

A Four-Year Lectionary: Rough Draft

My first goal in creating this four-year lectionary was to give John its rightful place in the readings. Rather than dividing John up between three years as the Revised Common Lectionary (RCL) does (mainly during Lent and Eastertide), I believe John needs to have its own year, during which its theology and focus can become clear. I also believe that the passion narratives are given short shrift in the current RCL, and so in this lectionary they are found throughout each of the Lenten seasons. Further, I have tried to maintain a continuous reading throughout all four gospels inasmuch as it is possible given the “interruption” of Lent and Easter. This also holds for the readings from the Old Testament and Epistles.

Because this uses a four-year cycle, many more scripture passages are used. The gospels of Mark, Luke and John are used almost in their entirety. Because it is much longer, some of the passages in Matthew are omitted, but their counterparts in other gospels are used, thus ensuring that no significant story or teaching of Jesus is omitted. Further, there are more readings from the Epistles, Acts, and the Hebrew scriptures (especially as concerns Wisdom literature, Joshua, Judges, the Psalms, and the Minor Prophets) in this lectionary. Many passages cited below have not been a part of any previous lectionary, and I have especially tried to include controversial passages that have been previously ignored and more passages that feature the women of the Bible.

Finally, this lectionary can actually be used over an eight-year cycle. This would be done by using the alternate readings every other time through this lectionary. In the future I hope to add alternate readings for the Epistles after Trinity Sunday that will focus more extensively on Wisdom literature, with extended readings from Proverbs, Ecclesiastes, Sirach and the Wisdom of Solomon. In this way, even more scripture will be read and heard during Christian worship. I, for one, think this is a good thing.

I have added brief descriptions to some of the texts below. If you would like to add some to those without, I would be most appreciative. Also, this is a rough draft, and I am very open to suggestions for improvements. Please email me at whumes@gmail.com if you any ideas.

Sunday or Festival	First Reading	Psalm	Second Reading	Third Reading
Advent 1A	Isaiah 2:1-5	Psalm 122	Romans 13:11-14	Matthew 24:36-44 The end of time-2nd coming
Advent 1B	Isaiah 64:1-9	Psalm 80:1-7, 17-19	1 Corinthians 1:3-9	Mark 13:14-37 The end of time-2nd coming
Advent 1C	Jeremiah 33:14-16	Psalm 25:1-10	1 Thessalonians 3:9-13	Luke 1:1-25 John's birth foretold
Advent 1D	Genesis 1:1-13 Creation - Days 1-3	Psalm 89	1 John 1:1-2:2	John 1:1-5 In the beginning - the Word
Advent 2A	Isaiah 11:1-10	Psalm 72:1-7, 18-19	Romans 15:4-13	Matthew 3:1-12 John prepares the way
Advent 2B	Isaiah 40:1-11	Psalm 85:1-2, 8-13	2 Peter 3:8-15a	Mark 1:1-8 John prepares the way

Advent 2C	Malachi 3:1-20	Psalms 89:1-8, 11-18	Philippians 1:3-11	Luke 1:26-38 Jesus birth foretold
Advent 2D	Genesis 1:14-25 Creation - Days 4-6a	Psalms 146	1 John 2:7-12; 3:3:1-3	John 1:6-13 Light and Children of God
Advent 3A	Isaiah 35:1-10	Psalms 80:1-7, 17-19	James 5:7-10	Matthew 1:1-17 The generations of Jesus
Advent 3B	Isaiah 61:1-11	Psalms 126	1 Thessalonians 5:16-24	John 1:1-18 In the beginning - the Word
Advent 3C	Zephaniah 3:14-20	Luke 1:67-80 Canticle of Zachariah	Philippians 4:4-7	Luke 1:57-66 John the Baptist is born
Advent 3D	Genesis 1:26-2:3 Creation of Humankind	Psalms 24	1 John 4:1-21	John 1:14-18 The Word Became Flesh
Advent 4A	Isaiah 7:10-17	Isaiah 12 (at least 2-6)	Romans 1:1-7	Matthew 1:18-24 Joseph's dream
Advent 4B	Jeremiah 31:7-14	Luke 1:46-56 The Magnificat	Romans 16:25-27	Luke 1:26-38 Jesus birth foretold
Advent 4C	Micah 5:1-5	Luke 1:46-56 The Magnificat	Hebrews 10:5-10	Luke 1:39-45 Mary visits Elizabeth
Advent 4D	Zachariah 2:10-13	Psalms 122	1 John 5:1-11	John 1:19-28 A Voice in the Wilderness
Christmas - Proper 1 (Eve)	Isaiah 9:2-7	Psalms 96	Titus 2:11-14	Luke 2:1-20 The birth of Jesus
Christmas - Proper 2	Isaiah 62:6-12	Psalms 97	Titus 3:4-7	Luke 2:[1-7] 8-20
Christmas - Proper 3	Isaiah 52:7-10	Psalms 98	Hebrews 1:1-12	John 1:1-14

Most years do not have a Christmas 2 Sunday, you may mix up the following readings as you like. You may also want to have a Service of Lessons and Carols on one of the Sundays after Christmas, or use the readings for Epiphany on the Sunday nearest to and before January 6th.

Christmas 1 ABCD	Isaiah 63:7-9	Psalms 148	Philippians 2:12-18	Luke 2:21-40 Jesus presented in Temple or Matthew 2:13-23 Slaughter of the Innocents
Christmas 2 ABCD	Isaiah 61:10-62:3	Psalms 147	Galatians 4:4-7	Luke 2:41-52 Jesus in Temple at 12
Holy Name	Numbers 6:22-27	Psalms 147 (at least 13-21)	Galatians 3:23-25, 4:4-7 or Philippians 2:5-11	Luke 2:15-21
New Year's	Ecclesiastes 3:1-13	Psalms 8	Revelation 21:1-6a	Matthew 25:31-46
Epiphany - ABCD	Isaiah 60:1-6	Psalms 72:1-7, 10-14	Ephesians 3:1-13	Matthew 2:1-12 The Magi visit Jesus
<p>There are at least four Sundays after Epiphany in the church year, depending upon the date of Easter. If Easter is early some of the following readings will occur after Trinity Sunday. This lectionary does not require that Epiphany and Transfiguration readings to be given on a Sunday. If you decide to read them on a Sunday, you will need to adjust the other readings accordingly. I see a lectionary as a list of suggested readings. Pastors should feel free to modify the readings as they see fit and as circumstances may dictate.</p>				
Epiphany 1A (January 7-13) Baptism of the Lord	Isaiah 42:1-9	Psalms 29	Philippians 3:4b-14	Matthew 3:13-17 Baptism of Jesus
Epiphany 1B (January 7-13) Baptism of the Lord	Jeremiah 31:7-14	Psalms 29	Acts 19:1-7	Mark 1:9-13 Baptism of Jesus
Epiphany 1C (January 7-13) Baptism of the Lord-C	Isaiah 43:1-7	Psalms 29	Ephesians 3:14-21	Luke 3:1-23 Preaching of John the Baptist

Epiphany 1D (January 7-13) Baptism of the Lord-D	Isaiah 12:1-6	Psalms 29	Acts 8:26-39	John 1:29-34 The Lamb of God and Jesus Baptism
Epiphany 2A (January 14-20)	Ecclesiastes 2:11-26 or Ezekiel 2:1-3:4	Psalms 1	Galatians 1:1-24	Matthew 4:1-11 Temptation of Jesus
Epiphany 2B (January 14-20)	Job 1:1; 2:1-10 or Deuteronomy 4:1-9	Psalms 39:1-8, 11-13	James 1:1-16	Mark 1:14-20 Jesus announces the good news, drives out evil spirits
Epiphany 2C (January 14-20)	2 Chronicles 10:1-11, 19 or Joshua 2 Rahab	Psalms 75	Ephesians 1:1-14	Luke 4:1-13 Temptation of Jesus
Epiphany 2D (January 14-20)	Amos 3:1-8 or Proverbs 1:1-19	Psalms 115:1-11	1 Timothy 1:1-2, 12-17	John 1:35-42 John's Disciples Follow Jesus
Epiphany 3A (January 21-27)	Ecclesiastes 1:2-18 or Ezekiel 11:14-20	Psalms 3	Galatians 2:1-13	Matthew 4:12-25
Epiphany 3B (January 21-27)	Job 3:1-26 (or 1-19 if it needs to be shorter). or Deuteronomy 5:6-21	Psalms 40:1-13	James 1:17-27	Mark 1:21-28 Teaching in Capernaum-Casting Out a Demon
Epiphany 3C (January 21-27)	2 Chronicles 12:1-14 or Joshua 3:7-17	Psalms 76	Ephesians 1:11-23	Luke 4:13-30 Jesus Rejected at Nazareth
Epiphany 3D (January 21-27)	Amos 5:6-15 or Proverbs 1:20-33	Psalms 115:12-18	1 Timothy 2	John 1:43-51 Jesus Calls Philip and Nathanael

Epiphany 4A (January 28-February 2)	Ecclesiastes 3:1-14, 20-22 or Ezekiel 18:1-9, 25-32	Psalm 5	Galatians 2:14-21	Matthew 5:1-12
Epiphany 4B (January 28-February 2)	Job 5:6-23 (the essence of Eliphaz). or Deuteronomy 6:1-9	Psalm 41	James 2:1-17	Mark 1:29-45 Jesus heals many and prays alone- Jesus heals a man with leprosy
Epiphany 4C (January 28-February 2)	2 Chronicles 21:5-20 or Joshua 4:19 - 5:12	Psalm 77:1-2, 11-20	Ephesians 2:1-11-22	Luke 4:31-44 Jesus Drives Out an Evil Spirit and Heals Many
Epiphany 4D (January 28-February 2)	Amos 5:18-24 or Proverbs 3:5-18	Psalm 117	1 Timothy 3:1-13	John 2:1-12 The Wedding at Cana

Depending upon the liturgical calendar for any given year, the following readings will take place either during Epiphany or after Trinity Sunday.

Epiphany 5A February 3-February or Pentecost 3A	Ecclesiastes 4:1-12 or Ezekiel 22:23-31	Psalm 6	Galatians 3:1-11	Matthew 5:13-20
Epiphany 5B February 3-February 9 or Pentecost 3B	Job 8:8-22 (the essence of Bildad). or Deuteronomy 11:18-28	Psalm 42	James 2:18-26	Mark 2:1-12 Jesus Forgives and Heals a Paralyzed Man
Epiphany 5C February 3-February 9 or Pentecost 3C	2 Chronicles 26:3-5, 16-21 or Joshua 6:16b-27 Jericho falls	Psalm 78:1-4, 9-18, 30,	Ephesians 4:1-16	Luke 5:12-26 Jesus Heals a Man With Leprosy and Forgives and Heals a Paralyzed Man
Epiphany 5D February 3-February 9 or Pentecost 3D	Amos 6:1-7 or Proverbs 6:6-22	Psalm 118:1-14	1 Timothy 4	John 2:13-25 Jesus Clears the Temple Courts

Epiphany 6A February 10-February 16 or Pentecost 4A	Ecclesiastes 5:1-7 or Ecclesiastes 6 or Ezekiel 33:1-11	Psalms 7:1, 11-18	Galatians 3:19-29	Matthew 5:21-37
Epiphany 6B February 10-February 16 or Pentecost 4B	Job 11:7-20 (the essence of Zophar). or Deuteronomy 15:7-11	Psalms 43	James 3:1-13	Mark 2:13-28 Jesus Calls Levi/Eats With Sinners - Jesus Is Lord of the Sabbath
Epiphany 6C February 10-February 16 or Pentecost 4C	2 Chronicles 29:1-10 or Joshua 7 (Portions) Achan	Psalms 79	Ephesians 4:17-32	Luke 6:1-11 Jesus Is Lord of the Sabbath
Epiphany 6D February 10-February 16 or Pentecost 4D	Amos 7:7-17 or Proverbs 8:1-21	Psalms 118:14-29	1 Timothy 5:1-16	John 3:1-21 Jesus Teaches Nicodemus
Epiphany 7A February 17-February 23 or Pentecost 5A	Ecclesiastes 7:1-4, 11-18 or Ezekiel 34:1-10	Psalms 9:1-10	Galatians 4:1-16	Matthew 5:38-48
Epiphany 7B February 17-February 23 or Pentecost 5B	Job 12 or Deuteronomy 26:1-11	Psalms 44:1-8	James 4:1-17	Mark 3:1-19 Healing and Calling of 12
Epiphany 7C February 17-February 23 or Pentecost 5C	2 Chronicles 33:1-13 or Joshua 20 Cities of Refuge	Psalms 81:1-10, 16	Ephesians 5:1-20	Luke 6:17-26 Blessings and Woes
Epiphany 7D February 17-February 23 or Pentecost 5D	Amos 8:1-12 or Proverbs 9:1-6	Psalms 119:1-8, 12-16	1 Timothy 5:17-25	John 3:22-36 John Testifies Again About Jesus

Epiphany 8A February 23-March 3 or Pentecost 6A	Ecclesiastes 9:1-12 or Ezekial 34:11-16, 20-24	Psalm 9:11-20	Galatians 5:1-26	Matthew 6:22-34
Epiphany 8B February 23-March 3 or Pentecost 6B	Job 38:1-41 (portions) or Deuteronomy 30:5-6, 11-20	Psalm 46	James 5:1-11	Mark 3:20-34 Jesus Accused
Epiphany 8C February 23-March 3 or Pentecost 6C	2 Chronicles 34 (portions) or Joshua 23 Joshua's Farewell Speech	Psalm 82	Ephesians 5:21-33	Luke 6:27-42 Love for Enemies and Judging Others
Epiphany 8D February 23-March 3 or Pentecost 6D	Amos 9:8-15 or Proverbs 22:1-23	Psalm 119: 33-48	1 Timothy 6:1-8	John 4:1-42
Epiphany 9A March 4-March 10 or Pentecost 7A	Ecclesiastes 12 or Ezekiel 36:22-36	Psalm 10:1, 14-20	Galatians 6:1-18	Matthew 7:1-14
Epiphany 9B March 4-March 10 or Pentecost 7B	Job 42:1-17 or Deuteronomy 34:1-12	Psalm 48	James 5:12-20	Mark 4:1-20 The Parable of the Sower
Epiphany 9C March 4-March 10 or Pentecost 7C	2 Chronicles 36:11-23 or Joshua 24:1-7, 13-25	Psalm 83:1-5, 13-18	Ephesians 6:11-24	Luke 7:1-17 The Faith of the Centurion and Jesus Heals a Widow's Son

Epiphany 9D March 4-March 10 or Pentecost 7D	Zephaniah or Proverbs 25:6-22	Psalms 119:73-77, 103-105	1 Timothy 6:9-21	John 5:1-18 The Healing at the Pool
Transfiguration A	Exodus 24:12-18	Psalms 2	2 Peter 1:16-21	Matthew 17:1-9 (or 1-13)
Transfiguration B	2 Kings 2:1-12	Psalms 50:1-6	2 Corinthians 4:3-6	Mark 8:34-9:13 The Transfiguration
Transfiguration C	Malachi 4:1-6	Psalms 99	2 Corinthians 3:12-4:2	Luke 9:18-36 The Transfiguration
Transfiguration D	Genesis 11:1-9	Psalms 50:1-6	Galatians 6:1-18	Mark 9:2-13 The Transfiguration
Ash Wednesday	Joel 2:1-2, 12-17	Psalms 51:1-17	2 Corinthians 5:20b-6:10	Matthew 6:1-21 or 6:1-6, 16-21
Lent 1A	Obadiah 1-4, 11-15	Psalms 32	Philippians 1:1-14	Matthew 26:1-16
Lent 1B	Daniel 3:1, 4-28		2 Timothy 1:1-14	Mark 10:32-45 Jesus predicts his death a third time and James and John have a request
Lent 1C	Habakkuk 1:1-4; 2:2-14	Psalms 91:1-2, 9-16	Titus 1:1-16	Luke 18:31-43 Jesus predicts his death a third time and heals blind beggar
Lent 1D	Hosea 1:2-20	Psalms 25	Colossians 1:1-14	John 12:20-36 Jesus Predicts His Death
Lent 2A	Jonah 1	Psalms 121	Philippians 1:15-30	Matthew 26:20-35
Lent 2B	Daniel 5:1-7; 17-30	Psalms 22:23-31	2 Timothy 2:1-15	Mark 14:1-11 Jesus Anointed at Bethany
Lent 2C	Habakkuk 3:1-19	Psalms 27	Titus 2:1-15	Luke 19:45-20:8

Lent 2D	Hosea 2:2-23	Psalm 33	Colossians 1:15-29	John 13:18-38 Jesus Predicts His Betrayal Jesus Predicts Peter's Denial
Lent 3A	Jonah 2	Psalm 95	Philippians 2:14-18-3:7	Matthew 26:36-56
Lent 3B	Daniel 6:4-24	Psalm 19	2 Timothy 2:16-26	Mark 14:12-26-52
Lent 3C	Micah 3:5-12	Psalm 63:1-8	Titus 3:1-15	Luke 22:1-6, Luke 22:39-53
Lent 3D	Hosea 6:1-11	Psalm 103:1-18	Colossians 2:6-19	John 18:1-14 Jesus is Arrested
Lent 4A	Jonah 3	Psalm 143	Philippians 3:7-21	Matthew 26:57-68
Lent 4B	Daniel 7:1-3, 15-18	Psalm 107:1-3, 17-22	2 Timothy 3:1-5, 14-4:4	Gethsemane and Jesus' Arrest
Lent 4C	Micah 4:1-7	Psalm 137	Jude	Luke 22:54-65
Lent 4D	Hosea 11:1-11	Psalm 105	Colossians 3:1-11	John 18:15-27 Peter's Denial and Jesus Questioned by the High Priest
Lent 5A	Jonah 4	Psalm 130	Philippians 4:1-14, 19-23	Matthew 26:69-75
Lent 5B	Daniel 12:1-10	Psalm 51:1-12	2 Timothy 4:5-22	Mark 14:53-72 Jesus before the Sanhedrin and Peter's Denial
Lent 5C	Micah 6:1-8	Psalm 126	Philemon	Luke 22:66-23:25
Lent 5D	Hosea 14	Psalm 34	Colossians 3:12 - 4-6	John 18:28-40 Jesus Before Pilate
Palm-Passion-A	Matthew 21:1-11	Psalm 118:1-2, 19-29 (Palms) Psalm 31:9-16 (Passion	Isaiah 50:4-9a Philippians 2:1-13	Matthew 27:1-66

Palm-Passion-B	Mark 11:1-11 The Triumphal Entry into Jerusalem	Psalm 118:1-2, 19-29 (Palms) Psalm 31:9-16 (Passion)	Isaiah 50:4-9a Philippians 2:1-13	Mark 15:1-47 Jesus before Pilate, crucifixion, death and burial
Palm-Passion-C	Luke 19:28-44 The Triumphal Entry into Jeruslaem	Psalm 118:1-2, 19-29 (Palms) Psalm 31:9-16 (Passion)	Isaiah 50:4-9a Philippians 2:1-13	Luke 23:1-56
Palm-Passion-D	John 12:12-16 The Triumphal Entry into Jerusalem	Psalm 118:1-2, 19-29 (Palms) Psalm 31:9-16 (Passion)	Isaiah 50:4-9a Philippians 2:1-13	John 19:1-42 Jesus Crucifixion, Death and Burial
Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday of Holy Week	See End of Chart for these Readings			
Holy/Maundy Thursday	Exodus 12:1-14	Psalm 116:1-4, 12-19	1 Corinthians 11:23-26	Luke 22:7-38 and/or John 13:1-7, 31b-35
Good Friday	Isaiah 52:13-53:12	Psalm 22	Hebrews 10:16-25	John 18:1-19:42
Holy Saturday	Job 14:1-4 or Lamentations 3:1-9, 19-24	Psalm 31:1-4, 15-16	1 Peter 4:1-8	Matthew 27:57-66 or John 19:38-42
Easter Vigil	See End of Chart for these Readings			
Easter-A	Acts 2:22-41 or Job 19:7-27c	Psalm 118:1-2, 14-24	1 Corinthians 15:1-11	Matthew 28:1-10
Easter-B	Acts 2:42-47 or Job 19:7-27c	Psalm 118:1-2, 14-24	1 Corinthians 15:12-20	Mark 16:1-8 Jesus is risen, women are afraid
Easter-C	Acts 3:12-26 or Job 19:7-27c	Psalm 118:1-2, 14-24	1 Corinthians 15:19-28	Luke 24:1-12 Jesus is Risen

Easter-D	Acts 10:34-43 or Job 19:7-27c	Psalms 118:1-2, 14-24	1 Corinthians 15:35-50	John 20:1-18 The Empty Tomb, Mary Magdalene, Peter and the Beloved Disciple
Easter 2A	Acts 1:12-26	Psalms 16:5-11	1 Peter 1:3-9, 14-25	Matthew 28:11-20
Easter 2B	Acts 6:1-15	Psalms 133	2 Peter 1:1-12	Mark 16:9-20 Jesus appears to his disciples
Easter 2C	Acts 10:1-20	Psalms 150	1 Thessalonians 1	Luke 24:13-35 Road to Emmaus
Easter 2D	Acts 14:8-20	Psalms 1	2 Thessalonians 1	John 20:19-31 Jesus Appears to His Disciples and Then to Thomas
Easter 3A	Acts 3:1-10	Psalms 116:1-4, 12-19	1 Peter 2:1-10	Matthew 13:24-35
Easter 3B	Acts 7:48-60	Psalms 4	2 Peter 1:13-21	Mark 12:1-12 The Parable of the Tenants
Easter 3C	Acts 11:1-18	Psalms 30	1 Thessalonians 2:1-8	Luke 24:36-53
Easter 3D	Acts 15:1-11	Psalms 19	2 Thessalonians 2:1-12	John 21:1-14 Jesus Appears to the Disciples While They Are Fishing
Easter 4A	Acts 4:1-22	Psalms 23	1 Peter 2:11-25	Matthew 13:44-52
Easter 4B	Acts 8:1-2, 9-25	Psalms 23	2 Peter 2:1-11	Mark 12:13-17 Paying the Imperial Tax to Caesar
Easter 4C	Acts 11:19-30	Psalms 23	1 Thessalonians 2:9-20	Luke 14:15-24 The Parable of the Great Banquet
Easter 4D	Acts 15:12-31	Psalms 33	2 Thessalonians 2:13-3:5	John 21:15-25 Jesus Reinstates Peter
Easter 5A	Acts 4:23-37	Psalms 31:1-9, 15-16	1 Peter 3:8-22	Matthew 20:1-16

Easter 5B	Acts 8:26-40	Psalms 22:22-31	2 Peter 2:12-22	Mark 12:18-27 Marriage at the Resurrection
Easter 5C	Acts 12:1-19	Psalms 148	1 Thessalonians 3:4:2	Luke 15:1-10 The Parable of the Lost Sheep The Parable of the Lost Coin
Easter 5D	Acts 16:11-34	Psalms 23	2 Thessalonians 3:6-18	John 10:1-18 The Good Shepherd
Easter 6A	Acts 5:1-11	Psalms 66	1 Peter 4:1-11	Matthew 22:1-14
Easter 6B	Acts 9:1-22	Psalms 98	2 Peter 3:1-7	Mark 12:28-34 The Greatest Commandment
Easter 6C	Acts 13:1-12	Psalms 67	1 Thessalonians 4:13-5:11	Luke 15:11-32 The Parable of the Lost Son
Easter 6D	Acts 17:16-34	Psalms 42	2 John	John 17:1-26 Jesus Prayer for His Disciples
Easter 7A	Acts 5:17-42	Psalms 46	1 Peter 4:12-5:11	Matthew 24:1-14
Easter 7B	Acts 9:32-43	Psalms 68:1-10, 32-35	2 Peter 8-14	Mark 13:1-13 The End of Time
Easter 7C	Acts 13:14-16, 26-48	Psalms 114	1 Thessalonians 5:12-28	Luke 21:5-37 The Destruction of the Temple and Signs of the End Times
Easter 7D	Acts 19:1-20	Psalms 97	3 John	John 8:1-11 The Woman Caught in Adultery
Ascension ABCD	Acts 1:1-11	Psalms 47	Ephesians 1:15-23	Luke 24:44-53
Pentecost A	Acts 2:1-21 and/or Joel 2:21-32	Psalms 104:24-34, 35b	Acts 2:1-21 and/or	John 7:37-39

Pentecost B	Acts 2:1-21 and/or Joel 2:21-32	Psalms 104:24-34, 35b	Acts 2:1-21 and/or Romans 8:22-27	John 15:26-16:15 When the Advocate Comes
Pentecost C	Acts 2:1-21 and/or Joel 2:21-32	Psalms 104:24-34, 35b	Acts 2:1-21 and/or	John 14:8-17, 25-27
Pentecost D	Acts 2:1-21 and/or Joel 2:21-32	Psalms 104:24-34, 35b	Acts 2:1-21 and/or	John 15:26-16:15 When the Advocate Comes
Trinity A	Genesis 1:1-2:4a	Psalms 8	2 Corinthians 13:11-13	Matthew 28:16-20
Trinity B	Isaiah 6:1-8	Psalms 29	Romans 8:12-17	John 3:1-8
Trinity C	Proverbs 8:1-4, 22-31	Psalms 8	Romans 5:1-5	John 16:12-15
Trinity D		Psalms 29		John 14:23-27
Pentecost 3A May 24-May 28 (if after Trinity Sunday)	Ecclesiastes 4:1-12 or Ezekiel 22:23-31	Psalms 6	Galatians 3:1-11	Matthew 5:13-20
Pentecost 3B May 24-May 28 (if after Trinity Sunday)	Job 8:8-22 (the essence of Bildad). or Deuteronomy 11:18-28	Psalms 42	James 2:18-26	Mark 2:1-12 Jesus Forgives and Heals a Paralyzed Man
Pentecost 3C May 24-May 28 (if after Trinity Sunday)	2 Chronicles 26:3-5, 16-21 or Joshua 6:16b-27 Jericho falls	Psalms 78:1-4, 9-18, 30,	Ephesians 4:1-16	Luke 5:12-26 Jesus Heals a Man With Leprosy and Forgives and Heals a Paralyzed Man
Pentecost 3D May 24-May 28 (if after Trinity Sunday)	Amos 6:1-7 or Proverbs 6:6-22	Psalms 118:1-14	1 Timothy 4	John 2:13-25 Jesus Clears the Temple Courts

Pentecost 4A May 29 and June 4 inclusive (if after Trinity Sunday)	Ecclesiastes 5:1-7 or Ecclesiastes 6 or Ezekiel 33:1-11	Psalms 7:1, 11-18	Galatians 3:19-29	Matthew 5:21-37
Pentecost 4B May 29 and June 4 inclusive (if after Trinity Sunday)	Job 11:7-20 (the essence of Zophar). or Deuteronomy 15:7-11	Psalms 43	James 3:1-13	Mark 2:13-28 Jesus Calls Levi/Eats With Sinners - Jesus Is Lord of the Sabbath
Pentecost 4C May 29 and June 4 (if after Trinity Sunday)	2 Chronicles 29:1-10 or Joshua 7 (Portions) Achan	Psalms 79	Ephesians 4:17-32	Luke 6:1-11 Jesus Is Lord of the Sabbath
Pentecost 4D May 29 and June 4 (if after Trinity Sunday)	Amos 7:7-17 or Proverbs 8:1-21	Psalms 118:14-29	1 Timothy 5:1-16	John 3:1-21 Jesus Teaches Nicodemus
Pentecost 5A June 5 and June 11 (if after Trinity Sunday)	Ecclesiastes 7:1-4, 11-18 or Ezekiel 34:1-10	Psalms 9:1-10	Galatians 4:1-16	Matthew 5:38-48
Pentecost 5B June 5 and June 11 (if after Trinity Sunday)	Job 12 or Deuteronomy 26:1-11	Psalms 44:1-8	James 4:1-17	Mark 3:1-19 Healing and Calling of 12
Pentecost 5C June 5 and June 11 (if after Trinity Sunday)	2 Chronicles 33:1-13 or Joshua 20 Cities of Refuge	Psalms 81:1-10, 16	Ephesians 5:1-20	Luke 6:17-26 Blessings and Woes
Pentecost 5D June 5 and June 11 (if after Trinity Sunday)	Amos 8:1-12 or Proverbs 9:1-6	Psalms 119:1-8, 12-16	1 Timothy 5:17-25	John 3:22-36 John Testifies Again About Jesus
Pentecost 6A June 12-June 18 (if after Trinity Sunday)	Ecclesiastes 9:1-12 or Ezekiel 34:11-16, 20-24	Psalms 9:11-20	Galatians 5:1-26	Matthew 6:22-34
Pentecost 6B June 12-June 18 (if after Trinity Sunday)	Job 38:1-41 (portions) or Deuteronomy 30:5-6, 11-20	Psalms 46	James 5:1-11	Mark 3:20-34 Jesus Accused

Pentecost 6C June 12-June 18 (if after Trinity Sunday)	2 Chronicles 34 (portions) or Joshua 23 Joshua's Farewell Speech	Psalms 82	Ephesians 5:21-33	Luke 6:27-42 Love for Enemies and Judging Others
Pentecost 6D June 12-June 18 (if after Trinity Sunday)	Amos 9:8-15 or Proverbs 22:1-23	Psalms 119: 33-48	1 Timothy 6:1-8	John 4:1-42
Pentecost 7A June 19-June 25 (if after Trinity Sunday)	Ecclesiastes 12 or Ezekiel 36:22-36	Psalms 10:1, 14-20	Galatians 6:1-18	Matthew 7:1-14
Pentecost 7B June 19-June 25 (if after Trinity Sunday)	Job 42:1-17 or Deuteronomy 34:1-12	Psalms 48	James 5:12-20	Mark 4:1-20 The Parable of the Sower
Pentecost 7C June 19-June 25 (if after Trinity Sunday)	2 Chronicles 36:11-23 or Joshua 24:1-7, 13-25	Psalms 83:1-5, 13-18	Ephesians 6:11-24	Luke 7:1-17 The Faith of the Centurion and Jesus Heals a Widow's Son
Pentecost 7D June 19-June 25 (if after Trinity Sunday)	Zephaniah or Proverbs 25:6-22	Psalms 119:73-77, 103-105	1 Timothy 6:9-21	John 5:1-18 The Healing at the Pool
Pentecost 8A June 26-July 2	Genesis 25:17-34 or Isaiah 1:1-20 (Portions)	Psalms 11	1 Corinthians 1:1-18	Matthew 7:15-29
Pentecost 8B June 26-July 2	Exodus 1:8-2:10 or 2 Samuel 1	1 Samuel 2:1-10	2 Corinthians 1:3-22	Mark 4:21-34 Three Short Parables
Pentecost 8C June 26-July 2	Judges 4:1-9, 15-21 or Jeremiah 1:4-10	Psalms 84	Romans 1:1-15	Luke 7:18-35 Jesus and John the Baptist

Pentecost 8D June 26-July 2	Genesis 2:3-9 or Acts 19:23-41	Psalms 119:129-144	Revelation 1:1-8	John 5:19-47 Testimonies About Jesus
Pentecost 9A (July 3-July 9)	Genesis 27:1-42 or Isaiah 2:11-22	Psalms 12	1 Corinthians 1:18-31	Matthew 8:1-17
Pentecost 9B (July 3-July 9)	Exodus 2:11-25 or 2 Samuel 5:1-3; 6:1-17	Psalms 49:1-12	2 Corinthians 3:1-11	Mark 4:35-41 Jesus Calms the Storm
Pentecost 9C (July 3-July 9)	Judges 6:11-24 or Jeremiah 2:4-13	Psalms 89:1-4, 24-33	Romans 1:16-32	Luke 7:36-50 Jesus Anointed by a Sinful Woman
Pentecost 9D (July 3-July 9)	Genesis 2:15-25 or Acts 20:1-12	Psalms 120	Revelation 1:9-20	John 6:1-15 Jesus Feeds the Five Thousand
Pentecost 10A (July 10-July 16)	Genesis 28:10-19 or Isaiah 5:1-7	Psalms 13	1 Corinthians 2:1-16	Matthew 8:18-34
Pentecost 10B (July 10-July 16)	Exodus 3:1-15 or 2 Samuel 7:1-16	Psalms 50:1-15	2 Corinthians 4:7-18	Mark 5:1-20 Jesus Restores a Possessed Man
Pentecost 10C (July 10-July 16)	Judges 7:1-8; 16-22 or Jeremiah 3:21 - 4:4	Psalms 89:46-52	Romans 2:1-12	Luke 9:37-50 Jesus Heals a Demon-Possessed Boy; Predicts His Death for the Second Time
Pentecost 10D (July 10-July 16)	Genesis 3:1-19 or Acts 20:17-38	Psalms 123	Revelation 2:1-7 Ephesus	John 6:16-24 Jesus Walks on the Water

Pentecost 11A (July 17-July 23)	Genesis 29:1-6, 10-28 or Isaiah 13:6-16	Psalms 14	1 Corinthians 3:1-9	Matthew 9: 9-13, 27-34
Pentecost 11B (July 17-July 23)	Exodus 8:1-15 or 2 Samuel 11:1-17	Psalms 50:16-23	2 Corinthians 5:1-10	Mark 5:21-43 Jesus heals a bleeding woman and raises a dead girl
Pentecost 11C (July 17-July 23)	Judges 11:1-8, 30-40 or Jeremiah 7:1-15	Psalms 90:1-10, 13-17	Romans 2:13-29	Luke 9:51-62 Samaritan Opposition and The Cost of Following Jesus
Pentecost 11D (July 17-July 23)	Genesis 4:1-16 or Acts 21:8-15	Psalms 124	Revelation 2:8-11 Smyrna	John 6:25-40 Jesus the Bread of Life
Pentecost 12A (July 24-July 30)	Genesis 32:3-31 or Isaiah 14:5-20	Psalms 15	1 Corinthians 3:10-23	Matthew 10:1-15
Pentecost 12B (July 24-July 30)	Exodus 12:1-14 or 2 Samuel 11:26 - 12:15	Psalms 52	2 Corinthians 5:11-21	Mark 6:1-13 Jesus in his hometown and sending out the twelve
Pentecost 12C (July 24-July 30)	Judges 13:1-5, 24 or Jeremiah 8:18 - 9:1	Psalms 92	Romans 3:1-10, 23-31	Luke 10:1-24 Jesus Sends Out the Seventy-Two
Pentecost 12D (July 24-July 30)	Genesis 6:1-8 or Acts 22:1-22	Psalms 125	Revelation 2:12-17 Pergamum	John 6:41-59 Jesus' Flesh and Blood
Pentecost 13A (July 31-August 6)	Genesis 33:1-11 or Isaiah 17:7-14	Psalms 17:1-8	1 Corinthians 4:1, 9-21	Matthew 10:16-33
Pentecost 13B (July 31-August 6)	Exodus 14:5-31 or 2 Samuel 18:5-33	Exodus 15:1-21	2 Corinthians 8:1-15	Mark 6:14-29 John the Baptist Beheaded

Pentecost 13C (July 31-August 6)	Judges 16:17-31 or Jeremiah 11:1-14	Psalms 93	Romans 4:1-12	Luke 10:25-37 The Parable of the Good Samaritan
Pentecost 13D (July 31-August 6)	Genesis 6: 9-22 or Acts 22:21-30	Psalms 127	Revelation 2:18-29 Thyatira	John 6:60-71 Many Disciples Desert Jesus
Pentecost 14A (August 7-13)	Genesis 34 or Isaiah 29:13-24	Psalms 18:1-15	1 Corinthians 5:1-13	Matthew 10:34-11:1
Pentecost 14B (August 7-13)	Exodus 16:2-15 or 2 Samuel 23:1-7	Psalms 53	2 Corinthians 9:6-15	Mark 6:30-44 Jesus feeds the 5000
Pentecost 14C (August 7-13)	Judges 19 (portions) or Jeremiah 13:1-11	Psalms 94:1-15	Romans 4:13-25	Luke 10:38-11:13 At the Home of Martha and Mary and Jesus' Teaching on Prayer
Pentecost 14D (August 7-13)	Genesis 7:1-10 or Acts 23:1-11	Psalms 128	Revelation 3:1-6 Sardis	John 7:1-2, 14-24 Jesus Goes to the Festival of Tabernacles and Teaches
Pentecost 15A (August 14-20)	Genesis 37:1-28 or Isaiah 30:15-25	Psalms 18:16-30	1 Corinthians 6:1-11	Matthew 11:2-19
Pentecost 15B (August 14-20)	Exodus 17:1-7 or 1 Kings 2:1-3, 10-12; 3:3-14	Psalms 54	2 Corinthians 11:18-33	Mark 6:45-56 Jesus Walks on the Water
Pentecost 15C (August 14-20)	1 Samuel 1:1-20 or Jeremiah 14:1-22	Psalms 101	Romans 5:12-21	Luke 11:27-36 Jesus and Beelzebul, The Sign of Jonah, The Lamp and the Body
Pentecost 15D (August 14-20)	Genesis 7:11-24 or Acts 24:1, 10-23, 27	Psalms 131	Revelation 3:7-13 Philadelphia	John 8:12-30 Dispute Over Jesus' Testimony

Pentecost 16A(August 21-27)	Genesis 38:1-26 or Isaiah 40:21-31	Psalms 18:31-36, 43-50	1 Corinthians 6:12-20	Matthew 12:1-21
Pentecost 16B (August 21-27)	Exodus 18 or 1 Kings 3:16-28	Psalms 55:1-8, 16-19, 22	2 Corinthians 12:2-10	Mark 7:1-23 That Which Defiles
Pentecost 16C (August 21-27)	1 Samuel 2:1-10 or Jeremiah 15:15-21	Psalms 102:1-17	Romans 6:1-11	Luke 11:37-54 Woes on the Pharisees and the Experts in the Law
Pentecost 16D (August 21-27)	Genesis 8:1-13 or Acts 26:1, 9-23, 27-29, 31-32	Psalms 132:1-5, 11-18	Revelation 3:14-22 Laodicia	John 8:31-47 Dispute Over Whose Children Jesus' Opponents Are
Pentecost 17A (Aug. 28-Sept. 3)	Genesis 39:1-21 or Isaiah 43:16-25	Psalms 20	1 Corinthians 8	Matthew 12:22-37
Pentecost 17B (Aug. 28-Sept. 3)	Exodus 19:2-8 or 1 Kings 8:1-21	Psalms 56	2 Corinthians 13:5-14	Mark 7:24-37 Jesus Honors a Syrophenician Woman's Faith-Jesus Heals a Deaf and Mute Man
Pentecost 17C (Aug. 28-Sept. 3)	1 Samuel 2:18-26 or Jeremiah 17:5-10	Psalms 102:18-28	Romans 6:12-23	Luke 12:1-12 Warnings and Encouragements
Pentecost 17D (Aug. 28-Sept. 3)	Genesis 8:13-22; 9:12-17 or Acts 28:1-10	Psalms 134	Revelation 5:1-14	John 8:48-59 Jesus' Claims About Himself
Pentecost 18A (September 4-10)	Genesis 40 or Isaiah 44:1-8	Psalms 21	1 Corinthians 9:1-16	Matthew 12:38-50

Pentecost 18B (September 4-10)	Exodus 20:1-20 or 1 Kings 17:8-24	Psalms 57	Hebrews 1:1 - 2:12	Mark 8:1-13 Feeding of the 4000
Pentecost 18C (September 4-10)	1 Samuel 3:1-20 or Jeremiah 18:1-11	Psalms 104:1-6, 14-24	Romans 7:12-25	Luke 12:13-21 The Parable of the Rich Fool
Pentecost 18D (September 4-10)	Genesis 11:1-9 or Acts 28:16-31	Psalms 135:1-14	Revelation 6:1-17	John 9:1-41 The Man Born Blind
Pentecost 19A (September 11-17)	Genesis 41 (Portions) or Isaiah 45:1-8	Psalms 25:7-22	1 Corinthians 9:16-27	Matthew 14:22-36
Pentecost 19B (September 11-17)	Exodus 24:12-18 or 1 Kings 18:1, 17-40	Psalms 58 Not for the faint of heart	Hebrews 3	Mark 8:14-21 The Yeast of the Pharisees and Herod
Pentecost 19C (September 11-17)	1 Samuel 8:4-20; 11:14-15 or Jeremiah 19:1-6, 10-12a	Psalms 106:1-16, 19-23, 47-48	Romans 8:1-11	Luke 12:35-48 Watchfulness
Pentecost 19D (September 11-17)	Genesis 13:1-16 or Ezra 1:1-7, 3:8-13	Psalms 136:1-9, 23-26	Revelation 7:9-17	John 11:1-3, 16-44 The Death of Lazarus
Pentecost 20A (September 18-24)	Genesis 42:1-26 or Isaiah 49:1-13	Psalms 26	1 Corinthians 10:1-17	Matthew 16:13-28
Pentecost 20B (September 18-24)	Exodus 32:1-14 or 1 Kings 19:1-15	Psalms 59:1-5, 16-17	Hebrews 4:1-13	Mark 8:22-33 Jesus Heals a Blind Man - Peter Calls Jesus the Messiah, Jesus predicts his death/ rebukes Peter

Pentecost 20C (September 18-24)	1 Samuel 12:19-24 or Jeremiah 20:7-18	Psalms 107:1-15	Romans 8:26-39	Luke 12:49-13:9 Not Peace but Division, Interpreting the Times, Repent or Perish
Pentecost 20D (September 18-24)	Genesis 15:1-18 or Nehemiah 8:1-4a, 5-6, 8-10	Psalms 138	Revelation 12:1-12	John 11:45-57 The Plot to Kill Jesus
Pentecost 21A (Sept.25-Oct. 1)	Genesis 43:1-15, 26-30 or Isaiah 55:1-13	Psalms 28	1 Corinthians 10:19-33	Matthew 17:22-18:5
Pentecost 21B (Sept.25-Oct. 1)	Exodus 33:12-23 or 1 Kings 21:1-24	Psalms 61:1-5, 8	Hebrews 4:14-5:5,7-9	Mark 9:14-29 Jesus Heals a Boy Possessed by an Evil Spirit
Pentecost 21C (Sept.25-Oct. 1)	1 Samuel 15:34 - 16:13 or Jeremiah 23:23-29	Psalms 107:1-3, 17-32	Romans 9:1-6, 16	Luke 13:10-17 Jesus Heals a Crippled Woman on the Sabbath
Pentecost 21D (Sept.25-Oct. 1)	Genesis 16 or Nehemiah 9:5-38	Psalms 139:1-18, 23-24	Revelation 13:11-18	John 12:1-11 Mary Anoints Jesus
Pentecost 22A (October 2-8)	Genesis 45 or Isaiah 56:1-8	Psalms 31:9-18	1 Corinthians 11:17-34	Matthew 18:15-35
Pentecost 22B (October 2-8)	Exodus 34:1-10 or 1 Kings 22-43	Psalms 62:1-8, 11-12	Hebrews 5:12-6:12	Mark 9:30-37 Jesus Predicts His Death a Second Time and talks about welcoming children
Pentecost 22C (October 2-8)	1 Samuel 16:1-13 or Jeremiah 29:1, 4-7	Psalms 108:1-6, 13	Romans 10:5-15	Luke 14:1-14 Jesus at a Pharisee's House

Pentecost 22D (October 2-8)	Genesis 18:1-15 Promise Revealed to Sarah or Ruth 1:1-19	Psalms 140	Revelation 19:1-10	John 12:37-50 Belief and Unbelief Among the Jews
Pentecost 23A (October 9-15)	Genesis 50:14-26 or Isaiah 58:1-14	Psalms 31:19-24	1 Corinthians 12:1-13	Matthew 21:10-27
Pentecost 23B (October 9-15)	Leviticus 19:1-18 or 2 Kings 2:1-15	Psalms 68:1-6, 32-35	Hebrews 7:22-8:12	Mark 9:38-50 Whoever Is Not Against Us Is for Us and Causing to Stumble
Pentecost 23C (October 9-15)	1 Samuel 15:1-23 or Jeremiah 31:27-34	Psalms 109:1-5, 21-27, 30-31	Romans 11:1-21	Luke 16:1-15 The Parable of the Shrewd Manager
Pentecost 23D (October 9-15)	Genesis 18:16-33 Abraham Bargains with God or Ruth 2:1-13	Psalms 141	Revelation 19:11-21	John 14:1-14 Jesus Comforts His Disciples
Pentecost 24A (October 16-22)	Song of Solomon 2:8-13 or Isaiah 59:1-4, 7-14, 20-21	Psalms 34:11-22	1 Corinthians 12:12-31	Matthew 22:15-33
Pentecost 24B (October 16-22)	Numbers 6:22-27 or 2 Kings 4:1-7	Psalms 69:1-3, 7-18	Hebrews 9:11-14; 10:19-31	Mark 10:1-15 Divorce and The Little Children
Pentecost 24C (October 16-22)	1 Samuel 17:1-49 or Jeremiah 32:1-15	Psalms 110	Romans 11:22-36	Luke 16:19-31 The Rich Man and Lazarus
Pentecost 24D (October 16-22)	Genesis 19:1-26 Sodom and Gomorrah Destroyed or Ruth 3	Psalms 142	Revelation 20:11-15 The Great White Throne Judgment	John 14:15-31 Jesus Promises the Holy Spirit

Pentecost 25A (October 23-29)	Esther 7:1-10; 9:20-22 or Isaiah 61:10-62:3	Psalms 35:1-3, 9-18	1 Corinthians 13	Matthew 22:15-33
Pentecost 25B (October 23-29)	Numbers 11:4-29 or 2 Kings 4:8-37	Psalms 70	Hebrews 10:16-25	Mark 10:17-31 The Rich and the Kingdom of God
Pentecost 25C (October 23-29)	1 Samuel 17:57-18:16 or Jeremiah 32:36-41	Psalms 111	Romans 12:1-8	Luke 17:1-19
Pentecost 25D (October 23-29)	Genesis 17:1-22 Circumcision Instituted or Ruth 4:1-17	Psalms 143	Revelation 21:1-6a	John 15:1-17 Jesus the True Vine
Pentecost 26A (Oct. 30-Nov. 5)	Haggai 1:1-13 or Isaiah 62:1-5	Psalms 36	1 Corinthians 14:1-20	Matthew 23:1-39
Pentecost 26B (Oct. 30-Nov. 5)	Numbers 13:1-2, 17-32 or 2 Kings 5:1-17	Psalms 71:1-12	Hebrews 11	Mark 10:46-52 Blind Bartimaeus Healed
Pentecost 26C (Oct. 30-Nov. 5)	1 Samuel 26:2-23 or Lamentations 1:1-12	Psalms 112	Romans 12:9-21	Luke 18:1-8 The Parable of the Persistent Widow
Pentecost 26D (Oct. 30-Nov. 5)	Genesis 21:1-19 Hagar and Ishmael or Zechariah 7:4-14	Psalms 144:1-4, 9-15	Revelation 21:1-8 The New Jerusalem 1	John 15:18-25 The World Hates the Disciples
All Saints' Day (Nov. 1)	Daniel 7:1-3, 15-18	Psalms 34:1-10, 22	1 John 3:1-3	Matthew 5:1-12
All Saints' Day (Nov. 1)	Isaiah 25:6-9	Psalms 24	Revelation 7:9-17	John 11:32-44
All Saints' Day (Nov. 1)	Daniel 7:1-3, 15-18	Psalms 149	Ephesians 1:11-23	Luke 6:20-31

All Saints' Day (Nov. 1)	Isaiah 25:6-9	Psalms 24	Revelation 21:1-6a	John 11:32-44
Pentecost 27A (November 6-12)	Haggai 2:2-9 or Isaiah 62:6-12	Psalms 37:1-11	1 Corinthians 15:51-58	Matthew 25:1-13
Pentecost 27B (November 6-12)	Numbers 14:1-24 7 or Malachi 1:1, 2:1-10	Psalms 73:12, 15-23	Hebrews 12:1-19, 22-24, 28-29	Mark 11:12-33 Jesus Curses Fig Tree and Clears the Temple Courts - the Authority of Jesus Questioned
Pentecost 27C (November 6-12)	1 Samuel 28:1-20 or Lamentations 2:1-13	Psalms 113	Romans 14:1-13, 17	Luke 18:9-14 The Parable of the Pharisee and the Tax Collector
Pentecost 27D (November 6-12)	Genesis 22:1-19 The Binding of Isaac or Zechariah 8:7-17	Psalms 145:1-9	Revelation 21:9-27 The New Jerusalem 2	John 15:26-16:15 When the Advocate Comes
Pentecost 28A (November 13-19)	Nahum 1:1-9, 12-15 or Isaiah 66:10-14	Psalms 38:1-4, 9-15, 21-22	1 Corinthians 16:1-9, 13-14, 20-24	Matthew 25:14-30
Pentecost 28B (November 13-19)	Numbers 21:4-9 or Malachi 4:1-6	Psalms 74:1-2, 10-17	Hebrews 13:1-16, 20-21	Mark 12:35-44 Whose Son Is the Messiah? Warning against the teachers of the Law, and The Widow's Mite
Pentecost 28C (November 13-19)	1 Samuel 31:1-9 or Lamentations 3:1-9, 14-33	Psalms 114	Romans 15:14-33	Luke 19:11-27 The Parable of the Ten Minas
Pentecost 28D (November 13-19)	Genesis 24:34-67 Rebekah Wed to Isaac or Zechariah 9:9-12, 16-17	Psalms 145:10-21	Revelation 22:1-7; 12-17	John 16:16-33 The Disciples' Grief Will Turn to Joy

Christ the King	Ezekial 34:11-16, 20-24	Psalms 100	Ephesians 1:15-23	Matthew 25:31-46
Christ the King	2 Samuel 23:1-7	Psalms 100	Revelation 1:4b-8	Mark 15:16-20 The Soldiers Mock Jesus
Christ the King	Jeremiah 23:1-6	Psalms 100	Colossians 1:11-20	Luke 20:20-26 Paying Taxes to Caesar
Christ the King	Jeremiah 33:14-16	Psalms 100	Hebrews 13:1-16, 20-21	John 17:1-26 Jesus Prayer for His Disciples
Thanksgiving A	Joel 2:21-27	Psalms 150	1 Timothy 2:1-7	Matthew 6:25-33
Thanksgiving B	Deuteronomy 26:1-11	Psalms 126	Philippians 1:3-11	Mark 10:28-31
Thanksgiving C	Deuteronomy 8:1-20	Psalms 65	2 Corinthians 9:6-15	Luke 17:11-19
Thanksgiving D	Deuteronomy 26:1-11	Psalms 126	Philippians 4:4-9	John 6:25-35

Monday of Holy Week (A, B, C, D)

Isaiah 42:1-9
 Psalms 36:5-11
 Hebrews 9:11-15
 John 12:1-11

Easter Vigil (A, B, C, D)

At least three Old Testament readings should be chosen.
 The reading from Exodus 14 should always be used.

Old Testament Readings and Responses

1 Genesis 1:1—2:4a
 Psalms 136:1-9, 23-26
 2 Genesis 7:1-5, 11-18; 8:6-18; 9:8-13
 Psalms 46
 3 Genesis 22:1-18
 Psalms 16
 4 Exodus 14:10-31; 15:20-21
 Exodus 15:1b-13, 17-18
 5 Isaiah 55:1-11
 Isaiah 12:2-6
 6 Ezekiel 20:1-24

Psalms 19

7 Ezekiel 36:24-28
 Psalms 42 and 43
 8 Ezekiel 37:1-14
 Psalms 143
 9 Zephaniah 3:14-20
 Psalms 98

New Testament Reading

Romans 6:3-11
 Psalms 114

Matthew 28:1-10

Tuesday of Holy Week (A, B, C, D)

Isaiah 49:1-7
 Psalms 71:1-14
 1 Corinthians 1:18-31
 John 12:20-36

Wednesday of Holy Week (A, B, C, D)

Isaiah 50:4-9a
 Psalms 70
 Hebrews 12:1-3
 John 13:21-32

Other Special Days

Presentation of the Lord (A, B, C, D)

February 2

Malachi 3:1-4

Psalm 84 or Psalm 24:7-10

Hebrews 2:14-18

Luke 2:22-40

Annunciation of the Lord (A, B, C, D)

March 25

Isaiah 7:10-14

Psalm 45 or Psalm 40:5-10

Hebrews 10:4-10

Luke 1:26-38

Visitation of Mary to Elizabeth (A, B, C, D)

May 31

1 Samuel 2:1-10

Psalm 113

Romans 12:9-16b

Luke 1:39-57

Holy Cross (A, B, C, D)

September 14

Numbers 21:4b-9

Psalm 98:1-5 or Psalm 78:1-2, 34-38

1 Corinthians 1:18-24

John 3:13-17