

# 2020–2021 Church Year Calendar

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Nov. 29, 2020—Nov. 27, 2021

SEASON	DATE	FESTIVAL	FIRST READING	PSALM	EPISTLE	GOSPEL
<b>ADVENT</b>	Nov. 29 2020	First S. in Advent	Is. 64:1–9	Psalms 80:1–7	1 Cor. 1:3–9	Mark 11:1–10 <i>or</i> Mark 13:24–37
	Dec. 6	Second S. in Advent	Is. 40:1–11	Psalms 85	2 Peter 3:8–14	Mark 1:1–8
	Dec. 13	Third S. in Advent	Is. 61:1–4, 8–11	Psalms 126	1 Thess. 5:16–24	John 1:6–8, 19–28
	Dec. 20	Fourth S. in Advent	2 Sam. 7:1–11, 16	Psalms 89:1–5 (19–29)	Rom. 16:25–27	Luke 1:26–38
<b>CHRISTMAS</b>	Dec. 24 <i>Eve</i>	The Nativity of Our Lord <i>(Christmas Eve)</i>	Is. 7:10–14	Psalms 110:1–4	1 John 4:7–16	Matt. 1:18–25
	Dec. 25 <i>Midnight</i>	The Nativity of Our Lord <i>(Christmas Midnight)</i>	Is. 9:2–7	Psalms 96	Titus 2:11–14	Luke 2:1–14 (15–20)
	Dec. 25 <i>Dawn</i>	The Nativity of Our Lord <i>(Christmas Dawn)</i>	Is. 62:10–12	Psalms 98	Titus 3:4–7	Luke 2:(1–14) 15–20
	Dec. 25 <i>Day</i>	The Nativity of Our Lord <i>(Christmas Day)</i>	Is. 52:7–10	Psalms 2	Heb. 1:1–6 (7–12)	John 1:1–14 (15–18)
	Dec. 27	First Sunday a. Christmas	Is. 61:10—62:3	Psalms 111	Gal. 4:4–7	Luke 2:22–40
	<i>or</i>	St. John, Apostle and Evangelist	Rev. 1:1–6	Psalms 11	1 John 1:1—2:2	John 21:20–25
	Dec. 31	Eve of the Circ. and Name of Jesus <i>(New Year's Eve)</i>	Is. 30:(8–14) 15–17	Psalms 90:1–12	Rom. 8:31b–39	Luke 12:35–40
Jan. 1 2021	Circumcision and Name of Jesus	Num. 6:22–27	Psalms 8	Gal. 3:23–29	Luke 2:21	
Jan. 3	Second Sunday a. Christmas	1 Kings 3:4–15	Psalms 119: 97–104	Eph. 1:3–14	Luke 2:40–52	
<b>EPIPHANY</b>	Jan. 6	Epiphany	Is. 60:1–6	Psalms 72:1–11 (12–15)	Eph. 3:1–12	Matt. 2:1–12
	Jan. 10	The Baptism of Our Lord	Gen. 1:1–5	Psalms 29	Rom. 6:1–11	Mark 1:4–11
	Jan. 17	Second S. a. the Epiphany	1 Sam. 3:1–10 (11–20)	Psalms 139:1–10	1 Cor. 6:12–20	John 1:43–51
	Jan. 24	Third S. a. the Epiphany	Jonah 3:1–5, 10	Psalms 62	1 Cor. 7:29–31 (32–35)	Mark 1:14–20
	<i>or</i>	St. Timothy, Pastor and Confessor	Acts 16:1–5	Psalms 71:15–24	1 Tim. 6:11–16	Matt. 24:42–47
	Jan. 31	Fourth S. a. the Epiphany	Deut. 18:15–20	Psalms 111	1 Cor. 8:1–13	Mark 1:21–28
	Feb. 7	Fifth S. a. the Epiphany	Is. 40:21–31	Psalms 147:1–11	1 Cor. 9:16–27	Mark 1:29–39

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	Feb. 14	The Transfiguration of Our Lord	2 Kings 2:1–12 or Ex. 34:29–35	Psalms 50:1–6	2 Cor. 3:12–13 (14–18); 4:1–6	Mark 9:2–9
<b>ASH WEDNESDAY</b>	Feb. 17	Ash Wednesday	Joel 2:12–19	Psalms 51:1–13 (14–19)	2 Cor. 5:20b–6:10	Matt. 6:1–6, 16–21
<b>LENT</b>	Feb. 21	First S. in Lent	Gen. 22:1–18	Psalms 25:1–10	James 1:12–18	Mark 1:9–15
	Feb. 28	Second S. in Lent	Gen. 17:1–7, 15–16	Psalms 22:23–31	Rom. 5:1–11	Mark 8:27–38
	Mar. 7	Third S. in Lent	Ex. 20:1–17	Psalms 19	1 Cor. 1:18–31	John 2:13–22 (23–25)
	Mar. 14	Fourth S. in Lent	Num. 21:4–9	Psalms 107:1–9	Eph. 2:1–10	John 3:14–21
	Mar. 21	Fifth S. in Lent	Jer. 31:31–34	Psalms 119:9–16	Heb. 5:1–10	Mark 10:(32–34) 35–45
<b>HOLY WEEK</b>	Mar. 28	Palm Sunday / Sunday of the Passion	Zech. 9:9–12	Psalms 118:19–29 or Ps. 31:9–16	Phil. 2:5–11	Mark 14:1–15:47 or Mark 15:1–47 or John 12:20–43
	Apr. 1	Holy (Maundy) Thursday	Ex. 24:3–11	Psalms 116:12–19	1 Cor. 10:16–17	Mark 14:12–26
	Apr. 2	Good Friday	Is. 52:13–53:12	Psalms 22 or Psalms 31	Heb. 4:14–16; 5:7–9	John 18:1–19:42 or John 19:17–30
<b>EASTER</b>	Apr. 4	The Resurrection of Our Lord <i>Easter Sunrise</i>	Ex. 15:1–11	Psalms 118:15–29	1 Cor. 5:6b–8	John 20:1–18
	Apr. 4	The Resurrection of Our Lord <i>Easter Day</i>	Is. 25:6–9	Psalms 16	1 Cor. 15:1–11	Mark 16:1–8
	Apr. 11	Second S. of Easter	Acts 4:32–35	Psalms 148	1 John 1:1–2:2	John 20:19–31
	Apr. 18	Third S. of Easter	Acts 3:11–21	Psalms 4	1 John 3:1–7	Luke 24:36–49
	Apr. 25	Fourth S. of Easter	Acts 4:1–12	Psalms 23	1 John 3:16–24	John 10:11–18
	or	St. Mark, Evangelist	Is. 52:7–10	Psalms 146	2 Tim. 4:5–18	Mark 16:14–20
	May 2	Fifth S. of Easter	Acts 8:26–40	Psalms 150	1 John 4:1–11 (12–21)	John 15:1–8
	May 9	Sixth S. of Easter	Acts 10:34–48	Psalms 98	1 John 5:1–8	John 15:9–17
	May 13	The Ascension of Our Lord	Acts 1:1–11	Psalms 47	Eph. 1:15–23	Luke 24:44–53
	May 16	Seventh S. of Easter	Acts 1:12–26	Psalms 1	1 John 5:9–15	John 17:11b–19
<b>PENTECOST</b>	May 23	The Day of Pentecost	Ezek. 37:1–14	Psalms 139:1–12 (13–16)	Acts 2:1–21	John 15:26–27; 16:4b–15
<b>TRINITY</b>	May 30	The Holy Trinity	Is. 6:1–8	Psalms 29	Acts 2:14a, 22–36	John 3:1–17

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	June 6 (Prop. 5)	Second S. a. Pentecost	Gen. 3:8–15	Ps. 130	2 Cor. 4:13–5:1	Mark 3:20–35
	June 13 (Prop. 6)	Third S. a. Pentecost	Ezek. 17:22–24	Psalm 1	2 Cor. 5:1–10 (11–17)	Mark 4:26–34
	June 20 (Prop. 7)	Fourth S. a. Pentecost	Job 38:1–11	Psalm 124	2 Cor. 6:1–13	Mark 4:35–41
	June 27 (Prop. 8)	Fifth S. a. Pentecost	Lam. 3:22–33	Psalm 30	2 Cor. 8:1–9, 13–15	Mark 5:21–43
	July 4 (Prop. 9)	Sixth S. a. Pentecost	Ezek. 2:1–5	Psalm 123	2 Cor. 12:1–10	Mark 6:1–13
	July 11 (Prop. 10)	Seventh S. a. Pentecost	Amos 7:7–15	Psalm 85: (1–7) 8–13	Eph. 1:3–14	Mark 6:14–29
	July 18 (Prop. 11)	Eighth S. a. Pentecost	Jer. 23:1–6	Psalm 23	Eph. 2:11–22	Mark 6:30–44
	July 25 (Prop. 12)	Ninth S. a. Pentecost	Gen. 9:8–17	Psalm 136:1–9	Eph. 3:14–21	Mark 6:45–56
	<i>or</i>	St. James the Elder, Apostle	Acts 11:27–12:5	Psalm 56	Rom. 8:28–39	Mark 10:35–45
	Aug. 1 (Prop. 13)	Tenth S. a. Pentecost	Ex. 16:2–15	Psalm 145:10–21	Eph. 4:1–16	John 6:22–35
	Aug. 8 (Prop. 14)	Eleventh S. a. Pentecost	1 Kings 19:1–8	Psalm 34:1–8	Eph. 4:17–5:2	John 6:35–51
	Aug. 15 (Prop. 15)	Twelfth S. a. Pentecost	Prov. 9:1–10 <i>or</i> Josh. 24:1–2a, 14–18	Psalm 34:12–22	Eph. 5:6–21	John 6:51–69
	<i>or</i>	St. Mary, Mother of Our Lord	Is. 61:7–11	Psalm 45:10–17	Gal. 4:4–7	Luke 1:(39–45) 46–55
	Aug. 22 (Prop. 16)	Thirteenth S. a. Pentecost	Is. 29:11–19	Psalm 14	Eph. 5:22–33	Mark 7:1–13
	Aug. 29 (Prop. 17)	Fourteenth S. a. Pentecost	Deut. 4:1–2, 6–9	Psalm 119: 129–136	Eph. 6:10–20	Mark 7:14–23
	<i>or</i>	The Martyrdom of St. John the Baptist	Rev. 6:9–11	Psalm 71: 1–8	Rom. 6:1–5	Mark 6:14–29
	Sept. 5 (Prop. 18)	Fifteenth S. a. Pentecost	Is. 35:4–7a	Psalm 146	James 2:1–10, 14–18	Mark 7:(24–30) 31–37
	Sept. 12 (Prop. 19)	Sixteenth S. a. Pentecost	Is. 50:4–10	Psalm 116:1–9	James 3:1–12	Mark 9:14–29
	Sept. 19 (Prop. 20)	Seventeenth S. a. Pentecost	Jer. 11:18–20	Psalm 54	James 3:13–4:10	Mark 9:30–37
	Sept. 26 (Prop. 21)	Eighteenth S. a. Pentecost	Num. 11:4–6, 10–16, 24–29	Psalm 104: 27–35	James 5:(1–12) 13–20	Mark 9:38–50
	Oct. 3 (Prop. 22)	Nineteenth S. a. Pentecost	Gen. 2:18–25	Psalm 128	Heb. 2:1–13 (14–18)	Mark 10:2–16
	Oct. 10 (Prop. 23)	Twentieth S. a. Pentecost	Amos 5:6–7, 10–15	Psalm 90:12–17	Heb. 3:12–19	Mark 10:17–22

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	Oct. 17 (Prop. 24)	Twenty-first S. a. Pentecost	Eccl. 5:10–20	Psalms 119:9–16	Heb. 4:1–13 (14–16)	Mark 10:23–31
	Oct. 24 (Prop. 25)	Twenty-second S. a. Pentecost	Jer. 31:7–9	Psalms 126	Heb. 7:23–28	Mark 10:46–52
<b>REFORMATION</b>	Oct. 31	Reformation Day	Rev. 14:6–7	Psalms 46	Rom. 3:19–28	John 8:31–36 <i>or</i> Matt. 11:12–19
<b>ALL SAINTS' DAY</b>	Nov. 7 <i>(observed)</i>	All Saints' Day (Nov. 1)	Rev. 7:(2–8) 9–17	Psalms 149	1 John 3:1–3	Matt. 5:1–12
	<i>or</i> (Prop. 27)	Twenty-fourth S. a. Pentecost	1 Kings 17:8–16	Psalms 146	Heb. 9:24–28	Mark 12:38–44
	Nov. 14 (Prop. 28)	Twenty-fifth S. a. Pentecost	Dan. 12:1–3	Psalms 16	Heb. 10:11–25	Mark 13:1–13
	Nov. 21 (Prop. 29)	Last S. of the Church Year	Is. 51:4–6 <i>or</i> Dan. 7:9–10, 13–14	Psalms 93	Jude 20–25 <i>or</i> Rev. 1:4b–8	Mark 13:24–37 <i>or</i> John 18:33–37
<b>THANKSGIVING</b>	Nov. 25	Thanksgiving Day	Deut. 8:1–10	Psalms 67	Phil. 4:6–20 <i>or</i> 1 Tim. 2:1–4	Luke 17:11–19
<b>New Church Year Starts Here (Series C)</b>						
<b>ADVENT</b>	Nov. 28, 2021	First S. in Advent	Jer. 33:14–16	Psalms 25:1–10	1 Thess. 3:9–13	Luke 19:28–40 <i>or</i> Luke 21:25–36