

2025 LECTIONARY READINGS YEAR C

MONTH	January
DAY	1
EVENT	New Year's Day
LITURGICAL COLOUR	White
THEME:	God's Blessings
<i>OLD TESTAMENT</i>	<i>Ecclesiastes 3:1-13</i>
PSALMS	Psalms 8
NEW TESTAMENTS / EPISTLE	Revelation 21:1-6a
GOSPEL	Matthew 25:31-46

MONTH	January
DAY	5
EVENT	Second Sunday after Christmas
LITURGICAL COLOUR	White
THEME:	Christ the Light of the World
OLD TESTAMENTS	Jeremiah 31:7-14
<i>PSALMS</i>	<i>Psalms 147:12-20</i>
NEW TESTAMENTS / EPISTLE	Ephesians 1:3-14
GOSPEL	John 1:1-9 & 18

MONTH	January
DAY	12
EVENT	Baptism of the Lord
LITURGICAL COLOUR	White
THEME:	The Baptism of the Holy Spirit
OLD TESTAMENTS	Isaiah 43:1-7
<i>PSALMS</i>	<i>Psalms 29</i>
NEW TESTAMENTS / EPISTLE	Acts 8:14-17
GOSPEL	Luke 3:15-17, 21-22

MONTH	January
DAY	19
EVENT	Second Sunday after the Epiphany
LITURGICAL COLOUR	Green
THEME:	God's Signs and Gifts
<i>OLD TESTAMENTS</i>	<i>Isaiah 62:1-5</i>
PSALMS	Psalms 36:5-10
NEW TESTAMENTS / EPISTLE	1 Corinthians 12:1-11
GOSPEL	John 2:1-11

MONTH	January
DAY	26
EVENT	Third Sunday after the Epiphany
LITURGICAL COLOUR	Green
THEME:	Religious Unity
OLD TESTAMENTS	Nehemiah 8:1-10
<i>PSALMS</i>	<i>Psalms 19</i>
NEW TESTAMENTS / EPISTLE	1 Corinthians 12:12-31a
GOSPEL	Luke 4:14-21

MONTH	February
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DAY
EVENT
LITURGICAL COLOUR
THEME:
OLD TESTAMENTS
PSALMS
NEW TESTAMENTS / EPISTLE
GOSPEL

2
Fourth Sunday after the Epiphany
Green
The Largeness of Love
Jeremiah 1:4-10
Psalm 71:1-6
1 Corinthians 13:1-13
Luke 4:21-30

MONTH
DAY
EVENT
LITURGICAL COLOUR
THEME:
OLD TESTAMENTS
PSALMS
NEW TESTAMENTS / EPISTLE
GOSPEL

February
9
Fifth Sunday after the Epiphany
Green
The Holiness of God
Isaiah 6:1-8
Psalm 138
1 Corinthians 15:1-11
Luke 5:1-11

MONTH
DAY
EVENT
LITURGICAL COLOUR
THEME:
OLD TESTAMENTS
PSALMS
NEW TESTAMENTS / EPISTLE
GOSPEL

February
16
Sixth Sunday after the Epiphany
Green
The meaning of Jesus's Resurrection
Jeremiah 17:5-10
Psalm 1
1 Corinthians 15:12-20
Luke 6:17-26

MONTH
DAY
EVENT
LITURGICAL COLOUR
THEME:
OLD TESTAMENTS
PSALMS
NEW TESTAMENTS / EPISTLE
GOSPEL

February
23
Seventh Sunday after the Epiphany
Green
Love your enemies
Genesis 45:3-11, 15
Psalm 37:1-11, 39-40
1 Corinthians 15:42-50
Luke 6:27-38

MONTH
DAY
EVENT
LITURGICAL COLOUR
THEME:
OLD TESTAMENTS
PSALMS
NEW TESTAMENTS / EPISTLE
GOSPEL

March
2
Transfiguration Sunday
White
Being Transformed into His likeness
Exodus 34:29-35
Psalm 99
2 Corinthians 3:12-4:2
Luke 9:28-36

MONTH
DAY
EVENT
LITURGICAL COLOUR

March
5
Ash Wednesday
Violet / Ash

THEME:
OLD TESTAMENTS
PSALMS
NEW TESTAMENTS / EPISTLE
GOSPEL

Broken and a Contrite heart
Joel 2:12-17
Psalm 51:1-17
2 Corinthians 6:1 - 10
Matthew 6:1-6, 16-21

MONTH
DAY
EVENT
LITURGICAL COLOUR
THEME:
OLD TESTAMENTS
PSALMS
NEW TESTAMENTS / EPISTLE
GOSPEL

March
9
First Sunday in Lent
Violet
Truthfulness in worship
Deuteronomy 26:1-11
Psalm 91:1-2, 9-16
Romans 10:8-13
Luke 4:1-13

MONTH
DAY
EVENT
LITURGICAL COLOUR
THEME:
OLD TESTAMENTS
PSALMS
NEW TESTAMENTS / EPISTLE
GOSPEL

March
16
Second Sunday in Lent
Violet
Singleness of purpose
Genesis 15:1-12, 17-18
Psalm 27
Philippians 3:17-4:1
Luke 13:31-35

MONTH
DAY
EVENT
LITURGICAL COLOUR
THEME:
OLD TESTAMENTS
PSALMS
NEW TESTAMENTS / EPISTLE
GOSPEL

March
23
Third Sunday in Lent
Violet
Conversion
Isaiah 55:1-9
Psalm 63:1-8
1 Corinthians 10:1-13
Luke 13:1-9

MONTH
DAY
EVENT
LITURGICAL COLOUR
THEME:
OLD TESTAMENTS
PSALMS
NEW TESTAMENTS / EPISTLE
GOSPEL

March
30
Fourth Sunday in Lent
Violet
Reconciliation
Joshua 5:9-12
Psalm 32
2 Corinthians 5:16-21
Luke 15:1-3, 11b-32

MONTH
DAY
EVENT
LITURGICAL COLOUR
THEME:
OLD TESTAMENTS
PSALMS
NEW TESTAMENTS / EPISTLE

April
6
Fifth Sunday in Lent
Violet
Building a new nation in Christ
Isaiah 43:16-21
Psalm 126
Philippians 3:4b-14

GOSPEL

John 12:1-8

MONTH
DAY
EVENT
LITURGICAL COLOUR
THEME:
OLD TESTAMENTS
PSALMS
NEW TESTAMENTS / EPISTLE
GOSPEL

April
13
Palm Sunday
Red
The Suffering of the Innocent
Isaiah 50:4-9a
Psalm 31:9-16
Philippians 2:5-11
Luke 19:28-40

MONTH
DAY
EVENT
LITURGICAL COLOUR
THEME:
OLD TESTAMENTS
PSALMS
NEW TESTAMENTS / EPISTLE
GOSPEL

April
14
Monday of Holy Week
Red
Cleansed by the Blood of Christ
Isaiah 42:1-9
Psalm 36:5-11
Hebrews 9:11-15
John 12:1-11

MONTH
DAY
EVENT
LITURGICAL COLOUR
THEME:
OLD TESTAMENTS
PSALMS
NEW TESTAMENTS / EPISTLE
GOSPEL

April
15
Tuesday of Holy Week
Red
Preach Christ Crucified
Isaiah 49:1-7
Psalm 71:1-14
1 Corinthians 1:18-25
John 12:20-36

MONTH
DAY
EVENT
LITURGICAL COLOUR
THEME:
OLD TESTAMENTS
PSALMS
NEW TESTAMENTS / EPISTLE
GOSPEL

April
16
Wednesday of Holy Week
Red
Run the race with eyes fixed on God
Isaiah 50:4-9
Psalm 70
Hebrews 12:1-3
John 13:21-32

MONTH
DAY
EVENT
LITURGICAL COLOUR
THEME:
OLD TESTAMENTS
PSALMS
NEW TESTAMENTS / EPISTLE
GOSPEL

April
17
Maundy Thursday
White
Humility in Love and Service
Exodus 12:1-14
Psalm 116:1-2, 12-19
1 Corinthians 11:23-26
John 13:1-17

MONTH
DAY
EVENT
LITURGICAL COLOUR
THEME:
OLD TESTAMENTS
PSALMS
NEW TESTAMENTS / EPISTLE
GOSPEL

April
18
Good Friday
Red
Dying with the Lord
Isaiah 52:13-15; 53:1-12
Psalm 22
Hebrews 10:16-25
John 19:1-42

MONTH
DAY
EVENT
LITURGICAL COLOUR
THEME:
ACTS OF THE APOSTLES
PSALMS
NEW TESTAMENTS / EPISTLE
GOSPEL

April
20
Resurrection of the Lord
White
Christ's Victory over death
Acts 10:34-43
Psalm 118:1-2, 14-24
1 Corinthians 15:19-26
Luke 24:1-12

MONTH
DAY
EVENT
LITURGICAL COLOUR
THEME:
ACTS OF THE APOSTLES
PSALMS
NEW TESTAMENTS / EPISTLE
GOSPEL

April
27
Second Sunday of Easter
Green
The Presence of the Risen Lord
Acts 5:27-32
Psalm 150
Revelation 1:4-8
John 20:19-31

MONTH
DAY
EVENT
LITURGICAL COLOUR
THEME:
ACTS OF THE APOSTLES
PSALMS
NEW TESTAMENTS / EPISTLE
GOSPEL

May
4
Third Sunday of Easter
Green
Jesus Christ, our salvation
Acts 9:1-6
Psalm 30
Revelation 5:11-14
John 21:1-19

MONTH
DAY
EVENT
LITURGICAL COLOUR
THEME
OLD TESTAMENTS
PSALMS
NEW TESTAMENTS / EPISTLE
GOSPEL

May
11
Fourth Sunday of Easter
Green
Sheep and Shepherd
Acts 9:36-43
Psalm 23
Revelation 7:9-17
John 10:22-30

MONTH

May

DAY	18
EVENT	Fifth Sunday of Easter
LITURGICAL COLOUR	Green
THEME	Jesus accepts all
ACTS OF THE APOSTLES	Acts 11:1-18
<i>PSALMS</i>	<i>Psalm 148</i>
NEW TESTAMENTS / EPISTLE	Revelation 21:1-6
GOSPEL	John 13:31-35
MONTH	May
DAY	25
EVENT	Sixth Sunday of Easter
LITURGICAL COLOUR	Green
THEME	Peacemaking
<i>ACTS OF THE APOSTLES</i>	<i>Acts 16:9-15</i>
PSALMS	Psalm 67
NEW TESTAMENTS / EPISTLE	Revelation 21:10, 22-22:5
GOSPEL	John 14:23-29 or John 5:1-9
MONTH	May
DAY	29
EVENT	Ascension of the Lord
LITURGICAL COLOUR	White
THEME	Witnessing to Christ
ACTS OF THE APOSTLES	Acts 1:1-11
<i>PSALMS</i>	<i>Psalm 47 or Psalm 93</i>
NEW TESTAMENTS / EPISTLE	Ephesians 1:15-23
GOSPEL	Luke 24:44-53
MONTH	June
DAY	1
EVENT	Seventh Sunday of Easter
LITURGICAL COLOUR	Green
THEME	Let Us All Be One, for Christ's Sake!
ACTS OF THE APOSTLES	Acts 16:16-34
<i>PSALMS</i>	<i>Psalm 97</i>
NEW TESTAMENTS / EPISTLE	Revelation 22:12-21
GOSPEL	John 17:20-26
MONTH	June
DAY	8
EVENT	Day of Pentecost
LITURGICAL COLOUR	Red
THEME	Openness to the Spirit
ACTS OF THE APOSTLES	Acts 2:1-21
<i>PSALMS</i>	<i>Psalm 104:24-34, 35b</i>
NEW TESTAMENTS / EPISTLE	Romans 8:14-17
GOSPEL	John 14:15-17, 25-27
MONTH	June
DAY	15
EVENT	Trinity Sunday
LITURGICAL COLOUR	White
THEME	Grace, Love and Fellowship
OLD TESTAMENTS	Proverbs 8:1-4, 22-31

PSALMS

NEW TESTAMENTS / EPISTLE
GOSPEL

Psalm 8

Romans 5:1-5
John 16:12-15

MONTH

DAY

EVENT

LITURGICAL COLOUR

THEME

OLD TESTAMENTS

PSALMS

NEW TESTAMENTS / EPISTLE

GOSPEL

June

22

2nd Sunday after Pentecost

Green

Christ shall set you free

Isaiah 65:1-9

Psalm 22:19-28

Galatians 3:23-29

Luke 8:26-39

MONTH

DAY

EVENT

LITURGICAL COLOUR

THEME

OLD TESTAMENTS

PSALMS

NEW TESTAMENTS / EPISTLE

GOSPEL

June

29

3rd Sunday after Pentecost

Green

Single-Mindedness

2 Kings 2:1-2, 6-14

Psalm 16

Galatians 5:1, 13-25

Luke 9:51-62

MONTH

DAY

EVENT

LITURGICAL COLOUR

THEME

OLD TESTAMENTS

PSALMS

NEW TESTAMENTS / EPISTLE

GOSPEL

July

6

4th Sunday after Pentecost

Green

Missionary Christianity

2 Kings 5:1-14

Psalm 66:1-9

Galatians 6:1-6

Luke 10: 1-9 & 17-20

MONTH

DAY

EVENT

LITURGICAL COLOUR

THEME

OLD TESTAMENT

PSALMS

NEW TESTAMENTS / EPISTLE

GOSPEL

July

13

5th Sunday after Pentecost

Green

The Good Samaritan

Deuteronomy 30:9-14

Psalm 82

Colossians 1:1-14

Luke 10:25-37

MONTH

DAY

EVENT

LITURGICAL COLOUR

THEME

OLD TESTAMENTS

PSALMS

NEW TESTAMENTS / EPISTLE

GOSPEL

July

20

6th Sunday after Pentecost

Green

Being Faithful to one's calling

Genesis 18:1-10

Psalm 15

Colossians 1:15-28

Luke 10:38-42

MONTH
DAY
EVENT
LITURGICAL COLOUR
THEME
OLD TESTAMENTS
PSALMS
NEW TESTAMENTS / EPISTLE
GOSPEL

July
27
7th Sunday after Pentecost
Green
Perseverance in Prayer
Genesis 18:20-32
Psalm 138
Colossians 2:6-15, 16-19
Luke 11:1-13

MONTH
DAY
EVENT
LITURGICAL COLOUR
THEME
OLD TESTAMENTS
PSALMS
NEW TESTAMENTS / EPISTLE
GOSPEL

August
3
8th Sunday after Pentecost
Green
Set your Heart on Things Above
Ecclesiastes 2:18-23
Psalm 49:1-12
Colossians 3:1-11
Luke 12:13-21

MONTH
DAY
EVENT
LITURGICAL COLOUR
THEME
OLD TESTAMENTS
OLD TESTAMENTS
NEW TESTAMENTS / EPISTLE
GOSPEL

August
10
9th Sunday after Pentecost
Green
Readiness for the Lord's Coming
Psalm 50:1-8, 22-23
Psalm 50:1-8, 22-23
Hebrews 11:8-16
Luke 12:35-40

MONTH
DAY
EVENT
LITURGICAL COLOUR
THEME
OLD TESTAMENTS
PSALMS
NEW TESTAMENTS / EPISTLE
GOSPEL

August
17
10th Sunday after Pentecost
Green
Knowing the times
Psalm 80:1-2, 8-19
Psalm 82
Hebrews 11:32 – 40
Luke 12:54 – 59

MONTH
DAY
EVENT
LITURGICAL COLOUR
THEME
OLD TESTAMENTS
PSALMS
NEW TESTAMENTS / EPISTLE
GOSPEL

August
24
11th Sunday after Pentecost
Green
God's Love and Church Tradition
Isaiah 58:9-14
Psalm 71:1-6
Hebrews 12:18-29
Luke 13:10-17

MONTH
DAY
EVENT
LITURGICAL COLOUR
THEME
OLD TESTAMENTS
PSALMS
NEW TESTAMENTS/ EPISTLE
GOSPEL

August
31
12th Sunday after Pentecost
Green
Humility brings Exaltation
Jeremiah 2:4-13
Psalm 112
Hebrews 13:1-8, 15-16
Luke 14: 7-14

MONTH
DAY
EVENT
LITURGICAL COLOUR
THEME
OLD TESTAMENTS
PSALMS
NEW TESTAMENTS/ EPISTLE
GOSPEL

September
7
13th Sunday after Pentecost
Green
The Cost of Discipleship
Psalms 139:1-6, 13-18
Psalm 1
Philemon 1:8-21
Luke 14:25-33

MONTH
DAY
EVENT
LITURGICAL COLOUR
THEME
OLD TESTAMENTS
PSALMS
NEW TESTAMENTS/ EPISTLE
GOSPEL

September
14
14th Sunday after Pentecost
Green
God's unique kind of Forgiveness
Exodus 32:7-14
Psalm 51:1-10
1 Timothy 1:12-17
Luke 15:1-10

MONTH
DAY
EVENT
LITURGICAL COLOUR
THEME
OLD TESTAMENTS
PSALMS
NEW TESTAMENTS/ EPISTLE
GOSPEL

September
21
15th Sunday after Pentecost
Green
You cannot serve God and Wealth
Amos 8:4-7
Psalms 113
1 Timothy 2:1-7
Luke 16:1-13

MONTH
DAY
EVENT
LITURGICAL COLOUR
THEME
OLD TESTAMENTS
PSALMS
NEW TESTAMENTS/ EPISTLE
GOSPEL

September
28
16th Sunday after Pentecost
Green
Responsibility to the marginalized
Amos 6: 4-7
Psalms 146
1 Timothy 6:6-19
Luke 16:19-31

MONTH
DAY
EVENT

October
5
17th Sunday after Pentecost

LITURGICAL COLOUR
THEME
OLD TESTAMENTS
PSALMS
NEW TESTAMENTS / EPISTLE
GOSPEL

Green
Have Faith in the Lord
Habakkuk 2:1-4
Psalm 37:1-9
2 Timothy 1:1-14
Luke 17:5-10

MONTH
DAY
EVENT
LITURGICAL COLOUR
THEME
OLD TESTAMENTS
PSALMS
NEW TESTAMENTS / EPISTLE
GOSPEL

October
12
18th Sunday after Pentecost
Green
The Saving Power of God
Jeremiah 29: 4-7
Psalm 66:1-12
2 Timothy 2:8-15
Luke 17:11-19

MONTH
DAY
EVENT
LITURGICAL COLOUR
THEME
OLD TESTAMENTS
PSALMS
NEW TESTAMENTS / EPISTLE
GOSPEL

October
19
19th Sunday after Pentecost
Green
Persistence in Prayer
Genesis 32:22-31
Psalms 121
2 Timothy 4:1 - 5
Luke 18:1-8

MONTH
DAY
EVENT
LITURGICAL COLOUR
THEME
OLD TESTAMENTS
PSALMS
NEW TESTAMENTS / EPISTLE
GOSPEL

October
26
20th Sunday after Pentecost
Green
True Religion
Joel 2:23-32
Psalms 65
2 Timothy 4:6-8, 16-18
Luke 18:9-14

MONTH
DAY
EVENT
LITURGICAL COLOUR
THEME
OLD TESTAMENTS
PSALMS
NEW TESTAMENTS / EPISTLE
GOSPEL

November
1
All Saints Day
White
Blessings
Daniel 7:1-3, 15-18
Psalm 149
Ephesians 1:11-23
Luke 6:20-31

MONTH
DAY
EVENT
LITURGICAL COLOUR
THEME
OLD TESTAMENTS
PSALMS

November
2
21st Sunday after Pentecost
Green
Mercy as the Way to Salvation
Isaiah 1:10-18
Psalms 119 :137 - 144

NEW TESTAMENTS / EPISTLE GOSPEL	2 Thessalonians 1:1-4, 11-12 Luke 19:1-10
MONTH DAY EVENT LITURGICAL COLOUR THEME OLD TESTAMENTS <i>PSALMS</i> NEW TESTAMENTS / EPISTLE GOSPEL	November 9 22nd Sunday after Pentecost Green The God of the Living Job 19:23-27 <i>Psalm 17:1-9a</i> 2 Thessalonians 2:1-5 Luke 20:27-38
MONTH DAY EVENT LITURGICAL COLOUR THEME OLD TESTAMENTS <i>PSALMS</i> NEW TESTAMENTS / EPISTLE GOSPEL	November 16 23rd Sunday after Pentecost Green Sign of the End Times Isaiah 65:17-25 <i>Psalm 98</i> 2 Thessalonians 3:6-13 Luke 21:5-19
MONTH DAY EVENT LITURGICAL COLOUR THEME OLD TESTAMENTS <i>PSALMS</i> NEW TESTAMENTS / EPISTLE GOSPEL	November 23 24th Sunday after Pentecost Green True Leadership Jeremiah 23:1-6 <i>Psalm 46</i> Colossians 1:11-20 Luke 23:33-43
MONTH DAY EVENT LITURGICAL COLOUR THEME OLD TESTAMENTS <i>PSALMS</i> NEW TESTAMENTS / EPISTLE GOSPEL	November 30 First Sunday of Advent Violet Preparing for His Coming Jeremiah 33:14-16 <i>Psalm 25:1-10</i> 1 Thessalonians 3:9-13 Luke 21:25-36
MONTH DAY EVENT LITURGICAL COLOUR THEME OLD TESTAMENTS <i>PSALMS</i> NEW TESTAMENTS / EPISTLE GOSPEL	December 7 Second Sunday of Advent Violet Prepare the Way of the Lord Malachi 3:1-4 <i>Psalm 75:1 -10</i> Philippians 1:3-11 Luke 3:1-6
MONTH DAY	December 14

EVENT
LITURGICAL COLOUR
THEME
OLD TESTAMENTS
PSALMS
NEW TESTAMENTS / EPISTLE
GOSPEL

Third Sunday of Advent
Violet
Rejoice: God is in Our Midst
Zephaniah 3:14-20
Psalm 50:1-6
Philippians 4:4-7
Luke 3:7-18

MONTH
DAY
EVENT
LITURGICAL COLOUR
THEME
OLD TESTAMENTS
PSALMS
NEW TESTAMENTS / EPISTLE
GOSPEL

December
21
Fourth Sunday of Advent
Violet
Blessed is the fruit of your womb
Micah 5:2-5a
Psalm 80:1-7
Hebrews 10:5-10
Luke 1:39-55)

MONTH
DAY
EVENT
LITURGICAL COLOUR
THEME
OLD TESTAMENTS
PSALMS
NEW TESTAMENTS / EPISTLE
GOSPEL

December
25
Nativity of the Lord
White/Gold
Peace
Isaiah 9:2-7
Psalm 96
Titus 2:11-14
Luke 2:1-20

MONTH
DAY
EVENT
LITURGICAL COLOUR
THEME
OLD TESTAMENTS
PSALMS
NEW TESTAMENTS / EPISTLE
GOSPEL

December
28
First Sunday after Christmas Day
White
Good Family Relationships
1 Samuel 2:18-20, 26
Psalm 148
Colossians 3:12-17
Luke 2:41-52

MONTH
DAY
EVENT
LITURGICAL COLOUR
THEME
OLD TESTAMENTS
PSALMS
NEW TESTAMENTS / EPISTLE
GOSPEL

December
31
Holy Name of Jesus
White
Growth in Maturity
Numbers 6:22-27
Psalm 8
Galatians 4:4-7
Luke 2:15-21