YEAR A 2019/2020 – Time After Pentecost

This Church Year Calendar, Propers and Daily Lectionary uses the Revised Common Lectionary as it appears in Evangelical Lutheran Worship (2006).

Two series of readings are provided for the Time after Pentecost. The Complementary series provides Old Testament readings and psalms chosen for their relationship to the gospels.

The Semi-continuous series provides Old Testament readings and psalms that, while not as explicitly connected to the gospels, explore many of the books and stories not covered by the Complementary series.

Scripture references are from the New Revised Standard Version of the Bible. The appointed psalm refrain for Sundays and festivals is from the verse in parentheses.

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**Sunday June 7 – The Holy Trinity**
First Sunday After Pentecost

Readings
Genesis 1:1–2:4a
Psalm 8 (1)
2 Corinthians 13:11-13
Matthew 28:16-20

Prayer of the Day
Almighty Creator and ever-living God: we worship your glory, eternal Three-in-One, and we praise your power, majestic One-in-Three. Keep us steadfast in this faith, defend us in all adversity, and bring us at last into your presence, where you live in endless joy and love, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

Or

God of heaven and earth, before the foundation of the universe and the beginning of time you are the triune God: Author of creation, eternal Word of salvation, life-giving Spirit of wisdom. Guide us to all truth by your Spirit, that we may proclaim all that Christ has revealed and rejoice in the glory he shares with us. Glory and praise to you, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, now and forever.

Gospel Acclamation
Alleluia. Holy, holy, holy is the Lord of hosts; God’s glory fills the whole earth. Alleluia. (Isa. 6:3)

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Job 39:26-40:5
John 14:25-26
Psalm 29

Thursday June 11
Exodus 4:18-23
Hebrews 3:1-6
Psalm 100

TUESDAY JUNE 10

Job 39:26-40:5
John 14:25-26
Psalm 29

Or

Thursday June 11
Barnabas, Apostle

Readings
Isaiah 42:5-12
Psalm 112 (1)
Matthew 10:7-16

Prayer of the Day
We praise you, O God, for the life of your faithful servant Barnabas, who, seeking not his own renown but the well-being of your church, gave generously of his life and possessions for the relief of the poor and the spread of the gospel. Grant that we may follow his example and by our actions give glory to you, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, now and forever.

Gospel Acclamation
Alleluia. This Jesus | God raised up,
and of that all of | us are witnesses. Alleluia. (Acts 2:32)

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Friday June 12
Exodus 4:18-23
Acts 7:35-43
Psalm 100

Saturday June 13
Exodus 6:28—7:13
Mark 7:1-13
Psalm 100

Sunday June 14 - Second Sunday after Pentecost/Lectionary 11

Readings
Complementary Series
Exodus 19:2-8
Psalm 100 (3)
Romans 5:1-8
Matthew 9:35—10:8 [10:9-23]

Semi-continuous Series
Psalm 116:1-2, 12-19 (13)

Prayer of the Day
God of compassion, you have opened the way for us and brought us to yourself. Pour your love into our hearts, that, overflowing with joy, we may freely share the blessings of your realm and faithfully proclaim the good news of your Son, Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

Gospel Acclamation
Alleluia. The kingdom of God | has come near;
repent, and believe in | the good news. Alleluia. (Mark 1:15)

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Monday June 15
Joshua 1:1-11
1 Thessalonians 3:1-5
Psalm 105:1-11, 37-45

Tuesday June 16
1 Samuel 3:1-9
2 Thessalonians 2:13—3:5
Psalm 105:1-11, 37-45

Wednesday June 17
Proverbs 4:10-27
Luke 6:12-19
Psalm 105:1-11, 37-45
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**Sunday June 21 - Third Sunday after Pentecost/Lectionary 12**

**Readings**
- Complementary Series
  - Jeremiah 20:7-13
  - Romans 6:1b-11
  - Matthew 10:24-39

- Semi-continuous Series
  - Genesis 21:8-21
  - Psalm 86:1-10, 16-17 (16)

**Prayer of the Day**
Teach us, good Lord God, to serve you as you deserve, to give and not to count the cost, to fight and not to heed the wounds, to toil and not to seek for rest, to labor and not to ask for reward, except that of knowing that we do your will, through Jesus Crist, our Savior and Lord.

**Gospel Acclamation**
Alleluia. Jesus says, The Spirit of the Lord will testify on my behalf, and you also are to testify. Alleluia. (John 15:26, 27)

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**Wednesday June 24**
**John, the Baptist**

**Readings**
- Malachi 3:1-4
- Psalm 141 (8)
- Acts 13:13-26
- Luke 1:57-67 (68-80)

**Prayer of the Day**
Almighty God, by your gracious providence your servant John the Baptist was born to Elizabeth and Zechariah. Grant to your people the wisdom to see your purpose and the openness to hear your will, that the light of Christ may increase in us, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

**Gospel Acclamation**
Alleluia. Blessed are those who are persecuted for righteousness' sake, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven. Alleluia. (Matt. 5:10)

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Sunday June 28 – Fourth Sunday after Pentecost/Lectionary 13

Readings
Complementary Series
Jeremiah 28:5-9
Psalm 89:1-4, 15-18 (1)
Romans 6:12-23
Matthew 10:40-42

Semi-continuous Series
Genesis 22:1-14
Psalm 13 (5)

Prayer of the Day
O God, you direct our lives by your grace, and your words of justice and mercy reshape the world. Mold us into a people who welcome your word and serve one another, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

Gospel Acclamation
Alleluia. You are a chosen race, a royal priesthood, a holy nation, in order that you may proclaim the mighty acts of the one who called you out of darkness into his marvelous light. Alleluia. (1 Peter 2:9)

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Mon – June 29
1 Kings 21:1-16
1 Thessalonians 4:9-12
Psalm 119:161-168

Or

Monday June 29
Peter and Paul, Apostles

Readings
Acts 12:1-11
Psalm 87:1-3, 5-7 (3)
2 Timothy 4:6-8, 17-18
John 21:15-19

Prayer of the Day
Almighty God, we praise you that your blessed apostles Peter and Paul glorified you by their martyrdoms. Grant that your church throughout the world may always be instructed by their teaching and example, be knit together in unity by your Spirit, and ever stand firm upon the one foundation who is Jesus Christ our Lord, for he lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

Gospel Acclamation
Alleluia. This Jesus God raised up, and of that all of us are witnesses. Alleluia. (Acts 2:32)

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Tue – June 30
1 Kings 21:17-29
1 John 4:1-6
Psalm 119:161-168

Wed – July 1
Jeremiah 18:1-11
Matthew 11:20-24
Psalm 119:161-168

Thu – July 2
Zechariah 1:1-6
Romans 7:1-6
Psalm 145:8-14
**Sunday July 5 – Fifth Sunday after Pentecost/Lectionary 14**

**Readings**
Complementary Series
Zechariah 9:9-12
Psalm 145:8-14 (8)
Romans 7:15-25a
Matthew 11:16-19, 25-30

Semi-continuous Series
Genesis 24:34-38, 42-49, 58-67
Psalm 45:10-17 (7)

**Prayer of the Day**
You are great, O God, and greatly to be praised. You have made us for yourself, and our hearts are restless until they rest in you. Grant that we may believe in you, call upon you, know you, and serve you, through your Son, Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

**Gospel Acclamation**
Alleluia. Blessed are you, Lord of heav’n and earth;
You have revealed these things to infants. Alleluia. (Matt. 11:25)

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**Mon – July 6**
Jeremiah 27:1-11, 16-22
Romans 1:18-25
Psalm 131

**Tue – July 7**
Jeremiah 28:10-17
Romans 3:1-8
Psalm 131

**Wed – July 8**
Jeremiah 13:1-11
John 13:1-17
Psalm 131

**Thu – July 9**
Isaiah 48:1-5
Romans 2:12-16
Psalm 65: [1-8] 9-13

**Fri – July 10**
Isaiah 48:6-11
Romans 15:14-21
Psalm 65: [1-8] 9-13

**Sat – July 11**
Isaiah 52:1-6
John 12:44-50
Psalm 65: [1-8] 9-13

**Sunday July 12 – Sixth Sunday after Pentecost/Lectionary 15**

**Readings**
Complementary Series
Isaiah 55:10-13
Psalm 65:[1-8] 9-13 (11)
Romans 8:1-11
Matthew 13:1-9, 18-23

Semi-continuous Series
Genesis 25:19-34
Psalm 119:105-112 (105)

**Prayer of the Day**
Almighty God, we thank you for planting in us the seed of your word. By your Holy Spirit help us to receive it with joy, live according to it, and grow in faith and hope and love, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

**Gospel Acclamation**
Alleluia. The word is very near to you;
it is in your mouth and in your heart. Alleluia. (Deut. 30:14)

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**Sunday July 19 – Seventh Sunday after Pentecost/Lectionary 16**

**Readings**

**Complementary Series**
- Isaiah 44:6-8 or Wisdom 12:13, 16-19
- Psalm 86:11-17 (11)
- Romans 8:12-25
- Matthew 13:24-30, 36-43

**Semi-continuous Series**
- Genesis 28:10-19a
- Psalm 139:1-2, 23-24 (1)

**Prayer of the Day**

Faithful God, most merciful judge, you care for your children with firmness and compassion. By your Spirit nurture us who live in your kingdom, that we may be rooted in the way of your Son, Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

**Gospel Acclamation**

Alleluia. My word shall accomplish that which I purpose, and succeed in the thing for which I sent it. Alleluia. (Isa. 55:11)

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| **Mon – July 20** | Nahum 1:1-13 | Revelation 14:1-20 | Psalm 75 |
| **Wed – July 22** | Daniel 12:1-13 | Matthew 12:15-21 | Psalm 75 |

**Or**

**Wednesday July 22**

**Mary Magdalene, Apostle**

**Readings**

- Ruth 1:6-18 or Exodus 2:1-10
- Psalm 73:23-28 (28)
- Acts 13:26-33a
- John 20:1-2, 11-18

**Prayer of the Day**

Almighty God, your Son first entrusted the apostle Mary Magdalene with the joyful news of his resurrection. Following the example of her witness, may we proclaim Christ as our living Lord and one day see him in glory, for he lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

**Gospel Acclamation**
Alleluia. This Jesus God raised up, and of that all of us are witnesses. Alleluia. (Acts 2:32)

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**Saturday, July 25**
**James, Apostle**

**Readings**
- 1 Kings 19:9-18
- Psalm 7:1-10 (10)
- Acts 11:27—12:3a
- Mark 10:35-45

**Prayer of the Day**
Gracious God, we remember before you today your servant and apostle James, the first among the twelve to be martyred for the name of Jesus Christ. Pour out on the leaders of your church that spirit of self-denying service which is the true mark of authority among your people, through Jesus Christ our servant, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

**Gospel Acclamation**
Alleluia. Blessed are those who are persecuted for righteousness' sake, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven. Alleluia. (Matt. 5:10)

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**Sunday July 26 – Eighth Sunday after Pentecost/Lectionary 17**

**Readings**
- Complementary Series
  - 1 Kings 3:5-12
  - Psalm 119:129-136 (130)
  - Romans 8:26-39
  - Matthew 13:31-33, 44-52

- Semi-continuous Series
  - Genesis 29:15-28
  - Psalm 105:1-11, 45b (1, 45) or Psalm 128 (1)

**Prayer of the Day**
Beloved and sovereign God, through the death and resurrection of your Son you bring us into your kingdom of justice and mercy. By your Spirit, give us your wisdom, that we may treasure the life that comes from Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

**Gospel Acclamation**
Alleluia. Many will come from east and west and will eat in the kingdom of heaven. Alleluia. (Matt. 8:11)

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**Sunday Aug 9 – Tenth Sunday after Pentecost/Lectionary 19**

**Readings**

**Complementary Series**

1 Kings 19:9-18
Romans 10:5-15
Matthew 14:22-33

**Semi-continuous Series**

Genesis 37:1-4, 12-28
Psalm 105:1-6, 16-22, 45b (1, 45)

**Prayer of the Day**

O God our defender, storms rage around and within us and cause us to be afraid. Rescue your people from despair, deliver your sons and daughters from fear, and preserve us in the faith of your Son, Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

**Gospel Acclamation**
Alleluia. I wait for you, O LORD; in your word is my hope. Alleluia. (Ps. 130:5)

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| Mon – Aug 10 | Genesis 7:11–8:5 | 2 Peter 2:4-10 | Psalm 18:1-19 |
| Fri – Aug 14 | Isaiah 63:15-19 | Acts 14:19-28 | Psalm 67 |
| Sat – Aug 15 | Isaiah 56:1-5 | Matthew 14:34-36 | Psalm 67 |

Or

Saturday Aug 15
Mary, Mother of Our Lord

Readings
Isaiah 61:7-11
Psalm 34:1-9 (3)
Galatians 4:4-7
Luke 1:46-55

Prayer of the Day
Almighty God, in choosing the virgin Mary to be the mother of your Son, you made known your gracious regard for the poor, the lowly, and the despised. Grant us grace to receive your word in humility, and so to be made one with your Son, Jesus Christ our Savior and Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

Gospel Acclamation
Alleluia. Greetings, O favored one! The Lord is with you. The Holy Spirit will come upon you. Alleluia. (Luke 1:28, 35)

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Sunday Aug 16 – Eleventh Sunday after Pentecost/Lectionary 20

Readings
Complementary Series
Isaiah 56:1, 6-8
Psalm 67 (3)
Romans 11:1-2a, 29-32
Matthew 15:[10-20] 21-28

Semi-continuous Series
Genesis 45:1-15
Psalm 133 (1)

Prayer of the Day
God of all peoples, your arms reach out to embrace all those who call upon you. Teach us as disciples of your Son to love the world with compassion and constancy, that your name may be known throughout the earth, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

Gospel Acclamation
Alleluia. Jesus preached the good news of the kingdom
and cured every sickness among the people. Alleluia. (Matt. 4:23)

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Sunday Aug 23 – Twelfth Sunday after Pentecost/Lectionary 21

Readings
Complementary Series
Isaiah 51:1-6
Psalm 138 (8)
Romans 12:1-8
Matthew 16:13-20

Semi-continuous Series
Exodus 1:8-2:10
Psalm 124 (7)

Prayer of the Day
O God, with all your faithful followers of every age, we praise you, the rock of our life. Be our strong foundation and form us into the body of your Son, that we may gladly minister to all the world, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

Gospel Acclamation
Alleluia. You are the Messiah, the Son of the living God. Alleluia. (Matt. 16:16)

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Or

Monday Aug 24
Bartholomew, Apostle

Readings
Exodus 19:1-6
Psalm 12 (6)
1 Corinthians 12:27-31a
John 1:43-51

Prayer of the Day
Almighty and everlasting God, you gave to your apostle Bartholomew grace truly to believe and courageously to preach your word. Grant that your church may proclaim the good news to the ends of the earth, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

Gospel Acclamation
Alleluia. How beautiful upon the mountains are the feet of the messenger who announces peace,
who brings good news, who announces salvation. Alleluia. (Isa. 52:7)

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<td>Jeremiah 15:10-14</td>
<td>Matthew 8:14-17</td>
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**Sunday Aug 30 – Thirteenth Sunday after Pentecost/Lectionary 22**

**Readings**

**Complementary Series**
- Jeremiah 15:15-21
- Psalm 26:1-8 (3)
- Romans 12:9-21
- Matthew 16:21-28

**Semi-continuous Series**
- Exodus 3:1-15
- Psalm 105:1-6, 23-26, 45b (1, 45)

**Prayer of the Day**
O God, we thank you for your Son, who chose the path of suffering for the sake of the world. Humble us by his example, point us to the path of obedience, and give us strength to follow your commands, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

**Gospel Acclamation**
Alleluia. May the God of our Lord Jesus Christ enlighten the eyes of our hearts, so that we may know the hope to which God has called us. Alleluia. (Eph. 1:17, 18)

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**Sunday Sept 6 – Fourteenth Sunday after Pentecost/Lectionary 23**

**Readings**

**Complementary Series**
- Ezekiel 33:7-11
- Psalm 119:33-40 (35)
- Romans 13:8-14
- Matthew 18:15-20

**Semi-continuous Series**
- Exodus 12:1-14
- Psalm 149 (1)
Prayer of the Day
O Lord God, enliven and preserve your church with your perpetual mercy. Without your help, we mortals will fail; remove far from us everything that is harmful, and lead us toward all that gives life and salvation, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

Gospel Acclamation
Alleluia. In Christ God was reconciling the world to himself, entrusting the message of reconciliation to us. Alleluia. (2 Cor. 5:19)

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Sunday Sept 13 – Fifteenth Sunday after Pentecost/Lectionary 24

Readings
Complementary Series
Genesis 50:15-21
Psalm 103:[1-7] 8-13 (8)
Romans 14:1-12
Matthew 18:21-35

Semi-continuous Series
Exodus 14:19-31
Psalm 114 (7) or Exodus 15:1b-11, 20-21 (1)

Prayer of the Day
O Lord God, merciful judge, you are the inexhaustible fountain of forgiveness. Replace our hearts of stone with hearts that love and adore you, that we may delight in doing your will, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

Gospel Acclamation
Alleluia. We have an advocate, Jesus Christ the righteous; your sins are forgiven on account of his name. Alleluia. (1 John 2:1, 12)

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Or

Monday Sept 14
Holy Cross Day

Readings
Numbers 21:4b-9
Psalm 98:1-4 (1) or Psalm 78:1-2, 34-38 (35)
1 Corinthians 1:18-24
John 3:13-17

Prayer of the Day
Almighty God, your Son Jesus Christ was lifted high upon the cross so that he might draw the whole world to himself. To those who look upon the cross, grant your wisdom, healing, and eternal life, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

Gospel Acclamation Alleluia.
May I never boast of anything except the cross of our Lord Jesus Christ. Alleluia. (Gal. 6:14)

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<td>Romans 14:13–15:2</td>
<td>Almighty and eternal God, you show perpetual lovingkindness to us your servants. Because we cannot rely on our own abilities, grant us your merciful judgment, and train us to embody the generosity of your Son, Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.</td>
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Sunday Sept 20 – Sixteenth Sunday after Pentecost/Lectionary 25

Readings
Complementary Series
Jonah 3:10-4:11
Psalm 145:1-8 (8)
Philippians 1:21-30
Matthew 20:1-16

Semi-continuous Series
Exodus 16:2-15
Psalm 105:1-6, 37-45 (1, 45)

Prayer of the Day
Almighty and eternal God, you show perpetual lovingkindness to us your servants. Because we cannot rely on our own abilities, grant us your merciful judgment, and train us to embody the generosity of your Son, Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

Gospel Acclamation
Alleluia. Open our hearts, O Lord, to give heed to what is said by your Son. Alleluia.

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<td>Romans 16:1-6</td>
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Monday Sept 21
Matthew, Apostle and Evangelist

Readings
Ezekiel 2:8—3:11
Psalm 119:33-40 (33)
Ephesians 2:4-10
Matthew 9:9-13

Prayer of the Day
Almighty God, your Son our Savior called a despised tax collector to become one of his apostles. Help us, like Matthew, to respond to the transforming call of Jesus Christ, who lives and reigns with you and
the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

Gospel Acclamation
Alleluia. You will be my witnesses in Jerusalem, in all Judea | and Samaria, and to the ends | of the earth. Alleluia. (Acts 1:8)

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<td>God of love, giver of life, you know our frailties and failings. Give us your grace to overcome them, keep us from those things that harm us, and guide us in the way of salvation, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.</td>
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**Sunday Sept 27 – Seventeenth Sunday after Pentecost/Lectionary 26**

**Readings**
Complementary Series
- Ezekiel 18:1-4, 25-32
- Psalm 25:1-9 (6)
- Philippians 2:1-13
- Matthew 21:23-32

Semi-continuous Series
- Exodus 17:1-7
- Psalm 78:1-4, 12-16 (4)

**Prayer of the Day**
God of love, giver of life, you know our frailties and failings. Give us your grace to overcome them, keep us from those things that harm us, and guide us in the way of salvation, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

**Gospel Acclamation**
Alleluia. My sheep hear my voice, | says the Lord; I know them and they | follow me. Alleluia. (John 10:27)

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<td>Judges 14:1-20</td>
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**Tuesday Sept 29**
**Michael and All Angels**

**Readings**
Sept29, 2011
- Daniel 10:10-14; 12:1-3
- Psalm 103:1-5, 20-22 (20-21)
- Revelation 12:7-12

**Prayer of the Day**
Everlasting God, you have wonderfully established the ministries of angels and mortals. Mercifully grant that as Michael and the angels contend against the cosmic forces of evil, so by your direction they may help and defend us here on earth, through your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns.
with you and the Holy Spirit, one God whom we worship and praise with angels and archangels and all
the company of heaven, now and forever.

Gospel Acclamation
Alleluia. Bless the | Lord, you angels,
you mighty ones who | do God's bidding. Alleluia. (Ps. 103:20)

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| Thu – Oct 1   | Jeremiah 2:14-22 | Colossians 2:16-23 | Psalm 80:7-15 |
| Fri – Oct 2   | Jeremiah 2:23-37 | Philippians 2:14-18, | Psalm 80:7-15 |
| Sat – Oct 3   | Jeremiah 6:1-10 | John 7:40-52 | Psalm 80:7-15 |

Sunday Oct 4 – Eighteenth Sunday after Pentecost/Lectionary 27

Readings
Complementary Series
Isaiah 5:1-7
Psalm 80:7-15 (14, 15)
Philippians 3:4b-14
Matthew 21:33-46

Semi-continuous Series
Exodus 20:1-4, 7-9, 12-20
Psalm 19 (8)

Prayer of the Day
Beloved God, from you come all things that are good. Lead us by the inspiration of your Spirit to know
those things that are right, and by your merciful guidance, help us to do them, through Jesus Christ, our
Savior and Lord.

Gospel Acclamation
Alleluia. Jesus says, I chose you and ap- | pointed you
to go and bear fruit | that will last. Alleluia. (John 15:16)

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| Mon – Oct 5   | Ezekiel 19:10-14 | 1 Peter 2:4-10 | Psalm 144 |
| Tue – Oct 6   | Isaiah 27:1-6 | 2 Corinthians 5:17-21 | Psalm 144 |
| Wed – Oct 7   | Song of Solomon 8:5-14 | John 11:45-57 | Psalm 144 |
| Thu – Oct 8   | Isaiah 22:1-8a | 1 Peter 5:1-5, 12-14 | Psalm 23 |
| Fri – Oct 9   | Isaiah 22:8b-14 | James 4:4-10 | Psalm 23 |
| Sat – Oct 10  | Isaiah 24:17-23 | Mark 2:18-22 | Psalm 23 |

Sunday Oct 11 – Nineteenth Sunday after Pentecost/Lectionary 28

Readings
Complementary Series
Isaiah 25:1-9
Psalm 23 (5)
Philippians 4:1-9
Matthew 22:1-14

Semi-continuous Series
Exodus 32:1-14
Psalm 106:1-6, 19-23 (4)

Prayer of the Day
Lord of the feast, you have prepared a table before all peoples and poured out your life with abundance. Call us again to your banquet. Strengthen us by what is honorable, just, and pure, and transform us into a people of righteousness and peace, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

Gospel Acclamation
Alleluia. This is the LORD for whom we have waited; let us be glad and rejoice in God's salvation. Alleluia. (Isa. 25:9)

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| Mon − Oct 12 | Exodus 19:7-20 | Jude 17-25 | Psalm 34 | Or

Monday Oct 12
Day of Thanksgiving (Canada)

Readings
Deuteronomy 8:7-18
Psalm 65
2 Corinthians 9:6-15
Luke 17:11-19

Prayer of the Day
Almighty God our Father, your generous goodness comes to us new every day. By the work of your Spirit lead us to acknowledge your goodness, give thanks for your benefits, and serve you in willing obedience, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

Gospel Acclamation
Alleluia. God is able to provide you with every blessing in abundance, so that by always having enough of everything, you may share abundantly in every good work. Alleluia. (2 Cor. 9:8)

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| Tue − Oct 13 | Amos 9:5-15 | Philippians 3:13–4:1 | Psalm 34 |
| Fri − Oct 16 | Deuteronomy 17:14-20 | 1 Peter 5:1-5 | Psalm 96:1-9 [10-13] |

Sunday Oct 18 – Twentieth Sunday after Pentecost/Lectionary 29

Readings
Complementary Series
Isaiah 45:1-7
1 Thessalonians 1:1-10
Matthew 22:15-22

Semi-continuous Series
Exodus 33:12-23
Prayer of the Day
Sovereign God, raise your throne in our hearts. Created by you, let us live in your image; created for you, let us act for your glory; redeemed by you, let us give you what is yours, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

Gospel Acclamation
Alleluia. Shine like stars | in the world; holding fast to the | word of life. Alleluia. (Phil. 2:15, 16)

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<td>Almighty God, you inspired your servant Luke to reveal in his gospel the love and healing power of your Son. Give your church the same love and power to heal, and to proclaim your salvation among the nations to the glory of your name, through Jesus Christ, your Son, our healer, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.</td>
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<td>Alleluia. How beautiful upon the mountains are the feet of the messenger who announces peace,* who brings good news, who announces salvation. Alleluia. (Isa. 52:7)</td>
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<td>Proverbs 24:23-34</td>
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**Sunday Oct 25 – Twenty-First Sunday after Pentecost/Lectionary 30**
Or Reformation Sunday may be observed (see below).

| Readings |               |                     |         |
| **Complementary Series** |               |                     |         |
| **Semi-continuous Series** |               |                     |         |
| Deuteronomy 34:1-12 |               |                     |         |
**Prayer of the Day**

O Lord God, you are the holy lawgiver, you are the salvation of your people. By your Spirit renew us in your covenant of love, and train us to care tenderly for all our neighbors, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

**Gospel Acclamation**

Alleluia. Beloved, since God loved us so much, we also ought to love one another. Alleluia. (1 John 4:11)

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**Wednesday Oct 28
Simon and Jude, Apostles**

**Readings**

- Jeremiah 26:1-6 7-16
- Psalm 11 (1)
- 1 John 4:1-6
- John 14:21-27

**Prayer of the Day**

O God, we thank you for the glorious company of the apostles, and especially on this day for Simon and Jude. We pray that, as they were faithful and zealous in your mission, so we may with ardent devotion make known the love and mercy of our Savior Jesus Christ, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

**Gospel Acclamation**

Alleluia. You will be my witnesses in Jerusalem, in all Judea and Samaria, and to the ends of the earth. Alleluia. (Acts 1:8)

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<td>Ezekiel 13:1-16</td>
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**Saturday Oct 31
Reformation Day**

May be transferred to Sunday, Oct 25

**Readings**

- Jeremiah 31:31-34
- Psalm 46 (7)
- Romans 3:19-28
Prayer of the Day
Almighty God, gracious Lord, we thank you that your Holy Spirit renews the church in every age. Pour out your Holy Spirit on your faithful people. Keep them steadfast in your word, protect and comfort them in times of trial, defend them against all enemies of the gospel, and bestow on the church your saving peace, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

Or
Gracious Father, we pray for your holy catholic church. Fill it with all truth and peace. Where it is corrupt, purify it; where it is in error, direct it; where in anything it is amiss, reform it; where it is right, strengthen it; where it is in need, provide for it; where it is divided, reunite it; for the sake of your Son, Jesus Christ, our Savior, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

Gospel Acclamation
Alleluia. If you continue in my word, you are truly my disciples, and you will know the truth, and the truth will make you free. Alleluia. (John 8:31-32)

Sunday Nov 1 – All Saints Day

Readings
Revelation 7:9-17
Psalm 34:1-10, 22 (9)
1 John 3:1-3
Matthew 5:1-12

Prayer of the Day
Almighty God, you have knit your people together in one communion in the mystical body of your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord. Grant us grace to follow your blessed saints in lives of faith and commitment, and to know the inexpressible joys you have prepared for those who love you, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

Gospel Acclamation
Alleluia. They are before the throne of God, and the one who is seated on the throne will shelter them. Alleluia. (Rev. 7:15)

Sunday Nov 1 – Twenty-Second Sunday after Pentecost/Lectionary 31

Readings
Complementary Series
Micah 3:5-12
Psalm 43 (3)
1 Thessalonians 2:9-13
Matthew 23:1-12

Semi-continuous Series
Joshua 3:7-17
Prayer of the Day
O God, generous and supreme, your loving Son lived among us, instructing us in the ways of humility and justice. Continue to ease our burdens, and lead us to serve alongside of him, Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

Gospel Acclamation
Alleluia. You have one instructor, the Messiah; the greatest among you will be your servant. Alleluia. (Matt. 23:10, 11)

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Complementary Series
Amos 5:18-24 or Wisdom 6:12-16
Psalm 70 (5) or Wisdom 6:17-20 (17)
1 Thessalonians 4:13-18
Matthew 25:1-13

Semi-continuous Series
Joshua 24:1-3a, 14-25
Psalm 78:1-7 (4)

Prayer of the Day
O God of justice and love, you illumine our way through life with the words of your Son. Give us the light we need, and awaken us to the needs of others, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

Gospel Acclamation
Alleluia. Keep awake and be ready, for you do not know on what day your Lord is coming. Alleluia. (Matt. 24:42, 44)

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Complementary Series
Amos 8:7-14
1 Corinthians 14:20-25
Psalm 63

Semi-continuous Series
Ezekiel 6:1-14
Revelation 16:1-7

Readings
Complementary Series
Zephaniah 1:7, 12-18
Prayer of the Day
Righteous God, our merciful master, you own the earth and all its peoples, and you give us all that we have. Inspire us to serve you with justice and wisdom, and prepare us for the joy of the day of your coming, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

Gospel Acclamation
Alleluia. Abide in me as I abide in you; those who abide in me bear much fruit. Alleluia. (John 15:4, 5)

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Thursday Nov 26
Day of Thanksgiving (USA)

Readings
Deuteronomy 8:7-18
Psalm 65
2 Corinthians 9:6-15
Luke 17:11-19

Prayer of the Day
Almighty God our Father, your generous goodness comes to us new every day. By the work of your Spirit lead us to acknowledge your goodness, give thanks for your benefits, and serve you in willing obedience, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

Gospel Acclamation
Alleluia. God is able to provide you with every blessing | in abundance, so that by always having enough of everything, you may share abundantly in every good work. Alleluia. (2 Cor. 9:8)

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