

Christian Formation Planning Calendar
The Year of Our Lord
2008 – 2009

Eucharistic Lectionary Year A Revised Common Lectionary

Calendar and Lessons

Congregation Planning

Season after Pentecost:

September 7 – 17th Sunday after Pentecost

Exodus 12: 1 -14 or Ezekiel 33: 7 -11

Psalm 149 or Psalm 119: 33-40

Romans 13: 8 – 14

Matthew 18: 15 -20

September 14– 18th Sunday after Pentecost

Exodus 14: 19 -31 or Exodus 15: 1b- 11, 20-21 or Genesis 50: 15 - 21

Psalm 114 or Psalm 103: (1-7) 8 – 13

Romans 14: 1-12

Matthew 18: 21 - 35

September 21, - 19th Sunday after Pentecost

Exodus 16: 2 - 15, or Jonah 3:10 – 4:11

Psalm 105: 1-6 or Psalm 145: 1-8

Philippians 1: 21 -30

Matthew 20:1-16

September 28 – 20th Sunday after Pentecost

Exodus 17: 1 -7 or Ezekiel 18: 1 -4, 25-32

Psalm 78: 1-4, 7-9, 12-20 or Isaiah 5: 1-7

Philippians 2: 1-13

Matthew 21: 23-32

October 5– 21st Sunday after Pentecost (Oct. 4, St. Francis)

Exodus 20: 1-4, 7-9, 12-20 or Isaiah 5: 1-7

Psalm 19 or Psalm 8:7-14

Philippians 3: 4b-14

Matthew 21: 33 – 46

October 12 - 22nd Sunday after Pentecost

Exodus 32: 1-14 or Isaiah 25: 1-9

Psalm 106: 1-6, 19-23, or Psalm 23

Philippians 4: 1-9

Matthew 22: 1-14

October 19 - 23rd Sunday after Pentecost (Children's Sabbath)

Exodus 33: 12-23 or Isaiah 45: 1-7

Psalm 99 or Psalm 96: 1-9 (10 -13)

1 Thessalonians 1: 1-10

Matthew 22: 15- 22

October 26 - 24th Sunday after Pentecost

Deuteronomy 34: 1-12, or Leviticus 19: 1-2, 15-18

Psalm 90: 1-6, 13-17 or Psalm 1

1 Thessalonians 2: 1-8

Matthew 22: 34 – 46

November 2 – 25th Sunday after All Saints' Day – (elections this week)

25th Sunday after Pentecost

Daylight savings time ends

Ecclesiasticus 44: 1-10, 13-13

Psalm 149

Revelation 7: 2-4, 9-17

Matthew 5: 1-12

November 9 – 26th Sunday after Pentecost

Joshua 24: 1-3a, 14-25 or Amos 5: 18-24

Psalm 78: 1-7 or Wisdom of Solomon 6:12 -20

1 Thessalonians 4:13-18

Matthew 25: 1-13

November 16 – 27th Sunday after Pentecost

Judges 4: 1-7 or Zephaniah 1-7, 12-18

Psalm 123 or Psalm 90:1-8, (9-11), 12

1 Thessalonians 5: 1-11

Matthew 25: 14-30

November 23, 2008 – Christ the King - Last Sunday after Pentecost

Ezekiel 34:11-16, 20-24

Psalm 100 or Psalm 95: 1-7a

Ephesians 1: 15-23

Matthew 25: 31-46

Season of Advent

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November 30 – Advent I

Isaiah 64: 1-9
Psalm 80:1-7, 16-18
1Corinthians 1:3-9
Mark 13: 24-37

December 7 – Advent II

Isaiah 40: 1-11
Psalm 85: 1-2, 8-13
2 Peter 3: 8- 15a
Mark 1: 1-8

December 14 – Advent III

Isaiah 61: 1-4, 8-11
Psalm 126 or Canticle 3 or Canticle 15
1 Thessalonians 5:16-24
John 1: 6-8, 19-28

December 21 – Advent IV

2 Samuel 7:1-11,16
Canticle 3, or 15 or Psalm 89:1-4, 19-26
Romans 16: 25-27
Luke 1; 26-38

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Season of Christmas

Wednesday, December 25, 2008 – Christmas Day

December 28, 2008- Christmas I

Isaiah 61: 10-62:3
Psalm 147 or 147: 13-21
Galatians 3:23-25; 4:4-7
John 1: 1-18

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January 4, 2009 - Christmas II

Jeremiah 31:7-14
Psalm 147:12-20
Ephesians 1:3-14
John (1:1-9), 10-18

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Season of Epiphany

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Tuesday, January 6, 2009 – The Epiphany

January 11, 2009 – Epiphany I

(Epiphany readings)
Isaiah 60:1-6
Psalm 72: 1-7, 10-14
Ephesians 3:1-12
Matthew 2:1

January 18, 2009 – Epiphany II

Genesis 1:1-5
Psalm 29
Acts 19: 1-7
Mark 1:4-11

January 25, 2009 – Epiphany III

I Samuel 3:1-10,(11-20)
Psalm 139: 1-6, 13-18
I Corinthians 6: 12-20
John 1: 43-51

February 1, 2009 – Epiphany IV

Deuteronomy 18:15-20
Psalm 111
I Corinthians 8:1-13
Mark 1: 21-28

February 8, 2009 – Epiphany V

Isaiah 40:21-31
Psalm 147:1-11,20c
I Corinthians 9:16-23
Mark 1:29-39

February 15, 2008 – Epiphany VI

II Kings 5:1-14
Psalm 30
I Corinthians 9: 24-27
Mark 1: 40- 45

February 22, 2009 – Last Epiphany

II Kings 2: 1 -12
Psalm 50:1-6
II Corinthians 4: 3-6
Mark 9: 2-9

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Season of Lent

Tuesday, February 24 - Shrove Tuesday

Wednesday, February 25, 2009 – Ash Wednesday

March 1, 2009 – Lent I

Genesis 9: 8-17

Psalm 25:1-10

1 Peter 3: 18-22

Mark 1: 9-15

March 8, 2009 – Lent II (Daylight savings begins)

Genesis 17: 1-7, 15-16

Psalm 22: 23-31

Romans 4: 13- 25

Mark 8: 31 – 38 or mark 9: 2-9

March 15, 2009 – Lent III

Exodus 20: 1-17

Psalm 19

I Corinthians 1:18-25

John 2: 13-22

March 22, 2009 – Lent IV

Numbers 21: 4-9

Psalm 107: 1-3, 17-22

Ephesians 2:1-10

John 3: 14-21

March 29, 2009 – Lent V

Jeremiah 31: 31-34

Psalm 51: 1-12 or Psalm 119: 9-16

Hebrews 5: 5-10

John 12: 20-33

April 5, 2009 – Palm Sunday

LITURGY OF PALMS

Mark 11: 1-11 or John 12: 12-16

Psalm 118: 1-2, 19-29

LITURGY OF THE PASSION

Isaiah 50: 4-9a

Psalm 31: 9-16

Philippians 2: 5-11

Mark 14: 1-15; 47 or Mark 15: 1-39(40-47)

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Season of Easter

April 12, 2009 – Easter Day

Acts 10: 34-43 or Isaiah 25: 6-9

Psalm 118: 1-2, 14-24

I Corinthians 15: 1-11 or Acts 10:34 - 43

John 20: 1-18 or Mark 16: 1-8

April 19, 2009 – Easter II

Acts 4:32-35

Psalm 133

I John 1: 1-2:2

John 20: 19-31

April 26, 2009 – Easter III (Rogation days)

Acts 3: 12-19

Psalm 4

I John 3: 1-7

Luke 24: 36b-48

May 3, 2009 – Easter IV

Acts 4: 5 -12

Psalm 23

I John 3: 16-24

John 10:11-18

May 10, 2009 – Easter V (Mother's Day)

Acts 8:26-40

Psalm 22:25 - 31

I John 4:7-21

John 15:1-8

May 17, 2009 – Easter VI

Acts 10:44-48

Psalm 98

I John 5: 1-6

John 15:9-17

Thursday, May 21, 2009 – Ascension Day

May 24, 2009 – Easter VII (Memorial Day Weekend)

Acts 1: 15 – 17, 21-26

Psalm I

I John 5: 9-13

John 17: 6-19

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Pentecost

May 31, 2009 - Pentecost Day

Acts 2: 1-21 or Ezekiel 37: 1-14

Psalm m 104: 24-34,35b

Romans 8: 22-27 or Acts 2: 1-21

John 15: 26-27; 16:4b-15

Trinity Sunday

June 7, 2009 - Trinity Sunday

Isaiah 6: 1-8

Psalm 29

Romans 8: 12-17

John 3: 1-17

**The Season after Pentecost – Have a great summer!
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