

**LITURGICAL CALENDAR  
2005  
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.<sup>1</sup>

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 worship that the human race offers to the Father, adoring him through Christ, the Son of God, in the Holy Spirit.”<sup>2</sup>

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<sup>1</sup> 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.

<sup>2</sup> *General Instruction of the Roman Missal, 2002*, no. 16

**CYCLES — 2005**

First Sunday of Advent	November 28, 2004
Ash Wednesday	February 9, 2005
Easter Sunday	March 27, 2005
Ascension of the Lord [Thursday]	May 5, 2005
Pentecost Sunday	May 15, 2005
Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ	May 29, 2005
First Sunday of Advent	November 27, 2005

**CYCLES — LECTIONARY FOR MASS**

Sunday Cycle	YEAR A	November 28, 2004 to November 20, 2005
Weekday Cycle	YEAR 1	January 10, 2005 to February 8, 2005
		May 16, 2005 to November 26, 2005
Sunday Cycle	YEAR B	November 27, 2005 to November 26, 2006

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, will make sure not to 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

Nov. 28, 2004 – Jan. 9, 2005	Advent, Christmas	Vol. I
Jan. 10 – Feb. 8, 2005	Weeks 1 to 5, Ordinary Time	Vol. III
Feb. 9 – May 15, 2005	Lent, Triduum, Easter	Vol. II
May 16 – July 30, 2005	Weeks 7 to 17, Ordinary Time	Vol. III
July 31 – Nov. 26, 2005	Weeks 18 to 34, Ordinary Time	Vol. IV
Nov. 27, 2005 - Jan. 10, 2006	Advent, Christmas	Vol. I

### MISCELLANEOUS NOTES

1. The 2005 liturgical year begins on the First Sunday of Advent, November 28, 2004
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 2004, the feast of Our Lady of Guadalupe (December 12) falls on the Third Sunday of Advent. Our Lady of Guadalupe may be observed on December 11 or 13 with the permission of the local Diocesan Bishop. On December 12, the Third Sunday of Advent, Our Lady of Guadalupe may be appropriately honored in one or more of the petitions of the Prayer of the Faithful, in the homily, and perhaps in one of the hymns during the liturgy. The readings and the Mass formulary for December 12 will be those for the Advent Sunday.
4. 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.
5. In several ecclesiastical provinces of the United States of America, the solemnity of the Ascension of the Lord is transferred from May 5, 2005, to the following Sunday, May 8, 2005. Thursday, May 5, is observed as an Easter weekday in those archdioceses and dioceses. In 2005, the solemnity of Mary, Mother of God falls on Saturday, January 1, and is therefore not observed as a holy day of obligation this year (unless local diocesan calendars have otherwise).
6. 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*.
7. 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 A – WEEKDAYS I

## NOVEMBER 2004

- 28 SUN FIRST SUNDAY OF ADVENT** violet  
Is 2:1-5/Rom 13:11-14/Mt 24:37-44 (1) Pss I<sup>3</sup>
- 29 Mon Advent Weekday** violet  
Is 4:2-6 (second option)/ Mt 8:5-11 (175)
- 30 Tue Saint Andrew, apostle** red  
*feast*  
Rom 10:9-18/Mt 4:18-22 (684) Pss Prop

## DECEMBER 2004

- 1 Wed Advent Weekday** violet  
Is 25:6-10a/ Mt 15:29-37 (177)
- 2 Thu Advent Weekday** violet  
Is 26:1-6/ Mt 7:21, 24-27 (178)
- 3 Fri Saint Francis Xavier, priest** white  
*memorial*  
Is 29:17-24/ Mt 9:27-31 (179)
- 4 Sat Advent Weekday** violet/white  
[*Saint John of Damascus, priest and doctor of the Church*]  
(*optional memorials – indicated by use of italics within brackets*)  
Is 30:19-21, 23-26/ Mt 9:35—10:1, 5a, 6-8 (180)
- 5 SUN SECOND SUNDAY OF ADVENT** violet  
Is 11:1-10/Rom 15:4-9/Mt 3:1-12 (4) Pss II
- 6 Mon Advent Weekday** violet/white  
[*Saint Nicholas, bishop*]  
Is 35:1-10/Lk 5:17-26 (181)

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<sup>3</sup> 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.

- 7 Tue Saint Ambrose, bishop and doctor of the Church** white  
*memorial*  
Is 40:1-11/ Mt 18:12-14 (182)
- 8 Wed 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 Thu Advent Weekday** violet/white  
[*Saint Juan Diego, hermit*]  
Is 41:13-20/Mt 11:11-15 (184)
- 10 Fri Advent Weekday** violet  
Is 48:17-19/ Mt 11:16-19 (185)
- 11 Sat Advent Weekday** violet/white  
[*Saint Damasus I, pope*]  
Sir 48:1-4, 9-11/ Mt 17:9a, 10-13 (186)
- 12 SUN THIRD SUNDAY OF ADVENT** violet/rose  
Is 35:1-6a, 10/Jas 5:7-10/Mt 11:2-11 (7) Pss III
- 13 Mon Saint Lucy, virgin and martyr** red  
*memorial*  
Nm 24:2-7, 15-17a/ Mt 21:23-27 (187)
- 14 Tue Saint John of the Cross, priest and doctor of the Church** white  
*memorial*  
Zep 3:1-2, 9-13/Mt 21:28-32 (188)
- 15 Wed Advent Weekday** violet  
Is 45:6b-8, 18, 21b-25/Lk 7:18b-23 (189)
- 16 Thu Advent Weekday** violet  
Is 54:1-10/Lk 7:24-30 (190)
- 17 Fri Advent Weekday** violet  
Gn 49:2, 8-10/Mt 1:1-17 (193)
- 18 Sat Advent Weekday** violet  
Jer 23:5-8/ Mt 1:18-25 (194)
- 19 SUN FOURTH SUNDAY OF ADVENT** violet  
Is 7:10-14/Rom 1:1-7/Mt 1:18-24 (10) Pss IV

- 20 Mon Advent Weekday** violet  
Is 7:10-14/ Lk 1:26-38 (196)
- 21 Tue 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 Wed Advent Weekday** violet  
1 Sm 1:24-28/Lk 1:46-56 (198)
- 23 Thu Advent Weekday** violet  
[*Saint John of Kanty, priest*]  
Mal 3:1-4, 23-24/ Lk 1:57-66 (199)
- 24 Fri Advent Weekday** violet  
Morning: 2 Sm 7:1-5, 8b-12, 14a, 16/ Lk 1:67-79 (200)
- 25 Sat 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 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
- 27 Mon Saint John, apostle and evangelist** white  
*feast*  
1 Jn 1:1-4/ Jn 20:1a, 2-8 (697) Pss Prop
- 28 Tue The Holy Innocents, martyrs** red  
*feast*  
1 Jn 1:5—2:2/ Mt 2:13-18 (698) Pss Prop
- 29 Wed 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 Thu The Sixth Day in the Octave of Christmas** white  
1 Jn 2:12-17/ Lk 2:36-40 (203) Pss Prop
- 31 Fri 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

## JANUARY 2005

- 1 Sat The Octave Day of Christmas**  
**The Blessed Virgin Mary, the Mother of God** white  
*solemnity* [not a holy day of obligation]  
 Nm 6:22-27/ Gal 4:4-7/ Lk 2:16-21 (18) Pss Prop
- 2 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
- 3 Mon Weekday** white/white  
 [*The Most Holy Name of Jesus*]  
 1 Jn 3:22—4:6/Mt 4:12-17, 23-25 (212) Pss II
- 4 Tue Saint Elizabeth Ann Seton, religious** white  
*memorial*  
 1 Jn 4:7-10/Mk 6:34-44 (213)
- 5 Wed Saint John Neumann, bishop** white  
*memorial*  
 1 Jn 4:11-18/Mk 6:45-52 (214)
- 6 Thu Weekday** white/white  
 [*Blessed André Bessette, religious*]  
 1 Jn 4:19—5:4/ Lk 4:14-22a (215)
- 7 Fri Weekday** white/white  
 [*Saint Raymond of Peñafort, priest*]  
 1 Jn 5:5-13/ Lk 5:12-16 (216)
- 8 Sat Weekday** white  
 1 Jn 5:14-21/ Jn 3:22-30 (217)
- 9 SUN THE BAPTISM OF THE LORD** white  
*feast*  
 Is 42:1-4, 6-7/ Acts 10:34-38/ Mt 3:13-17 (21) Pss Prop
- 10 Mon Weekday (First Week in Ordinary Time)** green  
 Heb 1:1-6/ Mk 1:14-20 (305) Pss I
- 11 Tue Weekday** green  
 Heb 2:5-12/ Mk 1:21-28 (306)

- 12 Wed Weekday** green  
Heb 2:14-18/ Mk 1:29-39 (307)
- 13 Thu Weekday** green/white  
[*Saint Hilary, bishop and doctor of the Church*]  
Heb 3:7-14/ Mk 1:40-45 (308)
- 14 Fri Weekday** green  
Heb 4:1-5, 11/ Mk 2:1-12 (309)
- 15 Sat Weekday** green/white  
[*BVM*]  
Heb 4:12-16/ Mk 2:13-17 (310)
- 16 SUN SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME** green  
Is 49:3, 5-6/1 Cor 1:1-3/Jn 1:29-34 (64) Pss II
- 17 Mon Saint Anthony, abbot** white  
*memorial*  
Heb 5:1-10/ Mk 2:18-22 (311)
- 18 Tue Weekday** green  
Heb 6:10-20/ Mk 2:23-28 (312)
- 19 Wed Weekday** green  
Heb 7:1-3, 15-17/ Mk 3:1-6 (313)
- 20 Thu Weekday** green/red/red  
[*Saint Fabian, pope and martyr; Saint Sebastian, martyr*]  
Heb 7:25—8:6/ Mk 3:7-12 (314)
- 21 Fri Saint Agnes, virgin and martyr** red  
*memorial*  
Heb 8:6-13/ Mk 3:13-19 (315)
- 22 Sat Weekday** green/red/white  
[*Saint Vincent, deacon and martyr; BVM*]  
Heb 9:2-3, 11-14/Mk 3:20-21 (316)
- 23 SUN THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME** green  
Is 8:23—9:3/1 Cor 1:10-13, 17/Mt 4:12-23 or 4:12-17 (67) Pss III

- 24 Mon Saint Francis de Sales, bishop and doctor of the Church** white  
*memorial*  
Heb 9:15, 24-28/ Mk 3:22-30 (317)
- 25 Tue 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 Wed Saint Timothy and Saint Titus, bishops** white  
*memorial*  
2 Tm 1:1-8\* or Ti 1:1-5\* (520)/ Mk 4:1-20 (319)
- 27 Thu Weekday** green/white  
[*Saint Angela Merici, virgin*]  
Heb 10:19-25/ Mk 4:21-25 (320)
- 28 Fri Saint Thomas Aquinas, priest and doctor of the Church** white  
*memorial*  
Heb 10:32-39/ Mk 4:26-34 (321)
- 29 Sat Weekday** green/white  
[*BVM*]  
Heb 11:1-2, 8-19/ Mk 4:35-41 (322)
- 30 SUN FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME** green  
Zep 2:3; 3:12-13/1 Cor 1:26-31/Mt 5:1-12a (70) Pss IV
- 31 Mon Saint John Bosco, priest** white  
*memorial*  
Heb 11:32-40/Mk 5:1-20 (323)

### FEBRUARY 2005

- 1 Tue Weekday** green  
Heb 12:1-4/ Mk 5:21-43 (324)
- 2 Wed 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 Thu Weekday** green/red/white  
[*Saint Blaise, bishop and martyr; Saint Ansgar, bishop*]  
Heb 12:18-19, 21-24/Mk 6:7-13 (326)

<b>4</b>	<b>Fri Weekday</b>	green
	Heb 13:1-8/Mk 6:14-29 (327)	
<b>5</b>	<b>Sat Saint Agatha, virgin and martyr memorial</b>	red
	Heb 13:15-17, 20-21/Mk 6:30-34 (328)	
<b>6</b>	<b>SUN FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME</b>	green
	Is 58:7-10/1 Cor 2:1-5/Mt 5:13-16 (73) Pss I	
<b>7</b>	<b>Mon Weeekday</b>	green
	Gn 1:1-19/ Mk 6:53-56 (329)	
<b>8</b>	<b>Tue Weekday</b>	green/white/white
	[ <i>Saint Jerome Emiliani, priest; Saint Josephine Bakhita, virgin</i> ] Gn 1:20—2:4a/ Mk 7:1-13 (330)	
<b>9</b>	<b>Wed Ash Wednesday</b>	violet
	Jl 2:12-18/ 2 Cor 5:20—6:2/ Mt 6:1-6, 16-18 (219) Pss IV	
<b>10</b>	<b>Thu Lenten Weekday</b>	violet
	[ <i>Saint Scholastica, virgin</i> ] Dt 30:15-20/ Lk 9:22-25 (220)	
<b>11</b>	<b>Fri Lenten Weekday</b>	violet
	[ <i>Our Lady of Lourdes</i> ] Is 58:1-9a/ Mt 9:14-15 (221)	
<b>12</b>	<b>Sat Lenten Weekday</b>	violet
	Is 58:9b-14/ Lk 5:27-32 (222)	
<b>13</b>	<b>SUN FIRST SUNDAY OF LENT</b>	violet
	Gn 2:7-9; 3:1-7/Rom 5:12-19 or 5:12, 17-19/Mt 4:1-11 (22) Pss I	
<b>14</b>	<b>Mon Lenten Weekday</b>	violet
	[ <i>Saint Cyril, monk, and Saint Methodius, bishop</i> ] Lv 19:1-2, 11-18/ Mt 25:31-46 (224)	
<b>15</b>	<b>Tue Lenten Weekday</b>	violet
	Is 55:10-11/ Mt 6:7-15 (225)	
<b>16</b>	<b>Wed Lenten Weekday</b>	violet
	Jon 3:1-10/ Lk 11:29-32 (226)	

<b>17 Thu Lenten Weekday</b> [ <i>The Seven Founders of the Order of Servites, religious</i> ] Est C:12, 14-16, 23-25/ Mt 7:7-12 (227)	violet
<b>18 Fri Lenten Weekday</b> Ez 18:21-28/ Mt 5:20-26 (228)	violet
<b>19 Sat Lenten Weekday</b> Dt 26:16-19/ Mt 5:43-48 (229)	violet
<b>20 SUN SECOND SUNDAY OF LENT</b> Gn 12:1-4a/2 Tm 1:8b-10/Mt 17:1-9 (25) Pss II	violet
<b>21 Mon Lenten Weekday</b> [ <i>Saint Peter Damian, bishop and doctor of the Church</i> ] Dn 9:4b-10/ Lk 6:36-38 (230)	violet
<b>22 Tue The Chair of Saint Peter, apostle</b> <i>feast</i> 1 Pt 5:1-4/Mt 16:13-19 (535) Pss Prop	white
<b>23 Wed Lenten Weekday</b> [ <i>Saint Polycarp, bishop and martyr</i> ] Jer 18:18-20/Mt 20:17-28 (232)	violet
<b>24 Thu Lenten Weekday</b> Jer 17:5-10/ Lk 16:19-31 (233)	violet
<b>25 Fri Lenten Weekday</b> Gn 37:3-4, 12-13a, 17b-28a/ Mt 21:33-43, 45-46 (234)	violet
<b>26 Sat Lenten Weekday</b> Mi 7:14-15, 18-20/ Lk 15:1-3, 11-32 (235)	violet
<b>27 SUN THIRD SUNDAY OF LENT</b> 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
<b>28 Mon Lenten Weekday<sup>4</sup></b> 2 Kgs 5:1-15b/ Lk 4:24-30 (237)	violet

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<sup>4</sup> 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)

## MARCH 2005

<b>1</b>	<b>Tue</b>	<b>Lenten Weekday</b>	violet
Dn 3:25, 34-43/Mt 18:21-35 (238)			
<b>2</b>	<b>Wed</b>	<b>Lenten Weekday</b>	violet
Dt 4:1, 5-9/ Mt 5:17-19 (239)			
<b>3</b>	<b>Thu</b>	<b>Lenten Weekday</b>	violet
[ <i>Saint Katharine Drexel, virgin</i> ] Jer 7:23-28/ Lk 11:14-23 (240)			
<b>4</b>	<b>Fri</b>	<b>Lenten Weekday</b>	violet
[ <i>Saint Casimir</i> ] Hos 14:2-10/ Mk 12:28-34 (241)			
<b>5</b>	<b>Sat</b>	<b>Lenten Weekday</b>	violet
Hos 6:1-6/ Lk 18:9-14 (242)			
<b>6</b>	<b>SUN</b>	<b>FOURTH SUNDAY OF LENT</b>	violet/rose
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			
<b>7</b>	<b>Mon</b>	<b>Lenten Weekday<sup>5</sup></b>	violet
[ <i>Saint Perpetua and Saint Felicity, martyrs</i> ] Is 65:17-21/ Jn 4:43-54 (244)			
<b>8</b>	<b>Tue</b>	<b>Lenten Weekday</b>	violet
[ <i>Saint John of God, religious</i> ] Ez 47:1-9, 12/ Jn 5:1-16 (245)			
<b>9</b>	<b>Wed</b>	<b>Lenten Weekday</b>	violet
[ <i>Saint Frances of Rome, religious</i> ] Is 49:8-15/ Jn 5:17-30 (246)			
<b>10</b>	<b>Thu</b>	<b>Lenten Weekday</b>	violet
Ex 32:7-14/ Jn 5:31-47 (247)			
<b>11</b>	<b>Fri</b>	<b>Lenten Weekday</b>	violet
Wis 2:1a, 12-22/ Jn 7:1-2, 10, 25-30 (248)			

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<sup>5</sup> 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)

<b>12</b>	<b>Sat</b>	<b>Lenten Weekday</b>	violet
Jer 11:18-20/ Jn 7:40-53 (249)			
<b>13</b>	<b>SUN</b>	<b>FIFTH SUNDAY OF LENT</b>	violet
Ez 37:12-14/ Rom 8:8-11/ Jn 11:1-45 or 11:3-7, 17, 20-27, 33b-45 (34) Pss I			
<b>14</b>	<b>Mon</b>	<b>Lenten Weekday<sup>6</sup></b>	violet
Dn 13:1-9, 15-17, 19-30, 33-62 or 13:41c-62/ Jn 8:1-11 (251)			
<b>15</b>	<b>Tue</b>	<b>Lenten Weekday</b>	violet
Nm 21:4-9/ Jn 8:21-30 (252)			
<b>16</b>	<b>Wed</b>	<b>Lenten Weekday</b>	violet
Dn 3:14-20, 91-92, 95/ Jn 8:31-42 (253)			
<b>17</b>	<b>Thu</b>	<b>Lenten Weekday</b>	violet
[ <i>Saint Patrick, bishop</i> ] Gn 17:3-9/ Jn 8:51-59 (254)			
<b>18</b>	<b>Fri</b>	<b>Lenten Weekday</b>	violet
[ <i>Saint Cyril of Jerusalem, bishop and doctor of the Church</i> ] Jer 20:10-13/ Jn 10:31-42 (255)			
<b>19</b>	<b>Sat</b>	<b>Saint Joseph, husband of the Blessed Virgin Mary</b>	white
<i>solemnity</i> 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			
<b>20</b>	<b>SUN</b>	<b>PALM SUNDAY OF THE LORD'S PASSION</b>	red
Mt 21:1-11 (37)/ Is 50:4-7/ Phil 2:6-11/ Mt 26:14—27:66 or 27:11-54 (38) Pss II			
<b>21</b>	<b>Mon</b>	<b>Monday of Holy Week</b>	violet
Is 42:1-7/ Jn 12:1-11 (257)			
<b>22</b>	<b>Tue</b>	<b>Tuesday of Holy Week</b>	violet
Is 49:1-6/ Jn 13:21-33, 36-38 (258)			
<b>23</b>	<b>Wed</b>	<b>Wednesday of Holy Week</b>	violet
Is 50:4-9a/ Mt 26:14-25 (259)			

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<sup>6</sup> 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)

- 24 Thu Holy Thursday**<sup>7</sup> violet/Mass:white  
 Chrism Mass: Is 61:1-3a, 6a, 8b-9/ Rv 1:5-8/ Lk 4:16-21 (260)  
 Lord's Supper: Ex 12:1-8, 11-14/ 1 Cor 11:23-26/ Jn 13:1-15 (39)
- 25 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
- 26 Sat Holy Saturday**<sup>8</sup> violet/Vigil:white  
 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/ Mt 28:1-10 (41) Pss Prop
- 27 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 Mt 28:1-10 (41)  
 or, at an afternoon or evening Mass, Lk 24:13-35 (46) Pss Prop
- 28 Mon Monday in the Octave of Easter** white  
*solemnity*  
 Acts 2:14, 22-33/ Mt 28:8-15 (261) Pss Prop
- 29 Tue Tuesday in the Octave of Easter** white  
*solemnity*  
 Acts 2:36-41/ Jn 20:11-18 (262) Pss Prop
- 30 Wed Wednesday in the Octave of Easter** white  
*solemnity*  
 Acts 3:1-10/ Lk 24:13-35 (263) Pss Prop
- 31 Thu Thursday in the Octave of Easter** white  
*solemnity*  
 Acts 3:11-26/ Lk 24:35-48 (264) Pss Prop

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- 1 Fri Friday in the Octave of Easter** white  
*solemnity*  
 Acts 4:1-12/ Jn 21:1-14 (265) Pss Prop
- 2 Sat Saturday in the Octave of Easter** white

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

<sup>8</sup> 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.

*solemnity*

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

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

*solemnity*

Acts 2:42-47/1 Pt 1:3-9/Jn 20:19-31 (43) Pss Prop

**4 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

**5 Tue Easter Weekday** white/white

[*Saint Vincent Ferrer, priest*]

Acts 4:32-37/ Jn 3:7b-15 (268) Pss II

**6 Wed Easter Weekday** white

Acts 5:17-26/ Jn 3:16-21 (269)

**7 Thu Saint John Baptist de la Salle, priest** white

*memorial*

Acts 5:27-33/Jn 3:31-36 (270)

**8 Fri Easter Weekday** white

Acts 5:34-42/ Jn 6:1-15 (271)

**9 Sat Easter Weekday** white

Acts 6:1-7/Jn 6:16-21 (272)

**10 SUN THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER** white

Acts 2:14, 22-33/1 Pt 1:17-21/Lk 24:13-35 (46) Pss III

**11 Mon Saint Stanislaus, bishop and martyr** red

*memorial*

Acts 6:8-15/ Jn 6:22-29 (273)

**12 Tue Easter Weekday** white

Acts 7:51—8:1a/ Jn 6:30-35 (274)

**13 Wed Easter Weekday** white/red

[*Saint Martin I, pope and martyr*]

Acts 8:1b-8/ Jn 6:35-40 (275)

**14 Thu Easter Weekday** white

Acts 8:26-40/ Jn 6:44-51 (276)

**15 Fri Easter Weekday** white

Acts 9:1-20/ Jn 6:52-59 (277)

**16 Sat Easter Weekday** white  
Acts 9:31-42/ Jn 6:60-69 (278)

**17 SUN FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER** white  
Acts 2:14a, 36-41/1 Pt 2:20b-25/Jn 10:1-10 (49) Pss IV

**18 Mon Easter Weekday** white  
Acts 11:1-18/ Jn 10:11-18 (second option) (279)

**19 Tue Easter Weekday** white  
Acts 11:19-26/ Jn 10:22-30 (280)

**20 Wed Easter Weekday** white  
Acts 12:24—13:5a/Jn 12:44-50 (281)

**21 Thu Easter Weekday** white/white  
[*Saint Anselm, bishop and doctor of the Church*]  
Acts 13:13-25/ Jn 13:16-20 (282)

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

**23 Sat Easter Weekday** white/red/red  
[*Saint George, martyr; Saint Adalbert, bishop and martyr*]  
Acts 13:44-52/ Jn 14:7-14 (284)

**24 SUN FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER** white  
Acts 6:1-7/1 Pt 2:4-9/Jn 14:1-12 (52) Pss I

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

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

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

**28 Thu Easter Weekday** white/red/white  
[*Saint Peter Chanel, priest and martyr; Saint Louis Mary de Montfort, priest*]  
Acts 15:7-21/ Jn 15:9-11 (288)

**29 Fri Saint Catherine of Siena, virgin and doctor of the Church** white

*memorial*

Acts 15:22-31/ Jn 15:12-17 (289)

**30 Sat Easter Weekday**

white/white

[*Saint Pius V, pope*]

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

## MAY 2005

**1 SUN SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER<sup>9</sup>**

white

Acts 8:5-8, 14-17/1 Pt 3:15-18/Jn 14:15-21 (55) Pss II

**2 Mon Saint Athanasius, bishop and doctor of the Church**

white

*memorial*

Acts 16:11-15/ Jn 15:26—16:4a (291)

**3 Tue Saint Philip and Saint James, apostles**

red

*feast*

1 Cor 15:1-8/Jn 14:6-14 (561) Pss Prop

**4 Wed Easter Weekday**

white

Acts 17:15, 22—18:1/ Jn 16:12-15 (293)

**5 Thu The Ascension of the Lord<sup>10</sup>**

white

*solemnity* [holy day of obligation]

Acts 1:1-11/ Eph 1:17-23/ Mt 28:16-20 (58) Pss Prop

**6 Fri Easter Weekday**

white

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

**7 Sat Easter Weekday**

white

Acts 18:23-28/Jn 16:23b-28 (296)

**8 SUN SEVENTH SUNDAY OF EASTER<sup>11</sup>**

white

<sup>9</sup> 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. 59) may be read on the Sixth Sunday of Easter.

<sup>10</sup> Regarding the Ascension of the Lord, the ecclesiastical provinces of Boston, Hartford, New York, Newark, Philadelphia, Washington, 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 8. If transferred, Thursday, May 5, is observed as an Easter Weekday, and the following readings are used: Acts 18:1-8/ Jn 16:16-20 (294).

Acts 1:12-14/1 Pt 4:13-16/Jn 17:1-11a (59) Pss III

<b>9</b>	<b>Mon</b>	<b>Easter Weekday</b>	white
Acts 19:1-8/ Jn 16:29-33 (297)			
<b>10</b>	<b>Tue</b>	<b>Easter Weekday</b>	white/white
[ <i>Blessed Damien Joseph de Veuster of Moloka'i, priest</i> ]			
Acts 20:17-27/ Jn 17:1-11a (298)			
<b>11</b>	<b>Wed</b>	<b>Easter Weekday</b>	white
Acts 20:28-38/ Jn 17:11b-19 (299)			
<b>12</b>	<b>Thu</b>	<b>Easter Weekday</b>	white/red/red
[ <i>Saint Nereus and Saint Achilleus, martyrs; Saint Pancras, martyr</i> ]			
Acts 22:30; 23:6-11/ Jn 17:20-26 (300)			
<b>13</b>	<b>Fri</b>	<b>Easter Weekday</b>	white/white
[ <i>Our Lady of Fatima</i> ]			
Acts 25:13b-21/ Jn 21:15-19 (301)			
<b>14</b>	<b>Sat</b>	<b>Saint Matthias, apostle</b>	red
<i>feast</i>			
Acts 1:15-17, 20-26/Jn 15:9-17 (564) Pss Prop			
<b>15</b>	<b>SUN</b>	<b>PENTECOST SUNDAY</b>	red
<i>solemnity</i>			
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/ Jn 20:19-23 (63) Pss Prop			
<b>16</b>	<b>Mon</b>	<b>Weekday (Seventh Week in Ordinary Time)</b>	green
Sir 1:1-10/Mk 9:14-29 (341) Pss III			
<b>17</b>	<b>Tue</b>	<b>Weekday</b>	green
Sir 2:1-11/Mk 9:30-37 (342)			
<b>18</b>	<b>Wed</b>	<b>Weekday</b>	green/red
[ <i>Saint John I, pope and martyr</i> ]			
Sir 4:11-19/Mk 9:38-40 (343)			
<b>19</b>	<b>Thu</b>	<b>Weekday</b>	green
Sir 5:1-8/Mk 9:41-50 (344)			
<b>20</b>	<b>Fri</b>	<b>Weekday</b>	green/white

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<sup>11</sup> 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/ Mt 28:16-20 (58).

[*Saint Bernardine of Siena, priest*]  
Sir 6:5-17/Mk 10:1-12 (345)

**21 Sat Weekday** green/red/white  
[*Saint Christopher Magallanes, priest and martyr, and his companions, martyrs; BVM*]  
Sir 17:1-15/Mk 10:13-16 (346)

**22 SUN THE MOST HOLY TRINITY** white  
*solemnity*  
Ex 34:4b-6, 8-9/2 Cor 13:11-13/Jn 3:16-18 (164) Pss Prop

**23 Mon Weekday (Eighth Week in Ordinary Time)** green  
Sir 17:20-24/Mk 10:17-27 (347) Pss IV

**24 Tue Weekday** green  
Sir 35:1-12/Mk 10:28-31 (348)

**25 Wed Weekday** green/white/white/white  
[*Saint Bede the Venerable, priest and doctor of the Church; Saint Gregory VII, pope; Saint Mary Magdalene de' Pazzi, virgin*]  
Sir 36:1, 4-5a, 10-17/Mk 10:32-45 (349)

**26 Thu Saint Philip Neri, priest** white  
*memorial*  
Sir 42:15-25/Mk 10:46-52 (350)

**27 Fri Weekday** green/white  
[*Saint Augustine of Canterbury, bishop*]  
Sir 44:1, 9-13/Mk 11:11-26 (351)

**28 Sat Weekday** green/white  
[*BVM*]  
Sir 51:12cd-20/Mk 11:27-33 (352)

**29 SUN THE MOST HOLY BODY AND BLOOD OF CHRIST** white  
Dt 8:2-3, 14b-16a/1 Cor 10:16-17/Jn 6:51-58 (167) Pss Prop

**30 Mon Weekday (Ninth Week in Ordinary Time)** green  
Tb 1:3; 2:1a-8/Mk 12:1-12 (353) Pss I

**31 Tue 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 2005

- 1 Wed Saint Justin, martyr** red  
*memorial*  
Tb 3:1-11a, 16-17a/Mk 12:18-27 (355)
- 2 Thu Weekday** green/red  
[*Saint Marcellinus and Saint Peter, martyrs*]  
Tb 6:10-11; 7:1bcde, 9-17; 8:4-9a/Mk 12:28-34 (356)
- 3 Fri The Most Sacred Heart of Jesus** white  
*solemnity*  
Dt 7:6-11/1 Jn 4:7-16/Mt 11:25-30 (170) Pss Prop
- 4 Sat The Immaculate Heart of the Blessed Virgin Mary** white  
*memorial*  
Tb 12:1, 5-15, 20 (358)/Lk 2:41-51\* (573)
- 5 SUN TENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME** green  
Hos 6:3-6/Rom 4:18-25/Mt 9:9-13 (88) Pss II
- 6 Mon Weekday** green/white  
[*Saint Norbert, bishop*]  
2 Cor 1:1-7/ Mt 5:1-12 (359)
- 7 Tue Weekday** green  
2 Cor 1:18-22/ Mt 5:13-16 (360)
- 8 Wed Weekday** green  
2 Cor 3:4-11/ Mt 5:17-19 (361)
- 9 Thu Weekday** green/white  
[*Saint Ephrem, deacon and doctor of the Church*]  
2 Cor 3:15—4:1, 3-6/ Mt 5:20-26 (362)
- 10 Fri Weekday** green  
2 Cor 4:7-15/ Mt 5:27-32 (363)
- 11 Sat Saint Barnabas, apostle** red  
*memorial*  
Acts 11:21b-26; 13:1-3\* (580)/ Mt 5:33-37 (364)

<b>12</b>	<b>SUN</b>	<b>ELEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME</b>	green
Ex 19:2-6a/Rom 5:6-11/Mt 9:36—10:8 (91) Pss III			
<b>13</b>	<b>Mon</b>	<b>Saint Anthony of Padua, priest and doctor of the Church</b> <i>memorial</i>	white
2 Cor 6:1-10/ Mt 5:38-42 (365)			
<b>14</b>	<b>Tue</b>	<b>Weekday</b>	green
2 Cor 8:1-9/ Mt 5:43-48 (366)			
<b>15</b>	<b>Wed</b>	<b>Weekday</b>	green
2 Cor 9:6-11/ Mt 6:1-6, 16-18 (367)			
<b>16</b>	<b>Thu</b>	<b>Weekday</b>	green
2 Cor 11:1-11/ Mt 6:7-15 (368)			
<b>17</b>	<b>Fri</b>	<b>Weekday</b>	green
2 Cor 11:18, 21-30/ Mt 6:19-23 (369)			
<b>18</b>	<b>Sat</b>	<b>Weekday</b>	green/white
[BVM] 2 Cor 12:1-10/ Mt 6:24-34 (370)			
<b>19</b>	<b>SUN</b>	<b>TWELFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME</b>	green
Jer 20:10-13/Rom 5:12-15/Mt 10:26-33 (94) Pss IV			
<b>20</b>	<b>Mon</b>	<b>Weekday</b>	green
Gn 12:1-9/ Mt 7:1-5 (371)			
<b>21</b>	<b>Tue</b>	<b>Saint Aloysius Gonzaga, religious</b> <i>memorial</i>	white
Gn 13:2, 5-18/Mt 7:6, 12-14 (372)			
<b>22</b>	<b>Wed</b>	<b>Weekday</b>	green/white/red
[Saint Paulinus of Nola, bishop; Saint John Fisher, bishop and martyr, and Saint Thomas More, martyr] Gn 15:1-12, 17-18/ Mt 7:15-20 (373)			
<b>23</b>	<b>Thu</b>	<b>Weekday</b>	green
Gn 16:1-12, 15-16 or 16:6b-12, 15-16/ Mt 7:21-29 (374)			
<b>24</b>	<b>Fri</b>	<b>The Nativity of Saint John the Baptist</b> <i>solemnity</i>	white
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			

<b>25 Sat Weekday</b> [BVM] Gn 18:1-15/Mt 8:5-17 (376)	green/white
<b>26 SUN THIRTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME</b> 2 Kgs 4:8-11, 14-16a/Rom 6:3-4, 8-11/Mt 10:37-42 (97) Pss I	green
<b>27 Mon Weekday</b> [Saint Cyril of Alexandria, bishop and doctor of the Church] Gn 18:16-33/Mt 8:18-22 (377)	green/white
<b>28 Tue Saint Irenaeus, bishop and martyr</b> <i>memorial</i> Gn 19:15-29/Mt 8:23-27 (378)	red
<b>29 Wed Saint Peter and Saint Paul, apostles</b> <i>solemnity</i> 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	red
<b>30 Thu Weekday</b> [The First Holy Martyrs of the Holy Roman Church] Gn 22:1b-19/Mt 9:1-8 (380)	green/red

### JULY 2005

<b>1 Fri Weekday</b> [Blessed Junípero Serra, priest] Gn 23:1-4, 19; 24:1-8, 62-67/ Mt 9:9-13 (381)	green/white
<b>2 Sat Weekday</b> [BVM] Gn 27:1-5, 15-29/ Mt 9:14-17 (382)	green/white
<b>3 SUN FOURTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME</b> Zec 9:9-10/Rom 8:9, 11-13/Mt 11:25-30 (100) Pss II	green
<b>4 Mon Weekday</b> [Saint Elizabeth of Portugal; Independence Day – proper Mass] Gn 28:10-22a/ Mt 9:18-26 (383)	green/white/white

- 5 Tue Weekday** green/white  
 [Saint Anthony Mary Zaccaria, priest]  
 Gn 32:23-33/ Mt 9:32-38 (384)
- 6 Wed Weekday** green/red  
 [Saint Maria Gorreti, virgin and martyr]  
 Gn 41:55-57; 42:5-7a, 17-24a/ Mt 10:1-7 (385)
- 7 Thu Weekday** green  
 Gn 44:18-21, 23b-29; 45:1-5/ Mt 10:7-15 (386)
- 8 Fri Weekday** green  
 Gn 46:1-7, 28-30/ Mt 10:16-23 (387)
- 9 Sat Weekday** green/red/white  
 [Saint Augustine Zhao Rong, priest and martyr, and his companions, martyrs; BVM]  
 Gn 49:29-32; 50:15-26a/ Mt 10:24-33 (388)
- 10 SUN FIFTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME** green  
 Is 55:10-11/Rom 8:18-23/Mt 13:1-23 or 13:1-9 (103) Pss III
- 11 Mon Saint Benedict, abbot** white  
*memorial*  
 Ex 1:8-14, 22/ Mt 10:34—11:1 (389)
- 12 Tue Weekday** green  
 Ex 2:1-15a/ Mt 11:20-24 (390)
- 13 Wed Weekday** green/white  
 [Saint Henry]  
 Ex 3:1-6, 9-12/ Mt 11:25-27 (391)
- 14 Thu Blessed Kateri Tekakwitha, virgin** white  
*memorial*  
 Ex 3:13-20/ Mt 11:28-30 (392)
- 15 Fri Saint Bonaventure, bishop and doctor of the Church** white  
*memorial*  
 Ex 11:10—12:14/ Mt 12:1-8 (393)
- 16 Sat Weekday** green/white/white  
 [Our Lady of Mount Carmel; BVM]  
 Ex 12:37-42/ Mt 12:14-21 (394)
- 17 SUN SIXTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME** green  
 Wis 12:13, 16-19/Rom 8:26-27/Mt 13:24-43 or 13:24-30 (106) Pss IV

- 18 Mon Weekday** green/white  
 [*Camillus de Lellis, priest*]  
 Ex 14:5-18/ Mt 12:38-42 (395)
- 19 Tue Weekday** green  
 Ex 14:21—15:1/Mt 12:46-50 (396)
- 20 Wed Weekday** green/red  
 [*Saint Apollinaris, bishop and martyr*]  
 Ex 16:1-5, 9-15/ Mt 13:1-9 (397)
- 21 Thu Weekday** green/white  
 [*Saint Lawrence of Brindisi, priest and doctor of the Church*]  
 Ex 19:1-2, 9-11, 16-20b/ Mt 13:10-17 (398)
- 22 Fri Saint Mary Magdalene** white  
*memorial*  
 Ex 20:1-17 (399)/Jn 20:1-2, 11-18\* (603) Pss Prop
- 23 Sat Weekday** green/white/white  
 [*Saint Bridget of Sweden, religious; BVM*]  
 Ex 24:3-8/ Mt 13:24-30 (400)
- 24 SUN SEVENTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME** green  
 1 Kgs 3:5, 7-12/Rom 8:28-30/Mt 13:44-52 or 13:44-46 (109) Pss I
- 25 Mon Saint James, apostle** red  
*feast*  
 2 Cor 4:7-15/Mt 20:20-28 (605) Pss Prop
- 26 Tue Saint Joachim and Saint Anne, parents of the Blessed Virgin Mary** white  
*memorial*  
 Ex 33:7-11; 34:5b-9, 28/Mt 13:36-43 (402)
- 27 Wed Weekday** green  
 Ex 34:29-35/ Mt 13:44-46 (403)
- 28 Thu Weekday** green  
 Ex 40:16-21, 34-38/ Mt 13:47-53 (404)
- 29 Fri Saint Martha** white  
*memorial*  
 Lv 23:1, 4-11, 15-16, 27, 34b-37 (405)/Jn 11:19-27\* or Lk 10:38-42\* (607)

**30 Sat Weekday** green/white/white  
 [Saint Peter Chrysologus, bishop and doctor of the Church; BVM]  
 Lv 25:1, 8-17/ Mt 14:1-12 (406)

**31 SUN EIGHTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME** green  
 Is 55:1-3/Rom 8:35, 37-39/Mt 14:13-21 (112) Pss II

### AUGUST 2005

**1 Mon Saint Alphonsus Liguori, bishop and doctor of the Church** white  
*memorial*  
 Nm 11:4b-15 (407)/ Mt 14:22-36 (408)

**2 Tue Weekday** green/white/white  
 [Saint Eusebius of Vercelli, bishop; Saint Peter Julian Eymard, priest]  
 Nm 12:1-13/ Mt 14:22-36 or Mt 15:1-2, 10-14 (408)

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

**4 Thu Saint John Mary Vianney, priest** white  
*memorial*  
 Nm 20:1-13/ Mt 16:13-23 (410)

**5 Fri Weekday** green/white  
 [The Dedication of the Basilica of Saint Mary Major in Rome]  
 Dt 4:32-40/ Mt 16:24-28 (411)

**6 Sat The Transfiguration of the Lord** white  
*feast*  
 Dn 7:9-10, 13-14/2 Pt 1:16-19/Mt 17:1-9 (614) Pss Prop

**7 SUN NINETEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME** green  
 1 Kgs 19:9a, 11-13a/Rom 9:1-5/Mt 14:22-33 (115) Pss III

**8 Mon Saint Dominic, priest** white  
*memorial*  
 Dt 10:12-22/ Mt 17:22-27 (413)

**9 Tue Weekday** green/red  
 [Saint Teresa Benedicta of the Cross, virgin and martyr]  
 Dt 31:1-8/ Mt 18:1-5, 10, 12-14 (414)

- 10 Wed Saint Lawrence, deacon and martyr** red  
*feast*  
2 Cor 9:6-10/Jn 12:24-26 (618) Pss Prop
- 11 Thu Saint Clare, virgin** white  
*memorial*  
Jos 3:7-10a, 11, 13-17/ Mt 18:21—19:1 (416)
- 12 Fri Weekday** green  
Jos 24:1-13/Mt 19:3-12 (417)
- 13 Sat Weekday** green/red/white  
[*Saint Pontian, pope and martyr, and Saint Hippolytus, priest and martyr; BVM*]  
Jos 24:14-29/Mt 19:13-15 (418)
- 14 SUN TWENTIETH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME** green  
Is 56:1, 6-7/Rom 11:13-15, 29-32/Mt 15:21-28 (118) Pss IV
- 15 Mon The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary** white  
*solemnity* [not a 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 Tue Weekday** green/white  
[*Saint Stephen of Hungary*]  
Jgs 6:11-24a/ Mt 19:23-30 (420)
- 17 Wed Weekday** green  
Jgs 9:6-15/ Mt 20:1-16 (421)
- 18 Thu Weekday** green/white  
[*Saint Jane Frances de Chantal, religious*]  
Jgs 11:29-39a/ Mt 22:1-14 (422)
- 19 Fri Weekday** green/white  
[*Saint John Eudes, priest*]  
Ru 1:1, 3-6, 14b-16, 22/ Mt 22:34-40 (423)
- 20 Sat Saint Bernard, abbot and doctor of the Church** white  
*memorial*  
Ru 2:1-3, 8-11; 4:13-17/ Mt 23:1-12 (424)
- 21 SUN TWENTY-FIRST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME** green  
Is 22:19-23/Rom 11:33-36/Mt 16:13-20 (121) Pss I

- 22 Mon The Queenship of the Blessed Virgin Mary** white  
*memorial*  
1 Thes 1:1-5, 8b-10/ Mt 23:13-22 (425)
- 23 Tue Weekday** green/white  
[*Saint Rose of Lima, virgin*]  
1 Thes 2:1-8/ Mt 23:23-26 (426)
- 24 Wed Saint Bartholomew, apostle** red  
*feast*  
Rv 21:9b-14/Jn 1:45-51 (629) Pss Prop
- 25 Thu Weekday** green/white/white  
[*Saint Louis of France; Saint Joseph Calasanz, priest*]  
1 Thes 3:7-13/ Mt 24:42-51 (428)
- 26 Fri Weekday** green  
1 Thes 4:1-8/Mt 25:1-13 (429)
- 27 Sat Saint Monica** white  
*memorial*  
1 Thes 4:9-11/ Mt 25:14-30 (430)
- 28 SUN TWENTY-SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME** green  
Jer 20:7-9/Rom 12:1-2/Mt 16:21-27 (124) Pss II
- 29 Mon The Martyrdom of Saint John the Baptist** red  
*memorial*  
1 Thes 4:13-18 (431)/ Mk 6:17-29\* (634) Pss Prop
- 30 Tue Weekday** green  
1 Thes 5:1-6, 9-11/ Lk 4:31-37 (432)
- 31 Wed Weekday** green  
Col 1:1-8/ Lk 4:38-44 (433)

### SEPTEMBER 2005

- 1 Thu Weekday** green  
Col 1:9-14/ Lk 5:1-11 (434)
- 2 Fri Weekday** green  
Col 1:15-20/ Lk 5:33-39 (435)

- 3 Sat Saint Gregory the Great, pope and doctor of the Church** white  
*memorial*  
Col 1:21-23/ Lk 6:1-5 (436)
- 4 SUN TWENTY-THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME** green  
Ez 33:7-9/Rom 13:8-10/Mt 18:15-20 (127) Pss III
- 5 Mon Weekday** green/white  
[*Labor Day—proper Mass: Blessing of Human Labor (907-911)*]  
Col 1:24—2:3/Lk 6:6-11 (437)
- 6 Tue Weekday** green  
Col 2:6-15/ Lk 6:12-19 (438)
- 7 Wed Weekday** green  
Col 3:1-11/ Lk 6:20-26 (439)
- 8 Thu 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 Fri Saint Peter Claver, priest** white  
*memorial*  
1 Tm 1:1-2, 12-14/ Lk 6:39-42 (441)
- 10 Sat Weekday** green/white  
[*BVM*]  
1 Tm 1:15-17/ Lk 6:43-49 (442)
- 11 SUN TWENTY-FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME** green  
Sir 27:30—28:9/Rom 14:7-9/Mt 18:21-35 (130) Pss IV
- 12 Mon Weekday** green/white  
[*The Most Holy Name of the Blessed Virgin Mary*]  
1 Tm 2:1-8/Lk 7:1-10 (443)
- 13 Tue Saint John Chrysostom, bishop and doctor of the Church** white  
*memorial*  
1 Tm 3:1-13/ Lk 7:11-17 (444)
- 14 Wed The Exaltation of the Holy Cross** white  
*feast*  
Nm 21:4b-9/Phil 2:6-11/Jn 3:13-17 (638) Pss Prop

- 15 Thu Our Lady of Sorrows** white  
*memorial*  
1 Tm 4:12-16 (446)/ Jn 19:25-27\* or Lk 2:33-35\* (639) Pss Prop
- 16 Fri Saint Cornelius, pope and martyr, and Saint Cyprian, bishop and martyr** red  
*memorial*  
1 Tm 6:2c-12/ Lk 8:1-3 (447)
- 17 Sat Weekday** green/white/white  
[*Saint Robert Bellarmine, bishop and doctor of the Church; BVM*]  
1 Tm 6:13-16/ Lk 8:4-15 (448)
- 18 SUN TWENTY-FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME** green  
Is 55:6-9/Phil 1:20c-24, 27a/Mt 20:1-16a (133) Pss I
- 19 Mon Weekday** green/red  
[*Saint Januarius, bishop and martyr*]  
Ezr 1:1-6/ Lk 8:16-18 (449)
- 20 Tue Saint Andrew Kim Taegon, priest and martyr, Saint Paul Chong Hasang, martyr, and their companions, martyrs** red  
*memorial*  
Ezr 6:7-8, 12b, 14-20/ Lk 8:19-21 (450)
- 21 Wed Saint Matthew, apostle and evangelist** red  
*feast*  
Eph 4:1-7, 11-13/Mt 9:9-13 (643) Pss Prop
- 22 Thu Weekday** green  
Hg 1:1-8/ Lk 9:7-9 (452)
- 23 Fri Saint Pio of Pietrelcina, priest** white  
*memorial*  
Hg 2:1-9/ Lk 9:18-22 (453)
- 24 Sat Weekday** green/white  
[*BVM*]  
Zec 2:5-9, 14-15a/ Lk 9:43b-45 (454)
- 25 SUN TWENTY-SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME** green  
Ez 18:25-28/Phil 2:1-11 or 2:1-5/Mt 21:28-32 (136) Pss II
- 26 Mon Weekday** green/red  
[*Saint Cosmas, martyr, and Saint Damian, martyr*]  
Zec 8:1-8/Lk 9:46-50 (455)

- 27 Tue Saint Vincent de Paul, priest** white  
*memorial*  
Zec 8:20-23/ Lk 9:51-56 (456)
- 28 Wed Weekday** green/red/red  
[*Saint Wenceslaus, martyr; Saint Lawrence Ruiz and his companions, martyrs*]  
Neh 2:1-8/ Lk 9:57-62 (457)
- 29 Thu 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 Fri Saint Jerome, priest and doctor of the Church** white  
*memorial*  
Bar 1:15-22/ Lk 10:13-16 (459)

### OCTOBER 2005

- 1 Sat Saint Thérèse of the Child Jesus, virgin and doctor of the Church** white  
*memorial*  
Bar 4:5-12, 27-29/ Lk 10:17-24 (460)
- 2 SUN TWENTY-SEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME** green  
Is 5:1-7/Phil 4:6-9/Mt 21:33-43 (139) Pss III
- 3 Mon Weekday** green  
Jon 1:1—2:2, 11/ Lk 10:25-37 (461)
- 4 Tue Saint Francis of Assisi, religious** white  
*memorial*  
Jon 3:1-10/ Lk 10:38-42 (462)
- 5 Wed Weekday** green  
Jon 4:1-11/ Lk 11:1-4 (463)
- 6 Thu Weekday** green/white/white  
[*Saint Bruno, priest; Blessed Marie-Rose Durocher, virgin*]  
Mal 3:13-20b / Lk 11:5-13 (464)
- 7 Fri Our Lady of the Rosary** white  
*memorial*  
Jl 1:13-15; 2:1-2/ Lk 11:15-26 (465)

<b>8</b>	<b>Sat Weekday</b>	green/white
	[ <i>BVM</i> ] Jl 4:12-21/ Lk 11:27-28 (466)	
<b>9</b>	<b>SUN TWENTY-EIGHTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME</b>	green
	Is 25:6-10a/Phil 4:12-14, 19-20/Mt 22:1-14 or 22:1-10 (142) Pss IV	
<b>10</b>	<b>Mon Weekday</b>	green
	Rom 1:1-7/ Lk 11:29-32 (467)	
<b>11</b>	<b>Tue Weekday</b>	green
	Rom 1:16-25/ Lk 11:37-41 (468)	
<b>12</b>	<b>Wed Weekday</b>	green
	Rom 2:1-11/ Lk 11:42-46 (469)	
<b>13</b>	<b>Thu Weekday</b>	green
	Rom 3:21-30/ Lk 11:47-54 (470)	
<b>14</b>	<b>Fri Weekday</b>	green/red
	[ <i>Saint Callistus I, pope and martyr</i> ] Rom 4:1-8/ Lk 12:1-7 (471)	
<b>15</b>	<b>Sat Saint Teresa of Jesus, virgin and doctor of the Church</b>	white
	<i>memorial</i> Rom 4:13, 16-18/Lk 12:8-12 (472)	
<b>16</b>	<b>SUN TWENTY-NINTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME</b>	green
	Is 45:1, 4-6/1 Thes 1:1-5b/Mt 22:15-21 (145) Pss I	
<b>17</b>	<b>Mon Saint Ignatius of Antioch, bishop and martyr</b>	red
	<i>memorial</i> Rom 4:20-25/ Lk 12:13-21 (473)	
<b>18</b>	<b>Tue Saint Luke, evangelist</b>	red
	<i>feast</i> 2 Tm 4:10-17b/Lk 10:1-9 (661) Pss Prop	
<b>19</b>	<b>Wed Saint John de Brébeuf, priest and martyr, Saint Isaac Jogues, priest</b>	red
	<b>and martyr, and their companions, martyrs</b> <i>memorial</i> Rom 6:12-18/ Lk 12:39-48 (475)	
<b>20</b>	<b>Thu Weekday</b>	green/white
	[ <i>Saint Paul of the Cross, priest</i> ] Rom 6:19-23/ Lk 12:49-53 (476)	

<b>21</b>	<b>Fri</b>	<b>Weekday</b>	green
Rom 7:18-25a/ Lk 12:54-59 (477)			
<b>22</b>	<b>Sat</b>	<b>Weekday</b>	green/white
[BVM] Rom 8:1-11/ Lk 13:1-9 (478)			
<b>23</b>	<b>SUN</b>	<b>THIRTIETH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME</b>	green
Ex 22:20-26/1 Thes 1:5c-10/Mt 22:34-40 (148) Pss II			
<b>24</b>	<b>Mon</b>	<b>Weekday</b>	green/white
[Saint Anthony Mary Claret, bishop] Rom 8:12-17/ Lk 13:10-17 (479)			
<b>25</b>	<b>Tue</b>	<b>Weekday</b>	green
Rom 8:18-25/Lk 13:18-21 (480)			
<b>26</b>	<b>Wed</b>	<b>Weekday</b>	green
Rom 8:26-30/ Lk 13:22-30 (481)			
<b>27</b>	<b>Thu</b>	<b>Weekday</b>	green
Rom 8:31b-39/ Lk 13:31-35 (482)			
<b>28</b>	<b>Fri</b>	<b>Saint Simon and Saint Jude, apostles</b>	red
<i>feast</i> Eph 2:19-22/Lk 6:12-16 (666) Pss Prop			
<b>29</b>	<b>Sat</b>	<b>Weekday</b>	green/white
[BVM] Rom 11:1-2a, 11-12, 25-29/Lk 14:1, 7-11 (484)			
<b>30</b>	<b>SUN</b>	<b>THIRTY-FIRST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME</b>	green
Mal 1:14b—2:2b, 8-10/1 Thes 2:7b-9, 13/Mt 23:1-12 (151) Pss III			
<b>31</b>	<b>Mon</b>	<b>Weekday</b>	green
Rom 11:29-36/Lk 14:12-14 (485)			

### NOVEMBER 2005

<b>1</b>	<b>Tue</b>	<b>All Saints</b>	white
<i>solemnity</i> [holy day of obligation] Rv 7:2-4, 9-14/ 1 Jn 3:1-3/ Mt 5:1-12a (667) Pss Prop			

- 2 Wed Commemoration of All the Faithful Departed (All Souls)** white/violet/black  
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, IV*. Pss Prop
- 3 Thu Weekday** green/white  
[*Saint Martin de Porres, religious*]  
Rom 14:7-12/ Lk 15:1-10 (488)
- 4 Fri Saint Charles Borromeo, bishop** white  
*memorial*  
Rom 15:14-21/ Lk 16:1-8 (489)
- 5 Sat Weekday** green/white  
[*BVM*]  
Rom 16:3-9, 16, 22-27/Lk 16:9-15 (490)
- 6 SUN THIRTY-SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME** green  
Wis 6:12-16/1 Thes 4:13-18 or 4:13-14/Mt 25:1-13 (154) Pss IV
- 7 Mon Weekday** green  
Wis 1:1-7/ Lk 17:1-6 (491)
- 8 Tue Weekday** green  
Wis 2:23—3:9/ Lk 17:7-10 (492)
- 9 Wed 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 Thu Saint Leo the Great, pope and doctor of the Church** white  
*memorial*  
Wis 7:22b—8:1/ Lk 17:20-25 (494)
- 11 Fri Saint Martin of Tours, bishop** white  
*memorial*  
Wis 13:1-9/ Lk 17:26-37 (495) Pss Prop
- 12 Sat Saint Josaphat, bishop and martyr** red  
*memorial*  
Wis 18:14-16; 19:6-9/ Lk 18:1-8 (496)
- 13 SUN THIRTY-THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME** green  
Prv 31:10-13, 19-20, 30-31/1 Thes 5:1-6/Mt 25:14-30 or 25:14-15, 19-21 (157) Pss I
- 14 Mon Weekday** green  
1 Mc 1:10-15, 41-43, 54-57, 62-63/ Lk 18:35-43 (497)

- 15 Tue Weekday** green/white  
 [Saint Albert the Great, bishop and doctor of the Church]  
 2 Mc 6:18-31/Lk 19:1-10 (498)
- 16 Wed Weekday** green/white/white  
 [Saint Margaret of Scotland; Saint Gertrude, virgin]  
 2 Mc 7:1, 20-31/ Lk 19:11-28 (499)
- 17 Thu Saint Elizabeth of Hungary, religious memorial** white  
 1 Mc 2:15-29/ Lk 19:41-44 (500)
- 18 Fri Weekday** green/white/white  
 [The Dedication of the Basilicas of Saint Peter and Saint Paul, apostles; Saint Rose Philippine Duchesne, virgin]  
 1 Mc 4:36-37, 52-59/ Lk 19:45-48 (501) or (for the memorial of the Dedication) Acts 28:11-16, 30-31\*/Mt 14:22-33\* (679)
- 19 Sat Weekday** green/white  
 [BVM]  
 1 Mc 6:1-13/ Lk 20:27-40 (502)
- 20 SUN OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST THE KING** white  
*solemnity*  
 Ez 34:11-12, 15-17/1 Cor 15:20-26, 28/Mt 25:31-46 (160) Pss Prop
- 21 Mon The Presentation of the Blessed Virgin Mary (Thirty-Fourth or Last Week in Ordinary Time)** white  
*memorial*  
 Pss II  
 Dn 1:1-6, 8-20/ Lk 21:1-4 (503)
- 22 Tue Saint Cecilia, virgin and martyr** red  
*memorial*  
 Dn 2:31-45/ Lk 21:5-11 (504)
- 23 Wed Weekday** green/red/white/red  
 [Saint Clement I, pope and martyr; Saint Columban, abbot; Blessed Miguel Agustín Pro, priest and martyr]  
 Dn 5:1-6, 13-14, 16-17, 23-28/ Lk 21:12-19 (505)

- 24 Thu Saint Andrew Dung-Lac, priest and martyr, and his companions, martyrs** red/white  
*memorial*  
 [Thanksgiving Day -- proper Mass: In Thanksgiving to God (943-947), especially Sir 50:22-24 (943.2)/ 1 Cor 1:3-9 (944.1)/ Lk 17:11-19 (947.6)]  
 Dn 6:12-28/ Lk 21:20-28 (506)
- 25 Fri Weekday** green/red  
 [Saint Catherine of Alexandria, virgin and martyr]  
 Dn 7:2-14/ Lk 21:29-33 (507)
- 26 Sat Weekday** green/white  
 [BVM]  
 Dn 7:15-27/ Lk 21:34-36 (508)

### YEAR B — WEEKDAYS II

- 27 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 I
- 28 Mon Advent Weekday** violet  
 Is 2:1-5/ Mt 8:5-11 (175)
- 29 Tue Advent Weekday** violet  
 Is 11:1-10/ Lk 10:21-24 (176)
- 30 Wed Saint Andrew, apostle** red  
*feast*  
 Rom 10:9-18/Mt 4:18-22 (684) Pss Prop

### DECEMBER 2005

- 1 Thu Advent Weekday** violet  
 Is 26:1-6/ Mt 7:21, 24-27 (178)
- 2 Fri Advent Weekday** violet  
 Is 29:17-24/ Mt 9:27-31 (179)
- 3 Sat Saint Francis Xavier, priest** white  
*memorial*  
 Is 30:19-21, 23-26/ Mt 9:35—10:1, 5a, 6-8 (180)

<b>4</b>	<b>SUN SECOND SUNDAY OF ADVENT</b>	violet
Is 40:1-5, 9-11/2 Pt 3:8-14/Mk 1:1-8 (5) Pss II		
<b>5</b>	<b>Mon Advent Weekday</b>	violet
Is 35:1-10/Lk 5:17-26 (181)		
<b>6</b>	<b>Tue Advent Weekday</b>	violet/white
[ <i>Saint Nicholas, bishop</i> ] Is 40:1-11/ Mt 18:12-14 (182)		
<b>7</b>	<b>Wed Saint Ambrose, bishop and doctor of the Church</b>	white
<i>memorial</i> Is 40:25-31/ Mt 11:28-30 (183)		
<b>8</b>	<b>Thu The Immaculate Conception of the Blessed Virgin Mary</b>	white
<i>solemnity</i> [holy day of obligation] Gn 3:9-15, 20/ Eph 1:3-6, 11-12/ Lk 1:26-38 (689) Pss Prop		
<b>9</b>	<b>Fri Advent Weekday</b>	violet/white
[ <i>Saint Juan Diego, hermit</i> ] Is 48:17-19/Mt 11:16-19 (185)		
<b>10</b>	<b>Sat Advent Weekday</b>	violet
Sir 48:1-4, 9-11/ Mt 17:9a, 10-13 (186)		
<b>11</b>	<b>SUN THIRD SUNDAY OF ADVENT</b>	violet/rose
Is 61:1-2a, 10-11/1 Thes 5:16-24/Jn 1:6-8, 19-28 (8) Pss III		
<b>12</b>	<b>Mon Our Lady of Guadalupe</b>	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 readings from the Common of the Blessed Virgin Mary, nos. 707-712 Pss Prop		
<b>13</b>	<b>Tue Saint Lucy, virgin and martyr</b>	red
<i>memorial</i> Zep 3:1-2, 9-13/ Mt 21:28-32 (188)		
<b>14</b>	<b>Wed Saint John of the Cross, priest and doctor of the Church</b>	white
<i>memorial</i> Is 45:6b-8, 18, 21b-25/Lk 7:18b-23 (189)		
<b>15</b>	<b>Thu Advent Weekday</b>	violet
Is 54:1-10/Lk 7:24-30 (190)		
<b>16</b>	<b>Fri Advent Weekday</b>	violet
Is 56:1-3a, 6-8/Jn 5:33-36 (191)		

- 17 Sat Advent Weekday** violet  
Gn 49:2, 8-10/Mt 1:1-17 (193)
- 18 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
- 19 Mon Advent Weekday** violet  
Jgs 13:2-7, 24-25a/Lk 1:5-25 (195)
- 20 Tue Advent Weekday** violet  
Is 7:10-14/Lk 1:26-38 (196)
- 21 Wed 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 Thu Advent Weekday** violet  
1 Sm 1:24-28/ Lk 1:46-56 (198)
- 23 Fri Advent Weekday** violet  
[*Saint John of Kanty, priest*]  
Mal 3:1-4, 23-24/ Lk 1:57-66 (199)
- 24 Sat Advent Weekday** violet  
Morning: 2 Sm 7:1-5, 8b-12, 14a, 16/ Lk 1:67-79 (200)
- 25 SUN 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 Mon Saint Stephen, first martyr** red  
*feast*  
Acts 6:8-10; 7:54-59/ Mt 10:17-22 (696) Pss Prop
- 27 Tue Saint John, apostle and evangelist** white  
*feast*  
1 Jn 1:1-4/ Jn 20:1a, 2-8 (697) Pss Prop
- 28 Wed The Holy Innocents, martyrs** red  
*feast*  
1 Jn 1:5—2:2/Mt 2:13-18 (698) Pss Prop

- 29 Thu 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 Fri The Holy Family of Jesus, Mary, and Joseph** white  
*feast*  
 Sir 3:2-7, 12-14 or Gn 15:1-6; 21:1-3/Col 3:12-21 or 3:12-17 or Heb 11:8, 11-12, 17-19/  
 Lk 2:22-40 or 2:22, 39-40 (17) Pss Prop/Pss I
- 31 Sat 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