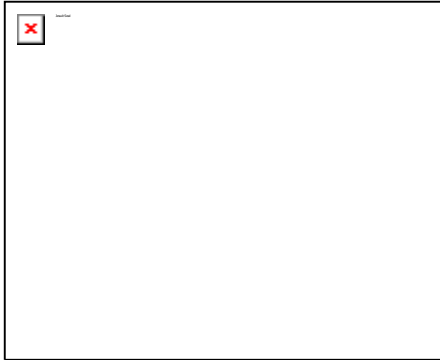


**2008-2009 JESUIT LITURGICAL CALENDAR
THE ORDER (*ORDO*) OF CELEBRATION
FOR THE EUCHARIST
AND THE LITURGY OF THE HOURS
FOR MEMBERS OF
THE UNITED STATES ASSISTANCY
OF THE SOCIETY OF JESUS**

2008-2009



CYCLE B

YEAR I

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and PostGreSQL Database of the *Ordo*

Ad Majorem Dei Gloriam

EDITING OF THIS ELECTRONIC ORDO

This electronic document is a *first attempt* to provide a perpetual on-line equivalent to the traditional printed *Ordo*. Any computer program only does what it is told to do -- mistakes that exist are result of the human error of the programmer. It is available on-line at <http://math.scu.edu/~dsmolars/ordo>

Downloadable abbreviated Ordos for MS Word format or for Palm Pilots and other PDAs are accessible via <http://math.scu.edu/~dsmolars/sjordo.html>

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NOVEMBER

Nov 30 Sunday

*New Liturgical Year Begins with the First Sunday of Advent.
New Sunday Cycle for Readings.
Starting today, the Sunday cycle is Year B.*

violet

First Sunday of Advent

Mass of the Sunday; the *Gloria* is omitted; Creed. Preface of Advent II. Ritual and funeral Masses are prohibited.

[2] Isa 63:16b-17, 19b; 64:2-7; Ps 80:2-3,15-16,18-19; 1 Cor 1:3-9; Mark 13:33-37.

Hours of the Sunday; *Te Deum*

Week 1 of the Psalter.

DECEMBER

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Dec 1 Monday

red

Ss Edmund Campion, Robert Southwell, priests, and comp., martyrs [SJ]

Outside SJ churches, Mass of the occurring season.

Memorial

Mass of the memorial; preface of Advent I or of the saint.

[175] Isa 2:1-5 (or Isa 4:2-6 in Year A); Ps 122:1-2, 3-4ab, 4cd-5, 6-7, 8-9; Matt 8:5-11.

Hours of the saint.

SJ

Texts in the *Jesuit Supplement*.

Dec 2 Tuesday

violet

Tuesday of the first week in Advent.

Mass of the day. Preface of Advent I

[176] Isa 11:1-10; Ps 72:1-2, 7-8, 12-13, 17; Luke 10:21-24.

Hours of the day.

Dec 3 Wednesday

white

St Francis Xavier, priest [SJ]

Outside SJ churches, memorial; weekday readings.

Feast

Mass of the feast; *Gloria*, preface of the feast.

[SJ-Lect] Zeph 3:9-10, 14-18a; Ps 86:1-2, 3-4, 5-6; Mt 28:16-20.

Hours of the feast; *Te Deum*

SJ

Texts in the *Jesuit Supplement*.

Dec 4 Thursday

violet

Thursday of the first week in Advent.

Mass of the day. Preface of Advent I

[178] Isa 26:1-6; Ps 118:1+8-9, 19-21, 25-27a; Matt 7:21, 24-27.

Hours of the day.

white

St John of Damascus, priest and doctor

Optional

Dec 5 Friday

violet

Friday of the first week in Advent.

Mass of the day. Preface of Advent I

[179] Isa 29:17-24; Ps 27:1, 4, 13-14; Matt 9:27-31.

Hours of the day.

Dec 6 Saturday

violet

Saturday of the first week in Advent.

Mass of the day. Preface of Advent I

[180] Isa 30:19-21, 23-26; Ps 147:1-2, 3-4, 5-6; Matt 9:35-10:1, 6-8.

Hours of the day.

white

St Nicholas, bishop

Optional

Dec 7 Sunday

violet

Second Sunday of Advent

Mass of the Sunday; the *Gloria* is omitted; Creed. Preface of Advent I. Ritual and funeral

Masses are prohibited.

[5] Isa 40:1-5, 9-11; Ps 85:9-10, 11-12, 13-14; 2 Pet 3:8-14; Mark 1:1-8.

Hours of the Sunday; *Te Deum*

Week 2 of the Psalter.

Dec 8 Monday

white

IMMACULATE CONCEPTION OF B.V. MARY

(Patroness of the United States)

Holy Day of Obligation. In years this feast is transferred to Monday, Dec 9, the obligation is not transferred. Solemnity

Mass of the solemnity; *Gloria*, Creed, preface of the solemnity.

[689] Gen 3:9-15, 20; Ps 98:1, 2-3ab, 3bc-4; Eph 1:3-6, 11-12; Luke 1:26-38.

Hours of the solemnity; *Te Deum*

Dec 9 Tuesday

violet

Tuesday of the second week in Advent.

Mass of the day. Preface of Advent I

[182] Isa 40:1-11; Ps 96:1-2, 3+10ac, 11-12, 13; Matt 18:12-14.

Hours of the day.

white

St Juan Diego Cuatlatlatoatzin, hermit [post RM 2002]

Optional

Dec 10 Wednesday

violet

Wednesday of the second week in Advent.

Mass of the day. Preface of Advent I

[183] Isa 40:25-31; Ps 103:1-2, 3-4, 8+10; Matt 11:28-30.

Hours of the day.

Dec 11 Thursday

violet

Thursday of the second week in Advent.

Mass of the day. Preface of Advent I

[184] Isa 41:13-20; Ps 145:1+9, 10-11, 12-13ab; Matt 11:11-15.

Hours of the day.

white

St Damasus I, pope

Optional

Dec 12 Friday

white

Our Lady of Guadalupe [USA-feast]

Feast

Mass of the feast; *Gloria*, preface of the feast.

[690A] Zech 2:14-17 or Rev 11:19a; 12:1-6a, 10ab or alt.; Jud 13:18bcde, 19; Lk 1:26-38.

Hours of the feast; *Te Deum*

Dec 13 Saturday

red

St Lucy, virgin and martyr

Memorial

Mass of the memorial; preface of Advent I or of the saint.

[186] Sir 48:1-4, 9-11; Ps 80:2ac+3b, 15-16, 18-19; Matt 17:9a, 10-13.

Hours of the saint.

Dec 14 Sunday

violet

Third Sunday of Advent

or rose

Gaudete Sunday

Mass of the Sunday; the *Gloria* is omitted; Creed. Preface of Advent I. Ritual and funeral

Masses are prohibited.

[8] Isa 61:1-2a, 10-11; Luke 1:46-48, 49-50, 53-54; 1 Thess 5:16-24; John 1:6-8, 19-28.
Hours of the Sunday; *Te Deum*

Week 3 of the Psalter.

Organ may be played solo; flowers may decorate the altar today. (PS 25, 2002 GIRM 305, 313).

Dec 15 Monday

violet

Monday of the third week in Advent.

Mass of the day. Preface of Advent I

[187] Num 24:2-7, 15-17a; Ps 25:4bc-5ab, 6+7bc, 8-9; Matt 21:23-27.

Hours of the day.

Dec 16 Tuesday

violet

Tuesday of the third week in Advent.

Mass of the day. Preface of Advent I

[188] Zeph 3:1-2, 9-13; Ps 34:2-3, 6-8, 17-18, 19+23; Matt 21:28-32.

Hours of the day.

Dec 17 Wednesday

violet

17 December.

Mass of 17 December; preface of Advent II

[193] Gen 49:2, 8-10; Ps 72:1-2, 3-4ab, 7-8, 17; Matt 1:1-17.

Hours of 17 December

The "Christmas Novena" begins today. Special texts in Mass & Office, including the "O Antiphons" at Evening Prayer and as the Alleluia Verse at Mass.

Dec 18 Thursday

violet

18 December.

Mass of 18 December; preface of Advent II

[194] Jer 23:5-8; Ps 72:1-2, 12-13, 18-19; Matt 1:18-25.

Hours of 18 December

Dec 19 Friday

violet

19 December.

Mass of 19 December; preface of Advent II

[195] Judg 13:2-7, 24-25a; Ps 71:3-4a, 5-6ab, 16-17; Luke 1:5-25.

Hours of 19 December

Dec 20 Saturday

violet

20 December.

Mass of 20 December; preface of Advent II

[196] Isa 7:10-14; Ps 24:1-2, 3-4ab, 5-6; Luke 1:26-38.

Hours of 20 December

Dec 21 Sunday

violet

Fourth Sunday of Advent

Mass of the Sunday; the *Gloria* is omitted; Creed. Preface of Advent II. Ritual and funeral

Masses are prohibited.

[11] 2 Sam 7:1-5, 8b-12, 14a, 16; Ps 89:2-3, 4-5, 27+29; Rom 16:25-27; Luke 1:26-38.

Hours of the Sunday; *Te Deum*

Week 4 of the Psalter.

Dec 22 Monday

violet

22 December.

Mass of 22 December; preface of Advent II

[198] 1 Sam 1:24-28; 1 Sam 2:1, 4-5, 6-7, 8abcd; Luke 1:46-56.

Hours of 22 December

Dec 23 Tuesday

violet

23 December.

Mass of 23 December; preface of Advent II

[199] Mal 3:1-4, 23-24; Ps 25:4-5ab, 8-9, 10+14; Luke 1:57-66.

Hours of 23 December

white

St John of Kanty, priest

Optional

Dec 24 Wednesday

violet

24 December.

Mass of 24 December; preface of Advent II

[200] 2 Sam 7:1-5, 8b-11, 14a, 16; Ps 89:2-3, 4-5, 27+29; Luke 1:67-79.

Hours of 24 December

Evening Prayer I and Vigil Mass of Christmas.

Night Prayer is said only by those not attending Office of Readings and Midnight Mass.

CHRISTMAS SEASON**Dec 25 Thursday**

white

CHRISTMAS DAY,**THE NATIVITY OF THE LORD**

Holy Day of Obligation Solemnity

Holy Day of Obligation

For pastoral reasons, the texts of the Midnight Mass may be used at the Vigil. Priests may celebrate or concelebrate three Masses as long as they are celebrated at the proper times (2002 GIRM 204c).

Mass of the Vigil, Midnight, Dawn or Day Mass; *Gloria*, Creed

Readings:

Vigil Mass: [13] Is 62:1-5; Ps 89:4-5,16-17,27,29; Ac13:16-17, 22-25; Mt1:1-25 or Mt 1: 18-25

Midnight Mass: [14] Is 9: 1-7 Ps 96: 1-3, 11-13 Tit 2: 11-14 Lk 2: 1-14

Dawn Mass: [15] Is 62: 11-12 Ps 97: 1, 6, 11-12 Tit 3:4-7 Lk 2: 15-20

Mass During the Day: [16] Is 52: 7-10 Ps 98: 1-6 Heb 1: 1-6 Jn 1: 1-18

All genuflect in the creed at "...and was made man."

Christmas Preface I - III

Special *Communicantes* in Roman Canon (throughout octave.)Hours of Christmas; *Te Deum*.

Before Mass at midnight on Christmas it is appropriate that the Office of Readings be celebrated as a vigil. (GILH, n. 215) At the conclusion of this celebration, the Martyrology (Proclamation of the Birth of Christ) may be sung. See the text provided in the U.S. *Sacramentary Supplement*.

Dec 26 Friday

red

St Stephen, protomartyr

Feast

Mass of the feast; *Gloria*.

Christmas Preface I - III

Special *Communicantes* in Roman Canon.Morning hours of the feast; *Te Deum*; Evening Prayer of Octave of Christmas.

[696] Acts 6:8-10; 7:54-59; Ps 31:3cd-4, 6ab+8ab, 16bc+17; Matt 10:17-22.

Dec 27 Saturday

white

St John, apostle and evangelist

Feast

Mass of the feast; *Gloria*.

Christmas Preface I - III

Special *Communicantes* in Roman Canon.Morning hours of the feast; *Te Deum*; Evening Prayer of Octave of Christmas.

[697] 1 John 1:1-4; Ps 97:1-2, 5-6, 11-12; John 20:2-8.

Dec 28 Sunday

white **HOLY FAMILY OF JESUS, MARY AND JOSEPH**
Mass of the feast; *Gloria*, Creed. Christmas Preface I - III. Special *Communicantes* in Roman Canon.

Feast

[17] Sir 3:2-6, 12-14 or (Year B) Gen 15:1-6; 21:1-3; Ps 128:1-2, 3, 4-5 or (Year B) Ps 105:1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 8-9; Col 3:12-21 (3:12-17) or (Year B) Heb 1:8, 11-12, 17-19; Luke 2:22-40 or 2:22, 39-40.
Hours of the feast. *Te Deum*.

Dec 29 Monday

white

Fifth day in the Octave of Christmas

Mass of the day; *Gloria*; preface of Christmas I - III; Special *Communicantes* in Roman Canon.

[202] 1 John 2:3-11; Ps 96:1-2a, 2b-3, 5b-6; Luke 2:22-35.

Hours of the day. *Te Deum*.

red

St Thomas Becket, bishop and martyr

Optional

Dec 30 Tuesday

white

Sixth day in the Octave of Christmas

Mass of the day; *Gloria*; preface of Christmas I - III; Special *Communicantes* in Roman Canon.

[203] 1 John 2:12-17; Ps 96:7-8a, 8b-9, 10; Luke 2:36-40.

Hours of the day. *Te Deum*.

Dec 31 Wednesday

white

Seventh day in the Octave of Christmas

Mass of the day; *Gloria*; preface of Christmas I - III; Special *Communicantes* in Roman Canon.

[204] 1 John 2:18-21; Ps 96:1-2, 11-12, 13; John 1:1-18.

Hours of the day. *Te Deum*.

white

St Sylvester I, pope

Optional

2009

JANUARY

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Jan 1 Thursday

Beginning of a new calendar year.

Weekday Lectionary Cycle for Ordinary Time is 1.

Use (U.S.) Weekday Lectionary Vol II.

white

Octave Day of Christmas

SOLEMNITY OF MARY, MOTHER OF GOD AND THE GIVING OF THE NAME OF JESUS

(titular feast of the Society of Jesus) [SJ]

Holy Day of Obligation except when Jan 1 occurs on a Monday or Saturday or in Hawai'i or in the ecclesiastical province of Los Angeles (central and southern California). Solemnity

Mass of the Solemnity; *Gloria*, Creed, Preface of the Solemnity

[18] Num 6: 22-27; Ps 67: 2-3, 5, 6, 8; Gal 4: 4-7; Lk 2: 16-21.

Hours of the Solemnity; *Te Deum*

SJ

Texts in the *Jesuit Supplement*

SJ NOTE:
Society.

Monthly Mass for the needs of the Church and the Society should be offered on Jan 1, Titular Feast of the

GEN NOTE: In the 4 vol. *Lit. of the Hours* commonly used in the U.S., the days following Jan 1 (until the Epiphany) are incorrectly labeled (Vol 1, p 502 ff.). "Monday" should read "Jan 2," "Tuesday" should read "Jan 3," etc.

On weekdays between Jan 1 and Epiphany, week 1 of the Psalter.

Jan 2 Friday

white

Ss Basil the Great and Gregory Nazianzen, bishops and doctors
Memorial

Mass of the memorial; preface of Christmas I - III, or of the memorial.

[205] 1 John 2:22-28; Ps 98:1, 2-3ab, 3cd-4; John 1:19-28.

Hours of the memorial.

Prop. Ants. Bened. & Magn.

Jan 3 Saturday

white

Saturday before Epiphany

Mass of the day; Preface of Christmas I - III

[206] 1 John 2:29-3:6; Ps 98:1, 3cd-4, 5-6; John 1:29-34.

Hours of the day

white

Most Holy Name of Jesus [2002 RM]

Optional

*[RM 2002] (In SJ, cf. Titular Feast on Jan 1)***Jan 4 Sunday**

white

Epiphany of the Lord**Solemnity**Mass of the Solemnity; *Gloria*, Creed.

[20] Is 60:1-6; Ps 72:1-2, 7-8, 10-11, 12-13; Eph 3:2-3, 5-6; Matt 2:1-12.

The *Solemn Proclamation of the Date of Easter* and the other major dates is encouraged(DPPL, n. 118). It is read by the deacon or cantor immediately after the Gospel or after the Prayer after Communion.
See Appendix I for U.S. text.Preface of Epiphany; EuchPr I *Communicantes*.Hours of the Solemnity. *Te Deum*.

On weekdays between Epiphany and Baptism, week 2 of the Psalter.

Jan 5 Monday

white

St John Neumann, bishop [USA]

Memorial

Mass of the memorial; preface of Christmas I - III or of Epiphany, or of the saint.

[212] 1 John 3:22-4:6; Ps 2:7bc-8, 10-12a; Matt 4:12-17, 23-25.

Hours of the memorial.

Jan 6 Tuesday

white

Tuesday after Epiphany

Mass of the day; Preface of Christmas I - III or of Epiphany

[213] 1 John 4:7-10; Ps 72:1-2, 3-4ab, 7-8; Mark 6:34-44.

Hours of the day

white

Bl André Bessette, religious [USA]

Optional

Jan 7 Wednesday

white

St Raymond of Penyafort, priest

Memorial

Mass of the memorial; preface of Christmas I - III or of Epiphany, or of the saint.

[214] 1 John 4:11-18; Ps 72:1-2, 10, 12-13; Mark 6:45-52.

Hours of the memorial.

Jan 8 Thursday

white

Thursday after Epiphany

Mass of the day; Preface of Christmas I - III or of Epiphany

[215] 1 John 4:19-5:4; Ps 72:1-2, 14+15bc, 17; Luke 4:14-22a.

Hours of the day

Jan 9 Friday

white

Friday after Epiphany

Mass of the day; Preface of Christmas I - III or of Epiphany

[216] 1 John 5:5-13; Ps 147:12-13, 14-15, 19-20; Luke 5:12-16.

Hours of the day

Jan 10 Saturday

white

Saturday after Epiphany

Mass of the day; Preface of Christmas I - III or of Epiphany

[217] 1 John 5:14-21; Ps 149:1-2, 3-4, 5+6a+9b; John 3:22-30.

Hours of the day

white / green

Saturday Memorial of the Blessed Virgin Mary

*Optional***Jan 11 Sunday**

white

Baptism of the Lord**Feast**Mass of the Feast; *Gloria*, Creed. Preface of the Baptism of the Lord.

10:34-38a or (Year B) 1 [21] Is 42:1-4, 6-7a or (Year B) Is 55: 1-11; Ps 29:1-2, 3-4, 3b+9b-10a or (Year B) Is 12: 2-6; Acts Jn 5: 1-9; Mark 1:7-11.

Hours of the feast. *Te Deum*.

Ordinary Time begins.

Week 1 of the Psalter.

Jan 12 Monday

green

Monday of the first week.Mass *ad lib*.

[305] Heb 1:1-6; Ps 97:1-2, 6-7, 9; Mark 1:14-20.

Hours of the day.

Jan 13 Tuesday

green

Tuesday of the first week.Mass *ad lib*.

[306] Heb 2:5-12; Ps 8:2, 5, 6-7, 8-9; Mark 1:21-28.

Hours of the day.

white

*St Hilary, bishop and doctor**Optional***Jan 14 Wednesday**

green

Wednesday of the first week.Mass *ad lib*.

[307] Heb 2:14-18; Ps 105:1-2, 3-4, 6-7, 8-9; Mark 1:29-39.

Hours of the day.

Jan 15 Thursday

green

Thursday of the first week.Mass *ad lib*.

[308] Heb 3:7-14; Ps 95:6-7, 8-9, 10-11; Mark 1:40-45.

Hours of the day.

Jan 16 Friday

green

Friday of the first week.Mass *ad lib*.

[309] Heb 4:1-5, 11; Ps 78:3, 4, 6-7, 8; Mark 2:1-12.

Hours of the day.

Jan 17 Saturday

white

St Anthony, abbot**Memorial**

Mass of the saint; preface of the weekday, or of the saint.

[310] Heb 4:12-16; Ps 19:8, 9 10, 15; Mark 2:13-17.

Hours of the memorial.

Church Unity Octave begins tomorrow (week before Conversion of St Paul).**Jan 18 Sunday**

green

Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

Mass of the Sunday; *Gloria*, Creed, Pref. of Sunday.
[65] 1 Sam 3:3b-10, 19; Ps 40:2+4, 7-8a, 8b-9, 10; 1 Cor 6:13c-15a, 17-20; John 1:35-42.
Hours of the Sunday. *Te Deum*.

Week 2 of the Psalter.

Jan 19 Monday

green

Monday of the second week.

Mass *ad lib*.

[311] Heb 5:1-10; Ps 110:1, 2, 3, 4; Mark 2:18-22.

Hours of the day.

red

European Martyrs of the Society of Jesus (Bl James Sales, pr, William Saultemouche, rel, Ignatius de Azevedo, pr and comp., James Bonnaud, pr and comp., Joseph Imbert, John Cordier, prs. martyrs)
[SJ]

Texts in the Jesuit Supplement.

Optional

Martin Luther King Day (USA)--Civil Holiday. Intercessions for Racial Harmony are appropriate.

Jan 20 Tuesday

green

Tuesday of the second week.

Mass *ad lib*.

[312] Heb 6:10-20; Ps 111:1-2, 4-5, 9-10; Mark 2:23-28.

Hours of the day.

red

St Fabian, pope and martyr

Optional

red

St Sebastian, martyr

Optional

Jan 21 Wednesday

red

St Agnes, virgin and martyr

Memorial

Mass of the saint; preface of the weekday, or of the saint.

[313] Heb 7:1-3, 15-17; Ps 110:1, 2, 3, 4; Mark 3:1-6.

Hours of the memorial.

Var. Prop. Texts for Hours

Jan 22 Thursday

green

Thursday of the second week.

Mass *ad lib*.

[314] Heb 7:25-8:6; Ps 40:7-8, 8-9, 10, 17; Mark 3:7-12.

Hours of the day.

violet

(Day of Penance for Violations against Human Life) [USA] Optional

(Recommended Mass: "For Peace and Justice," No. 22 in "Masses for Various Needs and Occasions"; celebrated on Jan 23 if Jan 22 occurs on Sunday.)

red

St Vincent, deacon and martyr

Optional

Jan 23 Friday

green

Friday of the second week.

Mass *ad lib*.

[315] Heb 8:6-13; Ps 85:8, 10, 11-12, 13-14; Mark 3:13-19.

Hours of the day.

Jan 24 Saturday

white

St Francis de Sales, bishop and doctor

Memorial

Mass of the saint; preface of the weekday, or of the saint.

[316] Heb 9:2-3, 11-14; Ps 47:2-3, 6-7, 8-9; Mark 3:20-21.

Hours of the memorial.

Jan 25 Sunday

green

Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

Mass of the Sunday; *Gloria*, Creed, Pref. of Sunday.

[68] Jon 3:1-5, 10; Ps 25:4-5, 6-7, 8-9; 1 Cor 7:29-31; Mark 1:14-20.

Hours of the Sunday. *Te Deum*.

Week 3 of the Psalter.

Jan 26 Monday

white

Ss Timothy and Titus, bishops

Memorial

Mass of the saint; preface of the weekday, or of the saint.

[520] 2 Tim 1: 1-8, or Tit 1: 1-5 (1st reading proper); Ps 95: 1-2a, 2b-3, 7, 8a, 10; Lk 10:1-9.

Seasonal weekday readings:

[317] Heb 9:15, 24-28; Ps 98:1, 2-3ab, 3cd-4, 5-6; Mark 3:22-30.

Hours of the memorial.

Prop. Ants. Bened. & Magn.

Jan 27 Tuesday

green

Tuesday of the third week.

Mass *ad lib*.

[318] Heb 10:1-10; Ps 40:2+4ab, 7-8a, 10, 11; Mark 3:31-35.

Hours of the day.

white

St Angela Merici, virgin

Optional

Jan 28 Wednesday

white

St. Thomas Aquinas, priest and Doctor of the Church

Memorial

Mass of the saint; preface of the weekday, or of the saint.

[319] Heb 10:11-18; Ps 110:1,2,3,4; Mark 4:1-20.

Hours of the memorial.

Prop. Ants. Bened. & Magn.

Jan 29 Thursday

green

Thursday of the third week.

Mass *ad lib*.

[320] Heb 10:19-25; Ps 24:1-2, 3-4ab, 5-6; Mark 4:21-25.

Hours of the day.

Jan 30 Friday

green

Friday of the third week.

Mass *ad lib*.

[321] Heb 10:32-39; Ps 37:3-4, 5-6, 23-24, 39-40; Mark 4:26-34.

Hours of the day.

Jan 31 Saturday

white

St John Bosco, priest

Memorial

Mass of the saint; preface of the weekday, or of the saint.

[322] Heb 11:1-2, 8-19; Luke 1:69-70, 71-72, 73-75; Mark 4:35-41.

Hours of the memorial.

FEBRUARY

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Feb 1 Sunday

green

Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Mass of the Sunday; *Gloria*, Creed, Pref. of Sunday.

[71] Deut 18:15-20; Ps 95:1-2, 6-7a, 7b-9; 1 Cor 7:32-35; Mark 1:21-28.

Hours of the Sunday. *Te Deum*.

Week 4 of the Psalter.

Feb 2 Monday

white

The Presentation of the Lord

Feast

Mass of the feast; *Gloria*, preface of the feast.

[524] Mal 3:1-4; Ps 24: 7-10; Heb 2: 14-18; Lk 2: 22-40 or Lk 2: 22-32.

Hours of the feast; *Te Deum*The blessing and distribution of candles takes place as indicated in the *Roman**Missal.***Feb 3 Tuesday**

green

Tuesday of the fourth week.Mass *ad lib.*

[324] Heb 12:1-4; Ps 22:26-27, 28, 30, 31-32; Mark 5:21-43.

Hours of the day.

white

*St Ansgar, bishop**Optional*

red

*St Blase, bishop and martyr**Optional***Feb 4 Wednesday**

red

Jesuit Martyrs of the Missions (St. John de Brito, pr; Bl. Rudolf Acquaviva, pr and comp.; Francis Pacheco, Charles Spinola, pr and comp.; James Berthieu, pr., martyrs) [SJ]

Memorial

Mass of the saint; preface of the weekday, or of the saint.

[325] Heb 12:4-7, 11-15; Ps 103:1-2, 13-14, 17-18; Mark 6:1-6.

Hours of the memorial.

SJ

Texts in the *Jesuit Supplement***Feb 5 Thursday**

red

St Agatha, virgin and martyr

Memorial

Mass of the saint; preface of the weekday, or of the saint.

[326] Heb 12:18-19, 21-24; Ps 48:2-3ab, 3cd-4, 9, 10-11; Mark 6:7-13.

Hours of the memorial.

Prop. Ants. Bened. & Magn.

Feb 6 Friday

red

[SJ]**Ss Paul Miki, [John Soan, James Kisai, religious] and companions, martyrs**

Memorial

Mass of the saint; preface of the weekday, or of the saint.

[327] Heb 13:1-8; Ps 27:1, 3, 5, 8b-9abc; Mark 6:14-29.

Hours of the memorial.

SJ

Texts in the *Jesuit Supplement***Feb 7 Saturday**

green

Saturday of the fourth week.Mass *ad lib.*

[328] Heb 13:15-17, 20-21; Ps 23:1-3a, 3b-4, 5, 6; Mark 6:30-34.

Hours of the day.

white / green

Saturday Memorial of the Blessed Virgin Mary

*Optional***Feb 8 Sunday**

green

Fifth Sunday in Ordinary TimeMass of the Sunday; *Gloria*, Creed, Pref. of Sunday.

[74] Job 7:1-4, 6-7; Ps 147:1-2, 3-4, 5-6; 1 Cor 9:16-19, 22-23; Mark 1:29-39.

Hours of the Sunday. *Te Deum.*

Week 1 of the Psalter.

Feb 9 Monday

green

Monday of the fifth week.

Mass *ad lib.*
[329] Gen 1:1-19; Ps 104:1-2a, 5-6, 10+12, 24+35c; Mark 6:53-56.
Hours of the day.

Feb 10 Tuesday

white

St Scholastica, virgin Memorial

Mass of the saint; preface of the weekday, or of the saint.

[330] Gen 1:20-2:4a; Ps 8:4-5, 6-7, 8-9; Mark 7:1-13.

Hours of the memorial.

Prop. Ant. Bened.

Feb 11 Wednesday

green

Wednesday of the fifth week.

Mass *ad lib.*

[331] Gen 2:4b-9, 15-17; Ps 104:1-2a, 27-28, 29bc-30; Mark 7:14-23.

Hours of the day.

white

Our Lady of Lourdes

World Day of Prayer for the Sick

Optional

Feb 12 Thursday

green

Thursday of the fifth week.

Mass *ad lib.*

[332] Gen 2:18-25; Ps 128:1-2, 3, 4-5; Mark 7:24-30.

Hours of the day.

Feb 13 Friday

green

Friday of the fifth week.

Mass *ad lib.*

[333] Gen 3:1-8; Ps 32:1-2, 5, 6, 7; Mark 7:31-37.

Hours of the day.

Feb 14 Saturday

white

Ss Cyril, monk, and Methodius, bishop Memorial

Mass of the saint; preface of the weekday, or of the saint.

[334] Gen 3:9-24; Ps 90:2, 3-4abc, 5-6, 12-13; Mark 8:1-10.

Hours of the memorial.

Prop. Ants. Bened. & Magn.

Feb 15 Sunday

green

Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Mass of the Sunday; *Gloria*, Creed, Pref. of Sunday.

[77] Lev 13:1-2, 44-46; Ps 32:1-2, 5, 11; 1 Cor 10:31-11:1; Mark 1:40-45.

Hours of the Sunday. *Te Deum.*

Week 2 of the Psalter.

Feb 16 Monday

green

Monday of the sixth week.

Mass *ad lib.*

[335] Gen 4:1-15, 25; Ps 50:1, 8, 16-17, 20-21; Mark 8:11-13.

Hours of the day.

Presidents Day (USA)--Civil Holiday. Intercessions for Civil Leaders are appropriate.

Feb 17 Tuesday

green

Tuesday of the sixth week.

Mass *ad lib.*

[336] Gen 6:5-8; 7:1-5, 10; Ps 29:1-2, 3-4, 3, 9-10; Mark 8:14-21.

Hours of the day.

white *Seven Founders of the Order of Servites* *Optional*

Feb 18 Wednesday

green **Wednesday of the sixth week.**
Mass *ad lib.*
[337] Gen 8:6-13, 20-22; Ps 116:12-13, 14-15, 18-19; Mark 8:22-26.
Hours of the day.

Feb 19 Thursday

green **Thursday of the sixth week.**
Mass *ad lib.*
[338] Gen 9:1-13; Ps 102:16-18, 19-21, 29, 22-23; Mark 8:27-33.
Hours of the day.

Feb 20 Friday

green **Friday of the sixth week.**
Mass *ad lib.*
[339] Gen 11:1-9; Ps 33:10-11, 12-13, 14-15; Mark 8:34-9:1.
Hours of the day.

Feb 21 Saturday

green **Saturday of the sixth week.**
Mass *ad lib.*
[340] Heb 11:1-7; Ps 145:2-3, 4-5, 10-11; Mark 9:2-13.
Hours of the day.

white *St Peter Damian, bishop and doctor* *Optional*
white / green Saturday Memorial of the Blessed Virgin Mary *Optional*

Feb 22 Sunday

green **Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time**
Mass of the Sunday; *Gloria*, Creed, Pref. of Sunday.
[80] Isa 43:18-19, 21-22, 24b-25; Ps 41:2-3, 4-5, 13-14; 2 Cor 1:18-22; Mark 2:1-12.
Hours of the Sunday. *Te Deum.*

Week 3 of the Psalter.

Feb 23 Monday

red **St Polycarp, bishop and martyr** Memorial
Mass of the saint; preface of the weekday, or of the saint.
[341] Sir 1:1-10; Ps 93:1, 1ab, 1cd-2, 5; Mark 9:14-29.
Hours of the memorial.
Prop. Ants. Bened. & Magn.

Feb 24 Tuesday

green **Tuesday of the seventh week.**
Mass *ad lib.*
[342] Sir 2:1-11; Ps 37:3-4, 18-19, 27-28, 39-40; Mark 9:30-37.
Hours of the day.

SEASON OF LENT

N.B. Penitential practices during Lent:

- According to Church Law, Ash Wednesday and Good Friday are observed as days of fast and abstinence (CIC 1251). In the United States, all the Fridays in Lent are days of abstinence. Abstinence is to be observed by all over the age of 14 (CIC 1252). Those between ages of 18 (CIC 97 #1) and 59 [inclusive] (CIC 1252) are bound by the law of fast.

- If it seems appropriate, on Ash Wednesday or on other days during Lent, some communal penitential celebration or "rite of reconciliation" may be held, whether sacramental or non-sacramental (according to the spirit of the *Rite of Penance*, nn.36 - 37). This celebration may not immediately precede or be incorporated into Mass.

On Ash Wednesday, after the sign of the cross and greeting, the Penitential Rite is omitted at Mass. In its place, the Blessing and Imposition of Ashes takes place in all Masses after the homily. If necessary, the Imposition of Ashes may take place apart from Mass within the Liturgy of the Word.

Feb 25 Wednesday

Ash Wednesday

Mass of Ash Wednesday; after the sign of the cross and greeting, the penitential rite is omitted.

Preface of Lent III or IV.

[219] Joel 2: 12-18; Ps 51:3-4, 5-6, 12-13, 14+17; 2 Cor 5:20-6:2; Matt 6:1-6, 16-18

Hours of Ash Wednesday; Psalter Week IV today and until Saturday.

Today at Morning Prayer, the psalms of Friday, Week III may be used.

The celebrant blesses and distributes ashes after the homily.

Other persons may be associated with the bishop or priest in the imposition of ashes, e.g., deacons, special ministers of communion and other lay persons, when there is true pastoral need.

Special ministers of communion and deacons may bring blessed ashes to the sick and those confined to their homes. If a minister is not available, a member of the family or another person may bring the blessed ashes to a shut-in, using one of the formulas in the Sacramentary to impose ashes.

Feb 26 Thursday

violet

Thursday after Ash Wednesday.

Mass of the day. Preface of Lent III - IV

[220] Deut 30:15-20; Ps 1:1-2, 3, 4+6; Luke 9:22-25.

Hours of the day.

Feb 27 Friday

violet

Friday after Ash Wednesday.

Mass of the day. Preface of Lent III - IV

[221] Isa 58:1-9a; Ps 51:3-4, 5-6ab, 18-19; Matt 9:14-15.

Hours of the day.

Feb 28 Saturday

violet

Saturday after Ash Wednesday.

Mass of the day. Preface of Lent III - IV

[222] Isa 58:9b-14; Ps 86:1-2, 3-4, 5-6; Luke 5:27-32.

Hours of the day.

MARCH

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Mar 1 Sunday

violet

First Sunday in Lent

Mass of the Sunday; creed, Preface of First Sunday or Lent I - II.

The beginning of the penitential season may be marked in some way, e.g. by Litany of Saints in Entrance Procession. (PS, 23)

Rite of Election (Enrolment of Names) for the catechumens.

[23] Gen 9:8-15; Ps 25:4-5, 6-7, 8-9; 1 Pet 3:18-22; Mark 1:12-15.

Hours of the Sunday.

Week 1 of the Psalter.

Mar 2 Monday

violet

Monday in the First Week of Lent

Mass of the day. Preface of Lent III - IV

[224] Lev 19:1-2, 11-18; Ps 19:8, 9, 10, 15; Matt 25:31-46.

Hours of the day.

Mar 3 Tuesday

violet

Tuesday in the First Week of Lent

Mass of the day. Preface of Lent III - IV

[225] Isa 55:10-11; Ps 34:4-5, 6-7, 16-17, 18-19; Matt 6:7-15.

Hours of the day.

St Katharine Drexel, virgin [USA]

Commemoration

Mar 4 Wednesday

violet

Wednesday in the First Week of Lent

Mass of the day. Preface of Lent III - IV

[226] Jonah 3:1-10; Ps 51:3-4, 12-13, 18-19; Luke 11:29-32.

Hours of the day.

St Casimir

Commemoration

Mar 5 Thursday

violet

Thursday in the First Week of Lent

Mass of the day. Preface of Lent III - IV

[227] Esth C:12, 14-16, 23-25; Ps 138:1-2ab, 2cde-3, 7c-8; Matt 7:7-12.

Hours of the day.

Mar 6 Friday

violet

Friday in the First Week of Lent

Mass of the day. Preface of Lent III - IV

[228] Ezek 18:21-28; Ps 130:1-2, 3-4, 5-7a, 7bc-8; Matt 5:20-26.

Hours of the day.

Mar 7 Saturday

violet

Saturday in the First Week of Lent

Mass of the day. Preface of Lent III - IV

[229] Deut 26:16-19; Ps 119:1-2, 4-5, 7-8; Matt 5:43-48.

Hours of the day.

Ss Perpetua and Felicity, martyrs

Commemoration

Mar 8 Sunday

violet

Second Sunday in Lent

Mass of the Sunday; creed, Preface of Second Sunday or Lent I - II.

[23] Gen 22:1-2, 9a, 10-13, 15-18; Ps 116:10+15, 16-17, 18-19; Rom 8:31b-34; Mark 9:2-10.

Hours of the Sunday.

Week 2 of the Psalter.

[Daylight Savings Time begins today \(turn clocks FORWARD one hour\).](#)**Mar 9 Monday**

violet

Monday in the Second Week of Lent

Mass of the day. Preface of Lent III - IV

[230] Dan 9:4b-10; Ps 79:8, 9, 11+13; Luke 6:36-38.

Hours of the day.

St Frances of Rome, religious

Commemoration

Mar 10 Tuesday

violet

Tuesday in the Second Week of Lent

Mass of the day. Preface of Lent III - IV
[231] Isa 1:10, 16-20; Ps 50:8-9, 16bc-17, 21+23; Matt 23:1-12.
Hours of the day.

Mar 11 Wednesday

violet

Wednesday in the Second Week of Lent

Mass of the day. Preface of Lent III - IV
[232] Jer 18:18-20; Ps 31:5-6, 14, 15-16; Matt 20:17-28.
Hours of the day.

Mar 12 Thursday

violet

Thursday in the Second Week of Lent

Mass of the day. Preface of Lent III - IV
[233] Jer 17:5-10; Ps 1:1-2, 3, 4+6; Luke 16:19-31.
Hours of the day.

SJ NOTE:

Monthly Mass for the needs of the Church and the Society should be offered on March 12, the anniversary of the canonization of Ss Ignatius and Francis Xavier.

Mar 13 Friday

violet

Friday in the Second Week of Lent

Mass of the day. Preface of Lent III - IV
[234] Gen 37:3-4, 12-13a, 17b-28a; Ps 105:16-17, 18-19, 20-21; Matt 21:33-43, 45-46.
Hours of the day.

Mar 14 Saturday

violet

Saturday in the Second Week of Lent

Mass of the day. Preface of Lent III - IV
[235] Mic 7:14-15, 18-20; Ps 103:1-2, 3-4, 9-10, 11-12; Luke 15:1-3, 11-32.
Hours of the day.

Mar 15 Sunday

violet

Third Sunday in Lent

Mass of the Sunday, or of the First Scrutiny; creed, Preface of Third Sunday (with Year "A" readings) or Lent I - II.

[29] Exod 20:1-17 or 20:1-3, 7-8, 12-17; Ps 19:8, 9, 10, 11; 1 Cor 1:22-25; John 2:13-25.

Alt. (from Year A) [28] Exod 17:3-7; Ps 95:1-2, 6-7, 8-9; Rom 5:1-2, 5-8; John 4:5-42 or 4:5-15, 19b-

26, 39a, 40-42.

In year B, during the week, Year A's gospel (Jn 4:5-32) may be used [1st R: Ex 17:1-7, Ps 95] Lect.

[236].

Hours of the Sunday.

Week 3 of the Psalter.

Mar 16 Monday

violet

Monday in the Third Week of Lent

Mass of the day. Preface of Lent III - IV
[237] 2 Kgs 5:1-15ab; Ps 42:2-3; 43:3-4; Luke 4:24-30.
Hours of the day.

Mar 17 Tuesday

violet

Tuesday in the Third Week of Lent

Mass of the day. Preface of Lent III - IV
[238] Dan 3:25, 34-43; Ps 25:4bc-5ab, 6+7bc, 8-9; Matt 18:21-35.
Hours of the day.

St Patrick, bishop

Commemoration

Mar 18 Wednesday

violet

Wednesday in the Third Week of Lent

Mass of the day. Preface of Lent III - IV
[239] Deut 4:1, 5-9; Ps 147:12-13, 15-16, 19-20; Matt 5:17-19.
Hours of the day.
Cyril of Jerusalem, bishop and doctor Commemoration

Mar 19 Thursday

white

ST JOSEPH, HUSBAND OF MARY Solemnity

Mass of the solemnity; *Gloria*, Creed; preface of the solemnity.
[543] 2 Sam 7:4-5a, 12-14a, 16; Ps 89:2-3, 4-5, 27+29; Rom 4:13, 16-18, 22; Matt 1:16, 18-21, 24a

or Luke 2:41-51a.

Other masses are prohibited, but the funeral mass is allowed.

Hours of the solemnity; *Te Deum*

Mar 20 Friday

violet

Friday in the Third Week of Lent

Mass of the day. Preface of Lent III - IV
[241] Hos 14:2-10; Ps 81:6c-8a, 8bc-9, 10-11ab, 14+17; Mark 12:28b-34.
Hours of the day.

Mar 21 Saturday

violet

Saturday in the Third Week of Lent

Mass of the day. Preface of Lent III - IV
[242] Hos 6:1-6; Ps 51:3-4, 18-19, 20-21ab; Luke 18:9-14.
Hours of the day.

Mar 22 Sunday

rose or violet

Fourth Sunday in Lent

***Laetare* Sunday**

Mass of the Sunday, or of the Second Scrutiny; creed, Preface of Fourth Sunday
(with Year "A" readings) or Lent I - II.

[32] 2Chr 36:14-17, 19-23; Ps 137:1-2, 3, 4-5, 6; Eph 2:4-10; John 3:14-21.

Alt. (from Year A) [31] 1 Sam 16:1b, 6-7, 10-13a; Ps 23:1-3a, 3b-4, 5, 6; Eph 5:8-14; John 9:1-41 or
9:1, 6-9, 13-17, 34-38.

In Year B, during the week, Year A's gospel (Jn 9:1-41) may be used [1st R: Mic 7:7-9; Ps 21] Lect.

[243].

Hours of the Sunday.

Week 4 of the Psalter.

Organ may be played *solo*; flowers may decorate the altar today. (PS 25, 2002 GIRM

305, 313.)

Mar 23 Monday

violet

Monday in the Fourth Week of Lent

Mass of the day. Preface of Lent III - IV
[244] Isa 65:17-21; Ps 30:2+4, 5-6, 11-12a+13b; John 4:43-54.
Hours of the day.

St Turibio de Mogrovejo, bishop Commemoration

Mar 24 Tuesday

violet

Tuesday in the Fourth Week of Lent

Mass of the day. Preface of Lent III - IV
[245] Ezek 47:1-9, 12; Ps 46:2-3, 5-6, 8-9; John 5:1-3a, 5-16.
Hours of the day.

Mar 25 Wednesday

white

ANNUNCIATION OF THE LORD

All genuflect during the creed at the words "... and became man."

Solemnity

Mass of the solemnity; *Gloria*, Creed; preface of the solemnity.

[545] Is 7: 10-14; 8:10; Ps 40: 7-8a, 8b-9, 10, 11; Heb 10: 4-10; Lk 1: 26-38.

Other masses are prohibited, but the funeral mass is allowed.

Hours of the solemnity; *Te Deum*

Mar 26 Thursday

violet

Thursday in the Fourth Week of Lent

Mass of the day. Preface of Lent III - IV

[247] Exod 32:7-14; Ps 106:19-20, 21-22, 23; John 5:31-47.

Hours of the day.

Mar 27 Friday

violet

Friday in the Fourth Week of Lent

Mass of the day. Preface of Lent III - IV

[248] Wis 2:1a, 12-22; Ps 34:17-18, 19-20, 21+23; John 7:1-2, 10, 25-30

Hours of the day.

Mar 28 Saturday

violet

Saturday in the Fourth Week of Lent

Mass of the day. Preface of Lent III - IV

[249] Jer 11:18-20; Ps 7:2-3, 9bc-10, 11-12; John 7:40-53.

Hours of the day.

Mar 29 Sunday

violet

Fifth Sunday in Lent.

Mass of the Sunday, or of the Third Scrutiny; creed, Preface of Fifth Sunday (with Year "A" readings) or Lent I - II.

[35] Jer 31:31-34; Ps 51:3-4, 12-13, 14-15; Heb 5:7-9; John 12:20-33.

Alt. (from Year A) [34] Ezek 37:12-14; Ps 130:1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 7-8; Rom 8:8-11; John 11:1-45 or 11:3-7, 17, 20-27, 33b-45.

In Year B, during the week, Year A's gospel (Jn 11:1-45) may be used [1st R: 2 Kgs 4:18b-21, 32-27; Ps 17] Lect. [250].

Hours of the Sunday.

Week 1 of the Psalter.

Mar 30 Monday

violet

Monday in the Fifth Week of Lent

Mass of the day. Preface of the Passion I

[251] Dan 13:1-9, 15-17, 19-30, 33-62 or 13:41c-62; Ps 23:1-3a, 3b-4, 5, 6; John 8:1-11 or 8:12-20.

Hours of the day.

Mar 31 Tuesday

violet

Tuesday in the Fifth Week of Lent

Mass of the day. Preface of the Passion I

[252] Num 21:4-9; Ps 102:2-3, 16-18, 19-21; John 8:21-30.

Hours of the day.

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Apr 1 Wednesday

violet

Wednesday in the Fifth Week of Lent

Mass of the day. Preface of the Passion I

[253] Dan 3:14-20, 91-92, 95; Dan 3:52, 53, 54, 55, 56; John 8:31-42.

Hours of the day.

Apr 2 Thursday

violet

Thursday in the Fifth Week of Lent

Mass of the day. Preface of the Passion I

[254] Gen 17:3-9; Ps 105:4-5, 6-7, 8-9; John 8:51-59.

Hours of the day.

St Francis of Paola, hermit

Commemoration

Apr 3 Friday

violet

Friday in the Fifth Week of Lent

Mass of the day. Preface of the Passion I

[255] Jer 20:10-13; Ps 18:2-3a, 3bc-4, 5-6, 7; John 10:31-42.

Hours of the day.

Apr 4 Saturday

violet

Saturday in the Fifth Week of Lent

Mass of the day. Preface of the Passion I

[256] Ezek 37:21-28; Jer 31:10, 11-12abcd, 13; John 11:45-57.

Hours of the day.

St Isidore, bishop and doctor

Commemoration

Apr 5 Sunday

red

Palm Sunday of the Lord's Passion.

Mass of Palm Sunday. Commemoration of Lord's Entrance into Jerusalem, Creed, Preface of Palm Sunday.

[38] Isa 50:4-7; Ps 22:8-9, 17-18, 19-20, 23-24; Phil 2:6-11; Mark 14:1-15:47 or 15:1-39.

At the procession: [37] Mk 11:1-10 or Jn 12:12-16.

Hours of Palm Sunday.

The Commemoration of the Lord's Entrance may take one of three forms, as described in the Missal: Blessing and Procession, Solemn Entrance, or Simple Entrance. The processional cross should be suitably decorated. The blessing of palms may not be celebrated without the following procession and Mass. The blessing and solemn entrance, but not the procession, may be celebrated at a second Mass if many of the faithful are present.

The Passion may be read by three deacons, or lay readers with the priest taking the part of Christ, without candles, incense, greeting, sign of the cross or acclamation. At the mention of the Lord's death, all pause and kneel. Where pastoral reasons require it, one or both of the readings before the Passion may be omitted. At the end of the Passion, *The Gospel of the Lord*, is said, but the book is not kissed. Blessed palms remaining are kept, to be burnt for next year's ashes.

Apr 6 Monday

violet

Monday in Holy Week

Mass of the day; Preface of the Passion II

[257] Is 42:1-7; Ps 27:1, 2, 3, 13-14; John 12:1-11.

Hours of the day

Apr 7 Tuesday

violet

Tuesday in Holy Week

Mass of the day; Preface of the Passion II

[258] Is 49:1-6; Ps 71:1-2, 3-4a, 5-6ab, 15+17; John 13:21-33, 36-38.

Hours of the day

Apr 8 Wednesday

violet

Wednesday in Holy Week

Mass of the day; Preface of the Passion II

[259] Is 50:4-9a; Ps 69:8-10, 21-22, 31+33-34; Matt 26:14-25.

Hours of the day

Apr 9 Thursday

violet

Thursday in Holy Week

The Chrism Mass may be celebrated in the morning, or on another day earlier this week. White vestments are worn. It is especially fitting that priests concelebrate with the bishop. Priests may communicate under both species, even if not concelebrating.

Apart from the Chrism Mass and the Mass of the Last Supper, all other Masses are prohibited, unless the Ordinary permits a second Mass, exclusively for those unable to participate in the Evening Mass. "According to the Church's ancient tradition, all Masses without a congregation are prohibited on this day" (Rubric, Holy Thursday, RM). Communion may be taken to the sick at any time, but otherwise may be distributed only during Mass. Funerals can only be celebrated without Mass.

Hours of the day. At Office of Readings, the psalms and antiphons of Friday, Week III, may be used.

EASTER TRIDUUM

1. The Easter Triduum of the passion and resurrection of Christ is the culmination of the entire liturgical year. (RC, n.18)
2. The Easter Triduum begins with the Mass of the Lord's Supper, reaches its high point in the Easter Vigil, and closes with Evening Prayer on Easter Sunday. (RC, n.19)
3. Religious communities and other smaller communities are encouraged to join with a larger community to celebrate the liturgical services in common (PS no. 43), with a full complement of ministers and with song, rather than schedule separate celebrations (cf. PS no. 93).
4. During these days it is desirable that brothers and sisters "who experience the mystery of suffering" should share in and be participants in the liturgical celebrations of the community, especially if they are in the hospital, "that they may be helped to know the meaning of this reality which they live in union with the paschal mystery of Christ."

Therefore, keeping in mind their varying conditions and different circumstances, everything should be so arranged that in the most suitable manner the sick may have the possibility of receiving Communion and, if possible, participating in the veneration of the Cross on Good Friday.

white

Holy Thursday (evening)

Mass of the Lord's Supper. *Gloria*, Creed, Preface of Eucharist I, special *Communicantes*, *Hanc igitur* and *Qui pridie* in Eucharistic Prayer I.

Readings:

[39] Exod 12:1-8, 11-14; Ps 116:12-13, 15-16, 17-18; 1 Cor 11:23-26; John 13:1-15

The tabernacle should be completely empty before the celebration. Enough hosts for the communion of the faithful for tonight and tomorrow should be consecrated during that celebration. For the reservation of the Blessed Sacrament, a place should be prepared and adorned. When the tabernacle is in a chapel separated from the central part of the church, it is appropriate to prepare the place of repose and adoration there. [PS 49] All priests may concelebrate the Mass, even if they have concelebrated the Chrism Mass in the morning. Bells may be rung during the *Gloria*, and are silent thereafter.

The *mandatum* - the washing of the feet - may take place after the homily.

Gifts for the poor, especially those collected during Lent as the fruit of penance, may be presented in the offertory procession while the people sing *Ubi caritas*. [PS 52]

After the Prayer After Communion, the greeting, blessing and dismissal are omitted.

The celebrant incenses the Blessed Sacrament three times, receives the humeral veil and the procession follows as in the Missal. The cross-bearer goes first, [PS 54], then the Blessed Sacrament accompanied by torches and incense.

The faithful are encouraged, after the Mass of the Lord's Supper, to spend a suitable period of time during the night in the church in adoration before the Blessed Sacrament that has been solemnly reserved. Solemn adoration ends at midnight; the Blessed Sacrament remains at the Place of Repose until the Liturgical Action of Good Friday.

After the celebration, the altar is stripped without ceremony and crosses are removed, if possible; otherwise they should be veiled.

Evening prayer is not celebrated by participants in the Mass of the Lord's Supper.

Apr 10 Friday

red

GOOD FRIDAY OF THE LORD'S PASSION

Day of fast and abstinence. Celebration of the Mass and the sacraments is strictly prohibited, except for Penance and Anointing of the Sick. Communion may be taken to the sick, but otherwise is not distributed outside today's Celebration of the Lord's Passion.

Hours of the day. The Office of Readings and Morning Prayer are recommended for public celebration in parishes.

Celebration of the Lord's Passion.

The celebration has three parts:

- I. Liturgy of the Word (readings, homily, intercessions)
- II. Veneration of the Cross
- III. Holy Communion.

The celebration begins about 3 p.m.

The altar is completely bare, without candles, cloth or cross. The ministers vest with red Mass vestments. They enter in silence and prostrate before the altar. This act of prostration, which is proper to the rite of the day, should be observed (whenever the ministers are physical able) for it signifies both the abasement of "earthly man," and also the grief and sorrow of the Church. As the ministers enter, the faithful should be standing, and thereafter should kneel in silent prayer. [PS 65]

The Passion is proclaimed as on Palm Sunday.

Readings:

[40] Isa 52:13-53:12 Ps 31:2+6, 12-13, 15-16, 17+25 Heb 4:14-16; 5:7-9 John 18:1-19:42

The Intercessions must follow "the form and wording" handed down by tradition, but the celebrant may make a selection of some more relevant to local conditions, provided the range of intentions is preserved. [PS 67]

The cross is presented to each of the faithful individually for their adoration, since the personal adoration of the cross is a most important feature in this celebration. Only if necessitated by the large numbers of faithful present may the rite of veneration be made simultaneously by all present. Only one cross should be used for the veneration. [PS 69]

The communion rite is as described in the Missal. There is no sign of peace.

After Holy Communion, the Blessed Sacrament is carried from the church by a priest or deacon wearing a humeral veil and accompanied by two candles. The Sacrament is reserved privately outside the church for the needs of the sick and dying.

The altar is stripped at a suitable time, but the cross remains with four candles, placed so that the faithful may venerate and kiss it and spend some time in meditation. [PS 71]

Evening Prayer is not said by participants in the afternoon liturgy. Night Prayer is said after the Celebration of the Lord's Passion at a suitable hour, with the special verse in place of the responsory.

Today after the Veneration of the Cross, all genuflect toward the cross when passing it.

Apr 11 Saturday

violet

HOLY SATURDAY

The Paschal Fast is observed if possible. [CR 20] Celebration of the Mass and the sacraments is strictly prohibited, except for Penance and Anointing of the Sick. Communion may be given only as viaticum.

Hours of the day. The Office of Readings and Morning Prayer in public is recommended.

Night Prayer is celebrated only by those not present at the Vigil.

Preparation for the Vigil includes: preparation of the bonfire; candles for all the faithful present; water for the liturgy of Baptism; flowers and decorations for the altar.

EASTER SEASON

white

The Easter Vigil.

The celebration should truly have the character of a *Vigil*. It must take place *at night*. It should not begin before nightfall and should end before dawn. To start earlier (e.g. at the customary time for a Sunday vigil Mass) is a "reprehensible abuse". [PS 78]

The Vigil has four parts:

- I. Service of Light : Bonfire, Procession with Candle, *Exsultet*.
- II. Liturgy of the Word : Readings, psalms, prayers, *Gloria*, homily.
- III. Liturgy of Baptism : Litany, Blessing of Water, Baptism and/or Confirmation, Renewal of Promises, Prayer of the

Faithful.

IV. Liturgy of the Eucharist : Preface of Easter I ("on this Easter night"), special Communicantes and Hanc igitur; double alleluia at dismissal.

This liturgical order must not be changed by anyone on his own initiative. [PS 81]

Wherever possible, all the readings should be read so that the character of the Easter Vigil, which demands that it be somewhat prolonged, be respected at all costs. Where pastoral conditions require that the number of readings be reduced, there should be at least three readings from the Old Testament, taken from the law and the prophets; and the reading from Exodus (ch. 14) with its canticle, must never be omitted.

The Readings [41]:

1. Gen 1:1-2:2 or 1:1, 26-31a with Ps 104:1-2, 5-6, 10+12, 13-14, 24+35 or Ps 33:4-5, 6-7, 12-13, 20-22
2. Gen 22:1-18 or 22:1-2, 9a,10-13, 15-18 with Ps 16:5+8, 9-10, 11
3. Exod 14:15-15:1 with Exod 15:1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 17-18 *This reading and psalm are obligatory.*
4. Isa 54:5-14 with Ps 30:2+4, 5-6, 11-12a+13b
5. Isa 55:1-11 with Isa 12:2-3, 4, 5-6
6. Bar 3:9-15, 32-4:4 with Ps 19:8, 9, 10, 11
7. Ezek 36:16-17a, 18-28 with Ps 42:3, 5; 43:3, 4 (when baptisms occur) or (when no baptisms) Isa 12:2-3, 4bcd, 5-6 or Ps 51:12-13, 14-15, 18-19
8. Epistle: Rom 6:3-11
9. Alleluia Psalm: Ps 118:1-2, 16-17, 22-23

Gospel: Mark 16:1-7

Bells are rung during the *Gloria*, and the altar candles lit.

The celebrant - or, in case of necessity, a cantor - intones the triple alleluia before the Gospel. The gospel is honored with incense, but candles are not carried.

For the texts of the rites of Baptism and Confirmation, see the *Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults*. The dismissal with double *alleluia* is used tonight and throughout the octave.

Apr 12 Sunday

Easter Sunday - the Pasch of the Lord Solemnity with Octave

Mass of the day, *Gloria*, Easter sequence, Renewal of Baptismal Promises (in place of Creed), Preface of Easter I ("on this Easter day") special *Communicantes* and *Hanc igitur*; double *alleluia* at dismissal.

Readings:

[42] Acts 10:34a, 37-43; Ps 118:1-2, 16-17, 22-23; Col 3:1-4 or 1 Cor 5:6b-8; John 20:1-9.

Alternative gospel (from the Vigil): [41] Mark 16:1-7

At an evening Mass, Luke 24: 13-35 (Lect. [46]) may be used.

Mass is to be celebrated on with great solemnity. In place of the Creed on this day, the renewal of baptismal promises takes place (as at the Vigil) and the people are sprinkled with water blessed at the Vigil, during which a song of baptismal character should be sung. The entrance stoups to the church should also be filled with the same water. [PS 97]

The Paschal Candle burns at all Hours and Masses today. It is kept in the sanctuary near the altar or ambo until Pentecost Sunday. [PS 99]

Hours of Easter Sunday.

The Easter Vigil takes the place of the Office of Readings.

Where it is the custom, the tradition of "Baptismal Vespers" with a procession to the font is to be diligently observed. (IGLH, 213) It is most appropriate to conclude Night Prayer throughout the Easter Season with the *Regina Coeli*.

After Night Prayer the paschal candle is extinguished. It remains by the ambo or altar, and is lit throughout the Easter season at Mass and at other celebrations until Pentecost inclusive. During the Octave, a Funeral Mass is permitted, but Ritual Masses (including Nuptial Masses) are prohibited, and all solemnities are delayed until after the Second Sunday of Easter.

Apr 13 Monday

Monday in the Octave of Easter

Mass of the Octave. *Gloria*, sequence optional, Preface of Easter I ("on this Easter day"); double *alleluia* at dismissal.

[261] Acts 2:14, 22-32; Ps 16:1-2a+5, 7-8, 9-10, 11; Matt 28:8-15.
Hours of the day; *Te Deum*, double *alleluia* at dismissal.

Apr 14 Tuesday

Tuesday in the Octave of Easter

Mass of the Octave. *Gloria*, sequence optional, Preface of Easter I ("on this Easter day"); double *alleluia* at dismissal.

[262] Acts 2:36-41; Ps 33:4-5, 18-19, 20+22; John 20:11-18.
Hours of the day; *Te Deum*, double *alleluia* at dismissal.

Apr 15 Wednesday

Wednesday in the Octave of Easter

Mass of the Octave. *Gloria*, sequence optional, Preface of Easter I ("on this Easter day"); double *alleluia* at dismissal.

[263] Acts 3:1-10; Ps 105:1-2, 3-4, 6-7, 8-9; Luke 24:13-35.
Hours of the day; *Te Deum*, double *alleluia* at dismissal.

Apr 16 Thursday

Thursday in the Octave of Easter

Mass of the Octave. *Gloria*, sequence optional, Preface of Easter I ("on this Easter day"); double *alleluia* at dismissal.

[264] Acts 3:11-26; Ps 8:2ab+5, 6-7, 8-9; Luke 24:35-48.
Hours of the day; *Te Deum*, double *alleluia* at dismissal.

Apr 17 Friday

Friday in the Octave of Easter

Mass of the Octave. *Gloria*, sequence optional, Preface of Easter I ("on this Easter day"); double *alleluia* at dismissal.

[265] Acts 4:1-12; Ps 118:1-2+4, 22-24, 25-27a; John 21:1-14.
Hours of the day; *Te Deum*, double *alleluia* at dismissal.

Apr 18 Saturday

Saturday in the Octave of Easter

Mass of the Octave. *Gloria*, sequence optional, Preface of Easter I ("on this Easter day"); double *alleluia* at dismissal.

[266] Acts 4:13-21; Ps 118:1+14-15ab, 16-18, 19-21; Mark 16:9-15.
Hours of the day; *Te Deum*, double *alleluia* at dismissal.

Apr 19 Sunday

Second Sunday of Easter (Divine Mercy Sunday) [Octave Day of Easter].

(Formerly known as *Dominica in Albis (Sunday in White)*, *Quasimodo Sunday* or *Low Sunday*.)

Mass of the Sunday, *Gloria*, Creed, Preface of Easter I ("on this Easter day"); Easter *Communicantes* and *Hanc igitur*; double *alleluia* at dismissal.

[44] Acts 4:32-35; Ps 118:2-4, 13-15, 22-24; 1 John 5:1-6; John 20:19-31.
Hours of the Sunday. *Te Deum*.

Evening Prayer II of the Sunday. The Easter Octave ends.
Week 2 of the Psalter.

[Julian (Orthodox) Easter]

Apr 20 Monday

white

Monday in the Second Week of Easter

Mass of the day. Preface of Easter I - V "...in this Easter season."

[267] Acts 4:23-31; Ps 2:1-3, 4-7a, 7b-9; John 3:1-8.
Hours of the day.

Apr 21 Tuesday

white

Tuesday in the Second Week of Easter

Mass of the day. Preface of Easter I - V "...in this Easter season."

[268] Acts 4:32-37; Ps 93:1ab, 1cd-2, 5; John 3:7-15.

Hours of the day.

white

St Anselm, bishop and doctor

Optional

Apr 22 Wednesday

white

The Blessed Virgin Mary, Mother of the Society of Jesus

Outside SJ churches, Easter weekday Mass with associated readings

(This feast commemorates the solemn vows of the first companions in St. Paul's Basilica, Rome, 1541.)

Feast

Mass of the feast; *Gloria*, preface of the feast.

Hours of the feast; *Te Deum*

[SJ-Lect] Gal 4:4-7 or Jud 15:9-12, 15, 16:1-4; Ps 45:11-12, 14-15, 16-17 or (for Jud) Jud 16:15-

17; Matt 1:20b-23 or John 2:1-15 or John 19:25-27.

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Apr 23 Thursday

white

Thursday in the Second Week of Easter

Mass of the day. Preface of Easter I - V "...in this Easter season."

[270] Acts 5:27-33; Ps 34:2+9, 17-18, 19-20; John 3:31-36.

Hours of the day.

red

St Adalbert, bishop and martyr [2002 RM]

Optional

red

St George, martyr

Optional

Apr 24 Friday

white

Friday in the Second Week of Easter

Mass of the day. Preface of Easter I - V "...in this Easter season."

[271] Acts 5:34-42; Ps 27:1, 4, 13-14; John 6:1-15.

Hours of the day.

red

St Fidelis of Sigmaringen, priest and martyr

Optional

Apr 25 Saturday

red

St Mark, evangelist

Feast

Mass of the feast; *Gloria*, Preface of Apostles II.

Hours of the feast; *Te Deum*

[555] 1 Pet 5:5b-14; Ps 89:2-3, 6-7, 16-17; Mark 16:15-20.

Apr 26 Sunday

Third Sunday of Easter

Mass of the day, *Gloria*, Creed, Preface of Easter I - V.

[47] Acts 3:13-15, 17-19; Ps 4:2, 4, 7-8, 9; 1 John 2:1-5a; Luke 24:35-48.

Hours of the Sunday. *Te Deum*.

Week 3 of the Psalter.

Apr 27 Monday

white

St Peter Canisius, priest, doctor of the Church [SJ]

Observed on Dec 21 in the Gen. Cal.

Outside SJ churches, weekday of Easter

Memorial

Mass of the memorial; preface of the weekday, or of the saint.

[273] Acts 6:8-15; Ps 119:23-24, 26-27, 29-30; John 6:22-29.

Hours of the memorial

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Apr 28 Tuesday

white

Tuesday in the Third Week of Easter

Mass of the day. Preface of Easter I - V "...in this Easter season."

[274] Acts 7:51-8:1a; Ps 31:3cd-4, 6ab+7b+8a, 17+21ab; John 6:30-35.

Hours of the day.

*white**St Louis Marie de Montfort, priest [2002 RM]**Optional**red**St Peter Chanel, priest and martyr**Optional***Apr 29 Wednesday**

white

St Catherine of Siena, Virgin and Doctor of the Church

Memorial

Mass of the memorial; preface of the weekday, or of the saint.

[275] Acts 8:1b-8; Ps 66:1-3a, 4-5, 6-7a; John 6:35-40.

Hours of the memorial

Prop. Ants. Bened. & Magn.

Apr 30 Thursday

white

Thursday in the Third Week of Easter

Mass of the day. Preface of Easter I - V "...in this Easter season."

[276] Acts 8:26-40; Ps 66:8-9, 16-17, 20; John 6:44-51.

Hours of the day.

*white**St Pius V, pope**Optional***MAY**Link to <http://apostleshipofprayer.org> for Monthly Papal Prayer intentions**May 1 Friday**

white

Friday in the Third Week of Easter

Mass of the day. Preface of Easter I - V "...in this Easter season."

[277] Acts 9:1-20; Ps 117:1, 2; John 6:52-59.

Hours of the day.

*white**St Joseph the Worker**[559] Gen 1:26-2:3 or Col 3:14-15, 17, 23-24; Ps 90:2, 3-4, 12-13, 14+16; Mt 13:54-58 (Gospel proper).**Optional***May 2 Saturday**

white

St Athanasius, bishop and doctor

Memorial

Mass of the memorial; preface of the weekday, or of the saint.

[278] Acts 9:31-42; Ps 116:12-13, 14-15, 16-17; John 6:60-69.

Hours of the memorial

May 3 Sunday**Fourth Sunday of Easter**

["Good Shepherd" Sunday/Vocations Sunday]

Mass of the day, *Gloria*, Creed, Preface of Easter I - V.

[50] Acts 4:8-12; Ps 118:1+8-9, 21-23, 26+21+29; 1 John 3:1-2; John 10:11-18.

Hours of the Sunday. *Te Deum*.

Week 4 of the Psalter.

May 4 Monday

white

St Joseph Maria Rubio, priest [SJ]

Memorial

Outside SJ-churches, weekday in the Easter Season

Mass of the memorial; preface of the weekday, or of the saint.

[279] Acts 11:1-18; Ps 42:2-3; 43:3, 4; John 10:1-10 or, in Year A, John 10:11-18.

Hours of the memorial

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May 5 Tuesday

white

Tuesday in the Fourth Week of Easter

Mass of the day. Preface of Easter I - V "...in this Easter season."

[280] Acts 11:19-26; Ps 87:1b-3, 4-5, 6-7; John 10:22-30.

Hours of the day.

May 6 Wednesday

white

Wednesday in the Fourth Week of Easter

Mass of the day. Preface of Easter I - V "...in this Easter season."

[281] Acts 12:24-13:5a; Ps 67:2-3, 5, 6+8; John 12:44-50.

Hours of the day.

May 7 Thursday

white

Thursday in the Fourth Week of Easter

Mass of the day. Preface of Easter I - V "...in this Easter season."

[282] Acts 13:13-25; Ps 89:2-3, 21-22, 25+27; John 13:16-20.

Hours of the day.

May 8 Friday

white

Friday in the Fourth Week of Easter

Mass of the day. Preface of Easter I - V "...in this Easter season."

[283] Acts 13:26-33; Ps 2:6-7, 8-9, 10-11ab; John 14:1-6.

Hours of the day.

May 9 Saturday

white

Saturday in the Fourth Week of Easter

Mass of the day. Preface of Easter I - V "...in this Easter season."

[284] Acts 13:44-52; Ps 98:1, 2-3ab, 3cd-4; John 14:7-14.

Hours of the day.

May 10 Sunday

Fifth Sunday of Easter

Mass of the day, *Gloria*, Creed, Preface of Easter I - V.

[53] Acts 9:26-31; Ps 22:26-27, 28+30, 31-32; 1 John 3:18-24; John 15:1-8.

Hours of the Sunday. *Te Deum*.

Week 1 of the Psalter.

[Mothers' Day \(USA\)](#)--See optional Blessing of Mothers in *Book of Blessings*

May 11 Monday

white

Monday in the Fifth Week of Easter

Mass of the day. Preface of Easter I - V "...in this Easter season."

[285] Acts 14:5-18; Ps 115:1-2, 3-4, 15-16; John 14:21-26.

Hours of the day.

May 12 Tuesday

white

Tuesday in the Fifth Week of Easter

Mass of the day. Preface of Easter I - V "...in this Easter season."

[286] Acts 14:19-28; Ps 145:10-11, 12-13ab, 21; John 14:27-31a.

Hours of the day.

red

Ss Nereus and Achilleus, martyrs

Optional

red

St Pancras, martyr

Optional

May 13 Wednesday

white

Wednesday in the Fifth Week of Easter

Mass of the day. Preface of Easter I - V "...in this Easter season."
[287] Acts 15:1-6; Ps 122:1-2, 3-4ab, 4cd-5; John 15:1-8.
Hours of the day.
white *Our Lady of Fatima [2002 RM]* *Optional*

May 14 Thursday

red **St Matthias, apostle** *Feast*
Mass of the feast; *Gloria*, preface of the feast.
Hours of the feast; *Te Deum*
[564] Acts 1:15-17, 20-26; Ps 113:1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 7-8; John 15:9-17.

May 15 Friday

white **Friday in the Fifth Week of Easter**
Mass of the day. Preface of Easter I - V "...in this Easter season."
[289] Acts 15:22-31; Ps 57:8-9, 10+12; John 15:12-17.
Hours of the day.
white *St Isidore [USA]* *Optional*

May 16 Saturday

red **St Andrew Bobola, priest and martyr [SJ]** *Memorial*
Outside SJ-churches, seasonal weekday.
Mass of the memorial; preface of the weekday, or of the saint.
[290] Acts 16:1-10; Ps 100:1b-2, 3, 5; John 15:18-21.
Hours of the memorial
SJ *Texts in the Jesuit Supplement*

May 17 Sunday

Sixth Sunday of Easter
Mass of the day, *Gloria*, Creed, Preface of Easter I - V.
Where Ascension is celebrated on the Seventh Sunday of Easter, today's second reading & gospel may be from Seventh Sunday of Easter if desired.
[56] Acts 10:25-26, 34-35, 44-48; Ps 98:1, 2-3a, 3b-4; 1 John 4:7-10; John 15:9-17.
Hours of the Sunday. *Te Deum.*
Week 2 of the Psalter.

May 18 Monday

white **Monday in the Sixth Week of Easter**
Mass of the day. Preface of Easter I - V "...in this Easter season."
[291] Acts 16:11-15; Ps 149:1b-2, 3-4, 5-6a+9b; John 15:26-16:4a.
Hours of the day.
red *St John I, pope and martyr* *Optional*

May 19 Tuesday

white **Tuesday in the Sixth Week of Easter**
Mass of the day. Preface of Easter I - V "...in this Easter season."
[292] Acts 16:22-34; Ps 138:1-2ab, 2cde-3, 7c-8; John 16:5-11.
Hours of the day.

May 20 Wednesday

white **Wednesday in the Sixth Week of Easter**
Mass of the day. Preface of Easter I - V "...in this Easter season."
[293] Acts 17:15, 22-18:1; Ps 148:1-2, 11-12, 13, 14; John 16:12-15.
Hours of the day.
white *St Bernardine of Siena, priest* *Optional*

May 21 Thursday

white

Thursday in the Sixth Week of Easter

Mass of the day. Preface of Easter I - V "...in this Easter season."

[294] Acts 18:1-8; Ps 98:1, 2-3ab, 3cd-4; John 16:16-20.

Hours of the day.

In those places where Ascension is celebrated on Thursday (and is a Holy Day of

Obligation), see the readings listed on the following Sunday.

red

St Christopher Magallanes, priest, and his companions, martyrs [2002 RM] Optional

May 22 Friday

white

Friday in the Sixth Week of Easter

Mass of the day. Preface of Easter I - V "...in this Easter season."

[295] Acts 18:9-18; Ps 47:2-3, 4-5, 6-7; John 16:20-23a.

Hours of the day.

white

St Rita of Cascia, religious [2002 RM]

Optional

May 23 Saturday

white

Saturday in the Sixth Week of Easter

Mass of the day. Preface of Easter I - V "...in this Easter season."

[296] Acts 18:23-28; Ps 47:2-3, 8-9, 10 John 16:23b-28.

Hours of the day.

May 24 Sunday

Ascension of the Lord

Mass of the Solemnity, *Gloria*, Creed, Preface of Ascension I - II Special

Communicantes in Eucharistic Prayer I.

[58] Acts 1:1-11; Ps 47:2-3, 6-7, 8-9; Eph 1:17-23 or (Year B) Eph 4:1-13 or Eph 4:1-7, 11-13; Mark

16:15-20.

Hours of the Solemnity. *Te Deum*. Week 3 of the Psalter.

In those places where the Ascension is celebrated on Thursday, the following are the readings for the Seventh Sunday of Easter:

[60] Acts 1:15-17, 20a, 20c-26; Ps 103:1-2, 11-12, 19-20; 1 John 4:11-16; John 17:11b-19.

May 25 Monday

white

Monday in the Seventh Week of Easter

Mass of the day. Preface of Easter I - V "...in this Easter season."

[297] Acts 19:1-8; Ps 68:2-3ab, 4-5acd, 6-7ab; John 16:29-33.

Hours of the day.

white

St Gregory VII, pope

Optional

white

St Mary Magdalene de Pazzi, virgin

Optional

white

Venerable Bede, priest and doctor;

Optional

May 26 Tuesday

white

St Philip Neri, priest

Memorial

Mass of the memorial; preface of the weekday, or of the saint.

[298] Acts 20:17-27; Ps 68:10-11, 20-21; John 17:1-11a.

Hours of the memorial

May 27 Wednesday

white

Wednesday in the Seventh Week of Easter

Mass of the day. Preface of Easter I - V "...in this Easter season."

[299] Acts 20:28-38; Ps 68:29-30, 33-35a, 35bc-36ab; John 17:11b-19.

Hours of the day.

white

St Augustine of Canterbury, bishop

Optional

May 28 Thursday

white

Thursday in the Seventh Week of Easter

Mass of the day. Preface of Easter I - V "...in this Easter season."
[300] Acts 22:30; 23:6-11; Ps 16:1-2a+5, 7-8, 9-10, 11; John 17:20-26.
Hours of the day.

May 29 Friday

white

Friday in the Seventh Week of Easter

Mass of the day. Preface of Easter I - V "...in this Easter season."
[301] Acts 25:13b-21; Ps 103:1-2, 11-12, 19-20ab; John 21:15-19.
Hours of the day.

May 30 Saturday

white

Saturday in the Seventh Week of Easter

Mass of the day. Preface of Easter I - V "...in this Easter season."
[302] Acts 28:16-20, 30-31; Ps 11:4, 5+7; John 21:20-25.
Hours of the day.

In the evening:

red

Vigil of Pentecost

Solemnity

Mass of the Vigil; *Gloria*, sequence, Creed, Preface of Pentecost, special

Communicantes in Eucharistic Prayer I. Double *alleluia* at the dismissal

[62] Gen 11:1-9a or Exod 19:3-8a, 16-20b or Ezek 37:1-4 or Joel 3:1-5; Ps 104:1-2, 24+35, 27-28, 29b-30; John 7:37-39.

For pastoral reasons, the texts of the day Mass may also be used.

Evening Prayer I of Pentecost.

May 31 Sunday

Pentecost Sunday

Mass of Pentecost; *Gloria*, Sequence, creed, Preface of Pentecost, special

Communicantes, double *alleluia* at dismissal.

[63] Acts 2:1-11; Ps 104:1+24, 29b-30, 31+34; 1 Cor 5:16-25 (Year B) or 1 Cor 12:3b-7, 12-13; Jn 15:26-27, 16:12-15 (Year B) or Jn 20:19-23a.

Hours of the Solemnity. *Te Deum*. At Evening Prayer II, double *alleluia* at dismissal

After Evening Prayer, the Paschal Candle is extinguished, and moved to the

Baptistery, where it is kept in a place of honor so that the candles of the newly baptised may be lit from it.

The Easter season ends tonight.

Ordinary Time resumes with Week 9.

Psalter Week 1

SJ NOTE:

Monthly Mass for the needs of the Church and the Society should be offered on May 31.

JUNE

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Jun 1 Monday

red

St Justin, martyr

Memorial

Mass of the memorial; preface of the weekday, or of the saint.

[353] Tob 1:3; 2:1a-8; Ps 112:1b-2, 3b-4, 5-6; Mark 12:1-12.

Hours of the memorial

Prop. Ants. Bened. & Magn.

Jun 2 Tuesday

green

Tuesday of the ninth week.

Mass *ad lib.*

[354] Tob 2:9-14; Ps 112:1-2, 7-8, 9; Mark 12:13-17.

Hours of the day.

red

Ss Marcellinus and Peter, martyrs

Optional

Jun 3 Wednesday

red

St Charles Lwanga and companions, martyrs Memorial

Mass of the memorial; preface of the weekday, or of the saint.

[355] Tob 3:1-11a, 16-17a; Ps 25:2-3, 4-5ab, 6-7bc, 8-9; Mark 12:18-27.

Hours of the memorial

Jun 4 Thursday

green

Thursday of the ninth week.

Mass *ad lib.*

[356] Tob 6:10-11; 7:1bcde, 9-17; 8:4-9a; Ps 128:1-2, 3, 4-5; Mark 12:28-34.

Hours of the day.

Jun 5 Friday

red

St Boniface, bishop and martyr Memorial

Mass of the memorial; preface of the weekday, or of the saint.

[357] Tob 11:5-17; Ps 146:1b-2, 6c-7, 8-9a, 9bc-10; Mark 12:35-37.

Hours of the memorial

Jun 6 Saturday

green

Saturday of the ninth week.

Mass *ad lib.*

[358] Tob 12:1, 5-15, 20; Tob 13:2, 6efgh, 7, 8; Mark 12:38-44.

Hours of the day.

white

St Norbert, bishop

Optional

white / green

Saturday Memorial of the Blessed Virgin Mary

Optional

Jun 7 Sunday

white

Trinity Sunday

Texts found in Missal and Lit. of the Hours after propers for Ordinary Time.

Solemnity

Mass of the day, *Gloria*, Creed, Preface of Trinity.

[165] Deut 4:32-34, 39-40; Ps 33:4-5, 6+9, 18-19, 20+22; Rom 8:14-17; Matt 28:16-20.

Hours of the Trinity Sunday. *Te Deum.*

Jun 8 Monday

green

Monday of the tenth week.

Mass *ad lib.*

[359] 2 Cor 1:1-7; Ps 34:2-3, 4-5, 6-7,8-9; Matt 5:1-12.

Hours of the day.

Jun 9 Tuesday

green

Tuesday of the tenth week.

Mass *ad lib.*

[360] 2 Cor 1:18-22; Ps 119:129, 130, 131, 132, 133, 135; Matt 5:13-16.

Hours of the day.

white

Bl. Joseph de Anchieta, priest [SJ]

Optional

Texts in the Jesuit Supplement

white

St Ephrem, deacon and doctor

Optional

Jun 10 Wednesday

green

Wednesday of the tenth week.

Mass *ad lib.*

[361] 2 Cor 3:4-11; Ps 99:5, 6, 7, 8, 9; Matt 5:17-19.

Hours of the day.

Jun 11 Thursday

red

St Barnabas, apostle

Memorial

Mass of the memorial; preface of the weekday, or of the saint.

[580] Acts 11:21b-26; 13:1-3 (proper); Ps 98:1, 2-3ab, 3c-4, 5-6; Matt 10:7-13.

Seasonal weekday readings:

[362] 2 Cor 3:15-4:1, 3-6; Ps 85:9-10, 11-12, 12-13; Matt 5:20-26.

Hours of the memorial

Jun 12 Friday

green

Friday of the tenth week.Mass *ad lib.*

[363] 2 Cor 4:7-15; Ps 116:10-11, 15-16, 17-18; Matt 5:27-32.

Hours of the day.

Jun 13 Saturday

white

St Anthony of Padua, priest and doctor

Memorial

Mass of the memorial; preface of the weekday, or of the saint.

[364] 2 Cor 5:14-21; Ps 103:1-2, 3-4, 8-9, 11-12; Matt 5:33-37.

Hours of the memorial

Jun 14 Sunday

white

Body and Blood of Christ (*Corpus Christi*)

Solemnity

Mass of the Solemnity; *Gloria*, sequence optional, creed, Preface of Holy Eucharist I

or II.

[168] Exod 24:3-8; Ps 116:12-13, 15-16, 17-18; Heb 9:11-15; Mark 14:12-16, 22-26.

Hours of the Solemnity. *Te Deum.*

It is fitting to hold a procession after Mass, or after a protracted, public adoration following the Mass. The Sacred Host, which should be consecrated during that Mass, is placed in the monstrance on the altar after the Communion of the faithful. Then, after the Prayer after Communion, omitting the usual Concluding Rites of the Mass, the Blessed Sacrament may be carried in procession, even outside the church, according to local customs. The solemn blessing with the Blessed Sacrament concludes the entire celebration: the usual blessing by the priest is replaced by the blessing with the Blessed Sacrament. [cf. 2002 RM, DPPL 162-163, also HCWEOM, nos. 101-108]

Jun 15 Monday

green

Monday of the eleventh week.Mass *ad lib.*

[365] 2 Cor 6:1-10; Ps 98:1, 2b-3ab, 3c-4; Matt 5:38-42.

Hours of the day.

Jun 16 Tuesday

green

Tuesday of the eleventh week.Mass *ad lib.*

[366] 2 Cor 8:1-9; Ps 146:2, 5-6ab, 6c-7, 8-9a; Matt 5:43-48.

Hours of the day.

Jun 17 Wednesday

green

Wednesday of the eleventh week.Mass *ad lib.*

[367] 2 Cor 9:6-11; Ps 112:1b-2, 3-4, 9; Matt 6:1-6, 16-18.

Hours of the day.

Jun 18 Thursday

green

Thursday of the eleventh week.Mass *ad lib.*

[368] 2 Cor 11:1-11; Ps 111:1b-2, 3-4, 7-8; Matt 6:7-15.
Hours of the day.

Jun 19 Friday
white

SACRED HEART OF JESUS

Solemnity

Mass of the solemnity. *Gloria*, Creed; Preface of Sacred Heart
(Sunday Lect.) [171] Hos 11:1, 3-4, 8c-9; Isa 12:2-3, 4, 5-6; Eph 3:8-12, 14-19; John 19:31-37.
Hours of the solemnity. *Te Deum*

SJ NOTE:
occurs in June).

Monthly Mass for the Church and the Society should be offered on the Solemnity of the Sacred Heart (when it

Jun 20 Saturday
white

Immaculate Heart of Mary

Memorial

Mass of the Memorial
[573] Is 61:9-11; 1 Sam 2:1, 4-8; Lk 2:41-51 (proper).

The seasonal weekday first reading and psalm may be used, but the gospel is proper to this memorial.

Seasonal weekday readings:

[370] 2 Cor 12:1-10; Ps 34:8-9, 10-11, 12-13; Matt 6:24-34.

Hours of the memorial
Prop. Ants. Bened. & Magn.

Jun 21 Sunday
green

Twelfth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Mass of the Sunday; *Gloria*, Creed.

[95] Job 38:1, 8-11; Ps 107:23-24, 25-26, 28-29, 30-31; 2 Cor 5:14-17; Mark 4:35-41.

Hours of the Sunday. *Te Deum*.

Week 4 of the Psalter.

Fathers' Day (USA)--See optional Blessing of Fathers in *Book of Blessings*

Jun 22 Monday
green

Monday of the twelfth week.

Mass *ad lib*.

[371] Gen 12:1-9; Ps 33:12-13, 18-19, 20+22; Matt 7:1-5.

Hours of the day.

red
white

Ss John Fisher, bishop and martyr, and Thomas More, martyr *Optional*
St Paulinus of Nola, bishop *Optional*

Jun 23 Tuesday
green

Tuesday of the twelfth week.

Mass *ad lib*.

[372] Gen 13:2, 5-18; Ps 15:2-3a, 3b-4b, 5; Matt 7:6, 12-14.

Hours of the day.

Jun 24 Wednesday
white

Birth of St John the Baptist

Solemnity

Mass of the solemnity; *Gloria*, Creed, preface of the solemnity.

Vigil Mass: [586] (Vigil) Jer 1:4-10; Ps 71:1-2, 3-4a, 5-6ab, 15ab+17; 1 Pet 1:8-12; Luke 1:5-17.

Mass of the Day: [587] (Day) Is 49:1-6; Ps 139:1b-3, 13-14ab, 14c-15; Acts 13: 22-26; Lk 1: 57-66,

80.

Hours of the solemnity; *Te Deum*

Jun 25 Thursday
green

Thursday of the twelfth week.

Mass *ad lib*.

[374] Gen 16:1-12, 15-16 or Gen 16:16b-12, 15-16; Ps 106: 1b-2, 3-4a, 4b-5; Matt 7:21-29.

Hours of the day.

Jun 26 Friday

green

Friday of the twelfth week.Mass *ad lib.*

[375] Gen 17:1, 9-10, 15-22; Ps 128:1-2, 3, 4-5; Matt 8:1-4.

Hours of the day.

Jun 27 Saturday

green

Saturday of the twelfth week.Mass *ad lib.*

[376] Gen 18:1-15; Luke 1:46-47, 48-49, 50+53, 54-55; Matt 8:5-17.

Hours of the day.

*white**St Cyril of Alexandria, bishop and doctor**Optional**white / green*

Saturday Memorial of the Blessed Virgin Mary

*Optional***Jun 28 Sunday**

green

Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary TimeMass of the Sunday; *Gloria*, Creed.

[98] Wis 1:13-15, 2:23-24; Ps 30:2+4, 5-6, 11-12a+13b; 2 Cor 8:7, 9, 13-15; Mark 5:21-43 or 5:21-

24, 35b-43.

Hours of the Sunday. *Te Deum.*

Week 1 of the Psalter.

Jun 29 Monday

red

Ss Peter and Paul, apostles

Solemnity

Mass of the solemnity; *Gloria*, Creed, preface of the solemnity.

Vigil Mass: [590] Acts 3:1-10; Ps 19:2-3, 4-5; Gal 1:11-20; John 21:15-19.

Mass during the day: [591] Acts 12:1-11; Ps 34:2-3, 4-5, 6-7, 8-9; 2 Tim 4:6-8, 17-18; Matt 16:13-

19.

Hours of the solemnity; *Te Deum***Jun 30 Tuesday**

green

Tuesday of the thirteenth week.Mass *ad lib.*

[378] Gen 19:15-29; Ps 26:2-3, 9-10, 11-12; Matt 8:23-27.

Hours of the day.

*red**First Martyrs of the Church of Rome**Optional***JULY**Link to <http://apostleshipofprayer.org> for Monthly Papal Prayer intentions**Jul 1 Wednesday**

green

Wednesday of the thirteenth week.Mass *ad lib.*

[379] Gen 21:5, 8-20a; Ps 34:7-8, 10-11, 12-13; Matt 8:28-34.

Hours of the day.

*white**Bl Junipero Serra, priest [USA]**Optional***Jul 2 Thursday**

white

Ss Bernardine Realino, John Francis Regis, Francis Jerome, BIs Julian Maunoir, Anthony Balducci, priests [SJ]Outside SJ churches, Mass *ad lib.*

Memorial

Mass of the memorial; preface of the weekday, or of the saint.

[380] Gen 22:1b-19; Ps 115:1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 8-9; Matt 9:1-8.

Hours of the memorial

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Jul 3 Friday

red

St Thomas, apostle

Feast

Mass of the feast; *Gloria*, preface of the feast.

[593] Eph 2:19-22; Ps 116: 1bc, 2; John 20: 24-29.

Hours of the feast; *Te Deum*

Jul 4 Saturday

green

Saturday of the thirteenth week.

Mass *ad lib.*

[382] Gen 27:1-5, 15-29; Ps 135:1b-2, 3-4, 5-6; Matt 9:14-17.

Hours of the day.

white

Independence Day [USA]

Special texts and prefaces in Sacramentary

Optional

white / green

Saturday Memorial of the Blessed Virgin Mary

Optional

white

St Elizabeth of Portugal

Optional

Jul 5 Sunday

green

Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Mass of the Sunday; *Gloria*, Creed.

[101] Ezek 2:2-5; Ps 123:1-2a, 2bc, 3-4; 2 Cor 12:7-10; Mark 6:1-6.

Hours of the Sunday. *Te Deum.*

Week 2 of the Psalter.

Jul 6 Monday

green

Monday of the fourteenth week.

Mass *ad lib.*

[383] Gen 28:10-22a; Ps 91:1-2, 3-4, 14-15ab; Matt 9:18-26.

Hours of the day.

red

St Maria Goretti, virgin and martyr

Optional

Jul 7 Tuesday

green

Tuesday of the fourteenth week.

Mass *ad lib.*

[384] Gen 32:23-33; Ps 17:1b, 2-3, 6-7, 8b+15; Matt 9:32-38.

Hours of the day.

Jul 8 Wednesday

green

Wednesday of the fourteenth week.

Mass *ad lib.*

[385] Gen 41:55-57; 42:5-7a, 17-24a; Ps 33:2-3, 10-11, 18-19; Matt 10:1-7.

Hours of the day.

Jul 9 Thursday

red

St Leo Mangin, priest and companions, martyrs [SJ]

Outside SJ churches, Seasonal weekday or optional memorial of St Augustine Zhao Rong, priest and companions, martyrs

Memorial

Mass of the memorial; preface of the weekday, or of the saint.

[386] Gen 44:18-21, 23b-29; 45:1-5; Ps 105:16-17, 18-19, 20-21; Matt 10:7-15.

Hours of the memorial

SJ

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Jul 10 Friday

green

Friday of the fourteenth week.

Mass *ad lib.*

[387] Gen 46:1-7, 28-30; Ps 37:3-4, 18-19, 27-28, 39-40; Matt 10:16-23.

Hours of the day.

Jul 11 Saturday

white

St Benedict, abbot

Memorial

Mass of the memorial; preface of the weekday, or of the saint.

[388] Gen 49:29-32; 50:15-26a; Ps 105:1-2, 3-4, 6-7; Matt 10:24-33.

Hours of the memorial

Prop. Ants. Bened. & Magn.

Jul 12 Sunday

green

Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Mass of the Sunday; *Gloria*, Creed.

[104] Amos 7:12-15; Ps 85:9-10, 11-12, 13-14; Eph 1:3-14 or 1:3-10; Mark 6:7-13.

Hours of the Sunday. *Te Deum*.

Week 3 of the Psalter.

Jul 13 Monday

green

Monday of the fifteenth week.

Mass *ad lib*.

[389] Exod 1:8-14, 22; Ps 124:1-3, 4-6, 7-8; Matt 10:34-11:1.

Hours of the day.

white

St Henry

Optional

Jul 14 Tuesday

white

Bl. Kateri Tekakwitha, virgin [USA]

Memorial

Mass of the memorial; preface of the weekday, or of the saint.

[390] Exod 2:1-15a; Ps 69:3, 14, 30-31, 33-34; Matt 11:20-24.

Hours of the memorial

Jul 15 Wednesday

white

St Bonaventure, bishop and doctor

Memorial

Mass of the memorial; preface of the weekday, or of the saint.

[391] Exod 3:1-6, 9-12; Ps 103; 1-2, 3-4, 6-7; Matt 11:25-27.

Hours of the memorial

Jul 16 Thursday

green

Thursday of the fifteenth week.

Mass *ad lib*.

[392] Exod 3:11-20; Ps 105:1, 5, 8-9, 24-25, 26-27; Matt 11:28-30.

Hours of the day.

white

Our Lady of Mount Carmel

Optional

Jul 17 Friday

green

Friday of the fifteenth week.

Mass *ad lib*.

[393] Exod 11:10-12:14; Ps 116:12-13, 15-16, 17-18; Matt 12:1-8.

Hours of the day.

Jul 18 Saturday

green

Saturday of the fifteenth week.

Mass *ad lib*.

[394] Exod 12:37-42; Ps 136:1, 23-24, 10-12, 13-15; Matt 12:14-21.

Hours of the day.

white

St Camillus de Lellis, priest (transferred in US from July 14)

Optional

white / green

Saturday Memorial of the Blessed Virgin Mary

Optional

Jul 19 Sunday

Mass *ad lib.*
[401] Exod 32:15-24, 30-34; Ps 106:19-20, 21-22, 23; Matt 13:31-35.
Hours of the day.

Jul 28 Tuesday
green

Tuesday of the seventeenth week.
Mass *ad lib.*
[402] Exod 33:7-11; 34:5b-9, 28; Ps 103:6-7, 8-9, 10-11, 12-13; Matt 13:35-43.
Hours of the day.

Jul 29 Wednesday
white

St Martha Memorial
Mass of the memorial; preface of the weekday, or of the saint.
[607] 1 John 4:7-16; Ps 34:2-3, 4-5, 6-7, 8-9, 10-11; John 11: 19-27 or Luke 10: 38-42 (Gospel proper).
Seasonal weekday readings:
[403] Exod 34:29-35; Ps 99:5, 6, 7, 9; Matt 13:44-46.
Hours of the memorial
Var. Prop. Texts for Hours

Jul 30 Thursday
green

Thursday of the seventeenth week.
Mass *ad lib.*
[404] Exod 40:16-21, 34-38; Ps 84:3, 4, 5-6a+8a, 11; Matt 13:47-53.
Hours of the day.
St Peter Chrysologus, bishop and doctor Optional

Jul 31 Friday
white

St Ignatius of Loyola, priest, founder of the Society of Jesus Solemnity
Outside SJ churches, Memorial; weekday readings.
Mass of the solemnity; *Gloria*, Creed, preface of the solemnity.
[SJ-Lect] Deut 30:15-20 or alt.; Ps 1:1-2, 3-4, 5-6 or alt.; 1 Cor 10:31-11:1 or alt.; Lk 9:18-25 or alt.
SJ
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Hours of the solemnity; *Te Deum*

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Aug 1 Saturday
white

St Alphonsus Liguori, bishop and doctor Memorial
Mass of the memorial; preface of the weekday, or of the saint.
[406] Lev 25:1, 8-17; Ps 67:2-3, 5, 7-8; Matt 14:1-12.
Hours of the memorial

Aug 2 Sunday
green

Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time
Mass of the Sunday; *Gloria*, Creed.
[113] Exod 16:2-4, 12-15; Ps 78:3-4, 23-24, 25+54; Eph 4:17, 20-24; John 6:24-35.
Hours of the Sunday. *Te Deum.*

Week 2 of the Psalter.

Aug 3 Monday
green

Monday of the eighteenth week.
Mass *ad lib.*

[407] Num 11:4b-15; Ps 81:12-13, 14-15, 16-17; Matt 14:13-21 or (Year A) 14:22-36 (from Tues

[408]).

Hours of the day.

Aug 4 Tuesday

white

St John Vianney, priest

Memorial

Mass of the memorial; preface of the weekday, or of the saint.

[408] Num 12:1-13; Ps 51:3-4, 5-6ab, 6cd-7, 12-13; Matt 14:22-36 or (Year A) 15:1-2, 10-14.

Hours of the memorial

Aug 5 Wednesday

green

Wednesday of the eighteenth week.

Mass *ad lib.*

[409] Num 13:1-2, 25-14:1, 26a-29a, 34-35; Ps 106:6-7ab, 13-14, 21-22, 23; Matt 15:21-28.

Hours of the day.

white

Dedication of the Basilica of St Mary Major

Optional

Aug 6 Thursday

white

Transfiguration of the Lord

Feast

Mass of the feast; *Gloria*, preface of the feast.

[614] Dan 7:9-10, 13-14; Ps 96:1-2, 5-6, 9; 2 Pet 1:16-19; Mk 2: 9-10.

Hours of the feast; *Te Deum*

Aug 7 Friday

green

Friday of the eighteenth week.

Mass *ad lib.*

[411] Deut 4:32-40; Ps 77:12-13, 14-15, 16+21; Matt 16:24-28.

Hours of the day.

white

St Cajetan, priest

Optional

red

St Sixtus II, pope and martyr, and companions, martyrs

Optional

SJ NOTE:

Monthly Mass for the needs of the Church and the Society should be offered on August 7, the anniversary of the restoration of the Society (1814).

Aug 8 Saturday

white

St Dominic, priest

Memorial

Mass of the memorial; preface of the weekday, or of the saint.

[412] Deut 6:4-13; Ps 18:2-3a, 3bc-4, 47+51; Matt 17:14-20.

Hours of the memorial

Aug 9 Sunday

green

Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Mass of the Sunday; *Gloria*, Creed.

[116] 1 Kgs 19:4-8; Ps 34:2-3, 4-5, 6-7, 8-9; Eph 4:30-5:2; John 6:41-51.

Hours of the Sunday. *Te Deum.*

Week 3 of the Psalter.

Aug 10 Monday

red

St Lawrence, deacon and martyr

Feast

Mass of the feast; *Gloria*, preface of the feast.

[618] 2 Cor 9:6-10; Ps 112:1-2, 5-6, 7-8, 9; John 12:24-26.

Hours of the feast; *Te Deum*

Aug 11 Tuesday

white

St Clare, virgin

Memorial

Mass of the memorial; preface of the weekday, or of the saint.

[414] Deut 31:1-8; Deut 32:3-4ab, 7, 8, 9+12; Matt 18:1-5, 10, 12-14.

Hours of the memorial

Aug 12 Wednesday

green

Wednesday of the nineteenth week.Mass *ad lib.*

[415] Deut 34:1-12; Ps 66:1-3a, 5+8, 16-17; Matt 18:15-20.

Hours of the day.

*white**St Jane Frances de Chantal, virgin (in US, on Aug 18; formerly Dec 12) Optional***Aug 13 Thursday**

green

Thursday of the nineteenth week.Mass *ad lib.*

[416] Josh 3:7-10a, 11, 13-17; Ps 114:1-2, 3-4, 5-6; Matt 18:21-19:1.

Hours of the day.

*red**Ss Pontian, pope and martyr, and Hippolytus, priest and martyr Optional***Aug 14 Friday**

red

St Maximilian Mary Kolbe, priest and martyr Memorial

Mass of the memorial; preface of the weekday, or of the saint.

[417] Josh 24:1-13; Ps 136:1-3, 16-18, 21-22+24; Matt 19:3-12.

Hours of the memorial

Prop. Ants. Bened. & Magn.

Aug 15 Saturday

white

ASSUMPTION OF B.V. MARY**Holy Day of Obligation except when Aug 15 occurs on a Monday or Saturday or in Hawai'i. Solemnity**Mass of the Vigil or of the Day; *Gloria*, proper readings, Creed, Preface of the

Assumption.

Mass of the Vigil: [621] 1 Chr 15:3-4, 15-16; 16:1-2; Ps 132:6-7, 9-10, 13-14; 1 Cor 15:54b-57; Luke

11:27-28.

Mass of the Day: [622] Rev 11:19a; 12:1-6a, 10ab; Ps 45:10bc, 11, 12ab, 16; 1 Cor 15:20-27a;

Luke 1:39-56.

Hours of the solemnity; *Te Deum*.**Aug 16 Sunday**

green

Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary TimeMass of the Sunday; *Gloria*, Creed.

[119] Prov 9:1-6; Ps 34:2-3, 4-5, 6-7; Eph 5:15-20; John 6:51-58.

Hours of the Sunday. *Te Deum*.

Week 4 of the Psalter.

Aug 17 Monday

green

Monday of the twentieth week.Mass *ad lib.*

[419] Judg 2:11-19; Ps 106:34-35, 36-37, 39-40, 43ab+44; Matt 19:16-22.

Hours of the day.

Aug 18 Tuesday

white

St Albert Hurtado-Cruchaga, priest [SJ]**Outside SJ churches, seasonal weekday or [in USA] opt. mem. of St Jane Frances de Chantal, v. Memorial**

Mass of the memorial; preface of the weekday, or of the saint.

[420] Judg 6:11-24a; Ps 85:9, 11-12, 13-14; Matt 19:23-30.

Hours of the memorial

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green

Wednesday of the twentieth week.Mass *ad lib.*

[421] Judg 9:6-15; Ps 21:2-3, 4-5, 6-7; Matt 20:1-16.

Hours of the day.

white

St John Eudes, priest

Optional

Aug 20 Thursday

white

St Bernard, abbot and doctor

Memorial

Mass of the memorial; preface of the weekday, or of the saint.

[422] Judg 11:29-39a; Ps 40:5, 7-8a, 8b-9, 10; Matt 22:1-14.

Hours of the memorial

Prop. Ants. Bened. & Magn.

Aug 21 Friday

white

St Pius X, pope

Memorial

Mass of the memorial; preface of the weekday, or of the saint.

[423] Ruth 1:1, 3-6, 14b-16, 22; Ps 146:5-6ab, 6c-7, 8-9a, 9b-10; Matt 22:34-40.

Hours of the memorial

Aug 22 Saturday

white

Queenship of Bl. V. Mary

Memorial

After Night Prayer, *Ave Regina Caelorum* is recommended.

Mass of the memorial; preface of the weekday, or of the saint.

[424] Ruth 2:1-3, 8-11; 4:13-17; Ps 128:1b-2, 3, 4, 5; Matt 23:1-12.

Hours of the memorial

Prop. Ants. Bened. & Magn.

Aug 23 Sunday

green

Twenty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time

Mass of the Sunday; *Gloria*, Creed.

[122] Josh 24:1-2a, 15-17, 18b; Ps 34:2-3, 16-17, 18-19, 20-21; Eph 5:21-32a or [US] 5:2a, 25-32a

; John 6:60-69.

Hours of the Sunday. *Te Deum*.

Week 1 of the Psalter.

Aug 24 Monday

red

St Bartholomew, apostle

Feast

Mass of the feast; *Gloria*, preface of the feast.

[629] Rev 21:9b-14; Ps 145:10-11, 12-13ab, 17-18; John 1:45-51.

Hours of the feast; *Te Deum*

Aug 25 Tuesday

green

Tuesday of the twenty-first week.

Mass *ad lib*.

[426] 1 Thess 2:1-8; Ps 139:1-3, 4-6; Matt 23:23-26.

Hours of the day.

white

St Joseph Calasanz, priest

Optional

white

St Louis

Optional

Aug 26 Wednesday

green

Wednesday of the twenty-first week.

Mass *ad lib*.

[427] 1 Thess 2:9-13; Ps 139:7-8, 9-10, 11-12ab; Matt 23:27-32.

Hours of the day.

Aug 27 Thursday

white

St Monica

Memorial

Mass of the memorial; preface of the weekday, or of the saint.

[428] 1 Thess 3:7-13; Ps 90:3-5a, 12-13, 14+17; Matt 24:42-51.

Hours of the memorial
Prop. Ants. Bened. & Magn.

Aug 28 Friday

white

St Augustine, bishop and Doctor of the Church Memorial

Mass of the memorial; preface of the weekday, or of the saint.

[633] 1 John 4:7-16; Ps 119:9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14; Mt 23:8-12.

Seasonal weekday readings:

[429] 1 Thess 4:1-8; Ps 97:1+2b, 5-6, 10, 11-12; Matt 25:1-13.

Hours of the memorial

Prop. Ants. Bened. & Magn.

Aug 29 Saturday

red

Beheading of St John the Baptist, martyr Memorial

Mass of the memorial; preface of the weekday, or of the saint.

[634] Jer 1:17-19; Ps 71:1-2, 3-4a, 5-6ab, 15ab+17; Mark 6:17-29 (Gospel proper).

Seasonal weekday readings:

[430] 1 Thess 4:9-11; Ps 98:1, 7-8, 9; Matt 25:14-30.

Hours of the memorial

Var. Prop. Texts for Hours

Aug 30 Sunday

green

Twenty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

Mass of the Sunday; *Gloria*, Creed.

[125] Deut 4:1-2, 6-8; Ps 15:2-3a, 3b-4a, 4b-5; Jas 1:17-18, 21b-22, 27; Mark 7:1-8, 14-15, 21-23.

Hours of the Sunday. *Te Deum*.

Week 2 of the Psalter.

Aug 31 Monday

green

Monday of the twenty-second week.

Mass *ad lib*.

[431] 1 Thess 4:13-18; Ps 96:1+3, 4-5, 11-12, 13; Luke 4:16-30.

Hours of the day.

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Sep 1 Tuesday

green

Tuesday of the twenty-second week.

Mass *ad lib*.

[432] 1 Thess 5:1-6, 9-11; Ps 27:1, 4, 13-14; Luke 4:31-37.

Hours of the day.

Sep 2 Wednesday

green

Wednesday of the twenty-second week.

Mass *ad lib*.

[433] Col 1:1-8; Ps 52:10, 11; Luke 4:38-44.

Hours of the day.

Sep 3 Thursday

white

St Gregory the Great, pope and doctor Memorial

Mass of the memorial; preface of the weekday, or of the saint.

[434] Col 1:9-14; Ps 98:2-3ab, 3cd-4, 5-6; Luke 5:1-11.

Hours of the memorial

Prop. Ants. Bened. & Magn.

Sep 4 Friday

green

Friday of the twenty-second week.Mass *ad lib.*

[435] Col 1:15-20; Ps 100:1b-2, 3, 4, 5; Luke 5:33-39.

Hours of the day.

white

[Our Lady of the Angels \[Feast in City of Los Angeles\]](#)**Sep 5 Saturday**

green

Saturday of the twenty-second week.Mass *ad lib.*

[436] Col 1:21-23; Ps 54:3-4, 6+8; Luke 6:1-5.

Hours of the day.

white / green

Saturday Memorial of the Blessed Virgin Mary

*Optional***Sep 6 Sunday**

green

Twenty-Third Sunday in Ordinary TimeMass of the Sunday; *Gloria*, Creed.

[128] Isa 35:4-7a; Ps 146:7, 8-9a, 9b-10; Jas 2:1-5; Mark 7:31-37.

Hours of the Sunday. *Te Deum*.

Week 3 of the Psalter.

Sep 7 Monday

red

Ss Stephen Pongracz, Melchior Grodziecki, priests, and Mark Krizevcicanin, canon of Estergom, martyrs [SJ]Outside SJ churches, Mass *ad lib.*

Memorial

Mass of the memorial; preface of the weekday, or of the saint.

[437] Col 1:24-2:3; Ps 62:6-7, 9; Luke 6:6-11.

Hours of the memorial

SJ

Texts in the *Jesuit Supplement*[Labor Day \(USA\)--See Mass for the Blessing of Human Labor \(Var. Needs. no. 25\)](#)**Sep 8 Tuesday**

white

Birth of the Blessed Virgin Mary

Feast

Mass of the feast; *Gloria*, preface of the feast.

[636] Micah 5:1-4a or Rom 8:28-30; Ps 13:6ab, 6cd; Matt 1:1-16, 18-23 or Matt 1:18-23.

Hours of the feast; *Te Deum***Sep 9 Wednesday**

white

St Peter Claver, priest [SJ-USA]

[Memorial for SJ and USA, opt mem in 2002 RM]

Memorial

Mass of the memorial; preface of the weekday, or of the saint.

[439] Col 3:1-11; Ps 145:2-3, 10-11, 12-13ab; Luke 6:20-26.

Hours of the memorial

SJ

Texts in the *Jesuit Supplement***Sep 10 Thursday**

green

Thursday of the twenty-third week.Mass *ad lib.*

[440] Col 3:12-17; Ps 150:1b-2, 3-4, 5-6; Luke 6:27-38.

Hours of the day.

white

*Bl Francis Garate, religious [SJ]*Texts in the *Jesuit Supplement**Optional***Sep 11 Friday**

green

Friday of the twenty-third week.Mass *ad lib.*

[441] 1 Tim 1:1-2, 12-14; Ps 16:1b-2a+5, 7-8, 11; Luke 6:39-42.
Hours of the day.

Sep 12 Saturday

green

Saturday of the twenty-third week.

Mass *ad lib.*

[442] 1 Tim 1:15-17; Ps 113:1b-2, 3-4, 5+6-7; Luke 6:43-49.

Hours of the day.

white

Most Holy Name of Mary [2002 RM]

Optional

white / green

Saturday Memorial of the Blessed Virgin Mary

Optional

Sep 13 Sunday

green

Twenty-Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Mass of the Sunday; *Gloria*, Creed.

[131] Isa 50:5-9a; Ps 116:1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 8-9; Jas 2:14-18; Mark 8:27-35.

Hours of the Sunday. *Te Deum.*

Week 4 of the Psalter.

Sep 14 Monday

red

Exaltation of the Holy Cross

Feast

Mass of the feast; *Gloria*, preface of the feast.

[638] Num 21: 4b-9; Ps 78:1bc-2, 34-35, 36-37, 38; Phil 2:6-11; Jn 3: 13-17.

Hours of the feast; *Te Deum*

Sep 15 Tuesday

white

Our Lady of Sorrows

Memorial

Mass of the memorial. *Sequence (Stabat Mater) optional.* Gospel proper; Preface of

B.V. Mary I or II.

Stabat Mater also recommended for use at the Hours.

[639] Heb 5: 7-9; Ps 31: 2+3b, 3cd-4, 5-6, 15-16, 20; Jn 19:25-27 or Lk 2: 33-35 (Gospel proper).

Seasonal weekday readings:

[444] 1 Tim 3:1-13; Ps 101:1-2ab, 2cd-3ab, 5, 6; Luke 7:11-17.

Hours of the memorial

Var. Prop. Texts for Hours

Sep 16 Wednesday

red

Ss Cornelius, pope and martyr, and Cyprian, bishop and martyr Memorial

Mass of the memorial; preface of the weekday, or of the saint.

[445] 1 Tim 3:14-16; Ps 111:1-2, 3-4, 5-6; Luke 7:31-35.

Hours of the memorial

Prop. Ants. Bened. & Magn.

Sep 17 Thursday

white

St Robert Bellarmine, bishop and doctor [SJ]

Memorial

Outside SJ churches, opt. mem.

Mass of the memorial; preface of the weekday, or of the saint.

[446] 1 Tim 4:12-16; Ps 111:7-8, 9, 10; Luke 7:36-50.

Hours of the memorial

SJ

Texts in the *Jesuit Supplement*

Sep 18 Friday

green

Friday of the twenty-fourth week.

Mass *ad lib.*

[447] 1 Tim 6:2c-12; Ps 49:6-7, 8-10, 17-18, 19-20; Luke 8:1-3.

Hours of the day.

white

St Joseph of Cupertino, priest [Dioc. of San Jose]

Memorial (Solemn. in Cupertino)

Sep 19 Saturday

green

Saturday of the twenty-fourth week.Mass *ad lib.*

[448] 1 Tim 6:13-16; Ps 100:1b-2, 3, 4, 5; Luke 8:4-15.

Hours of the day.

*red**St Januarius, bishop and martyr**Optional*

white / green

Saturday Memorial of the Blessed Virgin Mary

*Optional***Sep 20 Sunday**

green

Twenty-Fifth Sunday in Ordinary TimeMass of the Sunday; *Gloria*, Creed.

[134] Wis 2:12, 17-20; Ps 54:3-4, 5, 6-8; Jas 3:16-4:3; Mark 9:30-37.

Hours of the Sunday. *Te Deum*.

Week 1 of the Psalter.

Sep 21 Monday

red

St Matthew, apostle and evangelist

Feast

Mass of the feast; *Gloria*, preface of the feast.

[643] Eph 4:1-7, 11-13; Ps 19:2-3, 4-5; Matt 9:9-13.

Hours of the feast; *Te Deum***Sep 22 Tuesday**

green

Tuesday of the twenty-fifth week.Mass *ad lib.*

[450] Ezra 6:7-8, 12b, 14-20; Ps 122:1-2, 3-4ab, 4cd-5; Luke 8:19-21.

Hours of the day.

*red**Bl Thomas Sitjar, priest and companions, martyrs [SJ]**Optional**Texts in the Jesuit Supplement***Sep 23 Wednesday**

white

St Pio of Pietrelcina (Padre Pio), priest [post 2002 RM] Memorial

Mass of the memorial; preface of the weekday, or of the saint.

[451] Ezra 9:5-9; Tob 13:2, 3-4a, 6cd, 7-8, 6fg; Luke 9:1-6.

Hours of the memorial

Sep 24 Thursday

green

Thursday of the twenty-fifth week.Mass *ad lib.*

[452] Hag 1:1-8; Ps 149:1b-2, 3-4, 5-6a+9; Luke 9:7-9.

Hours of the day.

Sep 25 Friday

green

Friday of the twenty-fifth week.Mass *ad lib.*

[453] Hag 2:1-9; Ps 43:1, 2, 3, 4; Luke 9:18-22.

Hours of the day.

Sep 26 Saturday

green

Saturday of the twenty-fifth week.Mass *ad lib.*

[454] Zech 2:5-9, 14-15a; Jer 31:10, 11-12ab, 13; Luke 9:43b-45.

Hours of the day.

*red**Ss Cosmas and Damian, martyrs**Optional*

white / green

Saturday Memorial of the Blessed Virgin Mary

Optional

Sep 27 Sunday

green

Twenty-Sixth Sunday in Ordinary TimeMass of the Sunday; *Gloria*, Creed.

[137] Num 11:25-29; Ps 19:8, 10, 12-13, 14; Jas 5:1-6; Mark 9:38-43, 45, 47-48.

Hours of the Sunday. *Te Deum*.

Week 2 of the Psalter.

SJ NOTE:

Monthly Mass for the needs of the Church and the Society should be offered on September 27, the anniversary of the confirmation of the Society (1540).

Sep 28 Monday

green

Monday of the twenty-sixth week.Mass *ad lib*.

[455] Zech 8:1-8; Ps 102:16-18, 19-21, 29+22-23; Luke 9:46-50.

Hours of the day.

*red**St Lawrence Ruiz and his companions, martyrs [2002 RM]* *Optional**red**St Wenceslaus, martyr* *Optional***Sep 29 Tuesday**

white

Ss Michael, Gabriel and Raphael, archangels FeastMass of the feast; *Gloria*, preface of the feast.

[647] Dan 7:9-10, 13-14 or Rev 12:7-12ab; Ps 138:1-2ab, 2cde-3, 4-5; John 1:47-51.

Hours of the feast; *Te Deum***Sep 30 Wednesday**

white

St Jerome, priest and doctor Memorial

Mass of the memorial; preface of the weekday, or of the saint.

[457] Neh 2:1-8; Ps 137:1-2, 3, 4-5, 6; Luke 9:57-62.

Hours of the memorial

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white

St Thérèse of the Child Jesus, virgin and doctor Memorial

Mass of the memorial; preface of the weekday, or of the saint.

[458] Neh 8:1-4a, 5-6, 7b-12; Ps 19:8, 9, 10, 11; Luke 10:1-12.

Hours of the memorial

Prop. Ants. Bened. & Magn.

Oct 2 Friday

white

The Guardian Angels Memorial

Mass of the memorial; preface of the weekday, or of the saint.

[650] Exod 23:20-23; Ps 91:1-2, 3-4ab, 4c-6, 10-11; Matt 18:1-5, 10 (Gospel proper).

Seasonal weekday readings:

[459] Bar 1:15-22; Ps 79:1b-2, 3-5, 8, 9; Luke 10:13-16.

Hours of the memorial

Var. Prop. Texts for Hours

Oct 3 Saturday

white

St Francis Borgia, priest [SJ] MemorialOutside SJ churches, Mass *ad lib*.

Mass of the memorial; preface of the weekday, or of the saint.

[460] Bar 4:5-12, 27-29; Ps 69:33-35, 36-37; Luke 10:17-24.

Hours of the memorial

SJ

Texts in the *Jesuit Supplement*

Oct 4 Sunday

green

Twenty-Seventh Sunday in Ordinary TimeMass of the Sunday; *Gloria*, Creed.

[140] Gen 2:18-24; Ps 128:1-2, 3, 4-5, 6; Heb 2:9-11; Mark 10:2-16 or 10:2-12.

Hours of the Sunday. *Te Deum*.

Week 3 of the Psalter.

Oct 5 Monday

green

Monday of the twenty-seventh week.Mass *ad lib*.

[461] Jonah 1:1-2:1, 11; Jonah 2:3, 4, 5, 8; Luke 10:25-37.

Hours of the day.

Oct 6 Tuesday

green

Tuesday of the twenty-seventh week.Mass *ad lib*.

[462] Jonah 3:1-10; Ps 130:1b-2, 3-4ab, 7-8; Luke 10:38-42.

Hours of the day.

*white**Bl Diego Aloysius de San Vitores, priest [SJ]**Texts in the Jesuit Supplement**Optional**white**Bl Marie Rose Durocher, virgin [USA]**Optional**white**St Bruno, priest**Optional***Oct 7 Wednesday**

white

Our Lady of the Rosary

Memorial

Mass of the memorial; preface of the weekday, or of the saint.

[463] Jonah 4:1-11; Ps 86:3-4, 5-6, 9-10; Luke 11:1-4.

Hours of the memorial

Var. Prop. Texts for Hours

Oct 8 Thursday

green

Thursday of the twenty-seventh week.Mass *ad lib*.

[464] Mal 3:13-20b; Ps 1:1, 1-2, 3, 4+6; Luke 11:5-13.

Hours of the day.

Oct 9 Friday

green

Friday of the twenty-seventh week.Mass *ad lib*.

[465] Joel 1:13-15; 2:1-2; Ps 9:2-3, 6+16, 8-9; Luke 11:15-26.

Hours of the day.

*red**St Denis, bishop and martyr, and companions, martyrs**Optional**white**St John Leonardi, priest**Optional***Oct 10 Saturday**

green

Saturday of the twenty-seventh week.Mass *ad lib*.

[466] Joel 4:12-21; Ps 97:1-2, 5-6, 11-12; Luke 11:27-28.

Hours of the day.

white / green

Saturday Memorial of the Blessed Virgin Mary

*Optional***Oct 11 Sunday**

green

Twenty-Eighth Sunday in Ordinary TimeMass of the Sunday; *Gloria*, Creed.

[143] Wis 7:7-11; Ps 90:12-13, 14-15, 16-17; Heb 4:12-13; Mark 10:17-30 or 10:17-27.

Hours of the Sunday. *Te Deum*.

Week 4 of the Psalter.

Oct 12 Monday

green

Monday of the twenty-eighth week.*Mass ad lib.*

[467] Rom 1:1-7; Ps 98:1bcde, 2-3ab, 3cd-4; Luke 11:29-32.

Hours of the day.

*white**Bl John Beyzym, priest [SJ]**Texts in the Jesuit Supplement**Optional***Oct 13 Tuesday**

green

Tuesday of the twenty-eighth week.*Mass ad lib.*

[468] Rom 1:16-25; Ps 19:2-3, 4-5; Luke 11:37-41.

Hours of the day.

Oct 14 Wednesday

red

St John Ogilvie, priest, martyr [SJ]Outside SJ churches, *Mass ad lib. or opt. mem. of St Callistus I, pope and martyr*

Memorial

Mass of the memorial; preface of the weekday, or of the saint.

[469] Rom 2:1-11; Ps 62:2-3, 6-7, 9; Luke 11:42-46.

Hours of the memorial

SJ*Texts in the Jesuit Supplement***Oct 15 Thursday**

white

St Teresa of Jesus, virgin and doctor

Memorial

Mass of the memorial; preface of the weekday, or of the saint.

[470] Rom 3:21-30; Ps 130:1b-2, 3-4, 5-6ab; Luke 11:47-54.

Hours of the memorial

Oct 16 Friday

green

Friday of the twenty-eighth week.*Mass ad lib.*

[471] Rom 4:1-8; Ps 32:1b-2, 5, 11; Luke 12:1-7.

Hours of the day.

*white**St Hedwig, religious**Optional**white**St Margaret Mary Alacoque, virgin**Optional***Oct 17 Saturday**

red

St Ignatius of Antioch, bishop and martyr

Memorial

Mass of the memorial; preface of the weekday, or of the saint.

[472] Rom 4:13, 16-18; Ps 105:6-7, 8-9, 42-43; Luke 12:8-12.

Hours of the memorial

Prop. Ants. Bened. & Magn.

Oct 18 Sunday

green

Twenty-Ninth Sunday in Ordinary TimeMass of the Sunday; *Gloria*, Creed.

[146] Isa 53:10-11; Ps 33:4-5, 18-19, 20+22; Heb 4:14-16; Mark 10:35-45 or 10:42-45.

Hours of the Sunday. *Te Deum*.

Week 1 of the Psalter.

[World Mission Sunday--Intercessions for Missionary activity of the Church are appropriate.](#)**Oct 19 Monday**

red

Ss Isaac Jogues and John de Br beuf, priests and comp., martyrs [SJ, USA]

Outside SJ churches in US, Memorial (use seasonal weekday readings)

Feast

Mass of the feast; *Gloria*, preface of the feast.

[662]). [SJ-Lect] Heb 11:1, 35b-38, 12:1-2; Ps 107:2-3, 4-5, 6-7, 8-9; Matt 16:21, 24-28 (or Rom. Lect.

SJ
Hours of the feast; *Te Deum*
Texts in the *Jesuit Supplement*

Oct 20 Tuesday
green

Tuesday of the twenty-ninth week.

Mass *ad lib.*

[474] Rom 5:12, 15b, 17-19, 20b-21; Ps 40:7-8a, 8b-9, 10, 17; Luke 12:35-38.

Hours of the day.

white

St Paul of the Cross, priest

[Date observed in USA]

Optional

Oct 21 Wednesday

green

Wednesday of the twenty-ninth week.

Mass *ad lib.*

[475] Rom 6:12-18; Ps 124:1b-3, 4-6, 7-8; Luke 12:39-48.

Hours of the day.

Oct 22 Thursday

green

Thursday of the twenty-ninth week.

Mass *ad lib.*

[476] Rom 6:19-23; Ps 1:1-2, 3, 4+6; Luke 12:49-53.

Hours of the day.

Oct 23 Friday

green

Friday of the twenty-ninth week.

Mass *ad lib.*

[477] Rom 7:18-25a; Ps 119:66, 68, 76, 77, 93, 94; Luke 12:54-59.

Hours of the day.

white

St John of Capistrano, priest

Optional

Oct 24 Saturday

green

Saturday of the twenty-ninth week.

Mass *ad lib.*

[478] Rom 8:1-11; Ps 24:1b-2, 3-4ab, 5-6; Luke 13:1-9.

Hours of the day.

white

St Anthony Mary Claret, bishop

Optional

white / green

Saturday Memorial of the Blessed Virgin Mary

Optional

Oct 25 Sunday

green

Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Mass of the Sunday; *Gloria*, Creed.

[149] Jer 31:7-9; Ps 126:1-2a, 2b-3, 4-5, 6; Heb 5:1-6; Mark 10:46-52.

Hours of the Sunday. *Te Deum.*

Week 2 of the Psalter.

Oct 26 Monday

green

Monday of the thirtieth week.

Mass *ad lib.*

[479] Rom 8:12-17; Ps 68:2+4, 6-7ab, 20-21; Luke 13:10-17.

Hours of the day.

Oct 27 Tuesday

green

Tuesday of the thirtieth week.

Mass *ad lib.*

[480] Rom 8:18-25; Ps 126:1b-2ab, 2cd-3, 4-5, 6; Luke 13:18-21.

Hours of the day.

Oct 28 Wednesday

red

Ss Simon and Jude, apostles

Feast

Mass of the feast; *Gloria*, preface of the feast.

[666] Eph 2:19-22; Ps 19:2-3, 4-5; Lk 6:12-16.

Hours of the feast; *Te Deum*

Oct 29 Thursday

green

Thursday of the thirtieth week.

Mass *ad lib.*

[482] Rom 8:31b-39; Ps 109:21-22, 26-27, 30-31; Luke 13:31-35.

Hours of the day.

Oct 30 Friday

green

Friday of the thirtieth week.

Mass *ad lib.*

[483] Rom 9:1-5; Ps 147:12-13, 14-15, 19-20; Luke 14:1-6.

Hours of the day.

red

Bl Dominic Collins, religious, martyr [SJ]

Texts in the Jesuit Supplement

Optional

Oct 31 Saturday

white

St Alphonsus Rodriguez, religious [SJ]

Memorial

Mass of the memorial; preface of the weekday, or of the saint.

[484] Rom 11:1-2a, 11-12, 25-29; Ps 94:12-13a, 14-15, 17-18; Luke 14:1, 7-11.

Hours of the memorial

SJ

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Nov 1 Sunday

white

ALL SAINTS

Holy Day of Obligation except when Nov 1 occurs on a Monday or Saturday or in Hawai'i.

Solemnity

Mass of the Solemnity; *Gloria*, Creed, preface of the Solemnity

[667] Rev 7:2-4, 9-14; Ps 24:1bc-2, 3-4ab, 5-6; 1 Jn 3:1-3; Mt 5: 1-12a.

Hours of the Solemnity; *Te Deum*

[Standard Time returns today \(turn clocks BACK one hour\).](#)

Nov 2 Monday

black or violet

or white

Commemoration of All the Faithful Departed (All Souls)

Mass 1, 2 or 3 of All Souls; 3 readings from [668] or the Common of the Dead

[1011ff]; (Creed on Sundays;) Preface of Christian Death I - V

Priests may celebrate three Masses; second is offered for all faithful departed, third for intentions of the Pope.

Hours of the Dead with proper 2nd reading for Office of Readings.

Nov 3 Tuesday

green

Tuesday of the thirty-first week.

Mass *ad lib.*

[486] Rom 12:5-16ab; Ps 131; 1bcde, 2, 3; Luke 14:15-24.

Hours of the day.

white *Bl Rupert Mayer, priest [SJ]*
Texts in the *Jesuit Supplement* *Optional*
white *St Martin de Porres, religious* *Optional*
SJ NOTE: **Monthly Mass for deceased Jesuits should be offered on November 3 (or 4).**

Nov 4 Wednesday

white **St Charles Borromeo, bishop** Memorial
Mass of the memorial; preface of the weekday, or of the saint.
[487] Rom 13:8-10; Ps 112:1b-2, 4-5, 9; Luke 14:25-33.
Hours of the memorial

Nov 5 Thursday

white **All Saints and Blessed of the Society of Jesus [SJ]**
Outside SJ churches, Mass *ad lib.* with weekday readings. Feast
Mass of the feast; *Gloria*, preface of the feast.
[SJ-Lect] Deut 30:11-14 or Phil 3:8-14; Ps 16:1-2a+5, 7-8, 9-10, 11; Jn 12:23-26.
Hours of the feast; *Te Deum*
SJ Texts in the *Jesuit Supplement*

Nov 6 Friday

green **Friday of the thirty-first week.**
Mass *ad lib.*
[489] Rom 15:14-21; Ps 98:1, 2-3ab, 3cd-4; Luke 16:1-8.
Hours of the day.

Nov 7 Saturday

green **Saturday of the thirty-first week.**
Mass *ad lib.*
[490] Rom 16:3-9, 16, 22-27; Ps 145:2-3, 4-5, 10-11; Luke 16:9-15.
Hours of the day.

Nov 8 Sunday

green **Thirty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time**
Mass of the Sunday; *Gloria*, Creed.
[155] 1 Kgs 17:10-16; Ps 146:7, 8-9a, 9b-10; Heb 9:24-28; Mark 12:38-44 or 12:41-44.
Hours of the Sunday. *Te Deum*.
Week 4 of the Psalter.

Nov 9 Monday

white **Dedication of the Basilica of St John Lateran** Feast
Mass of the feast; *Gloria*, preface of the feast.
[671] Ezek 47:1-2, 8-9, 12; Ps 45: 2-3, 5-6, 8-9; 1 Cor 3:9c-11, 16-17; Jn 2: 13-22.
Hours of the feast; *Te Deum*

Nov 10 Tuesday

white **St Leo the Great, pope and doctor** Memorial
Mass of the memorial; preface of the weekday, or of the saint.
[492] Wis 2:23-3:9; Ps 34:2-3, 16-17, 18-19; Luke 17:7-10.
Hours of the memorial
Prop. Ants. Bened. & Magn.

Nov 11 Wednesday

white **St Martin of Tours, bishop** Memorial
Mass of the memorial; preface of the weekday, or of the saint.
[493] Wis 6:1-11; Ps 82:3-4, 6-7; Luke 17:11-19.
Hours of the memorial
Var. Prop. Texts for Hours

Nov 12 Thursday

red

St Josaphat, bishop and martyr

Memorial

Mass of the memorial; preface of the weekday, or of the saint.

[494] Wis 7:22b-8:1; Ps 119:89, 90, 91, 130, 135, 175; Luke 17:20-25.

Hours of the memorial

Nov 13 Friday

white

St Stanislaus Kostka, religious [SJ]

Outside SJ churches, in USA

St Frances Xavier Cabrini, virgin [USA]

Memorial

Mass of the memorial; preface of the weekday, or of the saint.

[495] Wis 13:1-9; Ps 19:2-3, 4-5ab; Luke 17:26-37.

Hours of the memorial

SJ

Texts in the *Jesuit Supplement***Nov 14 Saturday**

white

St Joseph Pignatelli, priest [SJ]Outside SJ churches, Mass *ad lib.*

Memorial

Mass of the memorial; preface of the weekday, or of the saint.

[496] Wis 18:14-16; 19:6-9; Ps 105:2-3, 36-37, 42-43; Luke 18:1-8.

Hours of the memorial

SJ

Texts in the *Jesuit Supplement***Nov 15 Sunday**

green

Thirty-Third Sunday in Ordinary TimeMass of the Sunday; *Gloria*, Creed.

[158] Dan 12:1-3; Ps 16:5+8, 9-10, 11; Heb 10:11-14, 18; Mark 13:24-32.

Hours of the Sunday. *Te Deum*.

Week 1 of the Psalter.

Nov 16 Monday

red

Ss Roch Gonzalez, John del Castillo, Alphonsus Rodriguez, priests, martyrs

[SJ]

Outside SJ churches, seasonal weekday, or

St Margaret (opt mem), or

St Gertrude (opt mem)

Memorial

Mass of the memorial; preface of the weekday, or of the saint.

[497] 1 Macc 1:10-15, 41-43, 54-57, 62-63; Ps 119:53, 61, 134, 150, 155, 158; Luke 18:35-43.

Hours of the memorial

SJ

Texts in the *Jesuit Supplement***Nov 17 Tuesday**

white

St Elizabeth of Hungary

Memorial

Mass of the memorial; preface of the weekday, or of the saint.

[498] 2 Macc 6:18-31; Ps 3:2-3, 4-5, 6-7; Luke 19:1-10.

Hours of the memorial

Nov 18 Wednesday

green

Wednesday of the thirty-third week.Mass *ad lib.*

[499] 2 Macc 7:1, 20-31; Ps 17:1bcd, 5-6, 8b+15; Luke 19:11-28.

Hours of the day.

white

Dedication of the churches of Peter and Paul, apostles (Both readings proper in Lect.

[679])

Optional

white

St Rose Philippine Duchesne, virgin [USA]

Optional

Nov 19 Thursday

green

Thursday of the thirty-third week.Mass *ad lib.*

[500] 1 Macc 2:15-29; Ps 50:1b-2, 5-6, 14-15; Luke 19:41-44.

Hours of the day.

Nov 20 Friday

green

Friday of the thirty-third week.Mass *ad lib.*

[501] 1 Macc 4:36-37, 52-59; 1 Chr 29:10bcd, 11abc, 11d-12a, 12bcd; Luke 19:45-48.

Hours of the day.

Nov 21 Saturday

white

Presentation of Mary

Memorial

Mass of the memorial; preface of the weekday, or of the saint.

[502] 1 Macc 6:1-13; Ps 9:2-3, 4+6, 16+19; Luke 20:27-40.

Hours of the memorial

Prop. Ants. Bened. & Magn.

Nov 22 Sunday

white

Our Lord Jesus Christ the King

Solemnity

Mass of the Solemnity; *Gloria*, Creed.

[161] Dan 7:13-14; Ps 93:1a, 1b-2, 5; Rev 1:5-8; John 18:33b-37.

Hours of the solemnity. *Te Deum***Nov 23 Monday**

green

Monday of the thirty-fourth week.Mass *ad lib.*

[503] Dan 1:1-6, 8-20; Dan 3:52, 53, 54, 55, 56; Luke 21:1-4.

Hours of the day.

*red**Bl Miguel Agustin Pro, priest, martyr [SJ] [USA]**Texts in the Jesuit Supplement**Optional**red**St Clement I, pope and martyr**Optional**white**St Columban, abbot**Optional***Nov 24 Tuesday****St Andrew Dung-Lac, priest, martyr and companions, martyrs [2002 RM]**

Memorial

Mass of the memorial; preface of the weekday, or of the saint.

[504] Dan 2:31-45; Dan 3:57, 58, 59, 60, 61; Luke 21:5-11.

Hours of the memorial

Nov 25 Wednesday

green

Wednesday of the thirty-fourth week.Mass *ad lib.*

[505] Dan 5:1-6, 13-14, 16-17, 23-28; Dan 3:62, 63, 64, 65, 66, 67; Luke 21:12-19.

Hours of the day.

*white**St Catherine of Alexandria (or of Sinai) [2002 RM]**Optional***Nov 26 Thursday**

white

St. John Berchmans, religious [SJ]

Memorial

Outside SJ churches, Mass *ad lib.*

Mass of the memorial; preface of the weekday, or of the saint.

[506] Dan 6:12-28; Dan 3:68, 69, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74; Luke 21:20-28.

Hours of the memorial

SJTexts in the *Jesuit Supplement*

Thanksgiving Day (USA)--See Texts in Sacramentary
For readings, consult Lectionary, Vol IV, nos [943ff].

Nov 27 Friday

green

Friday of the thirty-fourth week.

Mass *ad lib.*

[507] Dan 7:2-14; Dan 3:75, 76, 77, 78, 79, 80, 81; Luke 21:29-33.

Hours of the day.

Nov 28 Saturday

green

Saturday of the thirty-fourth week.

Mass *ad lib.*

[508] Dan 7:15-27; Dan 3:82, 83, 84, 85, 86, 87; Luke 21:34-36.

Hours of the day.

white / green

Saturday Memorial of the Blessed Virgin Mary

Optional

Nov 29 Sunday

New Liturgical Year Begins with the First Sunday of Advent.

New Sunday Cycle for Readings.

Starting today, the Sunday cycle is Year C.

violet

First Sunday of Advent

Week 1

Mass of the Sunday; the *Gloria* is omitted; Creed. Preface of Advent II. Ritual and funeral

Masses are prohibited.

[3] Jer 33:14-16; Ps 25:4-5, 8-9, 10+14; 1 Thess 3:12-4:2; Luke 21:25-28, 34-36.

Hours of the Sunday; *Te Deum*

Nov 30 Monday

red

St Andrew, apostle

Feast

Mass of the feast; *Gloria*, preface of the feast.

[684] Rom 10: 9-18; Ps 19:8, 9, 10, 11; Mt 4:18-22.

Hours of the feast; *Te Deum*

DECEMBER

Link to <http://apostleshipofprayer.org> for Monthly Papal Prayer intentions

Dec 1 Tuesday

red

Ss Edmund Campion, Robert Southwell, priests, and comp., martyrs [SJ]

Outside SJ churches, Mass of the occurring season.

Memorial

Mass of the memorial; preface of Advent I or of the saint.

[176] Isa 11:1-10; Ps 72:1-2, 7-8, 12-13, 17; Luke 10:21-24.

Hours of the saint.

SJ

Texts in the *Jesuit Supplement*.

Dec 2 Wednesday

violet

Wednesday of the first week in Advent.

Mass of the day. Preface of Advent I

[177] Isa 25:6-10a; Ps 23:1-3a, 3b-4, 5, 6; Matt 15:29-37.

Hours of the day.

Dec 3 Thursday

white

St Francis Xavier, priest [SJ]

Feast

Outside SJ churches, memorial; weekday readings.

Mass of the feast; *Gloria*, preface of the feast.

[SJ-Lect] Zeph 3:9-10, 14-18a; Ps 86:1-2, 3-4, 5-6; Mt 28:16-20.

SJ Hours of the feast; *Te Deum*
Texts in the *Jesuit Supplement*.

Dec 4 Friday
violet

Friday of the first week in Advent.
Mass of the day. Preface of Advent I
[179] Isa 29:17-24; Ps 27:1, 4, 13-14; Matt 9:27-31.
Hours of the day.

white *St John of Damascus, priest and doctor* *Optional*

Dec 5 Saturday
violet

Saturday of the first week in Advent.
Mass of the day. Preface of Advent I
[180] Isa 30:19-21, 23-26; Ps 147:1-2, 3-4, 5-6; Matt 9:35-10:1, 6-8.
Hours of the day.

Dec 6 Sunday
violet

Second Sunday of Advent Week 2
Mass of the Sunday; the *Gloria* is omitted; Creed. Preface of Advent I. Ritual and funeral
Masses are prohibited.
[6] Bar 5:1-9; Ps 126:1-2a, 2b-3, 4-5, 6; Phil 1:4-6, 8-11; Luke 3:1-6.
Hours of the Sunday; *Te Deum*

Dec 7 Monday
white

St Ambrose, bishop and doctor Memorial
Mass of the memorial; preface of Advent I or of the saint.
[181] Isa 35:1-10; Ps 85:9ab+10, 11-12, 13-14; Luke 5:17-26.
Hours of the saint.

Dec 8 Tuesday

white

IMMACULATE CONCEPTION OF B.V. MARY
(Patroness of the United States)

Holy Day of Obligation. In years this feast is transferred to Monday, Dec 9, the obligation is not transferred. Solemnity
Mass of the solemnity; *Gloria*, Creed, preface of the solemnity.
[689] Gen 3:9-15, 20; Ps 98:1, 2-3ab, 3bc-4; Eph 1:3-6, 11-12; Luke 1:26-38.
Hours of the solemnity; *Te Deum*

Dec 9 Wednesday
violet

Wednesday of the second week in Advent.
Mass of the day. Preface of Advent I
[183] Isa 40:25-31; Ps 103:1-2, 3-4, 8+10; Matt 11:28-30.
Hours of the day.

white *St Juan Diego Cuatlatlatoatzin, hermit [post RM 2002]* *Optional*

Dec 10 Thursday
violet

Thursday of the second week in Advent.
Mass of the day. Preface of Advent I
[184] Isa 41:13-20; Ps 145:1+9, 10-11, 12-13ab; Matt 11:11-15.
Hours of the day.

Dec 11 Friday
violet

Friday of the second week in Advent.
Mass of the day. Preface of Advent I
[185] Isa 48:17-19; Ps 1:1-2, 3, 4+6; Matt 11:16-19.

white Hours of the day.
St Damasus I, pope *Optional*

Dec 12 Saturday

white **Our Lady of Guadalupe [USA-feast]** Feast
Mass of the feast; *Gloria*, preface of the feast.
[690A] Zech 2:14-17 or Rev 11:19a; 12:1-6a, 10ab or alt.; Jud 13:18bcde, 19; Lk 1:26-38.
Hours of the feast; *Te Deum*

Dec 13 Sunday

violet **Third Sunday of Advent** Week 3
or rose *Gaudete* Sunday
Mass of the Sunday; the *Gloria* is omitted; Creed. Preface of Advent I. Ritual and funeral
Masses are prohibited.
[9] Zeph 3:14-18a; Isa 12:2-3, 4, 5-6; Phil 4:4-7; Luke 3:10-18.
Hours of the Sunday; *Te Deum*
Organ may be played solo; flowers may decorate the altar today. (PS 25, 2002 GIRM 305, 313).

Dec 14 Monday

white **St John of the Cross, priest and doctor** Memorial
Mass of the memorial; preface of Advent I or of the saint.
[187] Num 24:2-7, 15-17a; Ps 25:4bc-5ab, 6+7bc, 8-9; Matt 21:23-27.
Hours of the saint.

Dec 15 Tuesday

violet **Tuesday of the third week in Advent.**
Mass of the day. Preface of Advent I
[188] Zeph 3:1-2, 9-13; Ps 34:2-3, 6-8, 17-18, 19+23; Matt 21:28-32.
Hours of the day.

Dec 16 Wednesday

violet **Wednesday of the third week in Advent.**
Mass of the day. Preface of Advent I
[189] Isa 45:6b-8, 18, 21b-25; Ps 85:9ab+10, 11-12, 13-14; Luke 7:18b-23.
Hours of the day.

Dec 17 Thursday

violet **17 December.**
Mass of 17 December; preface of Advent II
[193] Gen 49:2, 8-10; Ps 72:1-2, 3-4ab, 7-8, 17; Matt 1:1-17.
Hours of 17 December
The "Christmas Novena" begins today. Special texts in Mass & Office, including the "O Antiphons" at Evening Prayer and as the Alleluia Verse at Mass.

Dec 18 Friday

violet **18 December.**
Mass of 18 December; preface of Advent II
[194] Jer 23:5-8; Ps 72:1-2, 12-13, 18-19; Matt 1:18-25.
Hours of 18 December

Dec 19 Saturday

violet **19 December.**
Mass of 19 December; preface of Advent II
[195] Judg 13:2-7, 24-25a; Ps 71:3-4a, 5-6ab, 16-17; Luke 1:5-25.

Hours of 19 December

Dec 20 Sunday

violet

Fourth Sunday of Advent

Week 4

Mass of the Sunday; the *Gloria* is omitted; Creed. Preface of Advent II. Ritual and funeral

Masses are prohibited.

[12] Mic 5:1-4a; Ps 80:2-3, 15-16, 18-19; Heb 10:5-10; Luke 1:39-45.

Hours of the Sunday; *Te Deum*

Dec 21 Monday

violet

21 December.

Mass of 21 December; preface of Advent II

[197] Song 2:8-14 or Zeph 3:14-18a; Ps 33:2-3, 11-12, 20-21; Luke 1:39-45.

Hours of 21 December

white

[[*Outside SJ churches*]

St Peter Canisius, priest and doctor

Celebrated on April 27 in Soc Jesus.

Optional

Dec 22 Tuesday

violet

22 December.

Mass of 22 December; preface of Advent II

[198] 1 Sam 1:24-28; 1 Sam 2:1, 4-5, 6-7, 8abcd; Luke 1:46-56.

Hours of 22 December

Dec 23 Wednesday

violet

23 December.

Mass of 23 December; preface of Advent II

[199] Mal 3:1-4, 23-24; Ps 25:4-5ab, 8-9, 10+14; Luke 1:57-66.

Hours of 23 December

white

St John of Kanty, priest

Optional

Dec 24 Thursday

violet

24 December.

Mass of 24 December; preface of Advent II

[200] 2 Sam 7:1-5, 8b-11, 14a, 16; Ps 89:2-3, 4-5, 27+29; Luke 1:67-79.

Hours of 24 December

Evening Prayer I and Vigil Mass of Christmas.

Night Prayer is said only by those not attending Office of Readings and Midnight Mass.

CHRISTMAS SEASON

Dec 25 Friday

white

**CHRISTMAS DAY,
THE NATIVITY OF THE LORD**

Holy Day of Obligation

Solemnity

For pastoral reasons, the texts of the Midnight Mass may be used at the Vigil. Priests may celebrate or concelebrate three Masses as long as they are celebrated at the proper times (2002 GIRM 204c).

Mass of the Vigil, Midnight, Dawn or Day Mass; *Gloria*, Creed

Readings:

Vigil Mass: [13] Is 62:1-5; Ps 89:4-5, 16-17, 27, 29; Ac 13:16-17, 22-25; Mt 1:1-25 or Mt 1: 18-25

Midnight Mass: [14] Is 9: 1-7 Ps 96: 1-3, 11-13 Tit 2: 11-14 Lk 2: 1-14

Dawn Mass: [15] Is 62: 11-12 Ps 97: 1, 6, 11-12 Tit 3:4-7 Lk 2: 15-20

Mass During the Day: [16] Is 52: 7-10 Ps 98: 1-6 Heb 1: 1-6 Jn 1: 1-18

All genuflect in the creed at "...and was made man."

Christmas Preface I - III

Special *Communicantes* in Roman Canon (throughout octave.)

Hours of Christmas; *Te Deum*.

Before Mass at midnight on Christmas it is appropriate that the Office of Readings be celebrated as a vigil. (GILH, n. 215) At the conclusion of this celebration, the Martyrology (Proclamation of the Birth of Christ) may be sung. See the text provided in the U.S. *Sacramentary Supplement*.

Dec 26 Saturday

red

St Stephen, protomartyr

Feast

Mass of the feast; *Gloria*.

Christmas Preface I - III

Special *Communicantes* in Roman Canon.

Morning hours of the feast; *Te Deum*; Evening Prayer of Octave of Christmas.

[696] Acts 6:8-10; 7:54-59; Ps 31:3cd-4, 6ab+8ab, 16bc+17; Matt 10:17-22.

Dec 27 Sunday

white

HOLY FAMILY OF JESUS, MARY AND JOSEPH

Mass of the feast; *Gloria*, Creed. Christmas Preface I - III. Special *Communicantes* in Roman Canon.

Feast

[17] Sir 3:2-6, 12-14 or (Year C) 1 Sam 1:20-22, 24-28; Ps 128:1-2, 3, 4-5 or (Year C) Ps 84:2-3, 5-6, 9-10; Col 3:12-21 (3:12-17) or (Year C) 1 John 3:1-2, 21-24; Luke 2:41-52.

Hours of the feast. *Te Deum*.

Dec 28 Monday

red

The Holy Innocents, martyrs

Feast

Mass of the feast; *Gloria*.

Christmas Preface I - III

Special *Communicantes* in Roman Canon.

Morning hours of the feast; *Te Deum*; Evening Prayer of Octave of Christmas.

[698] 1 John 1:5-2:2; Ps 124:2-3, 4-5, 7cd-8; Matt 2:13-18.

Dec 29 Tuesday

white

Fifth day in the Octave of Christmas

Mass of the day; *Gloria*; preface of Christmas I - III; Special *Communicantes* in Roman Canon.

[202] 1 John 2:3-11; Ps 96:1-2a, 2b-3, 5b-6; Luke 2:22-35.

Hours of the day. *Te Deum*.

red

St Thomas Becket, bishop and martyr

Optional

Dec 30 Wednesday

white

Sixth day in the Octave of Christmas

Mass of the day; *Gloria*; preface of Christmas I - III; Special *Communicantes* in Roman Canon.

[203] 1 John 2:12-17; Ps 96:7-8a, 8b-9, 10; Luke 2:36-40.

Hours of the day. *Te Deum*.

Dec 31 Thursday

white

Seventh day in the Octave of Christmas

Mass of the day; *Gloria*; preface of Christmas I - III; Special *Communicantes* in Roman Canon.

[204] 1 John 2:18-21; Ps 96:1-2, 11-12, 13; John 1:1-18.

Hours of the day. *Te Deum*.

white

St Sylvester I, pope

Optional