

**LITURGICAL CALENDAR
2007
FOR THE DIOCESES OF
THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA**

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Introduction

Each year the Secretariat for the Liturgy 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 Particular Calendar for the Dioceses of the United States of America, approved by the National Conference of Catholic Bishops.¹

The *General Instruction of the Roman Missal, 2002*, reminds us that in the cycles of readings and prayers proclaimed throughout the year in the sacred liturgy “the mysteries of redemption are recalled in the Mass in such a way that they are in some way made present.” Thus may each celebration of the Holy Eucharist which is served by this calendar be for the Church in all the dioceses of the United States of America “the high point 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.”²

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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, 2002*, 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, 2002*, no. 16

2007

First Sunday of Advent	December 3, 2006
Ash Wednesday	February 21, 2007
Easter Sunday	April 8, 2007
Ascension of the Lord [Thursday]	May 17, 2007
Pentecost Sunday	May 27, 2007
Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ	June 10, 2007
First Sunday of Advent	December 2, 2007

CYCLES — LECTIONARY FOR MASS

Sunday Cycle	YEAR C	December 3, 2006 to November 25, 2007
Weekday Cycle	YEAR 1	January 9, 2007 to February 20, 2007 May 28, 2007 to December 1, 2007
Sunday Cycle	YEAR A	December 2, 2007 to November 23, 2008

The cycles given above have been used in the preparation of this calendar. The readings from the Proper of Seasons and Proper of the 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*. These readings are marked with an asterisk (*) and must be used on those days. Substitutions from the Sanctoral Proper or from the Common 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 cycle. (See the Introduction to the *Lectionary for Mass*, no. 83.) In this calendar, optional memorials are designated by brackets.

The Scripture citations and *Lectionary* numbers for all readings, and the spellings of the names of saints and the blessed are from the second typical edition (1998) of the *Lectionary for Mass for Use in the Dioceses of the United States of America*, which is based on the *editio typica altera* (1981) of the *Ordo Lectionum Missae*.

LITURGY OF THE HOURS

Dec. 3, 2006 – Jan. 8, 2007	Advent, Christmas	Vol. I
Jan. 9 – Feb. 20, 2007	Weeks 1 to 7, Ordinary Time	Vol. III
Feb. 21 – May 27, 2007	Lent, Triduum, Easter	Vol. II
May 28 – Aug. 4, 2007	Weeks 8 to 17, Ordinary Time	Vol. III
Aug. 5 – Dec. 1, 2007	Weeks 18 to 34, Ordinary Time	Vol. IV
Dec. 2, 2007 - Jan. 13, 2008	Advent, Christmas	Vol. I

MISCELLANEOUS NOTES

1. The 2007 liturgical year begins on the First Sunday of Advent, December 3, 2006
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 Missae* (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*, 2002, no. 373) should be added, along with other commemorations of saints and the blessed 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 17, 2007, to the following Sunday, May 20, 2007. In those archdioceses and dioceses, Thursday, May 17, is observed as an Easter Weekday.

5. Outside the Advent, Christmas, Lenten, and Easter seasons, 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 holy days 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 USCCB allowing Hawaii to legislate on this matter in accord with the policies of the Conference of Bishops of the South Pacific (CEPAC).

YEAR C – WEEKDAY 1

DECEMBER, 2006

- 3 SUN FIRST SUNDAY OF ADVENT** violet
Jer 33:14-16/1 Thes 3:12—4:2/Lk 21:25-28, 34-36 (3) Pss I³
- 4 Mon Advent Weekday** violet/white
[Saint John of Damascus, priest and doctor of the Church]
(optional memorials – indicated by the use of italics within brackets)
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 Immaculate Conception of the Blessed Virgin Mary** white
solemnity [holy day 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, hermit]
Is 30:19-21, 23-26/Mt 9:35—10:1, 5a, 6-8 (180)
- 10 SUN SECOND SUNDAY OF ADVENT** violet
Bar 5:1-9/Phil 1:4-6, 8-11/Lk 3:1-6 (6) 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.

12	Tue	Our Lady of Guadalupe	white
		<i>feast</i>	
		Zec 2:14-17 or Rv 11:19a; 12:1-6a, 10ab/Lk 1:26-38 or Lk 1:39-47 (690A), or any reading from the Common of the Blessed Virgin Mary, <i>Lectionary for Ritual Masses</i> , vol. IV, nos. 707-712 Pss Prop	
13	Wed	Saint Lucy, virgin and martyr	red
		<i>memorial</i>	
		Is 40:25-31/Mt 11:28-30 (183)	
14	Thu	Saint John of the Cross, priest and doctor of the Church	white
		<i>memorial</i>	
		Is 41:13-20/Mt 11:11-15 (184)	
15	Fri	Advent Weekday	violet
		Is 48:17-19/Mt 11:16-19 (185)	
16	Sat	Advent Weekday	violet
		Sir 48:1-4, 9-11/Mt 17:9a, 10-13 (186)	
17	SUN	THIRD SUNDAY OF ADVENT	violet/rose
		Zep 3:14-18a/Phil 4:4-7/Lk 3:10-18 (9) Pss III	
18	Mon	Advent Weekday	violet
		Jer 23:5-8/Mt 1:18-25 (194)	
19	Tue	Advent Weekday	violet
		Jgs 13:2-7, 24-25a/Lk 1:5-25 (195)	
20	Wed	Advent Weekday	violet
		Is 7:10-14/Lk 1:26-38 (196)	
21	Thu	Advent Weekday	violet
		<i>[Saint Peter Canisius, priest and doctor of the Church]</i>	
		Sg 2:8-14 or Zep 3:14-18a/Lk 1:39-45 (197)	
22	Fri	Advent Weekday	violet
		1 Sm 1:24-28/Lk 1:46-56 (198)	
23	Sat	Advent Weekday	violet
		<i>[Saint John of Kanty, priest]</i>	
		Mal 3:1-4, 23-24/Lk 1:57-66 (199)	
24	SUN	FOURTH SUNDAY OF ADVENT	violet
		Mi 5:1-4a/Heb 10:5-10/Lk 1:39-45 (12) Pss IV	

- 25 Mon The Nativity of the Lord (Christmas)** white
solemnity [holy day of obligation]
 Vigil: Is 62:1-5/Acts 13:16-17, 22-25/Mt 1:1-25 or 1:18-25 (13)
 Midnight: 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
- 26 Tue Saint Stephen, first martyr** red
feast
 Acts 6:8-10; 7:54-59/Mt 10:17-22 (696) Pss Prop
- 27 Wed Saint John, apostle and evangelist** white
feast
 1 Jn 1:1-4/Jn 20:1a, 2-8 (697) Pss Prop
- 28 Thu The Holy Innocents, martyrs** red
feast
 1 Jn 1:5—2:2/Mt 2:13-18 (698) Pss Prop
- 29 Fri The Fifth Day in the Octave of Christmas** white
[Saint Thomas Becket, bishop and martyr]
 1 Jn 2:3-11/Lk 2:22-35 (202) Pss Prop
- 30 Sat The Sixth Day in the Octave of Christmas** white
 1 Jn 2:12-17/Lk 2:36-40 (203)
- 31 SUN THE HOLY FAMILY OF JESUS, MARY, AND JOSEPH** white
feast
 Sir 3:2-7, 12-14 or 1 Sm 1:20-22, 24-28/Col 3:12-21 or 3:12-17 or 1 Jn 3:1-2, 21-24/
 Lk 2:41-52 (17) Pss Prop/Pss I

JANUARY 2007

- 1 Mon The Octave Day of Christmas** white
The Blessed Virgin Mary, the Mother of God
solemnity [not a holy day of obligation]
 Nm 6:22-27/Gal 4:4-7/Lk 2:16-21 (18) Pss Prop
- 2 Tue Saint Basil the Great and Saint Gregory Nazianzen, bishops and doctors of the Church** white
memorial
 1 Jn 2:22-28/Jn 1:19-28 (205) Pss II

3	Wed Weekday <i>[The Most Holy Name of Jesus]</i> 1 Jn 2:29—3:6/ Jn 1:29-34 (206)	white/white
4	Thu Saint Elizabeth Ann Seton, religious memorial 1 Jn 3:7-10/Jn 1:35-42 (207)	white
5	Fri Saint John Neumann, bishop memorial 1 Jn 3:11-21/Jn 1:43-51 (208)	white
6	Sat Weekday <i>[Blessed André Bessette, religious]</i> 1 Jn 5:5-13/Mk 1:7-11 or Lk 3:23-38 or 3:23, 31-34, 36, 38 (209)	white/white
7	SUN THE EPIPHANY OF THE LORD <i>solemnity</i> Is 60:1-6/Eph 3:2-3a, 5-6/Mt 2:1-12 (20) Pss Prop	white
8	Mon The Baptism of the Lord <i>feast</i> Is 42:1-4, 6-7 or Is 40:1-5, 9-11 or Acts 10:34-38 or Ti 2:11-14; 3:4-7/Lk 3:15-16, 21-22 (21) Pss Prop	white
9	Tue Weekday (First Week in Ordinary Time) Heb 2:5-12/Mk 1:21-28 (306) Pss I	green
10	Wed Weekday Heb 2:14-18/Mk 1:29-39 (307)	green
11	Thu Weekday Heb 3:7-14/Mk 1:40-45 (308)	green
12	Fri Weekday Heb 4:1-5, 11/Mk 2:1-12 (309)	green
13	Sat Weekday <i>[Saint Hilary, bishop and doctor of the Church; BVM]</i> Heb 4:12-16/Mk 2:13-17 (310)	green/white/white
14	SUN SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME Is 62:1-5/1 Cor 12:4-11/Jn 2:1-11 (66) Pss II	green

- 15 Mon Weekday** green
Heb 5:1-10/Mk 2:18-22 (311)
- 16 Tue Weekday** green
Heb 6:10-20/Mk 2:23-28 (312)
- 17 Wed Saint Anthony, abbot** white
memorial
Heb 7:1-3, 15-17/Mk 3:1-6 (313)
- 18 Thu Weekday** green
Heb 7:25—8:6/Mk 3:7-12 (314)
- 19 Fri Weekday** green
Heb 8:6-13/Mk 3:13-19 (315)
- 20 Sat Weekday** green/red/red/white
[Saint Fabian, pope and martyr; Saint Sebastian, martyr; BVM]
Heb 9:2-3, 11-14/Mk 3:20-21 (316)
- 21 SUN THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME** green
Neh 8:2-4a, 5-6, 8-10/1 Cor 12:12-30 or 12:12-14, 27/Lk 1:1-4; 4:14-21 (69) Pss III
- 22 Mon Weekday** green/red/Mass: violet
[Saint Vincent, deacon and martyr]
[Day of penance for violations to the dignity of the human person committed through acts of abortion, and of prayer for the full restoration of the legal guarantee of the right to life. The Mass “For Peace and Justice” (no. 22 of the “Masses for Various Needs and Occasions”) should be celebrated with violet vestments (see “General Instruction of the Roman Missal,” no 373)]
Heb 9:15, 24-28/Mk 3:22-30 (317), or any readings from the Mass “For Peace and Justice,” *Lectionary for Ritual Masses*, vol IV, nos. 887-891
- 23 Tue Weekday** green
Heb 10:1-10/Mk 3:31-35 (318)
- 24 Wed Saint Francis de Sales, bishop and doctor of the Church** white
memorial
Heb 10:11-18/Mk 4:1-20 (319)
- 25 Thu The Conversion of Saint Paul, apostle** white
feast
Acts 22:3-16 or Acts 9:1-22/Mk 16:15-18 (519) Pss Prop

- 26 Fri Saint Timothy and Saint Titus, bishops** white
memorial
2 Tm 1:1-8* or Ti 1:1-5* (520)/Mk 4:26-34 (321)
- 27 Sat Weekday** green/white/white
[Saint Angela Merici, virgin; BVM]
Heb 11:1-2, 8-19/Mk 4:35-41 (322)
- 28 SUN FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME** green
Jer 1:4-5, 17-19/1 Cor 12:31—13:13 or 13:4-13/Lk 4:21-30 (72) Pss IV
- 29 Mon Weekday** green
Heb 11:32-40/Mk 5:1-20 (323)
- 30 Tue Weekday** green
Heb 12:1-4/Mk 5:21-43 (324)
- 31 Wed Saint John Bosco, priest** white
memorial
Heb 12:4-7, 11-15/Mk 6:1-6 (325)

FEBRUARY 2007

- 1 Thu Weekday** green
Heb 12:18-19, 21-24/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]
Heb 13:15-17, 20-21/Mk 6:30-34 (328)
- 4 SUN FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME** green
Is 6:1-2a, 3-8/1 Cor 15:1-11 or 15:3-8, 11/Lk 5:1-11 (75) Pss I
- 5 Mon Saint Agatha, virgin and martyr** red
memorial
Gn 1:1-19/Mk 6:53-56 (329)
- 6 Tue Saint Paul Miki, martyr, and his companions, martyrs** red
memorial
Gn 1:20—2:4a/Mk 7:1-13 (330)

7	Wed Weekday	green
	Gn 2:4b-9, 15-17/Mk 7:14-23 (331)	
8	Thu Weekday	green/white/white
	<i>[Saint Jerome Emiliani, priest; Saint Josephine Bakhita, virgin]</i> Gn 2:18-25/Mk 7:24-30 (332)	
9	Fri Weekday	green
	Gn 3:1-8/Mk 7:31-37 (333)	
10	Sat Saint Scholastica, virgin	white
	<i>memorial</i> Gn 3:9-24/Mk 8:1-10 (334)	
11	SUN SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME	green
	Jer 17:5-8/1 Cor 15:12, 16-20/Lk 6:17, 20-26 (78) Pss II	
12	Mon Weekday	green
	Gn 4:1-15, 25/Mk 8:11-13 (335)	
13	Tue Weekday	green
	Gn 6:5-8; 7:1-5, 10/Mk 8:14-21 (336)	
14	Wed Saint Cyril, monk, and Saint Methodius, bishop	white
	Gn 8:6-13, 20-22/Mk 8:22-26 (337)	
15	Thu Weekday	green
	Gn 9:1-13/Mk 8:27-33 (338)	
16	Fri Weekday	green
	Gn 11:1-9/Mk 8:34—9:1 (339)	
17	Sat Weekday	green/white/white
	<i>[The Seven Founders of the Order of Servites, religious; BVM]</i> Heb 11:1-7/Mk 9:2-13 (340)	
18	SUN SEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME	green
	1 Sm 26:2, 7-9, 12-13, 22-23/1 Cor 15:45-49/Lk 6:27-38 (81) Pss III	
19	Mon Weekday	green
	Sir 1:1-10/Mk 9:14-29 (341)	
20	Tue Weekday	green
	Sir 2:1-11/Mk 9:30-37 (342)	

21	Wed	Ash Wednesday	violet
Jl 2:12-18/ 2 Cor 5:20—6:2/ Mt 6:1-6, 16-18 (219) Pss IV			
22	Thu	The Chair of Saint Peter, apostle <i>feast</i>	white
1 Pt 5:1-4/Mt 16:13-19 (535) Pss Prop			
23	Fri	Lenten Weekday <i>[Saint Polycarp, bishop and martyr]</i>	violet
Is 58:1-9a/ Mt 9:14-15 (221)			
24	Sat	Lenten Weekday	violet
Is 58:9b-14/ Lk 5:27-32 (222)			
25	SUN	FIRST SUNDAY OF LENT	violet
Dt 26:4-10/Rom 10:8-13/Lk 4:1-13 (24) Pss I			
26	Mon	Lenten Weekday	violet
Lv 19:1-2, 11-18/ Mt 25:31-46 (224)			
27	Tue	Lenten Weekday	violet
Is 55:10-11/ Mt 6:7-15 (225)			
28	Wed	Lenten Weekday	violet
Jon 3:1-10/ Lk 11:29-32 (226)			

MARCH 2007

1	Thu	Lenten Weekday	violet
Est C:12, 14-16, 23-25/ Mt 7:7-12 (227)			
2	Fri	Lenten Weekday	violet
Ez 18:21-28/ Mt 5:20-26 (228)			
3	Sat	Lenten Weekday <i>[Saint Katharine Drexel, virgin]</i>	violet
Dt 26:16-19/ Mt 5:43-48 (229)			
4	SUN	SECOND SUNDAY OF LENT	violet
Gn 15:5-12, 17-18/Phil 3:17—4:1 or 3:20—4:1/Lk 9:28b-36 (27) Pss II			
5	Mon	Lenten Weekday	violet
Dn 9:4b-10/ Lk 6:36-38 (230)			

6	Tue Lenten Weekday	violet
	Is 1:10, 16-20/Mt 23:1-12 (231)	
7	Wed Lenten Weekday	violet
	<i>[Saint Perpetua and Saint Felicity, martyrs]</i> Jer 18:18-20/Mt 20:17-28 (232)	
8	Thu Lenten Weekday	violet
	<i>[Saint John of God, religious]</i> Jer 17:5-10/ Lk 16:19-31 (233)	
9	Fri Lenten Weekday	violet
	<i>[Saint Frances of Rome, religious]</i> Gn 37:3-4, 12-13a, 17b-28a/ Mt 21:33-43, 45-46 (234)	
10	Sat Lenten Weekday	violet
	Mi 7:14-15, 18-20/ Lk 15:1-3, 11-32 (235)	
11	SUN THIRD SUNDAY OF LENT	violet
	Ex 3:1-8a, 13-15/1 Cor 10:1-6, 10-12/Lk 13:1-9 (30), or, for Cycle 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	
12	Mon Lenten Weekday⁴	violet
	2 Kgs 5:1-15b/Lk 4:24-30 (237)	
13	Tue Lenten Weekday	violet
	Dn 3:25, 34-43/Mt 18:21-35 (238)	
14	Wed Lenten Weekday	violet
	Dt 4:1, 5-9/ Mt 5:17-19 (239)	
15	Thu Lenten Weekday	violet
	Jer 7:23-28/ Lk 11:14-23 (240)	
16	Fri Lenten Weekday	violet
	Hos 14:2-10/ Mk 12:28-34 (241)	
17	Sat Lenten Weekday	violet
	<i>[Saint Patrick, bishop]</i> Hos 6:1-6/Lk 18:9-14 (242)	

⁴ The following readings may be used on any Lenten 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)

- 18 SUN FOURTH SUNDAY OF LENT** violet/rose
 Jos 5:9a, 10-12/2 Cor 5:17-21/Lk 15:1-3, 11-32 or, for Cycle 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) Pss IV
- 19 Mon Saint Joseph, husband of the Blessed Virgin Mary** 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 Weekday⁵** violet
 Ez 47:1-9, 12/ Jn 5:1-16 (245)
- 21 Wed Lenten Weekday** violet
 Is 49:8-15/ Jn 5:17-30 (246)
- 22 Thu Lenten Weekday** violet
 Ex 32:7-14/ Jn 5:31-47 (247)
- 23 Fri Lenten Weekday** violet
[Saint Toribio de Mogrovejo, bishop]
 Wis 2:1a, 12-22/ Jn 7:1-2, 10, 25-30 (248)
- 24 Sat Lenten Weekday** violet
 Jer 11:18-20/ Jn 7:40-53 (249)
- 25 SUN FIFTH SUNDAY OF LENT** violet
 Is 43:16-21/Phil 3:8-14/Jn 8:1-11 or, for Cycle A, Ez 37:12-14/Rom 8:8-11/
 Jn 11:1-45 or 11:3-7, 17, 20-27, 33b-45 (34) Pss I
- 26 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
- 27 Tue Lenten Weekday⁶** violet
 Nm 21:4-9/ Jn 8:21-30 (252)
- 28 Wed Lenten Weekday** violet
 Dn 3:14-20, 91-92, 95/ Jn 8:31-42 (253)

⁵ 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

⁶ The following readings may be used on any 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)

29 Thu Lenten Weekday violet
Gn 17:3-9/ Jn 8:51-59 (254)

30 Fri Lenten Weekday violet
Jer 20:10-13/ Jn 10:31-42 (255)

31 Sat Lenten Weekday violet
Ez 37:21-28/Jn 11:45-56 (256)

APRIL 2007

1 SUN PALM SUNDAY OF THE LORD'S PASSION red
Lk 19:28-40 (37)/ Is 50:4-7/ Phil 2:6-11/ Lk 22:14—23:56 or 23:1-49 (38) Pss II

2 Mon Monday of Holy Week violet
Is 42:1-7/ Jn 12:1-11 (257)

3 Tue Tuesday of Holy Week violet
Is 49:1-6/ Jn 13:21-33, 36-38 (258)

4 Wed Wednesday of Holy Week violet
Is 50:4-9a/ Mt 26:14-25 (259)

5 Thu Holy Thursday⁷ 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)

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

7 Sat Holy Saturday⁸ violet/Vigil: white

⁷ If necessary, the Chrism Mass may be celebrated on a suitable day before Holy Thursday.

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/ Lk 24:1-12 (41) Pss Prop

8 SUN EASTER SUNDAY: THE RESURRECTION OF THE LORD white
solemnity

Acts 10:34a, 37-43/ Col 3:1-4 or 1 Cor 5:6b-8/ Jn 20:1-9 (42) or Lk 24:1-12 (41)
or, at an afternoon or evening Mass, Lk 24:13-35 (46) Pss Prop

9 Mon Monday in the Octave of Easter white
solemnity

Acts 2:14, 22-33/ Mt 28:8-15 (261) Pss Prop

10 Tue Tuesday in the Octave of Easter white
solemnity

Acts 2:36-41/ Jn 20:11-18 (262) Pss Prop

11 Wed Wednesday in the Octave of Easter white
solemnity

Acts 3:1-10/ Lk 24:13-35 (263) Pss Prop

12 Thu Thursday in the Octave of Easter white
solemnity

Acts 3:11-26/ Lk 24:35-48 (264) Pss Prop

13 Fri Friday in the Octave of Easter white
solemnity

Acts 4:1-12/ Jn 21:1-14 (265) Pss Prop

14 Sat Saturday in the Octave of Easter white
solemnity

Acts 4:13-21/ Mk 16:9-15 (266) Pss Prop

**15 SUN SECOND SUNDAY OF EASTER OR
DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY** white

solemnity

Acts 5:12-16/Rv 1:9-11a, 12-13, 17-19/Jn 20:19-31 (45) Pss Prop

16 Mon Easter Weekday white

⁸ 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, however, should be read before the epistle and Gospel, although when necessary, two may be read. In any case, the reading from Exodus about the escape through the Red Sea (reading 3) should never be omitted.

Acts 4:23-31/Jn 3:1-8 (267) Pss II

17 Tue Easter Weekday white
Acts 4:32-37/Jn 3:7b-15 (268)

18 Wed Easter Weekday white
Acts 5:17-26/ Jn 3:16-21 (269)

19 Thu Easter Weekday white
Acts 5:27-33/Jn 3:31-36 (270)

20 Fri Easter Weekday white
Acts 5:34-42/ Jn 6:1-15 (271)

21 Sat Easter Weekday white/white
[Saint Anselm, bishop and doctor of the Church]
Acts 6:1-7/Jn 6:16-21 (272)

22 SUN THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER white
Acts 5:27-32, 40b-41/Rv 5:11-14/Jn 21:1-19 or 21:1-14 (48) Pss III

23 Mon Easter Weekday white/red/red
[Saint George, martyr; Saint Adalbert, bishop and martyr]
Acts 6:8-15/ Jn 6:22-29 (273)

24 Tue Easter Weekday white/red
[Saint Fidelis of Sigmaringen, priest and martyr]
Acts 7:51—8:1a/ Jn 6:30-35 (274)

25 Wed Saint Mark, evangelist red
feast
1 Pt 5:5b-14/Mk 16:15-20 (555) Pss Prop

26 Thu Easter Weekday white
Acts 8:26-40/ Jn 6:44-51 (276)

27 Fri Easter Weekday white
Acts 9:1-20/ Jn 6:52-59 (277)

28 Sat Easter Weekday white/red/white
[Saint Peter Chanel, priest and martyr; Saint Louis Mary de Montfort, priest]
Acts 9:31-42/ Jn 6:60-69 (278)

29 SUN FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER white
Acts 13:14, 43-52/Rv 7:9, 14b-17/Jn 10:27-30 (51) Pss IV

30 Mon Easter Weekday white/white
[Saint Pius V, pope]
 Acts 11:1-18/ Jn 10:1-10 (279)

MAY 2007

1 Tue Easter Weekday white/white
[Saint Joseph the Worker]
 Acts 11:19-26/ Jn 10:22-30 (280), 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 12:24—13:5a/Jn 12:44-50 (281)

3 Thu Saint Philip and Saint James, apostles red
feast
 1 Cor 15:1-8/Jn 14:6-14 (561) Pss Prop

4 Fri Easter Weekday white
 Acts 13:26-33/ Jn 14:1-6 (283)

5 Sat Easter Weekday white
 Acts 13:44-52/ Jn 14:7-14 (284)

6 SUN FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER white
 Acts 14:21-27/Rv 21:1-5a/Jn 13:31-33a, 34-35 (54) Pss I

7 Mon Easter Weekday white
 Acts 14:5-18/Jn 14:21-26 (285)

8 Tue Easter Weekday white
 Acts 14:19-28/ Jn 14:27-31a (286)

9 Wed Easter Weekday white
 Acts 15:1-6/ Jn 15:1-8 (287)

10 Thu Easter Weekday white/white
[Blessed Damien Joseph de Veuster of Moloka'i, priest]
 Acts 15:7-21/ Jn 15:9-11 (288)

11 Fri Easter Weekday white
 Acts 15:22-31/ Jn 15:12-17 (289)

12	Sat	Easter Weekday <i>[Saint Nereus and Saint Achilleus, martyrs; Saint Pancras, martyr]</i> Acts 16:1-10/ Jn 15:18-21 (290)	white/red/red
13	SUN	SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER⁹ Acts 15:1-2, 22-29/Rv 21:10-14, 22-23/Jn 14:23-29 (57) Pss II	white
14	Mon	Saint Matthias, apostle <i>feast</i> Acts 1:15-17, 20-26/Jn 15:9-17 (564) Pss Prop	red
15	Tue	Easter Weekday <i>[Saint Isidore]</i> Acts 16:22-34/Jn 16:5-11 (292)	white/white
16	Wed	Easter Weekday Acts 17:15, 22—18:1/ Jn 16:12-15 (293)	white
17	Thu	The Ascension of the Lord¹⁰ <i>solemnity</i> [holy day of obligation] Acts 1:1-11/ Eph 1:17-23 or Heb 9:24-28; 10:19-23/ Lk 24:46-53 (58) Pss Prop	white
18	Fri	Easter Weekday <i>[Saint John I, pope and martyr]</i> Acts 18:9-18/ Jn 16:20-23 (295)	white/red
19	Sat	Easter Weekday Acts 18:23-28/Jn 16:23b-28 (296)	white
20	SUN	SEVENTH SUNDAY OF EASTER¹¹	white

⁹ 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. 61) may be read on the Sixth Sunday of Easter.

¹⁰ Regarding the Ascension of the Lord, the ecclesiastical provinces of Boston, Hartford, New York, Newark, Philadelphia, and the State of Nebraska have retained its celebration on the proper Thursday, while all other provinces have transferred this solemnity to the Seventh Sunday of Easter, May 20. If transferred, Thursday, May 17, is observed as an Easter Weekday. The following readings are used: Acts 18:1-8/ Jn 16:16-20 (294).

Acts 7:55-60/Rv 22:12-14, 16-17, 20/Jn 17:20-26 (61) Pss III

- 21 Mon Easter Weekday** white/red
[Saint Christopher Magallanes, priest and martyr, and his companions, martyrs]
 Acts 19:1-8/ Jn 16:29-33 (297)
- 22 Tue Easter Weekday** white/white
[Saint Rita of Cascia, religious]
 Acts 20:17-27/ Jn 17:1-11a (298)
- 23 Wed Easter Weekday** white
 Acts 20:28-38/Jn 17:11b-19 (299)
- 24 Thu Easter Weekday** white
 Acts 22:30; 23:6-11/Jn 17:20-26 (300)
- 25 Fri Easter Weekday** white/white/white/white
*[Saint Bede the Venerable, priest and doctor of the Church; Saint Gregory VII, pope;
 Saint Mary Magdalene de'Pazzi, virgin]*
 Acts 25:13b-21/ Jn 21:15-19 (301)
- 26 Sat Saint Philip Neri, priest** white
memorial
 Mass in the morning: Acts 28:16-20, 30-31/Jn 21:20-25 (302)
- 27 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)
 Day: Acts 2:1-11/ 1 Cor 12:3b-7, 12-13 or Rom 8:8-17/ Jn 20:19-23 or Jn 14:15-16,
 23b-26 (63) Pss Prop
- 28 Mon Weekday (Eighth Week in Ordinary Time)** green
 Sir 17:20-24/Mk 10:17-27 (347) Pss IV
- 29 Tue Weekday** green
 Sir 35:1-12/Mk 10:28-31 (348)
- 30 Wed Weekday** green
 Sir 36:1, 4-5a, 10-17/Mk 10:32-45 (349)
- 31 Thu The Visitation of the Blessed Virgin Mary** white

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

feast

Zep 3:14-18a or Rom 12:9-16/Lk 1:39-56 (572) Pss Prop

JUNE 2007

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| 1 | Fri | Saint Justin, martyr
<i>memorial</i>
Sir 44:1, 9-13/Mk 11:11-26 (351) | red |
| 2 | Sat | Weekday
<i>[Saint Marcellinus and Saint Peter, martyrs; BVM]</i>
Sir 51:12cd-20/Mk 11:27-33 (352) | green/red/white |
| 3 | SUN | THE MOST HOLY TRINITY
<i>solemnity</i>
Prv 8:22-31/Rom 5:1-5/Jn 16:12-15 (166) Pss Prop | white |
| 4 | Mon | Weekday (Ninth Week in Ordinary Time)
Tb 1:3; 2:1a-8/Mk 12:1-12 (353) Pss I | green |
| 5 | Tue | Saint Boniface, bishop and martyr
<i>memorial</i>
Tb 2:9-14/Mk 12:13-17 (354) | red |
| 6 | Wed | Weekday
<i>[Saint Norbert, bishop]</i>
Tb 3:1-11a, 16-17a/Mk 12:18-27 (355) | green/white |
| 7 | Thu | Weekday
Tb 6:10-11; 7:1bcde, 9-17; 8:4-9a/Mk 12:28-34 (356) | green |
| 8 | Fri | Weekday
Tb 11:5-17/Mk 12:35-37 (357) | green |
| 9 | Sat | Weekday
<i>[Saint Ephrem, deacon and doctor of the Church; BVM]</i>
Tb 12:1, 5-15, 20/Mk 12:38-44 (358) | green/white/white |
| 10 | SUN | THE MOST HOLY BODY AND BLOOD OF CHRIST
<i>solemnity</i>
Gn 14:18-20/1 Cor 11:23-26/Lk 9:11b-17 (169) Pss Prop | white |
| 11 | Mon | Saint Barnabas, apostle (Tenth Week in Ordinary Time) | red |

memorial

Acts 11:21b-26; 13:1-3* (580)/Mt 5:1-12 (359) Pss II

12 Tue Weekday green
2 Cor 1:18-22/Mt 5:13-16 (360)

13 Wed Saint Anthony of Padua, priest and doctor of the Church white
memorial
2 Cor 3:4-11/Mt 5:17-19 (361)

14 Thu Weekday green
2 Cor 3:15—4:1, 3-6/Mt 5:20-26 (362)

15 Fri The Most Sacred Heart of Jesus white
solemnity
Ez 34:11-16/Rom 5:5b-11/Lk 15:3-7 (172) Pss Prop

16 Sat The Immaculate Heart of Mary white
memorial
2 Cor 5:14-21 (364)/Lk 2:41-51* (573)

17 SUN ELEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME green
2 Sm 12:7-10, 13/Gal 2:16, 19-21/Lk 7:36—8:3 or 7:36-50 (93) Pss III

18 Mon Weekday green
2 Cor 6:1-10/Mt 5:38-42 (365)

19 Tue Weekday green/white
[Saint Romuald, abbot]
2 Cor 8:1-9/Mt 5:43-48 (366)

20 Wed Weekday green
2 Cor 9:6-11/Mt 6:1-6, 16-18 (367)

21 Thu Saint Aloysius Gonzaga, religious white
memorial
2 Cor 11:1-11/Mt 6:7-15 (368)

22 Fri Weekday green/white/red
[Saint Paulinus of Nola, bishop; Saint John Fisher, bishop and martyr, and Saint Thomas More, martyr]
2 Cor 11:18, 21-30/Mt 6:19-23 (369)

23 Sat Weekday green/white

[BVM]

2 Cor 12:1-10/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
Gn 12:1-9/Mt 7:1-5 (371) Pss IV

26 Tue Weekday green
Gn 13:2, 5-18/Mt 7:6, 12-14 (372)

27 Wed Weekday green/white
[Saint Cyril of Alexandria, bishop and doctor of the Church]
Gn 15:1-12, 17-18/Mt 7:15-20 (373)

28 Thu Saint Irenaeus, bishop and martyr red
memorial
Gn 16:1-12, 15-16 or 16:6b-12, 15-16/Mt 7:21-29 (374)

29 Fri Saint Peter and Saint 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

30 Sat Weekday green/red/white
[The First Holy Martyrs of the Holy Roman Church; BVM]
Gn 18:1-15/Mt 8:5-17 (376)

JULY 2007

1 SUN THIRTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME green
1 Kgs 19:16b, 19-21/Gal 5:1, 13-18/Lk 9:51-62 (99) Pss I

2 Mon Weekday green
Gn 18:16-33/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/white

[Saint Elizabeth of Portugal; Independence Day – proper Mass]

Gn 21:5, 8-20a/Mt 8:28-34 (379), or, for Independence Day, any readings from the *Lectionary for Ritual Masses*, vol. IV, the Mass “For Public Needs,” nos. 882-886, or “For Peace and Justice,” nos. 887-891.

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| 5 | Thu Weekday | green/white |
| | <i>[Saint Anthony Mary Zaccaria, priest]</i> | |
| | Gn 22:1b-19/Mt 9:1-8 (380) | |
| 6 | Fri Weekday | green/red |
| | <i>[Saint Maria Goretti, virgin and martyr]</i> | |
| | Gn 23:1-4, 19; 24:1-8, 62-67/Mt 9:9-13 (381) | |
| 7 | Sat Weekday | green/white |
| | <i>[BVM]</i> | |
| | Gn 27:1-5, 15-29/Mt 9:14-17 (382) | |
| 8 | SUN FOURTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME | green |
| | Is 66:10-14c/Gal 6:14-18/Lk 10:1-12, 17-20 or 10:1-9 (102) Pss II | |
| 9 | Mon Weekday | green/red |
| | <i>[Saint Augustine Zhao Rong, priest and martyr, and his companions, martyrs]</i> | |
| | Gn 28:10-22a/Mt 9:18-26 (383) | |
| 10 | Tue Weekday | green |
| | Gn 32:23-33/Mt 9:32-38 (384) | |
| 11 | Wed Saint Benedict, abbot
memorial | white |
| | Gn 41:55-57; 42:5-7a, 17-24a/Mt 10:1-7 (385) | |
| 12 | Thu Weekday | green |
| | Gn 44:18-21, 23b-29; 45:1-5/Mt 10:7-15 (386) | |
| 13 | Fri Weekday | green/white |
| | <i>[Saint Henry]</i> | |
| | Gn 46:1-7, 28-30/Mt 10:16-23 (387) | |
| 14 | Sat Blessed Kateri Tekakwitha, virgin
memorial | white |
| | Gn 49:29-32; 50:15-26a/Mt 10:24-33 (388) | |
| 15 | SUN FIFTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME | green |
| | Dt 30:10-14/Col 1:15-20/Lk 10:25-37 (105) Pss III | |
| 16 | Mon Weekday | green/white |

[Our Lady of Mount Carmel]

Ex 1:8-14, 22/Mt 10:34—11:1 (389)

17 Tue Weekday green
Ex 2:1-15a/Mt 11:20-24 (390)

18 Wed Weekday green/white
[Saint Camillus de Lellis, priest]
Ex 3:1-6, 9-12/Mt 11:25-27 (391)

19 Thu Weekday green
Ex 3:13-20/Mt 11:28-30 (392)

20 Fri Weekday green/red
[Saint Apollinaris, bishop and martyr]
Ex 11:10—12:14/Mt 12:1-8 (393)

21 Sat Weekday green/white/white
[Saint Lawrence of Brindisi, priest and doctor of the Church; BVM]
Ex 12:37-42/Mt 12:14-21 (394)

22 SUN SIXTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME green
Gn 18:1-10a/Col 1:24-28/Lk 10:38-42 (108) Pss IV

23 Mon Weekday green/white
[Saint Bridget of Sweden, religious]
Ex 14:5-18/Mt 12:38-42 (395)

24 Tue Weekday green/white
[Saint Sharbel Makhluf, priest]
Ex 14:21—15:1/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 Saint Joachim and Saint Anne, parents of the Blessed Virgin Mary white
memorial
Ex 19:1-2, 9-11, 16-20b/Mt 13:10-17 (398)

27 Fri Weekday green
Ex 20:1-17/Mt 13:18-23 (399)

28 Sat Weekday green/white

[BVM]

Ex 24:3-8/Mt 13:24-30 (400)

29 SUN SEVENTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME green

Gn 18:20-32/Col 2:12-14/Lk 11:1-13 (111) Pss I

30 Mon Weekday green/white

[*Saint Peter Chrysologus, bishop and doctor of the Church*]

Ex 32:15-24, 30-34/Mt 13:31-35 (401)

31 Tue Saint Ignatius of Loyola, priest white

memorial

Ex 33:7-11; 34:5b-9, 28/Mt 13:36-43 (402)

AUGUST 2007

1 Wed Saint Alphonsus Liguori, priest and doctor of the Church white

memorial

Ex 34:29-35/Mt 13:44-46 (403)

2 Thu Weekday green/white/white

[*Saint Eusebius of Vercelli, bishop; Saint Peter Julian Eymard, priest*]

Ex 40:16-21, 34-38/Mt 13:47-53 (404)

3 Fri Weekday green

Lv 23:1, 4-11, 15-16, 27, 34b-37/Mt 13:54-58 (405)

4 Sat Saint John Mary Vianney, priest white

memorial

Lv 25:1, 8-17/Mt 14:1-12 (406)

5 SUN EIGHTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME green

Eccl 1:2; 2:21-23/Col 3:1-5, 9-11/Lk 12:13-21 (114) Pss II

6 Mon The Transfiguration of the Lord white

feast

Dn 7:9-10, 13-14/2 Pt 1:16-19/Lk 9:28b-36 (614) Pss Prop

7 Tue Weekday green/red/white

[*Saint Sixtus II, pope and martyr, and his companions, martyrs; Saint Cajetan, priest*]

Nm 12:1-13/Mt 14:22-36 or 15:1-2, 10-14 (408)

8 Wed Saint Dominic, priest white

memorial

Nm 13:1-2, 25—14:1, 26-29a, 34-35/Mt 15:21-28 (409)

9 Thu Weekday green/red

[Saint Teresa Benedicta of the Cross, virgin and martyr]

Nm 20:1-13/Mt 16:13-23 (410)

10 Fri St. Lawrence, deacon and martyr red

feast

2 Cor 9:6-10/Jn 12:24-26 (618) Pss Prop

11 Sat St. Clare, virgin white

memorial

Dt 6:4-13/Mt 17:14-20 (412)

12 SUN NINETEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME green

Wis 18:6-9/Heb 11:1-2, 8-19 or 11:1-2, 8-12/Lk 12:32-48 or 12:35-40 (117) Pss III

13 Mon Weekday green/red

[Saint Pontian, pope and martyr, and Saint Hippolytus, priest and martyr]

Dt 10:12-22/Mt 17:22-27 (413)

14 Tue Saint Maximilian Mary Kolbe, priest and martyr red

memorial

Dt 31:1-8/Mt 18:1-5, 10, 12-14 (414)

15 Wed The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary white

solemnity [holy day 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]

Jos 3:7-10a, 11, 13-17/Mt 18:21—19:1 (416)

17 Fri Weekday green

Jos 24:1-13/Mt 19:3-12 (417)

18 Sat Weekday green/white/white

[Saint Jane Frances de Chantal, religious; BVM]

Jos 24:14-29/Mt 19:13-15 (418)

19 SUN TWENTIETH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME green

Jer 38:4-6, 8-10/Heb 12:1-4/Lk 12:49-53 (120) Pss IV

20 Mon Saint Bernard, abbot and doctor of the Church white

memorial

Jgs 2:11-19/Mt 19:16-22 (419)

21 Tue Saint Pius X, pope white

memorial

Jgs 6:11-24a/Mt 19:23-30 (420)

22 Wed The Queenship of the Blessed Virgin Mary white

memorial

Jgs 9:6-15/Mt 20:1-16 (421)

23 Thu Weekday green/white

[Saint Rose of Lima, virgin]

Jgs 11:29-39a/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/white

[Saint Louis of France; Saint Joseph Calasanz, priest; BVM]

Ru 2:1-3, 8-11; 4:13-17/Mt 23:1-12 (424)

26 SUN TWENTY-FIRST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME green

Is 66:18-21/Heb 12:5-7, 11-13/Lk 13:22-30 (123) Pss I

27 Mon Saint Monica white

memorial

1 Thes 1:1-5, 8b-10/Mt 23:13-22 (425)

28 Tue Saint Augustine, bishop and doctor of the Church white

memorial

1 Thes 2:1-8/Mt 23:23-26 (426)

29 Wed The Martyrdom of Saint John the Baptist red

memorial

1 Thes 2:9-13 (427)/Mk 6:17-29* (634) Pss Prop

30 Thu Weekday green

1 Thes 3:7-13/Mt 24:42-51 (428)

31 Fri Weekday green

1 Thes 4:1-8/Mt 25:1-13 (429)

SEPTEMBER 2007

- 1 Sat Weekday** green/white
[BVM]
 1 Thes 4:9-11/Mt 25:14-30 (430)
- 2 SUN TWENTY-SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME** green
 Sir 3:17-18, 20, 28-29/Heb 12:18-19, 22-24a/Lk 14:1, 7-14 (126) Pss II
- 3 Mon Saint Gregory the Great, pope and doctor of the Church** white
memorial [Labor Day—proper Mass]
 1 Thes 4:13-18/Lk 4:16-30 (431) , or, for Labor Day, any reading from the Mass, “For the Blessing of Human Labor,” *Lectionary for Ritual Masses*, vol. IV, nos. 907-911
- 4 Tue Weekday** green
 1 Thes 5:1-6, 9-11/Lk 4:31-37 (432)
- 5 Wed Weekday** green
 Col 1:1-8/Lk 4:38-44 (433)
- 6 Thu Weekday** green
 Col 1:9-14/Lk 5:1-11 (434)
- 7 Fri Weekday** green
 Col 1:15-20/Lk 5:33-39 (435)
- 8 Sat The Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary** white
feast
 Mi 5:1-4a or Rom 8:28-30/Mt 1:1-16, 18-23 or 1:18-23 (636) Pss Prop
- 9 SUN TWENTY-THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME** green
 Wis 9:13-18b/Phlm 9-10, 12-17/Lk 14:25-33 (129) Pss III
- 10 Mon Weekday** green
 Col 1:24—2:3/Lk 6:6-11 (437)
- 11 Tue Weekday** green
 Col 2:6-15/Lk 6:12-19 (438)
- 12 Wed Weekday** green/white
[The Most Holy Name of the Blessed Virgin Mary]
 Col 3:1-11/Lk 6:20-26 (439)
- 13 Thu Saint John Chrysostom, bishop and doctor of the Church** white

memorial

Col 3:12-17/Lk 6:27-38 (440)

14 Fri The Exaltation of the Holy Cross 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 Tm 1:15-17 (442)/Jn 19:25-27* or Lk 2:33-35* (639) Pss Prop

16 SUN TWENTY-FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME green

Ex 32:7-11, 13-14/1 Tm 1:12-17/Lk 15:1-32 or 15:1-10 (132) Pss IV

17 Mon Weekday green/white

[Saint Robert Bellarmine, bishop and doctor of the Church]

1 Tm 2:1-8/Lk 7:1-10 (443)

18 Tue Weekday green

1 Tm 3:1-13/Lk 7:11-17 (444)

19 Wed Weekday green/red

[Saint Januarius, bishop and martyr]

1 Tm 3:14-16/Lk 7:31-35 (445)

20 Thu Saint Andrew Kim Taegon, priest and martyr, and Saint Paul Chong Hasang, martyr, and their companions, martyrs red

memorial

1 Tm 4:12-16/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 Tm 6:13-16/Lk 8:4-15 (448)

23 SUN TWENTY-FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME green

Am 8:4-7/1 Tm 2:1-8/Lk 16:1-13 or 16:10-13 (135) Pss I

24 Mon Weekday green

Ezr 1:1-6/Lk 8:16-18 (449)

25 Tue Weekday green

Ezr 6:7-8, 12b, 14-20/Lk 8:19-21 (450)

26 Wed Weekday green/red

[Saint Cosmas and Saint Damian, martyrs]

Ezr 9:5-9/Lk 9:1-6 (451)

27 Thu Saint Vincent de Paul, priest white

memorial

Hg 1:1-8/Lk 9:7-9 (452)

28 Fri Weekday green/red/red

[Saint Wenceslaus, martyr; Saint Lawrence Ruiz, martyr, and his companions, martyrs]

Hg 2:1-9/Lk 9:18-22 (453)

29 Sat Saint Michael, Saint Gabriel, and Saint 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

Am 6:1a, 4-7/1 Tm 6:11-16/Lk 16:19-31 (138) Pss II

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1 Mon Saint Thérèse of the Child Jesus, virgin and doctor white

of the Church

memorial

Zec 8:1-8/Lk 9:46-50 (455)

2 Tue The Guardian Angels white

memorial

Zec 8:20-23 (456)/Mt 18:1-5, 10* (650) Pss Prop

3 Wed Weekday green

Neh 2:1-8/Lk 9:57-62 (457)

4 Thu Saint Francis of Assisi, religious white

memorial

Neh 8:1-4a, 5-6, 7b-12/Lk 10:1-12 (458)

5 Fri Weekday green

Bar 1:15-22/Lk 10:13-16 (459)

6 Sat Weekday green/white/white/white

[Saint Bruno, priest; Blessed Marie-Rose Durocher, virgin; BVM]
Bar 4:5-12, 27-29/Lk 10:17-24 (460)

7 SUN TWENTY-SEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME green
Hb 1:2-3; 2:2-4/2 Tm 1:6-8, 13-14/Lk 17:5-10 (141) Pss III

8 Mon Weekday green
Jon 1:1—2:2, 11/Lk 10:25-37 (461)

9 Tue Weekday green/red/white
[Saint Denis, bishop and martyr, and his companions, martyrs; Saint John Leonardi, priest]
Jon 3:1-10/Lk 10:38-42 (462)

10 Wed Weekday green
Jon 4:1-11/Lk 11:1-4 (463)

11 Thu Weekday green
Mal 3:13-20b/Lk 11:5-13 (464)

12 Fri Weekday green
Jl 1:13-15; 2:1-2/Lk 11:15-26 (465)

13 Sat Weekday green/white
[BVM]
Jl 4:12-21/Lk 11:27-28 (466)

14 SUN TWENTY-EIGHTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME green
2 Kgs 5:14-17/2 Tm 2:8-13/Lk 17:11-19 (144) Pss IV

15 Mon Saint Teresa of Jesus, virgin and doctor of the Church white
memorial
Rom 1:1-7/Lk 11:29-32 (467)

16 Tue Weekday green/white/white
[Saint Hedwig, religious; Saint Margaret Mary Alacoque, virgin]
Rom 1:16-25/Lk 11:37-41 (468)

17 Wed Saint Ignatius of Antioch, bishop and martyr red
memorial
Rom 2:1-11/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 Saint John de Brébeuf and Saint Isaac Jogues, priests and martyrs, and their companions, martyrs memorial** red
Rom 4:1-8/Lk 12:1-7 (471)
- 20 Sat Weekday** green/white/white
[Saint Paul of the Cross, priest; BVM]
Rom 4:13, 16-18/Lk 12:8-12 (472)
- 21 SUN TWENTY-NINTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME** green
Ex 17:8-13/2 Tm 3:14—4:2/Lk 18:1-8 (147) Pss I
- 22 Mon Weekday** green
Rom 4:20-25/Lk 12:13-21 (473)
- 23 Tue Weekday** green/white
[Saint John of Capistrano, priest]
Rom 5:12, 15b, 17-19, 20b-21/Lk 12:35-38 (474)
- 24 Wed Weekday** green/white
[Saint Anthony Mary Claret, bishop]
Rom 6:12-18/Lk 12:39-48 (475)
- 25 Thu Weekday** green
Rom 6:19-23/Lk 12:49-53 (476)
- 26 Fri Weekday** green
Rom 7:18-25a/Lk 12:54-59 (477)
- 27 Sat Weekday** green/white
[BVM]
Rom 8:1-11/Lk 13:1-9 (478)
- 28 SUN THIRTIETH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME** green
Sir 35:12-14, 16-18/2 Tm 4:6-8, 16-18/Lk 18:9-14 (150) Pss II
- 29 Mon Weekday** green
Rom 8:12-17/Lk 13:10-17 (479)
- 30 Tue Weekday** green
Rom 8:18-25/Lk 13:18-21 (480)
- 31 Wed Weekday** green
Rom 8:26-30/Lk 13:22-30 (481)

NOVEMBER 2007

- 1 Thu All Saints** white
solemnity [holy day 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/violet/black
(All Souls)
 Wis 3:1-9/Rom 5:5-11 or 6:3-9/Jn 6:37-40 (668), or any readings from no. 668 or from
 the Masses for the Dead, nos. 1011-1016 (see *Lectionary for Ritual Masses*, vol. IV) Pss
 Pss Prop
- 3 Sat Weekday** green/white/white
[Saint Martin de Porres, religious; BVM]
 Rom 11:1-2a, 11-12, 25-29/Lk 14:1, 7-11 (484)
- 4 SUN THIRTY-FIRST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME** green
 Wis 11:22—12:2/2 Thes 1:11—2:2/Lk 19:1-10 (153) Pss III
- 5 Mon Weekday** green
 Rom 11:29-36/Lk 14:12-14 (485)
- 6 Tue Weekday** green
 Rom 12:5-16b/Lk 14:15-24 (486)
- 7 Wed Weekday** green
 Rom 13:8-10/Lk 14:25-33 (487)
- 8 Thu Weekday** green
 Rom 14:7-12/Lk 15:1-10 (488)
- 9 Fri The Dedication of the Lateran Basilica in Rome** 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** white
memorial
 Rom 16:3-9, 16, 22-27/Lk 16:9-15 (490)
- 11 SUN THIRTY-SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME** green
 2 Mc 7:1-2, 9-14/2 Thes 2:16—3:5/Lk 20:27-38 or 20:27, 34-38 (156) Pss IV
- 12 Mon Saint Josaphat, bishop and martyr** red

memorial

Wis 1:1-7/Lk 17:1-6 (491)

13 Tue Saint Frances Xavier Cabrini, virgin white

memorial

Wis 2:23—3:9/Lk 17:7-10 (492)

14 Wed Weekday green

Wis 6:1-11/Lk 17:11-19 (493)

15 Thu Weekday green/white

[Saint Albert the Great, bishop and doctor of the Church]

Wis 7:22b—8:1/Lk 17:20-25 (494)

16 Fri Weekday green/white/white

[Saint Margaret of Scotland; Saint Gertrude, virgin]

Wis 13:1-9/Lk 17:26-37 (495)

17 Sat Saint Elizabeth of Hungary, religious white

memorial

Wis 18:14-16; 19:6-9/Lk 18:1-8 (496)

18 SUN THIRTY-THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME green

Mal 3:19-20a/2 Thes 3:7-12/Lk 21:5-19 (159) Pss I

19 Mon Weekday green

1 Mc 1:10-15, 41-43, 54-57, 62-63/Lk 18:35-43 (497)

20 Tue Weekday green

2 Mc 6:18-31/Lk 19:1-10 (498)

21 Wed The Presentation of the Blessed Virgin Mary white

memorial

2 Mc 7:1, 20-31/Lk 19:11-28 (499)

22 Thu Saint Cecilia, virgin and martyr red/white

memorial [Thanksgiving Day—proper Mass]

1 Mc 2:15-29/Lk 19:41-44 (500), or, for Thanksgiving Day, any readings from the Mass

“In Thanksgiving to God,” *Lectionary for Ritual Masses, vol. IV*, nos. 943-947 (see esp.

Sir 50:22-24 (943.2)/1 Cor 1:3-9 (944.1)/Lk 17:11-19 (947.6)

23 Fri Weekday green/red/white/red

[Saint Clement I, pope and martyr; Saint Columban, abbot; Blessed Miguel Agustín Pro, priest and martyr]

1 Mc 4:36-37, 52-59/Lk 19:45-48 (501)

24 Sat Saint Andrew Dung-Lac, priest and martyr, and red

his companions, martyrs

memorial

1 Mc 6:1-13/Lk 20:27-40 (502)

25 SUN OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST THE KING white

solemnity

2 Sm 5:1-3/Col 1:12-20/Lk 23:35-43 (162) Pss Prop

26 Mon Weekday (Thirty-Fourth or Last Week in Ordinary Time) green

Dn 1:1-6, 8-20/Lk 21:1-4 (503) Pss II

27 Tue Weekday green

Dn 2:31-45/Lk 21:5-11 (504)

28 Wed Weekday green

Dn 5:1-6, 13-14, 16-17, 23-28/Lk 21:12-19 (505)

29 Thu Weekday green

Dn 6:12-28/Lk 21:20-28 (506)

30 Fri Saint Andrew, apostle red

feast

Rom 10:9-18/Mt 4:18-22 (684) Pss Prop

DECEMBER 2007

1 Sat Weekday green/white

[BVM]

Dn 7:15-27/Lk 21:34-36 (508)

YEAR A – WEEKDAYS II

2 SUN FIRST SUNDAY OF ADVENT violet

Is 2:1-5/Rom 13:11-14/Mt 24:37-44 (1) Pss I

3 Mon Saint Francis Xavier, priest white

memorial

Is 4:2-6 (second choice)/Mt 8:5-11 (175)

4 Tue Advent Weekday violet/white

[Saint John of Damascus, priest and doctor of the Church]

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

5 Wed Advent Weekday violet
Is 25:6-10a/Mt 15:29-37 (177)

6 Thu Advent Weekday violet/white
[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 Sat The Immaculate Conception of the Blessed Virgin Mary white
solemnity [holy day of obligation]
Gn 3:9-15, 20/Eph 1:3-6, 11-12/Lk 1:26-38 (689) Pss Prop

9 SUN SECOND SUNDAY OF ADVENT violet
Is 11:1-10/Rom 15:4-9/Mt 3:1-12 (4) Pss II

10 Mon Advent Weekday violet
Is 35:1-10/Lk 5:17-26 (181)

11 Tue Advent Weekday violet/white
[Saint Damasus I, pope]
Is 40:1-11/Mt 18:12-14 (182)

12 Wed 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 reading from the Common of the Blessed Virgin Mary, *Lectionary for Ritual
Masses*, vol. IV, 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 white
memorial
Is 48:17-19/Mt 11:16-19 (185)

15 Sat Advent Weekday violet
Sir 48:1-4, 9-11/Mt 17:9a, 10-13 (186)

16 SUN THIRD SUNDAY OF ADVENT violet/rose

Is 35:1-6a, 10/Jas 5:7-10/Mt 11:2-11 (7) Pss III

- 17 Mon Advent Weekday** violet
Gn 49:2, 8-10/Mt 1:1-17 (193)
- 18 Tue Advent Weekday** violet
Jer 23:5-8/Mt 1:18-25 (194)
- 19 Wed Advent Weekday** violet
Jgs 13:2-7, 24-25a/Lk 1:5-25 (195)
- 20 Thu Advent Weekday** violet
Is 7:10-14/Lk 1:26-38 (196)
- 21 Fri Advent Weekday** violet
[Saint Peter Canisius, priest and doctor of the Church]
Sg 2:8-14 or Zep 3:14-18a/Lk 1:39-45 (197)
- 22 Sat Advent Weekday** violet
1 Sm 1:24-28/Lk 1:46-56 (198)
- 23 SUN FOURTH SUNDAY OF ADVENT** violet
Is 7:10-14/Rom 1:1-7/Mt 1:18-24 (10) Pss IV
- 24 Mon Advent Weekday** violet
Morning: 2 Sm 7:1-5, 8b-12, 14a, 16/Lk 1:67-79 (200)
- 25 Tue The Nativity of the Lord (Christmas)** white
solemnity [holy day of obligation]
Vigil: Is 62:1-5/Acts 13:16-17, 22-25/Mt 1:1-25 or 1:18-25 (13)
Midnight: 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
- 26 Wed Saint Stephen, first martyr** red
feast
Acts 6:8-10; 7:54-59/Mt 10:17-22 (696) Pss Prop
- 27 Thu Saint John, apostle and evangelist** white
feast
1 Jn 1:1-4/Jn 20:1a, 2-8 (697) Pss Prop
- 28 Fri The Holy Innocents, martyrs** red
feast
1 Jn 1:5—2:2/Mt 2:13-18 (698) Pss Prop

- 29 Sat The Fifth Day in the Octave of Christmas** white
[Saint Thomas Becket, bishop and martyr]
 1 Jn 2:3-11/Lk 2:22-35 (202) Pss Prop
- 30 SUN THE HOLY FAMILY OF JESUS, MARY, AND JOSEPH** white
feast
 Sir 3:2-7, 12-14/Col 3:12-21 or 3:12-17/Mt 2:13-15, 19-23 (17) Pss Prop/Pss I
- 31 Mon The Seventh Day in the Octave of Christmas** white
[Saint Sylvester I, pope]
 1 Jn 2:18-21/Jn 1:1-18 (204) Pss Prop