Supplement*, 62)

Day: Acts 2:1-11/1 Cor 12:3b-7, 12-13 or Gal 5:16-25/Jn 20:19-23 or Jn 15:26-27; 16:12-15 (63) Pss Prop

21 Mon Weekday (Seventh Week in Ordinary Time)

green/red

[Saint Christopher Magallanes, Priest, and Companions, Martyrs] Jas 3:13-18/Mk 9:14-29 (341) Pss III

Tue Weekday

green/white

[Saint Rita of Cascia, Religious] Jas 4:1-10/Mk 9:30-37 (342)

Wed Weekday

green

Jas 4:13-17/Mk 9:38-40 (343)

24 Thu Weekday

green

Jas 5:1-6/Mk 9:41-50 (344)

25 Fri Weekday green/white/white [Saint Bede the Venerable, Priest and Doctor of the Church; Saint Gregory VII, Pope; Saint Mary Magdalene de' Pazzi, Virgin] Jas 5:9-12/Mk 10:1-12 (345) 26 Sat Saint Philip Neri, Priest white Memorial Jas 5:13-20/Mk 10:13-16 (346) 27 SUN THE MOST HOLY TRINITY white Solemnity Dt 4:32-34, 39-40/Rom 8:14-17/Mt 28:16-20 (165) Pss Prop 28 Mon Weekday (Eighth Week in Ordinary Time) green 1 Pt 1:3-9/Mk 10:17-27 (347) Pss IV 29 Tue Weekday green 1 Pt 1:10-16/Mk 10:28-31 (348) **30** Wed Weekday green 1 Pt 1:18-25/Mk 10:32-45 (349) 31 Thu The Visitation of the Blessed Virgin Mary white Feast Zep 3:14-18a or Rom 12:9-16/Lk 1:39-56 (572) Pss Prop **JUNE 2018** 1 Fri Saint Justin, Martyr red

Memorial 1 Pt 4:7-13/Mk 11:11-26 (351)

green/red/white

2 Sat Weekday [Saints Marcellinus and Peter, Martyrs; BVM] Jude 17, 20b-25/Mk 11:27-33 (352)

3 SUN THE MOST HOLY BODY AND BLOOD OF CHRIST (Corpus Christi) white

Solemnity

Ex 24:3-8/Heb 9:11-15/Mk 14:12-16, 22-26 (168) Pss Prop

4 Mon Weekday (Ninth Week in Ordinary Time) green 2 Pt 1:2-7/Mk 12:1-12 (353) Pss I

5 Tue Memorial	Saint Boniface, Bishop and Martyr	red
	, 17-18/Mk 12:13-17 (354)	
[Saint Norber	Weekday et, Bishop] -12/Mk 12:18-27 (355)	green/white
7 Thu 2 Tm 2:8-15/1	Weekday Mk 12:28-34 (356)	green
8 Fri Solemnity	THE MOST SACRED HEART OF JESUS	white
•	, 8c-9/Eph 3:8-12, 14-19/Jn 19:31-37 (171) Pss Prop	
9 Sat <i>Memorial</i>	The Immaculate Heart of the Blessed Virgin Mary	white
2 Tm 4:1-8 (3	358)/Lk 2:41-51 (573)	
	TENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME Cor 4:13—5:1/Mk 3:20-35 (89) Pss II	green
11 Mon Memorial	Saint Barnabas, Apostle	red
	26; 13:1-3 (580)/Mt 5:1-12 (359)	
	Weekday 5/Mt 5:13-16 (360)	green
13 Wed Memorial	Saint Anthony of Padua, Priest and Doctor of the Church	white
	39/Mt 5:17-19 (361)	
	Weekday 46/Mt 5:20-26 (362)	green
	Weekday 11-16/Mt 5:27-32 (363)	green
16 Sat [BVM]	Weekday	green/white
1 Kgs 19:19-2	21/Mt 5:33-37 (364)	
	ELEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME 2 Cor 5:6-10/Mk 4:26-34 (92) Pss III	green

1 Kgs 21:1-16/Mt 5:38-42 (365) 19 Tue Weekday green/white [Saint Romuald, Abbot] 1 Kgs 21:17-29/Mt 5:43-48 (366) **20** Wed Weekday green 2 Kgs 2:1, 6-14/Mt 6:1-6, 16-18 (367) 21 Thu Saint Aloysius Gonzaga, Religious white Memorial Sir 48:1-14/Mt 6:7-15 (368) 22 Fri Weekday green/white/red [Saint Paulinus of Nola, Bishop; Saints John Fisher, Bishop, and Thomas More, Martyrs] 2 Kgs 11:1-4, 9-18, 20/Mt 6:19-23 (369) 23 Sat Weekday green/white [BVM] 2 Chr 24:17-25/Mt 6:24-34 (370) 24 SUN THE NATIVITY OF SAINT JOHN THE BAPTIST white Solemnity Vigil: Jer 1:4-10/1 Pt 1:8-12/Lk 1:5-17 (586) Day: Is 49:1-6/Acts 13:22-26/Lk 1:57-66, 80 (587) Pss Prop 25 **Mon** Weekday (Twelfth Week in Ordinary Time) green 2 Kgs 17:5-8, 13-15a, 18/Mt 7:1-5 (371) Pss IV 26 Tue Weekday green 2 Kgs 19:9b-11, 14-21, 31-35a, 36/Mt 7:6, 12-14 (372) 27 Wed Weekday green/white [Saint Cyril of Alexandria, Bishop and Doctor of the Church] 2 Kgs 22:8-13; 23:1-3/Mt 7:15-20 (373) 28 Thu Saint Irenaeus, Bishop and Martyr red Memorial 2 Kgs 24:8-17/Mt 7:21-29 (374) 29 Fri SAINTS PETER AND PAUL, APOSTLES red **Solemnity** Vigil: Acts 3:1-10/Gal 1:11-20/Jn 21:15-19 (590) Day: Acts 12:1-11/2 Tm 4:6-8, 17-18/Mt 16:13-19 (591) Pss Prop

green

18

Mon Weekday

30 Sat Weekday

green/red/white

[The First Martyrs of the Holy Roman Church; BVM] Lam 2:2, 10-14, 18-19/Mt 8:5-17 (376)

JULY 2018

1 SUN THIRTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

green

Wis 1:13-15; 2:23-24/2 Cor 8:7, 9, 13-15/Mk 5:21-43 or 5:21-24, 35b-43 (98) Pss I

2 Mon Weekday

green

Am 2:6-10, 13-16/Mt 8:18-22 (377)

3 Tue Saint Thomas, Apostle

red

Feast

Eph 2:19-22/Jn 20:24-29 (593) Pss Prop

4 Wed Weekday

green/white

[USA: Independence Day]

Am 5:14-15, 21-24/Mt 8:28-34 (379) or, for Independence Day, any readings from the *Lectionary for Mass* (vol. IV), the Mass "For the Country or a City," nos. 882-886, or "For Peace and Justice," nos. 887-891

5 Thu Weekday

green/white/white

[Saint Anthony Zaccaria, Priest; USA: Saint Elizabeth of Portugal] Am 7:10-17/Mt 9:1-8 (380)

6 Fri Weekday

green/red

[Saint Maria Goretti, Virgin and Martyr] Am 8:4-6, 9-12/Mt 9:9-13 (381)

7 Sat Weekday

green/white

[BVM]

Am 9:11-15/Mt 9:14-17 (382)

8 SUN FOURTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

green

Ez 2:2-5/2 Cor 12:7-10/Mk 6:1-6a (101) Pss II

9 Mon Weekday

green/red

[Saint Augustine Zhao Rong, Priest, and Companions, Martyrs] Hos 2:16, 17b-18, 21-22/Mt 9:18-26 (383)

10 Tue Weekday

green

Hos 8:4-7, 11-13/Mt 9:32-38 (384)

11 Wed Saint Benedict, Abbot white Memorial Hos 10:1-3, 7-8, 12/Mt 10:1-7 (385) 12 Thu Weekday green Hos 11:1-4, 8e-9/Mt 10:7-15 (386) 13 Fri Weekday green/white [Saint Henry] Hos 14:2-10/Mt 10:16-23 (387) 14 Sat USA: Saint Kateri Tekakwitha, Virgin white Memorial Is 6:1-8/Mt 10:24-33 (388) 15 SUN FIFTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME green Am 7:12-15/Eph 1:3-14 or 1:3-10/Mk 6:7-13 (104) Pss III 16 Mon Weekday green/white [Our Lady of Mount Carmel] Is 1:10-17/Mt 10:34—11:1 (389) 17 Tue Weekday green Is 7:1-9/Mt 11:20-24 (390) 18 Wed Weekday green/white [USA: Saint Camillus de Lellis, Priest] Is 10:5-7, 13b-16/Mt 11:25-27 (391) 19 Thu Weekday green Is 26:7-9, 12, 16-19/Mt 11:28-30 (392) 20 Fri Weekday green/red [Saint Apollinaris, Bishop and Martyr] Is 38:1-6, 21-22, 7-8/Mt 12:1-8 (393) 21 Sat Weekday green/white/white [Saint Lawrence of Brindisi, Priest and Doctor of the Church; BVM] Mi 2:1-5/Mt 12:14-21 (394) SUN SIXTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME green Jer 23:1-6/Eph 2:13-18/Mk 6:30-34 (107) Pss IV 23 Mon Weekday green/white [Saint Bridget, Religious]

Mi 6:1-4, 6-8/Mt 12:38-42 (395)

24 Tue Weekday green/white [Saint Sharbel Makhlūf, Priest] Mi 7:14-15, 18-20/Mt 12:46-50 (396) 25 Wed Saint James, Apostle red **Feast** 2 Cor 4:7-15/Mt 20:20-28 (605) Pss Prop 26 Thu Saints Joachim and Anne, Parents of the Blessed Virgin Mary white Memorial Jer 2:1-3, 7-8, 12-13/Mt 13:10-17 (398) 27 Fri Weekday green Jer 3:14-17/Mt 13:18-23 (399) 28 Sat Weekday green/white [BVM] Jer 7:1-11/Mt 13:24-30 (400) 29 SUN SEVENTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME green 2 Kgs 4:42-44/Eph 4:1-6/Jn 6:1-15 (110) Pss I 30 Mon Weekday green/white [Saint Peter Chrysologus, Bishop and Doctor of the Church] Jer 13:1-11/Mt 13:31-35 (401) 31 Tue Saint Ignatius of Loyola, Priest white Memorial Jer 14:17-22/Mt 13:36-43 (402) **AUGUST 2018** Wed Saint Alphonsus Liguori, Bishop and Doctor of the Church 1 white Memorial Jer 15:10, 16-21/Mt 13:44-46 (403) 2 Thu Weekday green/white/white [Saint Eusebius of Vercelli, Bishop; Saint Peter Julian Eymard, Priest] Jer 18:1-6/Mt 13:47-53 (404) Weekday Fri green

Jer 26:1-9/Mt 13:54-58 (405)

4 Sat Saint John Vianney, Priest white Memorial Jer 26:11-16, 24/Mt 14:1-12 (406) SUN EIGHTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME 5 green Ex 16:2-4, 12-15/Eph 4:17, 20-24/Jn 6:24-35 (113) Pss II 6 Mon The Transfiguration of the Lord white Feast Dn 7:9-10, 13-14/2 Pt 1:16-19/Mk 9:2-10 (614) Pss Prop Tue Weekday green/red/white [Saint Sixtus II, Pope, and Companions, Martyrs; Saint Cajetan, Priest] Jer 30:1-2, 12-15, 18-22/Mt 14:22-36 or 15:1-2, 10-14 (408) 8 **Wed Saint Dominic, Priest** white Memorial Jer 31:1-7/Mt 15:21-28 (409) 9 Thu Weekday green/red [Saint Teresa Benedicta of the Cross, Virgin and Martyr] Jer 31:31-34/Mt 16:13-23 (410) 10 Fri Saint Lawrence, Deacon and Martyr red Feast 2 Cor 9:6-10/Jn 12:24-26 (618) Pss Prop 11 Sat Saint Clare, Virgin white Memorial Hb 1:12—2:4/Mt 17:14-20 (412) SUN NINETEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME green 1 Kgs 19:4-8/Eph 4:30—5:2/Jn 6:41-51 (116) Pss III 13 Mon Weekday green/red [Saints Pontian, Pope, and Hippolytus, Priest, Martyrs] Ez 1:2-5, 24-28c/Mt 17:22-27 (413) 14 Saint Maximilian Kolbe, Priest and Martyr red Memorial Ez 2:8—3:4/Mt 18:1-5, 10, 12-14 (414) 15 Wed THE ASSUMPTION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY white Solemnity [Holyday of Obligation] Vigil: 1 Chr 15:3-4, 15-16; 16:1-2/1 Cor 15:54b-57/Lk 11:27-28 (621) Day: Rv 11:19a; 12:1-6a, 10ab/1 Cor 15:20-27/Lk 1:39-56 (622) Pss Prop

16 Thu Weekday green/white [Saint Stephen of Hungary] Ez 12:1-12/Mt 18:21—19:1 (416) 17 Fri Weekday green Ez 16:1-15, 60, 63 or 16:59-63/Mt 19:3-12 (417) 18 Sat Weekday green/white [BVM] Ez 18:1-10, 13b, 30-32/Mt 19:13-15 (418) SUN TWENTIETH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME green Prv 9:1-6/Eph 5:15-20/Jn 6:51-58 (119) Pss IV 20 Mon Saint Bernard, Abbot and Doctor of the Church white Memorial Ez 24:15-24/Mt 19:16-22 (419) 21 Saint Pius X, Pope white Memorial Ez 28:1-10/Mt 19:23-30 (420) 22 Wed The Queenship of the Blessed Virgin Mary white Memorial Ez 34:1-11/Mt 20:1-16 (421) 23 Thu Weekday green/white [Saint Rose of Lima, Virgin] Ez 36:23-28/Mt 22:1-14 (422) 24 Fri Saint Bartholomew, Apostle red Feast Rv 21:9b-14/Jn 1:45-51 (629) Pss Prop 25 Sat Weekday green/white/white [Saint Louis; Saint Joseph Calasanz, Priest; BVM] Ez 43:1-7ab/Mt 23:1-12 (424) 26 SUN TWENTY-FIRST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME green Jos 24:1-2a, 15-17, 18b/Eph 5:21-32 or 5:2a, 25-32/Jn 6:60-69 (122) Pss I 27 Mon Saint Monica white Memorial

2 Thes 1:1-5, 11-12/Mt 23:13-22 (425)

28 Tue	Saint Augustine, Bishop and Doctor of the Church	white		
Memorial 2 Thes 2:1-3a	, 14-17/Mt 23:23-26 (426)			
	The Passion of Saint John the Baptist	red		
Memorial 2 Thes 3:6-10), 16-18 (427)/Mk 6:17-29 (634) Pss Prop			
	Weekday It 24:42-51 (428)	green		
31 Fri 1 Cor 1:17-25	Weekday 5/Mt 25:1-13 (429)	green		
SEPTEMBER 2018				
1 Sat	Weekday	green/white		
[BVM] 1 Cor 1:26-31	/Mt 25:14-30 (430)			
	TWENTY-SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME Jas 1:17-18, 21b-22, 27/Mk 7:1-8, 14-15, 21-23 (125) Pss II	green		
3 Mon Memorial	Saint Gregory the Great, Pope and Doctor of the Church	white		
	k 4:16-30 (431)			
	Weekday 6/Lk 4:31-37 (432)	green		
5 Wed	Weekday	green		
	k 4:38-44 (433)			
	Weekday 3/Lk 5:1-11 (434)	green		
7 Fri	Weekday	green		
	k 5:33-39 (435)	1 %		
8 Sat Feast	The Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary	white		
	Rom 8:28-30/Mt 1:1-16, 18-23 or 1:18-23 (636) Pss Prop			
	TWENTY-THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME 32:1-5/Mk 7:31-37 (128) Pss III	green		

Mon Weekday green 1 Cor 5:1-8/Lk 6:6-11 (437) 11 Tue Weekday green 1 Cor 6:1-11/Lk 6:12-19 (438) 12 Wed Weekday green/white [The Most Holy Name of Mary] 1 Cor 7:25-31/Lk 6:20-26 (439) 13 Saint John Chrysostom, Bishop and Doctor of the Church white Memorial 1 Cor 8:1b-7, 11-13/Lk 6:27-38 (440) The Exaltation of the Holy Cross 14 red Feast Nm 21:4b-9/Phil 2:6-11/Jn 3:13-17 (638) Pss Prop 15 Sat **Our Lady of Sorrows** white Memorial 1 Cor 10:14-22 (442)/Jn 19:25-27 or Lk 2:33-35 (639) Pss Prop 16 SUN TWENTY-FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME green Is 50:5-9a/Jas 2:14-18/Mk 8:27-35 (131) Pss IV **17** Mon Weekday green/white [Saint Robert Bellarmine, Bishop and Doctor of the Church] 1 Cor 11:17-26, 33/Lk 7:1-10 (443) **18** Tue Weekday green 1 Cor 12:12-14, 27-31a/Lk 7:11-17 (444) 19 Wed Weekday green/red [Saint Januarius, Bishop and Martyr] 1 Cor 12:31—13:13/Lk 7:31-35 (445) 20 Saints Andrew Kim Tae-gon, Priest, and Paul Chong Ha-sang, red and Companions, Martyrs Memorial 1 Cor 15:1-11/Lk 7:36-50 (446) 21 Fri Saint Matthew, Apostle and Evangelist red Feast Eph 4:1-7, 11-13/Mt 9:9-13 (643) Pss Prop

22 Sat Weekday green/white [BVM] 1 Cor 15:35-37, 42-49/Lk 8:4-15 (448) 23 SUN TWENTY-FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME green Wis 2:12, 17-20/Jas 3:16—4:3/Mk 9:30-37 (134) Pss I **24** Mon Weekday green Prv 3:27-34/Lk 8:16-18 (449) 25 Tue Weekday green Prv 21:1-6, 10-13/Lk 8:19-21 (450) **26** Wed Weekday green/red [Saints Cosmas and Damian, Martyrs] Prv 30:5-9/Lk 9:1-6 (451) **27** Thu Saint Vincent de Paul, Priest white Memorial Eccl 1:2-11/Lk 9:7-9 (452) 28 Weekday Fri green/red/red [Saint Wenceslaus, Martyr; Saint Lawrence Ruiz and Companions, Martyrs] Eccl 3:1-11/Lk 9:18-22 (453) 29 Sat Saints Michael, Gabriel and Raphael, Archangels white Feast Dn 7:9-10, 13-14 or Rv 12:7-12a/Jn 1:47-51 (647) Pss Prop **30** SUN TWENTY-SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME green Nm 11:25-29/Jas 5:1-6/Mk 9:38-43, 45, 47-48 (137) Pss II OCTOBER 2018 Mon Saint Thérèse of the Child Jesus, Virgin and Doctor of the Church white 1 Memorial Jb 1:6-22/Lk 9:46-50 (455) 2 Tue The Holy Guardian Angels white Memorial Jb 3:1-3, 11-17, 20-23 (456)/Mt 18:1-5, 10 (650) Pss Prop Wed Weekday green Jb 9:1-12, 14-16/Lk 9:57-62 (457)

4 Thu **Saint Francis of Assisi** white Memorial Jb 19:21-27/Lk 10:1-12 (458) 5 Fri Weekday green/white [USA: Blessed Francis Xavier Seelos, Priest] Jb 38:1, 12-21; 40:3-5/Lk 10:13-16 (459) 6 Sat Weekday green/white/white [Saint Bruno, Priest; USA: Blessed Marie Rose Durocher, Virgin; BVM] Jb 42:1-3, 5-6, 12-17/Lk 10:17-24 (460) 7 SUN TWENTY-SEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME green Gn 2:18-24/Heb 2:9-11/Mk 10:2-16 or 10:2-12 (140) Pss III 8 Mon Weekday green Gal 1:6-12/Lk 10:25-37 (461) 9 Tue Weekday green/red/white [Saint Denis, Bishop, and Companions, Martyrs; Saint John Leonardi, Priest] Gal 1:13-24/Lk 10:38-42 (462) 10 Wed Weekday green Gal 2:1-2, 7-14/Lk 11:1-4 (463) 11 Thu Weekday green/white [Saint John XXIII, Pope] Gal 3:1-5/Lk 11:5-13 (464) 12 Weekday Fri green Gal 3:7-14/Lk 11:15-26 (465) 13 Sat Weekday green/white [BVM] Gal 3:22-29/Lk 11:27-28 (466) SUN TWENTY-EIGHTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME 14 green Wis 7:7-11/Heb 4:12-13/Mk 10:17-30 or 10:17-27 (143) Pss IV 15 Mon Saint Teresa of Jesus, Virgin and Doctor of the Church white Memorial Gal 4:22-24, 26-27, 31—5:1/Lk 11:29-32 (467)

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green/white/white

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Weekday

Gal 5:1-6/Lk 11:37-41 (468)

[Saint Hedwig, Religious; Saint Margaret Mary Alacoque, Virgin]

17 Wed Saint Ignatius of Antioch, Bishop and Martyr red Memorial Gal 5:18-25/Lk 11:42-46 (469) 18 Thu Saint Luke, Evangelist red Feast 2 Tm 4:10-17b/Lk 10:1-9 (661) Pss Prop 19 Fri USA: Saints John de Brébeuf and Isaac Jogues, Priests, red and Companions, Martyrs Memorial Eph 1:11-14/Lk 12:1-7 (471) 20 Sat Weekday green/white/white [USA: Saint Paul of the Cross, Priest; BVM] Eph 1:15-23/Lk 12:8-12 (472) 21 SUN TWENTY-NINTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME green Is 53:10-11/Heb 4:14-16/Mk 10:35-45 or 10:42-45 (146) Pss I 22 Mon Weekday green/white [Saint John Paul II, Pope] Eph 2:1-10/Lk 12:13-21 (473) 23 Weekday Tue green/white [Saint John of Capistrano, Priest] Eph 2:12-22/Lk 12:35-38 (474) 24 Wed Weekday green/white [Saint Anthony Mary Claret, Bishop] Eph 3:2-12/Lk 12:39-48 (475) 25 Thu Weekday green Eph 3:14-21/Lk 12:49-53 (476) **26** Fri Weekday green Eph 4:1-6/Lk 12:54-59 (477) 27 Sat Weekday green/white [BVM] Eph 4:7-16/Lk 13:1-9 (478) SUN THIRTIETH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME 28 green

Jer 31:7-9/Heb 5:1-6/Mk 10:46-52 (149) Pss II

29 Mon Weekday green Eph 4:32—5:8/Lk 13:10-17 (479) **30** Tue Weekday green Eph 5:21-33 (480) or 5:2a, 25-32 (122)/Lk 13:18-21 (480) 31 Wed Weekday green Eph 6:1-9/Lk 13:22-30 (481) NOVEMBER 2018 1 Thu **ALL SAINTS** white Solemnity [Holyday of Obligation] Rv 7:2-4, 9-14/1 Jn 3:1-3/Mt 5:1-12a (667) Pss Prop 2 Fri The Commemoration of All the Faithful Departed white or violet or black (All Souls' Day) Wis 3:1-9/Rom 5:5-11 or Rom 6:3-9/Jn 6:37-40 (668) or any readings from no. 668 or from the Lectionary for Mass (vol. IV), the Masses for the Dead, nos. 1011-1016 Pss Prop 3 Sat Weekday green/white/white [Saint Martin de Porres, Religious; BVM] Phil 1:18b-26/Lk 14:1, 7-11 (484) SUN THIRTY-FIRST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME green Dt 6:2-6/Heb 7:23-28/Mk 12:28b-34 (152) Pss III Mon Weekday green Phil 2:1-4/Lk 14:12-14 (485) Tue Weekday green Phil 2:5-11/Lk 14:15-24 (486) Wed Weekday green Phil 2:12-18/Lk 14:25-33 (487) Thu Weekday green Phil 3:3-8a/Lk 15:1-10 (488) The Dedication of the Lateran Basilica 9 Fri white Feast

Ez 47:1-2, 8-9, 12/1 Cor 3:9c-11, 16-17/Jn 2:13-22 (671) Pss Prop

10 Sat Saint Leo the Great, Pope and Doctor of the Church Memorial Phil 4:10-19/Lk 16:9-15 (490)	white
11 SUN THIRTY-SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME 1 Kgs 17:10-16/Heb 9:24-28/Mk 12:38-44 or 12:41-44 (155) Pss IV	green
12 Mon Saint Josaphat, Bishop and Martyr Memorial Ti 1:1-9/Lk 17:1-6 (491)	red
13 Tue USA: Saint Frances Xavier Cabrini, Virgin Memorial Ti 2:1-8, 11-14/Lk 17:7-10 (492)	white
14 Wed Weekday Ti 3:1-7/Lk 17:11-19 (493)	green
15 Thu Weekday [Saint Albert the Great, Bishop and Doctor of the Church] Phlm 7-20/Lk 17:20-25 (494)	green/white
16 Fri Weekday [Saint Margaret of Scotland; Saint Gertrude, Virgin] 2 Jn 4-9/Lk 17:26-37 (495)	green/white/white
17 Sat Saint Elizabeth of Hungary, Religious Memorial 3 Jn 5-8/Lk 18:1-8 (496)	white
18 SUN THIRTY-THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME Dn 12:1-3/Heb 10:11-14, 18/Mk 13:24-32 (158) Pss I	green
19 Mon Weekday Rv 1:1-4; 2:1-5/Lk 18:35-43 (497)	green
20 Tue Weekday Rv 3:1-6, 14-22/Lk 19:1-10 (498)	green
21 Wed The Presentation of the Blessed Virgin Mary Memorial Rv 4:1-11/Lk 19:11-28 (499)	white

22 Saint Cecilia, Virgin and Martyr red/white Memorial [USA: Thanksgiving Day] Rv 5:1-10/Lk 19:41-44 (500) or, for Thanksgiving Day, any readings from the Lectionary for Mass (vol. IV), the Mass "In Thanksgiving to God," nos. 943-947 23 Fri Weekday green/red/white/red [Saint Clement I, Pope and Martyr; Saint Columban, Abbot; USA: Blessed Miguel Agustín Pro, Priest and Martyr] Rv 10:8-11/Lk 19:45-48 (501) 24 Saint Andrew Düng-Lac, Priest, and Companions, Martyrs Sat red Memorial Rv 11:4-12/Lk 20:27-40 (502) 25 SUN OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST, KING OF THE UNIVERSE white Solemnity Dn 7:13-14/Rv 1:5-8/Jn 18:33b-37 (161) Pss Prop 26 Mon Weekday (Thirty-Fourth or Last Week in Ordinary Time) green Rv 14:1-3, 4b-5/Lk 21:1-4 (503) Pss II 27 Tue Weekday green Rv 14:14-19/Lk 21:5-11 (504) 28 Wed Weekday green Rv 15:1-4/Lk 21:12-19 (505) 29 Thu Weekday green Rv 18:1-2, 21-23; 19:1-3, 9a/Lk 21:20-28 (506) **30** Fri Saint Andrew, Apostle red Feast Rom 10:9-18/Mt 4:18-22 (684) Pss Prop DECEMBER 2018 1 Sat Weekday green/white [BVM] Rv 22:1-7/Lk 21:34-36 (508) YEAR C - WEEKDAYS I

violet

SUN FIRST SUNDAY OF ADVENT

Jer 33:14-16/1 Thes 3:12—4:2/Lk 21:25-28, 34-36 (3) Pss I

Mon Saint Francis Xavier, Priest white Memorial Is 2:1-5/Mt 8:5-11 (175) violet/white 4 **Advent Weekday** Tue [Saint John Damascene, Priest and Doctor of the Church] Is 11:1-10/Lk 10:21-24 (176) Wed Advent Weekday violet Is 25:6-10a/Mt 15:29-37 (177) violet/white Thu Advent Weekday [Saint Nicholas, Bishop] Is 26:1-6/Mt 7:21, 24-27 (178) 7 Fri Saint Ambrose, Bishop and Doctor of the Church white Memorial Is 29:17-24/Mt 9:27-31 (179) 8 THE IMMACULATE CONCEPTION OF THE Sat white **BLESSED VIRGIN MARY** (Patronal Feastday of the United States of America) Solemnity [Holyday of Obligation] Gn 3:9-15, 20/Eph 1:3-6, 11-12/Lk 1:26-38 (689) Pss Prop SUN SECOND SUNDAY OF ADVENT violet Bar 5:1-9/Phil 1:4-6, 8-11/Lk 3:1-6 (6) Pss II 10 Mon Advent Weekday violet Is 35:1-10/Lk 5:17-26 (181) 11 **Advent Weekday** violet/white Tue [Saint Damasus I, Pope] Is 40:1-11/Mt 18:12-14 (182) **12** Wed USA: Our Lady of Guadalupe white Feast Zec 2:14-17 or Rv 11:19a; 12:1-6a, 10ab/Lk 1:26-38 or Lk 1:39-47 (690A), or any readings from the Lectionary for Mass (vol. IV), the Common of the Blessed Virgin Mary, nos. 707-712 Pss Prop 13 Thu Saint Lucy, Virgin and Martyr red Memorial Is 41:13-20/Mt 11:11-15 (184)

14 Fri Saint John of the Cross, Priest and Doctor of the Church Memorial	white
Is 48:17-19/Mt 11:16-19 (185)	
15 Sat Advent Weekday Sir 48:1-4, 9-11/Mt 17:9a, 10-13 (186)	violet
16 SUN THIRD SUNDAY OF ADVENT Zep 3:14-18a/Phil 4:4-7/Lk 3:10-18 (9) Pss III	violet or rose
17 Mon Advent Weekday Gn 49:2, 8-10/Mt 1:1-17 (193)	violet
18 Tue Advent Weekday Jer 23:5-8/Mt 1:18-25 (194)	violet
19 Wed Advent Weekday Jgs 13:2-7, 24-25a/Lk 1:5-25 (195)	violet
20 Thu Advent Weekday Is 7:10-14/Lk 1:26-38 (196)	violet
21 Fri Advent Weekday [Saint Peter Canisius, Priest and Doctor of the Church] Sg 2:8-14 or Zep 3:14-18a/Lk 1:39-45 (197)	violet
22 Sat Advent Weekday 1 Sm 1:24-28/Lk 1:46-56 (198)	violet
23 SUN FOURTH SUNDAY OF ADVENT Mi 5:1-4a/Heb 10:5-10/Lk 1:39-45 (12) Pss IV	violet
24 Mon Advent Weekday Morning: 2 Sm 7:1-5, 8b-12, 14a, 16/Lk 1:67-79 (200)	violet
25 Tue THE NATIVITY OF THE LORD (Christmas) Solemnity [Holyday of Obligation] Vigil: Is 62:1-5/Acts 13:16-17, 22-25/Mt 1:1-25 or 1:18-25 (13) Night: Is 9:1-6/Ti 2:11-14/Lk 2:1-14 (14) Dawn: Is 62:11-12/Ti 3:4-7/Lk 2:15-20 (15) Day: Is 52:7-10/Heb 1:1-6/Jn 1:1-18 or 1:1-5, 9-14 (16) Pss Prop	white
26 Wed Saint Stephen, The First Martyr Feast Acts 6:8-10; 7:54-59/Mt 10:17-22 (696) Pss Prop	red
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27	Thu	Saint John, Apostle and Evangelist	white
<i>Feast</i> 1 Jn 1:	1-4/Jn 2	20:1a, 2-8 (697) Pss Prop	
28 Feast	Fri	The Holy Innocents, Martyrs	red
	5—2:2/	Mt 2:13-18 (698) Pss Prop	
-		Fifth Day within the Octave of the Nativity of the Lord is Becket, Bishop and Martyr] (2:22-35 (202) Pss Prop	white
30 Feast	SUN	THE HOLY FAMILY OF JESUS, MARY AND JOSEPH	white
Sir 3:2	-6, 12-1	14/Col 3:12-21 or 3:12-17/Lk 2:41-52 or, for Year C,	
1 Sm 1	:20-22,	24-28/1 Jn 3:1-2, 21-24/Lk 2:41-52 (17) Pss Prop	
-	Sylveste	Seventh Day within the Octave of the Nativity of the Lord er I, Pope] in 1:1-18 (204) Pss Prop	white