

The Common Lectionary

2026

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Date	Liturgical Calendar	Year Psalm	1st Reading	2nd Reading	Gospel
January 4, 2026	Second Sunday after Christmas	A Ps. 147:12-20	Isa. 61:10-62:3	Eph. 1:3-6, 15-18	John 1:1-18
January 11, 2026	First Sunday after Epiphany	A Ps. 45:7-9	Isa. 42:1-7	Acts 10:34-38	Matt. 3:13-17
January 18, 2026	Second Sunday after Epiphany	A Ps. 40:1-12	Isa. 49:1-6	I Cor. 1:1-9	John 1:29-41
January 25, 2026	Third Sunday after Epiphany	A Ps. 27:1-9	Isa. 9:1b-4 or , Amos 3:1-8	I Cor. 1:10-17	Matt. 4:12-23
February 1, 2026	Fourth Sunday after Epiphany	A Ps. 1	Micah 6:1-8	I Cor. 1:26-31	Matt. 5:1-12
February 8, 2026	Fifth Sunday after Epiphany	A Ps. 112	Isa. 58:5-9	I Cor. 2:1-5	Matt. 5:13-20
February 15, 2026	Sixth Sunday after Epiphany	A Ps. 119:1-16	Deut. 30:15-20	I Cor. 2:6-13	Matt. 5:20-37
February 22, 2026	First Sunday in Lent	A Ps. 130	Gen. 2:7-9, 15-17; 3:1-7	Rom. 5:12 (13-16) 17-19	Matt. 4:1-11
March 1, 2026	Second Sunday in Lent	A Ps. 105:4-11	Gen. 12:1-8	Rom. 4:1-5, 13-17	John 4:5-26 (27-30, 39-42)
March 8, 2026	Third Sunday in Lent	A Ps. 142	Isa. 42:14-21	Eph. 5:8-14	John 9:1-41 or , 9:13-17, 34-39
March 15, 2026	Fourth Sunday in Lent	A Ps. 43	Hosea 5:15-6:2	Rom. 8:1-10	Matt. 20:17-28
March 22, 2026	Fifth Sunday in Lent	A Ps. 116:1-8	Ezek. 37:1-3 (4-10) 11-14	rom. 8:11-19	John 11:1-53 or , 11:47-53
March 29, 2026	Palm Sunday	A Ps. 31:1-5, 9-16	Isa. 50:4-9a	Phil. 2:5-11	Matt. 26:1-27:66 or 27:11-54
April 5, 2026	Easter Sunday	A Ps. 118:1-2, 15-24	Acts 10:34-43	Col. 3:1-4	John 20:1-9 (10-18) or , Matt. 28:1-10
April 12, 2026	Second Sunday of Easter	A Ps. 105:1-7	Acts 2:14a, 22-32	I Pet. 1:3-9	John 20:19-31
April 19, 2026	Third Sunday of Easter	A Ps. 16	Acts 2:14, 36-47	I Pet. 1:17-21	Luke 24:13-35
April 26, 2026	Fourth Sunday of Easter	A Ps. 23	Acts 6:1-9; 7:2a, 51-60	I Pet. 2:19-25	John 10:1-10
May 3, 2026	Fifth Sunday of Easter	A Ps. 33:1-11	Acts 17:1-15	I Pet. 2:4-10	John 14:1-12
May 10, 2026	Sixth Sunday of Easter	A Ps. 66:1-6, 14-18	Acts 17:22-31	I Pet. 3:15-22	John 14:15-21
May 17, 2026	Seventh Sunday of Easter	A Ps. 47	Acts 1:(1-7) 8-14	I Pet. 4:12-17; 5:6-11	John 17:1-11
May 24, 2026	Pentecost Sunday	A Ps. 104:25-34	Joel 2:28-29	Acts 2:1-21	John 20:19-23
May 31, 2026	Trinity Sunday	A Ps. 29	Gen. 1:1-2:3 or , Deut 4:32-34, 39-40	II Cor. 13:11-14	Matt. 28:16-20
June 7, 2026	Second Sunday after Pentecost	A Ps. 31:1-5 (6-18) 19-24	Deut. 11:18-21, 26-28	Rom. 3:21-25a, 27-28	Matt. 7:(15-20) 21-29
June 14, 2026	Third Sunday after Pentecost	A Ps. 50:1-15	Hosea 5:15-6:6	Rom. 4:18-25	Matt. 9:9-13
June 21, 2026	Fourth Sunday after Pentecost	A Ps. 100	Ex. 19:2-8a	Rom. 5:6-11	Matt. 9:35-10:8
June 28, 2026	Fifth Sunday after Pentecost	A Ps. 69:1-20	Jer. 20:7-13	Rom. 5:12-15	Matt. 10:24-33
July 5, 2026	Sixth Sunday after Pentecost	A Ps. 89:1-4, 15-18	Jer. 28:5-9	Rom. 6:1b-11	Matt. 10:34-42
July 12, 2026	Seventh Sunday after Pentecost	A Ps. 145:1-2 (3-13) 14-22	Zech. 9:9-12	Rom. 7:15-25a	Matt. 11:25-30
July 19, 2026	Eighth Sunday after Pentecost	A Ps. 65	Isa. 55:100-11	Rom. 8:18-25	Matt. 13:1-9
July 26, 2026	Ninth Sunday after Pentecost	A Ps. 86:11-17	Isa. 44:6-8	Rom. 8:26-27	Matt. 13:24-30 (36-43)
August 2, 2026	Tenth Sunday after Pentecost	A Ps. 119:129-136	I Kings 3:5-12	Rom. 8:28-30	Matt. 13:44-52
August 9, 2026	11th Sunday after Pentecost	A Ps. 104:25-31	Isa. 55:1-5	Rom. 8:35-39	Matt. 14:13-21
August 16, 2026	12th Sunday after Pentecost	A Ps. 85:8-13	I Kings 19:9-18	Rom. 9:1-5	Matt. 14:22-33
August 23, 2026	13th Sunday after Pentecost	A Ps. 67	Isa. 56:1, 6-8	Rom. 11:13-15, 29-32	Matt. 15:21-28
August 30, 2026	14th Sunday after Pentecost	A Ps. 138	Ex. 6:2-8	Rom. 11:33-36	Matt. 16:13-20
September 6, 2026	15th Sunday after Pentecost	A Ps. 26	Jer. 15:15-21	Rom. 12:1-8	Matt. 16:21-26

September 13, 2026	16th Sunday after Pentecost	A	Ps. 119:33-40	Ezek. 33:7-9	Rom. 13:1-10	Matt. 18:15-20
September 20, 2026	17th Sunday after Pentecost	A	Ps. 103:1-13	Gen. 50:15-21	Rom. 14:5-9	Matt. 18:21-35
September 27, 2026	18th Sunday after Pentecost	A	Ps. 27:1-13	Isa. 55:6-9	Phil. 1:1-5 (6-11), 19-27	Matt. 20:1-16
October 4, 2026	19th Sunday after Pentecost	A	Ps. 25:1-9	Ezek. 18:1-4, 25-32	Phil 2:1-5 (6-11)	Matt. 21:28-32
October 11, 2026	20th Sunday after Pentecost	A	Ps. 80:7-14	Isa. 5:1-7	Phil 3:12-21	Matt. 21:33-43
October 18, 2026	21st Sunday after Pentecost	A	Ps. 23	Isa. 25:6-9	Phil 4:4-13	Matt. 22:1-10 (11-14)
October 25, 2026	22nd Sunday after Pentecost	A	Ps. 96	Isa. 45:1-7	I Thes. 1:1-5a	Matt. 22:15-21
November 1, 2026	23rd Sunday after Pentecost	A	Ps. 1	Lev. 19:1-2, 15-18	I Thes. 1:5b-10	Matt. 22:34-40 (41-46)
November 8, 2026	24th Sunday after Pentecost	A	Ps. 63:1-8	Amos 5:18-24	I Thes. 4:13-14 (15-18)	Matt. 25:1-13
November 15, 2026	25th Sunday after Pentecost	A	Ps. 90:12-17	Hosea 11:1-4, 8-9	I Thes. 5:1-11	Matt. 25:14-30
November 22, 2026	26th Sunday after Pentecost	A	Ps. 131	Malachi 2:1-2	I Thes. 2:8-13	Matt. 23:1-12
November 29, 2026	First Sunday in Advent	B	Ps. 80:1-7	Isa. 63:16b-17; 64:1-8	I Cor. 1:3-9	Mark 13:33-37 or, 11:1-10
December 6, 2026	Second Sunday in Advent	B	Ps. 85	Isa. 40:1-11	II Pet. 3:8-14	Mark 1:1-8
December 13, 2026	Third Sunday in Advent	B	Luke 1:46b-55	Isa. 61:1-3, 10-11	I Thes. 5:16-24	John 1:6-8, 19-28
December 20, 2026	Fourth Sunday in Advent	B	Ps. 89:1-4, 14-18	II Sam. 7:(1-7) 8-11, 16	Rom. 16:25-27	Luke 1:26-38
December 27, 2026	First Sunday after Christmas	B	Ps. 111	Isa. 45:22-25	Col. 3:12-17	Luke 2:25-40