

Year C 2021/2022

Year C focuses on the Gospel of Luke. The semi-continuous Old Testament readings are of prophetic proclamation chosen in chronological order and highlighting Jeremiah. The second, New Testament, readings are chosen mainly from Galatians, Colossians, 1 and 2 Timothy and 2 Thessalonians.

Advent
Nov. 25, 2021 through Dec. 23, 2021

Time after Epiphany

Jan. 7 through Mar. 1, 2022

The Three Days

Apr. 14 through Apr. 16, 2022

Time after Pentecost

June 9 through Nov. 23, 2022

Christmas

Dec. 24, 2021 through Jan. 6, 2022

Lent

Mar. 2 through Apr. 13, 2022

Easter

Apr. 17 through June 8, 2022



YEAR C 2021/2022 – Time After Pentecost

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

Scripture references are from the *New Revised Standard Version* of the Bible.

The appointed psalm refrain for Sundays and festivals comes from the verse in parentheses.

DAY AND DATE	FIRST READING	SECOND READING	PSALM
Thu – Jun 9	Proverbs 3:13-18	Ephesians 1:17-19	Psalm 8
Fri – Jun 10	Proverbs 3:19-26	Ephesians 4:1-6	Psalm 8
Sat – Jun 11	Proverbs 4:1-9	Luke 2:41-52	Psalm 8

Or

Sat. June 11 — Barnabas, Apostle

Readings

Isaiah 42:5-12

Psalm 112

Acts 11:19-30; 13:1-3

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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Sun. June 12 — The Holy Trinity / First Sunday after Pentecost - Lectionary 11

Readings

Proverbs 8:1-4, 22-31
 Psalm 8 (2)
 Romans 5:1-5
 John 16:12-15

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)

Color: White

Mon – Jun 13	Proverbs 7:1-4	Ephesians 4:7-16	Psalm 124
Tue – Jun 14	Proverbs 8:4-21	Ephesians 5:15-20	Psalm 124
Wed – Jun 15	Daniel 1:1-21	Luke 1:46b-55	Psalm 124
Thu – Jun 16	Isaiah 56:9-12	Romans 2:17-29	Psalm 22:19-28
Fri – June 17	Isaiah 57:1-13	Galatians 3:15-22	Psalm 22:19-28
Sat – June 18	Isaiah 59:1-8	Matthew 9:27-34	Psalm 22:19-28

Sun. June 19 — Second Sunday after Pentecost - Lectionary 12

Readings

Isaiah 65:1-9
 Psalm 22:19-28 (22)
 Galatians 3:23-29
 Luke 8:26-39

Prayer of the Day

O Lord God, we bring before you the cries of a sorrowing world. In your mercy set us free from the chains that bind us, and defend us from everything that is evil, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia. Return to your home,
 and declare how much God has done for you. *Alleluia.* (Luke 8:29)

Color: Green

Mon – June 20	Job 18:1-21	1 Corinthians 1:18-31	Psalm 64
Tue – June 21	Job 19:1-22	Ephesians 2:11-22	Psalm 64
Wed – June 22	Ezekiel 32:1-10	Luke 9:37-43a	Psalm 64
Thu – June 23	Leviticus 9:22—10:11	2 Corinthians 13:5-10	Psalm 16
Fri – June 24	2 Kings 1:1-16	Galatians 4:8-20	Psalm 16

Or

Fri. 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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Sat – June 25	Deuteronomy 32:15-27, 39-43	Luke 9:21-27	Psalm 16
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Sun. June 26 – Third Sunday after Pentecost - Lectionary 13

Readings

1 Kings 19:15-16, 19-21
Psalm 16 (8)
Galatians 5:1, 13-25
Luke 9:51-62

Prayer of the Day

Sovereign God, ruler of all hearts, you call us to obey you, and you favor us with true freedom. Keep us faithful to the ways of your Son, that, leaving behind all that hinders us, we may steadfastly follow your paths, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia. Lord, to whom shall we go?
You have the words of eternal life. Alleluia. (John 6:68)

Color: Green

Mon – June 27	Genesis 24:34-41, 50-67	1 John 2:7-11	Psalm 140
Tue – June 28	Jeremiah 3:15-18	Ephesians 5:6-20	Psalm 140
Wed – June 29	Jeremiah 23:16-22	Matthew 10:16-25	Psalm 140

Or

Sat. 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

Thu – June 30	2 Kings 21:1-15	Romans 7:14-25	Psalms 66:1-9
Fri – July 1	Jeremiah 51:47-58	2 Corinthians 8:1-7	Psalms 66:1-9
Sat – July 2	Zechariah 14:10-21	Luke 9:1-6	Psalms 66:1-9

Sun. July 3 – Fourth Sunday after Pentecost - Lectionary 14

Readings

Isaiah 66:10-14
Psalm 66:1-9 (4)
Galatians 6:[1-6] 7-16
Luke 10:1-11, 16-20

Prayer of the Day

O God, the Father of our Lord Jesus, you are the city that shelters us, the mother who comforts us. With your Spirit accompany us on our life's journey, that we may spread your peace in all the world, through your Son, Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia. Let the peace of Christ rule | in your hearts,
and let the word of Christ dwell | in you richly. Alleluia. (Col. 3:15, 16)

Color: Green

Mon – July 4	Jeremiah 6:10-19	Acts 19:21-27	Psalms 119:73-80
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Or

Mon. July 4 — Thomas, Apostle (transferred)

Readings

Judges 6:36-40
Psalm 136:1-4, 23-26 (1)
Ephesians 4:11-16
John 14:1-7

Prayer of the Day

Ever-living God, you strengthened your apostle Thomas with firm and certain faith in the resurrection of your Son. Grant that we too may confess our faith in Jesus Christ, our Lord and our God, 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 – July 5	Jeremiah 8:4-13	Acts 19:28-41	Psalms 119:73-80
Wed – July 6	Joshua 23:1-16	Luke 10:13-16	Psalms 119:73-80
Thu – July 7	Genesis 41:14-36	James 2:14-26	Psalms 25:1-10
Fri – July 8	Genesis 41:37-49	Acts 7:9-16	Psalms 25:1-10

Sat – July 9	Leviticus 19:1-4, 32-37	John 3:16-21	Psalm 25:1-10
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Sun. July 10 – Fifth Sunday after Pentecost - Lectionary 15

Readings

Deuteronomy 30:9-14
 Psalm 25:1-10 (4)
 Colossians 1:1-14
 Luke 10:25-37

Prayer of the Day

O Lord God, your mercy delights us, and the world longs for your loving care. Hear the cries of everyone in need, and turn our hearts to love our neighbors with the love of your Son, Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia. You shall love the Lord your God with | all your heart,
 and your neighbor | as yourself. Alleluia. (Luke 10:27)

Color: Green

Mon – July 11	Job 24:1-8	James 2:1-7	Psalm 25:11-20
Tue – July 12	Proverbs 19:1-17	1 John 3:11-17	Psalm 25:11-20
Wed – July 13	Ecclesiastes 9:13-18	Matthew 25:31-46	Psalm 25:11-20
Thu – July 14	Genesis 12:10-20	Hebrews 5:1-6	Psalm 15
Fri – July 15	Genesis 13:1-18	Ephesians 3:14-21	Psalm 15
Sat – July 16	Genesis 14:1-16	Luke 8:4-10	Psalm 15

Sun. July 17 — Sixth Sunday after Pentecost - Lectionary 16

Readings

Genesis 18:1-10a
 Psalm 15 (1)
 Colossians 1:15-28
 Luke 10:38-42

Prayer of the Day

Eternal God, you draw near to us in Christ, and you make yourself our guest. Amid the cares of our lives, make us attentive to your presence, that we may treasure your word above all else, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia. Blessed are those who hold the word fast in an honest | and good heart,
 and bear fruit with pa- | tient endurance. Alleluia. (Luke 8:15)

Color: Green

Mon – July 18	Exodus 18:1-12	Colossians 1:27—2:7	Psalm 119:97-104
Tue – July 19	Proverbs 9:1-18	1 John 2:1-6	Psalm 119:97-104
Wed – July 20	Deuteronomy 12:1-12	John 6:41-51	Psalm 119:97-104
Thu – July 21	Esther 2:19—3:6	Acts 1:15-20	Psalm 138
Fri – July 22	Esther 3:7-15	Acts 2:22-36	Psalm 138

Or

Fri. July 22 — Mary Magdalene, Apostle

Readings

Ruth 1:6-18
 Exodus 2:1-10 {alternate}

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

Sat – July 23

Esther 4:1-17

Luke 8:22-25

Psalm 138

Sun. July 24 — Seventh Sunday after Pentecost - Lectionary 17

Readings

Genesis 18:20-32

Psalm 138 (8)

Colossians 2:6-15 [16-19]

Luke 11:1-13

Prayer of the Day

Almighty and ever-living God, you are always more ready to hear than we are to pray, and you gladly give more than we either desire or deserve. Pour upon us your abundant mercy. Forgive us those things that weigh on our conscience, and give us those good things that come only through your Son, Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia. Ask, and it will be given you; search, and | you will find;
knock, and the door will be o- | pened to you. Alleluia. (Luke 11:9)

Color: Green

Mon – July 25

Esther 5:1-14

Colossians 2:16—3:1

Psalm 55:16-23

Or

Mon. 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

Tue – July 26	Esther 6:1—7:6	Romans 9:30 —10:4	Psalms 55:16-23
Wed – July 27	Esther 7:7—8:17	Matthew 5:43-48	Psalms 55:16-23
Thu – July 28	Proverbs 23:1-11	Romans 11:33-36	Psalms 49:1-12
Fri – July 29	Proverbs 24:1-12	Ephesians 4:17-24	Psalms 49:1-12
Sat – July 30	Ecclesiastes 1:1-11	Mark 10:17-22	Psalms 49:1-12

Sun. July 31 — Eighth Sunday after Pentecost - Lectionary 18

Readings

Ecclesiastes 1:2, 12-14; 2:18-23
Psalm 49:1-12 (3)
Colossians 3:1-11
Luke 12:13-21

Prayer of the Day

Benevolent God, you are the source, the guide, and the goal of our lives. Teach us to love what is worth loving, to reject what is offensive to you, and to treasure what is precious in your sight, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia. Blessed are the poor in spirit,
for theirs is the kingdom of heaven. Alleluia. (Matt. 5:3)

Color: Green

Mon – Aug. 1	Ecclesiastes 2:1-17	Colossians 3:18— 4:1	Psalms 127
Tue – Aug. 2	Ecclesiastes 3:16— 4:8	Colossians 4:2-6	Psalms 127
Wed – Aug. 3	Ecclesiastes 12:1-8, 13-14	Luke 12:22-31	Psalms 127
Thu – Aug. 4	Job 21:1-16	Romans 9:1-9	Psalms 33:12-22
Fri – Aug. 5	Ecclesiastes 6:1-6	Acts 7:1-8	Psalms 33:12-22
Sat – Aug. 6	Genesis 11:27-32	Matthew 6:19-24	Psalms 33:12-22

Sun. Aug. 7 — Ninth Sunday after Pentecost - Lectionary 19

Readings

Genesis 15:1-6
Psalm 33:12-22 (22)
Hebrews 11:1-3, 8-16
Luke 12:32-40

Prayer of the Day

Almighty God, you sent your Holy Spirit to be the life and light of your church. Open our hearts to the riches of your grace, that we may be ready to receive you wherever you appear, 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 – Aug. 8	2 Chronicles 33:1-17	Hebrews 11:1-7	Psalms 89:1-18
Tue – Aug. 9	2 Chronicles 34:22-33	Hebrews 11:17-28	Psalms 89:1-18
Wed – Aug 10	Jeremiah 33:14-26	Luke 12:41-48	Psalms 89:1-18
Thu – Aug. 11	Joshua 7:1, 10-26	Hebrews 10:26-31	Psalms 82
Fri – Aug. 12	1 Samuel 5:1-12	Hebrews 10:32-39	Psalms 82
Sat – Aug. 13	1 Samuel 6:1-16	Matthew 24:15-27	Psalms 82

Sun. Aug. 14 — Tenth Sunday after Pentecost - Lectionary 20

Readings

Jeremiah 23:23-29
Psalm 82 (8)
Hebrews 11:29—12:2
Luke 12:49-56

Prayer of the Day

O God, judge eternal, you love justice and hate oppression, and you call us to share your zeal for truth. Give us courage to take our stand with all victims of bloodshed and greed, and, following your servants and prophets, to look to the pioneer and perfecter of our faith, your Son, Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia. My sheep I hear my voice.
I know them, and they I follow me. Alleluia. (John 10:27)

Color: Green

Mon – Aug. 15	Jeremiah 23:30-40	1 John 4:1-6	Psalm 32
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Or

Mon. 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

Tue – Aug. 16	Jeremiah 25:15-29	Acts 7:44-53	Psalm 32
Wed – Aug. 17	Jeremiah 25:30-38	Luke 19:45-48	Psalm 32
Thu – Aug. 18	Numbers 15:32-41	Hebrews 12:3-17	Psalm 103:1-8
Fri – Aug. 19	2 Chronicles 8:12-15	Acts 17:1-9	Psalm 103:1-8
Sat – Aug. 20	Nehemiah 13:15-22	Luke 6:1-5	Psalm 103:1-8

Sun. Aug. 21 — Eleventh Sunday after Pentecost - Lectionary 21

Readings

Isaiah 58:9b-14
Psalm 103:1-8 (4)
Hebrews 12:18-29
Luke 13:10-17

Prayer of the Day

O God, mighty and immortal, you know that as fragile creatures surrounded by great dangers, we

cannot by ourselves stand upright. Give us strength of mind and body, so that even when we suffer because of human sin, we may rise victorious through your Son, Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia. The crowd I was rejoicing
at the wonderful things that Jesus was doing. Alleluia. (Luke 13:17)

Color: Green

Mon – Aug. 22	Ezekiel 20:1-17	Hebrews 3:7— 4:11	Psalms 109:21-31
Tue – Aug. 23	Ezekiel 20:18-32	Revelation 3:7-13	Psalms 109:21-31
Wed – Aug. 24	Ezekiel 20:33-44	Luke 6:6-11	Psalms 109:21-31

Or

Wed. 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)

Color: Scarlet/Red

Thu – Aug. 25	Proverbs 15:13-17	1 Peter 3:8-12	Psalms 112
Fri – Aug. 26	Proverbs 18:6-12	1 Peter 4:7-11	Psalms 112
Sat – Aug. 27	Proverbs 21:1-4, 24-26	Matthew 20:20-28	Psalms 112

Sun. Aug. 28 — Twelfth Sunday after Pentecost - Lectionary 22

Readings

Proverbs 25:6-7
Sirach 10:12-18 {alternate}
Psalm 112 (4)
Hebrews 13:1-8, 15-16
Luke 14:1, 7-14

Prayer of the Day

O God, you resist those who are proud and give grace to those who are humble. Give us the humility of your Son, that we may embody the generosity of Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia. Take my yoke upon you, and I will learn from me; for I am gentle and humble in heart. Alleluia. (Matt. 11:29)

Color: Green

Mon – Aug 29	2 Chronicles 12:1-12	Hebrews 13:7-21	Psalms 119:65-72
Tue – Aug 30	Isaiah 2:12-17	Titus 1:1-9	Psalms 119:65-72

Wed – Aug 31	Isaiah 57:14-21	Luke 14:15-24	Psalms 119:65-72
Thu – Sep 1	Genesis 39:1-23	Philippians 2:25-30	Psalms 1
Fri – Sep 2	Deuteronomy 7:12-26	Colossians 4:7-17	Psalms 1
Sat – Sep 3	Deuteronomy 29:2-20	Matthew 10:34-42	Psalms 1

Sun. Sep. 4 — Thirteenth Sunday after Pentecost - Lectionary 23

Readings

Deuteronomy 30:15-20
 Psalm 1 (3)
 Philemon 1-21
 Luke 14:25-33

Prayer of the Day

Direct us, O Lord God, in all our doings with your continual help, that in all our works, begun, continued, and ended in you, we may glorify your holy name; and finally, by your mercy, bring us to everlasting life, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia. Let your face shine upon me, O Lord, and teach me your statutes. Alleluia. (Ps. 119:135)

Color: Green

Mon – Sep 5	2 Kings 17:24-41	1 Timothy 3:14 — 4:5	Psalms 101
Tue – Sep 6	2 Kings 18:9-18	1 Timothy 4:6-16	Psalms 101
Wed – Sep 7	2 Kings 18:19-25; 19:1-7	Luke 18:18-30	Psalms 101
Thu – Sep 8	Genesis 6:1-6	1 Timothy 1:1-11	Psalms 51:1-10
Fri – Sep 9	Genesis 7:6-10; 8:1-5	2 Peter 2:1-10a	Psalms 51:1-10
Sat – Sep 10	Genesis 8:20—9:7	John 10:11-21	Psalms 51:1-10

Sun. Sep. 11 — Fourteenth Sunday after Pentecost - Lectionary 24

Readings

Exodus 32:7-14
 Psalm 51:1-10 (1)
 1 Timothy 1:12-17
 Luke 15:1-10

Prayer of the Day

O God, overflowing with mercy and compassion, you lead back to yourself all those who go astray. Preserve your people in your loving care, that we may reject whatever is contrary to you and may follow all things that sustain our life in your Son, Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia. There is joy in the presence of the angels of God over one sinner who repents. Alleluia. (Luke 15:10)

Color: Green

Mon – Sep 12	Amos 7:1-6	1 Timothy 1:18-20	Psalms 73
Tue – Sep 13	Jonah 3:1-10	2 Peter 3:8-13	Psalms 73
Wed – Sep 14	Job 40:6-14; 42:1-6	Luke 22:31-33, 54-62	Psalms 73

Or

Wed. Sep. 14 — Holy Cross Day

Readings

Numbers 21:4b-9

Psalm 98:1-4 (1)
 Psalm 78:1-2, 34-38 (35) {alternate}
 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

Thu – Sep 15	Exodus 23:1-9	Romans 3:1-8	Psalm 113
Fri – Sep 16	Ezekiel 22:17-31	Romans 8:31-39	Psalm 113
Sat – Sep 17	Isaiah 5:8-23	Mark 12:41-44	Psalm 113

Sun. Sep. 18 – Fifteenth Sunday after Pentecost - Lectionary 25

Readings

Amos 8:4-7
 Psalm 113 (7)
 1 Timothy 2:1-7
 Luke 16:1-13

Prayer of the Day

God among us, we gather in the name of your Son to learn love for one another. Keep our feet from evil paths. Turn our minds to your wisdom and our hearts to the grace revealed in your Son, Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia. Live your life in a manner worthy of the gospel of Christ;
 strive side by side for the faith of the gospel. Alleluia. (Phil. 1:27)

Color: Green

Mon – Sep 19	Proverbs 14:12-31	Acts 4:1-12	Psalm 12
Tue – Sep 20	Proverbs 17:1-5	1 Corinthians 9:19-23	Psalm 12
Wed – Sep 21	Proverbs 21:10-16	Luke 20:45—21:4	Psalm 12

Or

Sat. Sep. 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

Thu – Sep 22	Proverbs 22:2-16	2 Corinthians 8:8-15	Psalm 146
Fri – Sep. 23	Proverbs 28:3-10	Ephesians 2:1-10	Psalm 146
Sat – Sep. 24	Proverbs 28:11-28	Luke 9:43b-48	Psalm 146

Sun. Sep. 25 — Sixteenth Sunday after Pentecost - Lectionary 26

Readings

Amos 6:1a, 4-7
Psalm 146 (7)
1 Timothy 6:6-19
Luke 16:19-31

Prayer of the Day

O God, rich in mercy, you look with compassion on this troubled world. Feed us with your grace, and grant us the treasure that comes only from you, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia. You know the generous act of our Lord Jesus Christ, that though he was rich, yet for your sakes he became poor, so that by his poverty you might become rich. Alleluia. (2 Cor. 8:9)

Color: Green

Mon – Sep 26	Amos 6:8-14	Revelation 3:14-22	Psalm 62
Tue – Sep 27	Hosea 10:9-15	James 5:1-6	Psalm 62
Wed – Sep 28	Hosea 12:2-14	Matthew 19:16-22	Psalm 62
Thu – Sep 29	2 Kings 18:1-8, 28-36	Revelation 2:8-11	Psalm 37:1-9

Or

Sun. Sep. 29 — Michael and All Angels

Readings

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

Fri – Sep 30	2 Kings 19:8-20, 35-37	Revelation 2:12-29	Psalm 37:1-9
Sat – Oct 1	Isaiah 7:1-9	Matthew 20:29-34	Psalm 37:1-9

Sun. Oct. 2 — Seventeenth Sunday after Pentecost - Lectionary 27

Readings

Habakkuk 1:1-4; 2:1-4
Psalm 37:1-9 (5)
2 Timothy 1:1-14
Luke 17:5-10

Prayer of the Day

Benevolent, merciful God: When we are empty, fill us. When we are weak in faith, strengthen us. When we are cold in love, warm us, that with fervor we may love our neighbors and serve them for the sake of your Son, Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia. The word of the Lord endures forever.
That word is the good news that was announced to you. Alleluia. (1 Pet. 1:25)

Color: Green

Mon – Oct 3	Habakkuk 1:5-17	James 1:2-11	Psalm 3
Tue – Oct 4	Habakkuk 2:5-11	1 John 5:1-5, 13-21	Psalm 3
Wed – Oct 5	Habakkuk 2:12-20	Mark 11:12-14, 20-24	Psalm 3
Thu – Oct 6	Leviticus 14:33-53	2 Timothy 1:13-18	Psalm 111
Fri – Oct 7	Numbers 4:34 —5:4	2 Timothy 2:1-7	Psalm 111
Sat – Oct 8	Numbers 12:1-15	Luke 5:12-16	Psalm 111

Sun. Oct. 9 — Eighteenth Sunday after Pentecost - Lectionary 28

Readings

2 Kings 5:1-3, 7-15c
Psalm 111 (1)
2 Timothy 2:8-15
Luke 17:11-19

Prayer of the Day

Almighty and most merciful God, your bountiful goodness fills all creation. Keep us safe from all that may hurt us, that, whole and well in body and spirit, we may with grateful hearts accomplish all that you would have us do, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia. Give thanks in all circumstances;
for this is the will of God in Christ Jesus for you. Alleluia. (1 Thess. 5:18)

Color: Green

Mon – Oct 10	2 Kings 5:15-19a	Acts 26:24-29	Psalm 61
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Or

Mon. Oct. 10 — Day of Thanksgiving (Canada)

Readings

Deuteronomy 26:1-11
Psalm 100 (4)
Philippians 4:4-9
John 6:25-35

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)

Color: Green (color of the season)

Tue – Oct 11	2 Kings 5:19b-27	Ephesians 6:10-20	Psalms 61
Wed – Oct 12	2 Kings 15:1-7	Matthew 10:5-15	Psalms 61
Thu – Oct 13	Isaiah 54:11-17	Acts 17:22-34	Psalms 121
Fri – Oct 14	Genesis 31:43—32:2	2 Timothy 2:14-26	Psalms 121
Sat – Oct 15	Genesis 32:3-21	Mark 10:46-52	Psalms 121

Sun. Oct. 16 — Nineteenth Sunday after Pentecost - Lectionary 29

Luke, Evangelist, may be observed (see Oct. 18).

Readings

Genesis 32:22-31
Psalm 121 (2)
2 Timothy 3:14—4:5
Luke 18:1-8

Prayer of the Day

O Lord God, tireless guardian of your people, you are always ready to hear our cries. Teach us to rely day and night on your care. Inspire us to seek your enduring justice for all this suffering world, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia. The word of God is living and active, able to judge the thoughts and intentions of the heart. Alleluia. (Heb. 4:12)

Color: Green

Mon – Oct 17	1 Samuel 25:2-22	1 Corinthians 6:1-11	Psalms 57
Tue – Oct 18	1 Samuel 25:23-35	James 5:7-12	Psalms 57

Or

Tue. Oct. 18 — Luke, Evangelist

Luke, Evangelist, may be observed on Sun. Oct. 16.

Readings

Isaiah 43:8-13
Isaiah 35:5-8 {alternate}
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 announces peace, who brings good news, who announces salvation. Alleluia. (Isa. 52:7)

Color: Scarlet/Red

Wed – Oct 19	1 Samuel 25:36-42	Luke 22:39-46	Psalms 57
Thu – Oct 20	Jeremiah 9:1-16	2 Timothy 3:1-9	Psalms 84:1-7
Fri – Oct 21	Jeremiah 9:17-26	2 Timothy 3:10-15	Psalms 84:1-7
Sat – Oct 22	Jeremiah 14:1-6	Luke 1:46-55	Psalms 84:1-7

Sun. Oct. 23 — Twentieth Sunday after Pentecost - Lectionary 30

Readings

Jeremiah 14:7-10, 19-22
Sirach 35:12-17 {alternate}
Psalm 84:1-7 (5)
2 Timothy 4:6-8, 16-18
Luke 18:9-14

Prayer of the Day

Holy God, our righteous judge, daily your mercy surprises us with everlasting forgiveness. Strengthen our hope in you, and grant that all the peoples of the earth may find their glory in you, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia. All who exalt themselves will be humbled, but all who humble themselves will be exalted. Alleluia. (Luke 18:14)

Color: Green

Mon – Oct 24	1 Samuel 2:1-10	1 Peter 4:12-19	Psalms 84:8-12
Tue – Oct 25	Daniel 5:1-12	1 Peter 5:1-11	Psalms 84:8-12
Wed – Oct 26	Daniel 5:13-31	Matthew 21:28-32	Psalms 84:8-12
Thu – Oct 27	Proverbs 15:8-11, 24-33	2 Corinthians 1:1-11	Psalms 32:1-7
Fri – Oct 28	Job 22:21—23:17	2 Peter 1:1-11	Psalms 32:1-7

Or

Fri. 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

Sat – Oct 29	Isaiah 1:1-9	John 8:39-47	Psalms 32:1-7
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Sun. Oct. 30 — Twenty-first Sunday after Pentecost - Lectionary 31

Reformation may be observed (see Oct. 31).

Readings

Isaiah 1:10-18
Psalm 32:1-7 (6)
2 Thessalonians 1:1-4, 11-12
Luke 19:1-10

Prayer of the Day

Merciful God, gracious and benevolent, through your Son you invite all the world to a meal of mercy. Grant that we may eagerly follow his call, and bring us with all your saints into your life of justice and joy, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia. Today salvation has come | to this house,
for the Son of Man came to seek out and to | save the lost. Alleluia. (Luke 19:9, 10)

Color: Green

Mon – Oct 31

Nehemiah 13:1-3, 23-31

1 Corinthians 5:9-13

Psalms 50

Or

Mon. Oct. 31 — Reformation Day

May be transferred to Sun. Oct. 30.

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

Tue – Nov. 1

Zechariah 7:1-14

Jude 5-21

Psalms 50

Or

Tue. Nov. 1 — All Saints Day

All Saints may be observed on Sun. Nov. 6.

Readings

Daniel 7:1-3, 15-18
Psalm 149 (1)
Ephesians 1:11-23
Luke 6:20-31

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

Wed – Nov. 2	Amos 5:12-24	Luke 19:11-27	Psalm 50
Thu – Nov. 3	Deuteronomy 25:5-10	Acts 22:22—23:11	Psalm 17:1-9
Fri – Nov. 4	Genesis 38:1-26	Acts 24:10-23	Psalm 17:1-9
Sat – Nov. 5	Exodus 3:13-20	Luke 20:1-8	Psalm 17:1-9

Sun. Nov. 6 — Twenty-second Sunday after Pentecost - Lectionary 32

All Saints may be observed (see Nov. 1).

Readings

Job 19:23-27a
Psalm 17:1-9 (8)
2 Thessalonians 2:1-5, 13-17
Luke 20:27-38

Prayer of the Day

O God, our eternal redeemer, by the presence of your Spirit you renew and direct our hearts. Keep always in our mind the end of all things and the day of judgment. Inspire us for a holy life here, and bring us to the joy of the resurrection, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia. Jesus Christ is the firstborn of the dead;
to him be glory and dominion forever and ever. Alleluia. (Rev. 1:5, 6)

Color: Green

Mon – Nov. 7	Job 20:1-11	2 Peter 1:16-21	Psalm 123
Tue – Nov. 8	Job 21:1, 17-34	2 John 1-13	Psalm 123
Wed – Nov. 9	Job 25:1—26:14	John 5:19-29	Psalm 123
Thu – Nov. 10	1 Samuel 28:3-19	Romans 1:18-25	Psalm 98
Fri – Nov. 11	2 Samuel 21:1-14	2 Thessalonians 1:3-12	Psalm 98
Sat – Nov. 12	Ezekiel 10:1-19	Luke 17:20-37	Psalm 98

Sun. Nov. 13 — Twenty-third Sunday after Pentecost - Lectionary 33

Readings

Malachi 4:1-2a
Psalm 98 (9)
2 Thessalonians 3:6-13
Luke 21:5-19

Prayer of the Day

O God, the protector of all who trust in you, without you nothing is strong, nothing is holy. Embrace us

with your mercy, that with you as our ruler and guide, we may live through what is temporary without losing what is eternal, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia. Stand up and I raise your heads,
because your redemption is I drawing near. Alleluia. (Luke 21:28)

Color: Green

Mon – Nov. 14	Ezekiel 11:14-25	Ephesians 4:25—5:2	Psalm 141
Tue – Nov. 15	Ezekiel 39:21— 40:4	1 Corinthians 10:23—11:1	Psalm 141
Wed – Nov. 16	Ezekiel 43:1-12	Matthew 23:37—24:14	Psalm 141
Thu – Nov. 17	2 Chronicles 18:12-22	Hebrews 9:23-28	Psalm 46
Fri – Nov. 18	Zechariah 11:1-17	1 Peter 1:3-9	Psalm 46
Sat – Nov. 19	Jeremiah 22:18-30	Luke 18:15-17	Psalm 46

Sun. Nov. 20 — Christ the King Sunday / Last Sunday after Pentecost - Lectionary 34

Readings

Jeremiah 23:1-6
Psalm 46 (10)
Colossians 1:11-20
Luke 23:33-43

Prayer of the Day

O God, our true life, to serve you is freedom, and to know you is unending joy. We worship you, we glorify you, we give thanks to you for your great glory. Abide with us, reign in us, and make this world into a fit habitation for your divine majesty, 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 I of the Lord.
Blessed is the coming kingdom of our an- I cestor David. Alleluia. (Mark 11:9)

Color: White/Green

Mon – Nov. 21	Jeremiah 46:18-28	Revelation 21:5-27	Psalm 24
Tue – Nov. 22	Isaiah 33:17-22	Revelation 22:8-21	Psalm 24
Wed – Nov. 23	Isaiah 60:8-16	Luke 1:1-4	Psalm 24

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Thu. Nov. 24 — Day of Thanksgiving (U.S.A.)

Readings

Deuteronomy 26:1-11
Psalm 100
Philippians 4:4-9
John 6:25-35

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 or White (color of the season)