
SUNDAYS AND MAJOR FESTIVALS

YEAR C

(*year C begins on 1 Advent 2000, 2003, 2006, 2009 . . .*)

First Sunday of Advent

Jeremiah 33:14–16
Psalm 25:1–10
1 Thessalonians 3:9–13
Luke 21:25–36

Second Sunday of Advent

Malachi 3:1–4
Luke 1:68–79
Philippians 1:3–11
Luke 3:1–6

Third Sunday of Advent

Zephaniah 3:14–20
Isaiah 12:2–6
Philippians 4:4–7
Luke 3:7–18

Fourth Sunday of Advent

Micah 5:2–5a
Luke 1:(46b) 47–55 or Psalm 80:1–7
Hebrews 10:5–10
Luke 1:39–45 (46–55)

Christmas

(Any of the following three Propers may be used for Christmas Eve/Day)

- Proper I** Isaiah 9:2–7
 Psalm 96
 Titus 2:11–14
 Luke 2:1–14 (15–20)
- Proper II** Isaiah 62:6–12
 Psalm 97
 Titus 3:4–7
 Luke 2:(1–7) 8–20
- Proper III** Isaiah 52:7–10
 Psalm 98
 Hebrews 1:1–4 (5–12)
 John 1:1–14
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First Sunday after Christmas

1 Samuel 2:18–20, 26
Psalm 148
Colossians 3:12–17
Luke 2:41–52

1 January — Name of Jesus

Numbers 6:22–27
Psalm 8
Galatians 4:4–7 or Philippians 2:5–11
Luke 2:15–21

1 January — New Year's Day

Ecclesiastes 3:1–13
Psalm 8
Revelation 21: 1–6a
Matthew 25:31–46

Second Sunday after Christmas

Jeremiah 31:7–14
Psalm 147:12–15 (16–18) 19, 20
Ephesians 1:3–14
John 1:(1–9) 10–18

Epiphany of our Lord (6 January)

Isaiah 60:1–6
Psalm 72:1–7, 10–14
Ephesians 3:1–12
Matthew 2:1–12

First Sunday after the Epiphany (Baptism of our Lord)

Isaiah 43:1–7
Psalm 29
Acts 8:14–17
Luke 3:15–17, 21, 22

Second Sunday after the Epiphany

Isaiah 62:1–5
Psalm 36:5–10
1 Corinthians 12:1–11
John 2:1–11

Third Sunday after the Epiphany

Nehemiah 8:1–3, 5, 6, 8–10
Psalm 19
1 Corinthians 12:12–31a
Luke 4:14–21

Fourth Sunday after the Epiphany

Jeremiah 1:4–10
Psalm 71:1–6
1 Corinthians 13:1–13
Luke 4:21–30

Fifth Sunday after the Epiphany

Isaiah 6:1–8 (9–13)
Psalm 138
1 Corinthians 15:1–11
Luke 5:1–11

Sixth Sunday after the Epiphany (Proper 1)

Jeremiah 17:5–10
Psalm 1
1 Corinthians 15:12–20
Luke 6:17–26

Seventh Sunday after the Epiphany (Proper 2)

Genesis 45:3–11, 15
Psalm 37:1–11, 39, 40
1 Corinthians 15:33–38, 42–50
Luke 6:27–38

Eighth Sunday after the Epiphany (Proper 3)

Isaiah 55:10–13
Psalm 92:1–4, 12–15
1 Corinthians 15:51–58
Luke 6:39–49

Last Sunday after the Epiphany (Transfiguration of our Lord)

Exodus 34:29–35
Psalm 99
2 Corinthians 3:12 – 4:2
Luke 9:28–36 (37–43)

Ash Wednesday

Joel 2:1, 2, 12–17 or Isaiah 58:1–12
Psalm 51:1–17
2 Corinthians 5:20b – 6:10
Matthew 6:1–6, 16–21

First Sunday in Lent

Deuteronomy 26:1–11
Psalm 91:1, 2, 9–16
Romans 10:8b–13
Luke 4:1–13

Second Sunday in Lent

Genesis 15:1–12, 17, 18
Psalm 27
Philippians 3:17 – 4:1
Luke 13:31–35 or Luke 9:28–36

Third Sunday in Lent

Isaiah 55:1–9
Psalm 63:1–8
1 Corinthians 10:1–13
Luke 13:1–9

Fourth Sunday in Lent

Joshua 5:9–12
Psalm 32
2 Corinthians 5:16–21
Luke 15:1–3, 11b–32

Fifth Sunday in Lent

Isaiah 43:16–21
Psalm 126
Philippians 3:4b–14
John 12:1–8

Palm/Passion Sunday

Palm Luke 19:28–40
 Psalm 118:1, 2, 19–29
Passion Isaiah 50:4–9a
 Psalm 31:9–16
 Philippians 2:5–11
 Luke 22:14 – 23:56 or Luke 23:1–49

Monday of Holy Week

Isaiah 42:1–9
Psalm 36:5–11
Hebrews 9:11–15
John 12:1–11

Tuesday of Holy Week

Isaiah 49:1–7

Psalm 71:1–14

1 Corinthians 1:18–31

John 12:20–36

Wednesday of Holy Week

Isaiah 50:4–9a

Psalm 70

Hebrews 12:1–3

John 13:21–32

Maundy Thursday

Exodus 12:1–4 (5–10) 11–14

Psalm 116:1, 2, 12–19

1 Corinthians 11:23–26

John 13:1–17, 31b–35

Good Friday

Isaiah 52:13 – 53:12

Psalm 22

Hebrews 10:16–25 or Hebrews 4:14–16; 5:7–9

John 18:1 – 19:42

Holy Saturday (other than Easter Vigil)

Job 14:1–14 or Lamentations 3:1–9, 19–24

Psalm 31:1–4, 15, 16

1 Peter 4:1–8

Matthew 27:57–66 or John 19:38–42

Easter Vigil

Old Testament and Psalms

(The Exodus 14 reading should always be used)

Genesis 1:1 – 2:4a

Psalm 136:1–9, 23–26

Genesis 7:1–5, 11–18; 8:6–18; 9:8–13

Psalm 46

Genesis 22:1–18

Psalm 16

Exodus 14:10–31; 15:20, 21

Exodus 15:1b–13, 17, 18

Isaiah 55:1–11

Isaiah 12:2–6

Proverbs 8:1–8, 19–21; 9:4b–6

Psalm 19

Ezekiel 36:24–28

Psalm 42 and 43

Ezekiel 37:1–14

Psalm 143

Zephaniah 3:14–20
Psalm 98

New Testament

Romans 6:3–11
Psalm 114
Luke 24:1–12

Easter Day

Acts 10:34–43 or Isaiah 65:17–25
Psalm 118:1, 2, 14–24
1 Corinthians 15:19–26 or Acts 10:34–43
John 20:1–18 or Luke 24:1–12

Easter Evening

Isaiah 25:6–9
Psalm 114
1 Corinthians 5:6b–8
Luke 24:13–49

Second Sunday of Easter

Acts 5:27–32
Psalm 118:14–29 or Psalm 150
Revelation 1:4–8
John 20:19–31

Third Sunday of Easter

Acts 9:1–6 (7–20)
Psalm 30
Revelation 5:11–14
John 21:1–19

Fourth Sunday of Easter

Acts 9:36–43
Psalm 23
Revelation 7:9–17
John 10:22–30

Fifth Sunday of Easter

Acts 11:1–18
Psalm 148
Revelation 21:1–6
John 13:31–35

Sixth Sunday of Easter

Acts 16:9–15
Psalm 67
Revelation 21:10, 22 – 22:5
John 14:23–29 or John 5:1–9

Ascension of our Lord

Acts 1:1–11

Psalm 47 or Psalm 110

Ephesians 1:15–23

Luke 24:44–53

Seventh Sunday of Easter

Acts 16:16–34

Psalm 97

Revelation 22:12–14, 16, 17, 20, 21

John 17:20–26

Pentecost

Acts 2:1–21 or Genesis 11:1–9

Psalm 104:24–34, 35b

Romans 8:14–17 or Acts 2:1–21 (used here if not as First Reading)

John 14:8–17 (25–27)

First Sunday after Pentecost (Trinity)

Proverbs 8:1–4, 22–31

Psalm 8

Romans 5:1–5

John 16:12–15

Second Sunday after Pentecost

for 2001: 17 June — Proper 6

for 2004: 13 June — Proper 6

for 2007: 10 June — Proper 5

for 2010: 6 June — Proper 5

Sunday between 24 and 28 May inclusive (if after Trinity) (Proper 3)

See Eighth Sunday after the Epiphany

Sunday between 29 May and 4 June inclusive (if after Trinity) (Proper 4)

1 Kings 18:20, 21 (22–29) 30–39

Psalm 96 *or*

1 Kings 8:22, 23, 41–43

Psalm 96:1–9

Galatians 1:1–12

Luke 7:1–10

**Sunday between 5 and 11 June inclusive
(if after Trinity) (Proper 5)**

1 Kings 17:8–16 (17–24)

Psalm 146 *or*

1 Kings 17:17–24

Psalm 30

Galatians 1:11–24

Luke 7:11–17

**Sunday between 12 and 18 June inclusive
(if after Trinity) (Proper 6)**

1 Kings 21:1–10 (11–14) 15–21a

Psalm 5:1–8 *or*

2 Samuel 11:26 – 12:10, 13–15

Psalm 32

Galatians 2:15–21

Luke 7:36 – 8:3

**Sunday between 19 and 25 June inclusive
(if after Trinity) (Proper 7)**

1 Kings 19:1–4 (5–7) 8–15a

Psalm 42 and 43 *or*

Isaiah 65:1–9

Psalm 22:19–28

Galatians 3:23–29

Luke 8:26–39

**Sunday between 26 June and 2 July inclusive
(Proper 8)**

2 Kings 2:1, 2, 6–14

Psalm 77:1, 2, 11–20 *or*

1 Kings 19:15, 16, 19–21

Psalm 16

Galatians 5:1, 13–25

Luke 9:51–62

**Sunday between 3 and 9 July inclusive
(Proper 9)**

2 Kings 5:1–14

Psalm 30 *or*

Isaiah 66:10–14

Psalm 66:1–9

Galatians 6:(1–6) 7–16

Luke 10:1–11, 16–20

**Sunday between 10 and 16 July inclusive
(Proper 10)**

Amos 7:7–17
Psalm 82 *or*
Deuteronomy 30:9–14
Psalm 25:1–10
Colossians 1:1–14
Luke 10:25–37

**Sunday between 17 and 23 July inclusive
(Proper 11)**

Amos 8:1–12
Psalm 52 *or*
Genesis 18:1–10a
Psalm 15
Colossians 1:15–28
Luke 10:38–42

**Sunday between 24 and 30 July inclusive
(Proper 12)**

Hosea 1:2–10
Psalm 85 *or*
Genesis 18:20–32
Psalm 138
Colossians 2:6–15 (16–19)
Luke 11:1–13

**Sunday between 31 July and 6 August
inclusive (Proper 13)**

Hosea 11:1–11
Psalm 107:1–9, 43 *or*
Ecclesiastes 1:2, 12–14; 2:18–23
Psalm 49:1–12
Colossians 3:1–11
Luke 12:13–21

**Sunday between 7 and 13 August inclusive
(Proper 14)**

Isaiah 1:1, 10–20
Psalm 50:1–8, 22, 23 *or*
Genesis 15:1–6
Psalm 33:12–22
Hebrews 11:1–3, 8–16
Luke 12:32–40

**Sunday between 14 and 20 August inclusive
(Proper 15)**

Isaiah 5:1–7
Psalm 80:1, 2, 8–19 *or*
Jeremiah 23:23–29
Psalm 82
Hebrews 11:29 – 12:2
Luke 12:49–56

**Sunday between 21 and 27 August inclusive
(Proper 16)**

Jeremiah 1:4–10
Psalm 71:1–6 *or*
Isaiah 58:9b–14
Psalm 103:1–8
Hebrews 12:18–29
Luke 13:10–17

**Sunday between 28 August and 3 September
inclusive (Proper 17)**

Jeremiah 2:4–13
Psalm 81:1, 10–16 *or*
Proverbs 25:6, 7
Psalm 112
Hebrews 13:1–8, 15, 16
Luke 14:1, 7–14

**Sunday between 4 and 10 September inclusive
(Proper 18)**

Jeremiah 18:1–11
Psalm 139:1–6, 13–18 *or*
Deuteronomy 30:15–20
Psalm 1
Philemon 1–21
Luke 14:25–33

**Sunday between 11 and 17 September inclusive
(Proper 19)**

Jeremiah 4:11, 12, 22–28
Psalm 14 *or*
Exodus 32:7–14
Psalm 51:1–10
1 Timothy 1:12–17
Luke 15:1–10

**Sunday between 18 and 24 September inclusive
(Proper 20)**

Jeremiah 8:18 – 9:1

Psalm 79:1–9 *or*

Amos 8:4–7

Psalm 113

1 Timothy 2:1–7

Luke 16:1–13

**Sunday between 25 September and 1 October
inclusive (Proper 21)**

Jeremiah 32:1–3a, 6–15

Psalm 91:1–6, 14–16 *or*

Amos 6:1a, 4–7

Psalm 146

1 Timothy 6:6–19

Luke 16:19–31

**Sunday between 2 and 8 October inclusive
(Proper 22)**

Lamentations 1:1–6

Lamentations 3:19–26 or Psalm 137 *or*

Habakkuk 1:1–4; 2:1–4

Psalm 37:1–9

2 Timothy 1:1–14

Luke 17:5–10

**Sunday between 9 and 15 October inclusive
(Proper 23)**

Jeremiah 29:1, 4–7

Psalm 66:1–12 *or*

2 Kings 5:1–3, 7–15c

Psalm 111

2 Timothy 2:8–15

Luke 17:11–19

**Sunday between 16 and 22 October inclusive
(Proper 24)**

Jeremiah 31:27–34

Psalm 119:97–104 *or*

Genesis 32:22–31

Psalm 121

2 Timothy 3:14 – 4:5

Luke 18:1–8

**Sunday between 23 and 29 October inclusive
(Proper 25)**

Joel 2:23–32
Psalm 65 *or*
Jeremiah 14:7–10, 19–22
Psalm 84:1–7
2 Timothy 4:6–8, 16–18
Luke 18:9–14

**Sunday between 30 October and 5 November
inclusive (Proper 26)**

Habakkuk 1:1–4; 2:1–4
Psalm 119:137–144 *or*
Isaiah 1:10–18
Psalm 32:1–7
2 Thessalonians 1:1–4, 11, 12
Luke 19:1–10

**Sunday between 6 and 12 November inclusive
(Proper 27)**

Haggai 1:15b – 2:9
Psalm 145:1–5, 17–21 or Psalm 98 *or*
Job 19:23–27a
Psalm 17:1–9
2 Thessalonians 2:1–5, 13–17
Luke 20:27–38

**Sunday between 13 and 19 November inclusive
(Proper 28)**

Isaiah 65:17–25
Isaiah 12 *or*
Malachi 4:1, 2a
Psalm 98
2 Thessalonians 3:6–13
Luke 21:5–19

**Sunday between 20 and 26 November inclusive
Last Sunday of the Church Year
Day of the Fulfilment (Proper 29)**

Jeremiah 23:1–6
Luke 1:68–79 *or*
Jeremiah 23:1–6
Psalm 46
Colossians 1:11–20
Luke 19:11–27 or Luke 23:33–43