

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.



DAY AND DATE	FIRST READING	SECOND READING	PSALM
Thu – June 4	Job 28:1-11	2 Timothy 1:8-12a	Psalm 8
Fri – June 5	Job 38:12-21	2 Timothy 1:12b-14	Psalm 8
Sat – June 6	Job 38:22-38	John 14:15-17	Psalm 8
<p>Sunday June 7 – The Holy Trinity First Sunday After Pentecost</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><u>Readings</u> Genesis 1:1–2:4a Psalm 8 (1) 2 Corinthians 13:11-13 Matthew 28:16-20</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><u>Prayer of the Day</u> 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.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Or</p> <p>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.</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><u>Gospel Acclamation</u> Alleluia. Holy, holy, holy is the Lord of hosts; God's glory fills the whole earth. Alleluia. (Isa. 6:3)</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Color: White</p>			
Mon – June 8	Job 38:39–39:12	1 Corinthians 12:1-3	Psalm 29
Tue – June 9	John 39:13-25	1 Corinthians 12:4-13	Psalm 29

Wed – June 10	Job 39:26–40:5	John 14:25-26	Psalm 29
Thu – June 11	Exodus 4:18-23	Hebrews 3:1-6	Psalm 100
<p><i>Or</i></p> <p>Thursday June 11 Barnabas, Apostle</p> <p><u>Readings</u> Isaiah 42:5-12 Psalm 112 (1) Acts 11:19-30; 13:1-3 Matthew 10:7-16</p> <p><u>Prayer of the Day</u> 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.</p> <p><u>Gospel Acclamation</u> Alleluia. This Jesus God raised up, and of that all of us are witnesses. Alleluia. (Acts 2:32)</p> <p>Color: Scarlet/Red</p>			
Fri – June 12	Exodus 4:18-23	Acts 7:35-43	Psalm 100
Sat – June 13	Exodus 6:28—7:13	Mark 7:1-13	Psalm 100
<p>Sunday June 14 - Second Sunday after Pentecost/Lectionary 11</p> <p><u>Readings</u> <i>Complementary Series</i> Exodus 19:2-8 Psalm 100 (3) Romans 5:1-8 Matthew 9:35—10:8 [10:9-23]</p> <p><i>Semi-continuous Series</i> Genesis 18:1-15 [21:1-7] Psalm 116:1-2, 12-19 (13)</p> <p><u>Prayer of the Day</u> 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.</p> <p><u>Gospel Acclamation</u> Alleluia. The kingdom of God has come near; repent, and believe in the good news. Alleluia. (Mark 1:15)</p> <p>Color: Green</p>			
Mon – June 15	Joshua 1:1-11	1 Thessalonians 3:1-5	Psalm 105:1-11, 37-45
Tue – June 16	1 Samuel 3:1-9	2 Thessalonians 2:13— 3:5	Psalm 105:1-11, 37-45
Wed – June 17	Proverbs 4:10-27	Luke 6:12-19	Psalm 105:1-11, 37-45

Thu – June 18	Jeremiah 18:12-17	Hebrews 2:5-9	Psalm 69:7-10 [11-15] 16-18
Fri – June 19	Jeremiah 18:18-23	Acts 5:17-26	Psalm 69:7-10 [11-15] 16-18
Sat – Jun 20	Jeremiah 20:1-6	Luke 11:53—12:3	Psalm 69:7-10 [11-15] 16-18

Sunday June 21 - Third Sunday after Pentecost/Lectionary 12

Readings

Complementary Series

Jeremiah 20:7-13
Psalm 69:7-10 [11-15] 16-18 (16)
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 Christ, 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)

Color: Green

Mon – June 22	Micah 7:1-7	Revelation 2:1-7	Psalm 6
Tue – June 23	Jeremiah 26:1-2	Revelation 2:8-11	Psalm 6
Wed – June 24	Jeremiah 38:1-3	Matthew 10:5-23	Psalm 6

Or

**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 righ- | teousness' sake,
for theirs is the king- | dom of heaven. Alleluia. (Matt. 5:10)

Color: White

Thu – June 25	Jeremiah 25:1-7	Galatians 5:2-6	Psalms 89:1-4, 15-18
Fri – June 26	Jeremiah 28:8-14	Galatians 5:7-12	Psalms 89:1-4, 15-18
Sat – June 27	Jeremiah 28:1-4	Luke 17:1-4	Psalms 89:1-4, 15-18

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)

Color: Green

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

Color: Scarlet/Red

Tue – June 30	1 Kings 21:17-29	1 John 4:1-6	Psalms 119:161-168
Wed – July 1	Jeremiah 18:1-11	Matthew 11:20-24	Psalms 119:161-168
Thu – July 2	Zechariah 1:1-6	Romans 7:1-6	Psalms 145:8-14

Fri – July 3	Zechariah 2:6-13	Romans 7:7-20	Psalm 145:8-14
Sat – July 4	Zechariah 4:1-7	Luke 10:21-24	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)

Color: Green

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)

Color: Green

Mon – July 13	Leviticus 26:3-20	1 Thessalonians 4:1-8	Psalm 92
Tue – July 14	Deuteronomy 28:1-14	Ephesians 4:17-5:2	Psalm 92
Wed – July 15	Proverbs 11:23-30	Matthew 13:10-17	Psalm 92
Thu – July 16	Isaiah 41:21-29	Hebrews 2:1-9	Psalm 86:11-17
Fri – July 17	Isaiah 44:9-17	Hebrews 6:13-20	Psalm 86:11-17
Sat – July 18	Isaiah 44:18-20	Matthew 7:15-20	Psalm 86:11-17

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 139:1-12, 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)

Color: Green

Mon – July 20	Nahum 1:1-13	Revelation 14:12-20	Psalm 75
Tue – July 21	Zephaniah 3:1-13	Galatians 4:21-5:1	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)

Color: White

Thu – July 23	1 Kings 1:28-37	1 Corinthians 4:14-20	Psalm 119:129-136
Fri – July 24	1 Kings 1:39-48	Acts 7:44-53	Psalm 119:129-136
Sat – July 25	1 Kings 2:1-4	Matthew 12:38-42	Psalm 119:129-136

Or

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 righ- | teousness' sake,
for theirs is the king- | dom of heaven. Alleluia. (Matt. 5:10)

Color: Scarlet/Red

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 king- | dom of heaven. Alleluia. (Matt. 8:11)

Color: Green

Mon – July 27	1 Kings 3:16-28	James 3:13-18	Psalm 119:121-128
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Tue – July 28	1 Kings 4:29-34	Ephesians 6:10-18	Psalms 119:121-128
Wed – July 29	Proverbs 1:1-7, 20-33	Mark 4:30-34	Psalms 119:121-128
Thu – July 30	Proverbs 10:1-5	Philippians 4:10-15	Psalms 145:8-9, 14-21
Fri – July 31	Isaiah 51:7-23	Romans 9:6-13	Psalms 145:8-9, 14-21
Sat – Aug 1	Isaiah 44:1-5	Matthew 7:7-11	Psalms 145:8-9, 14-21

Sunday Aug 2 – Ninth Sunday after Pentecost/Lectionary 18

Readings

Complementary Series

Isaiah 55:1-5
 Psalm 145:8-9, 14-21 (16)
 Romans 9:1-5
 Matthew 14:13-21

Semi-continuous Series

Genesis 32:22-31
 Psalm 17:1-7, 15 (15)

Prayer of the Day

Glorious God, your generosity waters the world with goodness, and you cover creation with abundance. Awaken in us a hunger for the food that satisfies both body and spirit, and with this food fill all the starving world; through your Son, Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia. One does not live by | bread alone,
 but by every word that comes from the | mouth of God. Alleluia. (Matt. 4:4)

Color: Green

Mon – Aug 3	Deuteronomy 8:1-10	Romans 1:8-15	Psalms 78:1-8, 17-29
Tue – Aug 4	Deuteronomy 26:1-5	Acts 2:37-47	Psalms 78:1-8, 17-29
Wed – Aug 5	Exodus 16:2-15, 31-35	Matthew 15:32-39	Psalms 78:1-8, 17-29
Thu – Aug 6	1 Kings 18:1-16	Acts 17:10-15	Psalm 85:8-13
Fri – Aug 7	1 Kings 18:17-19, 30-40	Acts 18:24-28	Psalm 8:8-13
Sat – Aug 8	1 King 18:41-46	Matthew 16:1-4	Psalm 85:8-13

Sunday Aug 9 – Tenth Sunday after Pentecost/Lectionary 19

Readings

Complementary Series

1 Kings 19:9-18 Psalm 85:8-13 (8)
 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)

Color: Green

Mon – Aug 10	Genesis 7:11–8:5	2 Peter 2:4-10	Psalm 18:1-19
Tue – Aug 11	Genesis 19:1-29	Romans 9:14-29	Psalm 18:1-19
Wed – Aug 12	Job 36:24-33, 37:14-24	Matthew 8:23-27	Psalm 181:1-19
Thu – Aug 13	Isaiah 45:20-25	Revelation 15:1-4	Psalm 67
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)

Color: White

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)

Color: Green

Mon – Aug 17	2 Kings 5:1-14	Acts 15:15-21	Psalm 87
Tue – Aug 18	Isaiah 43:8-13	Romans 11:13-29	Psalm 87
Wed – Aug 19	Isaiah 66:18-23	Matthew 8:1-13	Psalm 87
Thu – Aug 20	Ezekiel 28:11-19	1 Corinthians 6:1-11	Psalm 138
Fri – Aug 21	Ezekiel 31:15-18	2 Corinthians 10:12-18	Psalm 138
Sat – Aug 22	Ezekiel 36:33-38	Matthew 16:5-12	Psalm 138

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)

Color: Green

Mon – Aug 24	1 Samuel 7:3-13	Romans 2:1-11	Psalm 18:1-3, 20-32
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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 announc- | es salvation. Alleluia. (Isa. 52:7)

Color: Scarlet/Red

Tue – Aug 25	Deuteronomy 32:18-20, 28-39	Romans 11:33-36	Psalms 18:1-3, 20-32
Wed – Aug 26	Isaiah 28:14-22	Matthew 26:1-13	Psalms 18:1-3, 20-32
Thu – Aug 27	Jeremiah 14:13-18	Ephesians 5:1-6	Psalms 26:1-8
Fri – Aug 28	Jeremiah 15:1-9	2 Thessalonians 2:7-12	Psalms 26:1-8
Sat – Aug 29	Jeremiah 15:10-14	Matthew 8:14-17	Psalms 26:1-8

Sunday Aug 30 – Thirteenth Sunday after Pentecost/Lectionary 22

Readings

Complementary Series

Jeremiah 15:15-21

Psalms 26:1-8 (3)

Romans 12:9-21

Matthew 16:21-28

Semi-continuous Series

Exodus 3:1-15

Psalms 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)

Color: Green

Mon – Aug 31	2 Samuel 11:2-26	Revelation 3:1-6	Psalms 17
Tue – Sept 1	2 Samuel 11:27b–12:15	Revelation 3:7-13	Psalms 17
Wed – Sept 2	Jeremiah 17:5-18	Matthew 12:22-32	Psalms 17
Thu – Sept 3	Ezekiel 24:1-14	2 Corinthians 12:11-21	Psalms 119:33-40
Fri – Sept 4	Ezekiel 24:15-27	Romans 10:15b-21	Psalms 119:33-40
Sat – Sept 5	Ezekiel 33:1-6	Matthew 23:29-36	Psalms 119:33-40

Sunday Sept 6 – Fourteenth Sunday after Pentecost/Lectionary 23

Readings

Complementary Series

Ezekiel 33:7-11

Psalms 119:33-40 (35)

Romans 13:8-14

Matthew 18:15-20

Semi-continuous Series

Exodus 12:1-14

Psalms 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 reconcilia- | tion to us. Alleluia. (2 Cor. 5:19)

Color: Green

Mon – Sept 7	Leviticus 4:27-31; 5:14-16	1 Peter 2:11-17	Psalm 119:65-72
Tue – Sept 8	Deuteronomy 17:2-13	Romans 13:1-7	Psalm 119:65-72
Wed – Sept 9	Leviticus 16:1-5, 20-28	Matthew 21:18-22	Psalm 119:65-72
Thu – Sept 10	Genesis 37:12-36	1 John 3:11-16	Psalm 103:[1-7] 8-13
Fri – Sept 11	Genesis 41:53–42:17	Acts 7:9-16	Psalm 103:[1-7] 8-13
Sat – Sept 12	Genesis 45:1-20	Matthew 6:7-15	Psalm 103:[1-7] 8-13

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)

Color: Green

Mon – Sept 14	Genesis 48:8-22	Hebrews 11:23-29	Psalm 133
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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)

Color: Scarlet/Red

Tue – Sept 15	Genesis 49:29–50:14	Romans 14:13–15:2	Psalm 133
Wed – Sept 16	Genesis 50:22-26	Mark 11:20-25	Psalm 133
Thu – Sept 17	Nahum 1:1, 14–2:2	2 Corinthians 13:1-4	Psalm 145:1-8
Fri – Sept 18	Nahum 2:3-13	2 Corinthians 13:5-10	Psalm 145:1-8
Sat – Sept 19	Zephaniah 2:13-15	Matthew 19:23-30	Psalm 145:1-8

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.

Color: Green

Mon – Sept 21	Genesis 27:1-29	Romans 16:1-6	Psalm 106:1-12
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Or

**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)

Color: Scarlet/Red

Tue – Sept 22	Genesis 28:10-17	Romans 16:17-20	Psalm 106:1-12
Wed – Sept 23	Isaiah 41:1-13	Matthew 18:1-5	Psalm 106:1-12
Thu – Sept 24	Ezekiel 12:17-28	James 4:11-16	Psalm 25:1-9
Fri – Sept 25	Ezekiel 18:5-18	Acts 13:32-41	Psalm 25:1-9
Sat – Sept 26	Ezekiel 18:19-24	Mark 11:27-33	Psalm 25:1-9

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)

Color: Green

Mon – Sept 28	Judges 14:1-20	Philippians 1:3-14	Psalm 28
Tue – Sept 29	Judges 16:1-22	Philippians 1:15-21	Psalm 28

Or

**Tuesday Sept 29
Michael and All Angels**

Readings

Sept 29, 2011

Daniel 10:10-14; 12:1-3

Psalm 103:1-5, 20-22 (20-21)

Revelation 12:7-12

Luke 10:17-20

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)

Color: White

Wed – Sept 30	Judges 16:23-31	Matthew 9:2-8	Psalm 28
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)

Color: Green

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)

Color: Green

Mon – Oct 12	Exodus 19:7-20	Jude 17-25	Psalm 34
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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 ev- | ry good work. Alleluia. (2 Cor. 9:8)

Color: Green

Tue – Oct 13	Amos 9:5-15	Philippians 3:13-4:1	Psalm 34
Wed – Oct 14	Song of Solomon 7:10-8:4	John 6:25-35	Psalm 34
Thu – Oct 15	Judges 17:1-6	3 John 9-12	Psalm 96:1-9 [10-13]
Fri – Oct 16	Deuteronomy 17:14-20	1 Peter 5:1-5	Psalm 96:1-9 [10-13]
Sat – Oct 17	Isaiah 14:3-11	Matthew 14:1-12	Psalm 96:1-9 [10-13]

Sunday Oct 18 – Twentieth Sunday after Pentecost/Lectionary 29

Readings

Complementary Series
Isaiah 45:1-7
Psalm 96:1-9 [10-13] (7)
1 Thessalonians 1:1-10
Matthew 22:15-22

Semi-continuous Series
Exodus 33:12-23

Psalm 99 (5)

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)

Color: Green

Mon – Oct 19	Daniel 3:1-18	Revelation 18:1-10,	Psalm 98
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Or

**Monday Oct 19 (transferred)
Luke, Evangelist**

Readings

Isaiah 43:8-13 or Isaiah 35:5-8
Psalm 124 (8)
2 Timothy 4:5-11
Luke 1:1-4; 24:44-53

Prayer of the Day

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.

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia. How beautiful upon the mountains are the feet of the messenger who an- | nounces peace,*
who brings good news, who announc- | es salvation. Alleluia. (Isa. 52:7)

Color: Scarlet/Red

Tue – Oct 20	Daniel 3:19-30	Revelation 18:21-24	Psalm 98
Wed – Oct 21	Daniel 6:1-28	Matthew 17:22-27	Psalm 98
Thu – Oct 22	Numbers 5:5-10	Titus 1:5-16	Psalm 1
Fri – Oct 23	Deuteronomy 9:25– 10:5	Titus 2:7-8, 11-15	Psalm 1
Sat – Oct 24	Proverbs 24:23-34	John 5:39-47	Psalm 1

Sunday Oct 25 – Twenty-First Sunday after Pentecost/Lectionary 30

Or Reformation Sunday may be observed (see below).

Readings

Complementary Series

Leviticus 19:1-2, 15-18
Psalm 1(2)

1 Thessalonians 2:1-8
Matthew 22:34-46

Semi-continuous Series

Deuteronomy 34:1-12

Psalm 90:1-6, 13-17 (16)

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)

Color: Green

Mon – Oct 26	Deuteronomy 6:1-9, 20-25	James 2:8-13	Psalm 119:41-48
Tue – Oct 27	Deuteronomy 10:10-22	James 2:14-26	Psalm 119:41-48
Wed – Oct 28	Proverbs 16:1-20	Matthew 19:16-22	Psalm 119:41-48

Or

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)

Color: Scarlet/Red

Thu – Oct 29	1 Samuel 2:27-36	Romans 2:17-29	Psalm 43
Fri – Oct 30	Ezekiel 13:1-16	2 Peter 2:1-3	Psalm 43
Sat – Oct 31	Malachi 1:6–2:9	Matthew 23:13-28	Psalm 43

Or

Saturday Oct 31
Reformation Day

May be transferred to Sunday, Oct 25

Readings

Jeremiah 31:31-34
Psalm 46 (7)
Romans 3:19-28

John 8:31-36

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)

Color: Red

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)*

Color: White

Or

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

Psalm 107:1-7, 33-37 (8)

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)

Color: Green

Mon – Nov 2	Jeremiah 5:18-31	1 Thessalonians 2:13-20	Psalm 5
Tue – Nov 3	Lamentations 2:13-17	Acts 13:1-12	Psalm 5
Wed – Nov 4	Proverbs 16:21-33	Matthew 15:1-9	Psalm 5
Thu – Nov 5	Amos 1:1–2:5	Revelation 8:6–9:12	Psalm 70
Fri – Nov 6	Amos 3:1-12	Revelation 9:13-21	Psalm 70
Sat – Nov 7	Amos 4:6-13	Matthew 24:1-14	Psalm 70

Sunday Nov 8 – Twenty-Third Sunday after Pentecost/Lectionary 32

Readings

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)

Color: Green

Mon – Nov 9	Amos 8:7-14	1 Corinthians 14:20-25	Psalm 63
Tue – Nov 10	Joel 1:1-14	1 Thessalonians 3:6-13	Psalm 63
Wed – Nov 11	Joel 3:9-21	Matthew 24:29-35	Psalm 63
Thu – Nov 12	Ezekiel 6:1-14	Revelation 16:1-7	Psalm 90:1-8 [9-11] 12
Fri – Nov 13	Ezekiel 7:1-9	Revelation 16:8-21	Psalm 90:1-8 [9-11] 12
Sat – Nov 14	Ezekiel 7:10-27	Matthew 12:43-45	Psalm 90:1-8 [9-11] 12

Sunday Nov 15 – Twenty-Fourth Sunday after Pentecost/Lectionary 33

Readings

Complementary Series

Zephaniah 1:7, 12-18
Psalm 90:1-8 [9-11] 12 (12)

1 Thessalonians 5:1-11
Matthew 25:14-30

Semi-continuous Series
Judges 4:1-7
Psalm 123 (2)

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)

Color: Green

Mon – Nov 16	Zechariah 1:7-17	Romans 2:1-11	Psalm 9:1-14
Tue – Nov 17	Zechariah 2:1-5, 5:1-4	1 Thessalonians 5:12-18	Psalm 9:1-14
Wed – Nov 18	Job 16:1-21	Matthew 24:45-51	Psalm 9:1-14
Thu – Nov 19	1 Kings 22:13-23	Revelation 14:1-11	Psalm 85:1-7a
Fri – Nov 20	1 Chronicles 17:1-15	Revelation 22:1-9	Psalm 95:1-7a
Sat – Nov 21	Isaiah 44:21-28	Matthew 12:46-50	Psalm 95:1-7a

Sunday Nov 22 – Christ the King Sunday
Last Sunday after Pentecost/Lectionary 34

Readings
Series

Ezekiel 34:11-16, 20-24
Psalm 95:1-7a (7)
Ephesians 1:15-23
Matthew 25:31-46

Semi-continuous Series
Ezekiel 34:11-16, 20-24
Psalm 100 (3)

Prayer of the Day

O God of power and might, your Son shows us the way of service, and in him we inherit the riches of your grace. Give us the wisdom to know what is right and the strength to serve the world you have made, 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 is the one who comes in the name | of the Lord.
Blessed is the coming kingdom of our an- | cestor David. Alleluia. (Mark 11:9)

Color: White/Green

Mon – Nov 23	Esther 2:1-18	2 Timothy 2:8-13	Psalm 7
Tue – Nov 24	Esther 8:3-17	Revelation 19:1-9	Psalm 7
Wed – Nov 25	Ezekiel 33:7-20	John 5:19-40	Psalm 7

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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

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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
ev- | 'ry good work. Alleluia. (2 Cor. 9:8)

Color: Green