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Nov. 29, 2026—Nov. 21, 2027

Season	Date	Festival	First Reading	Psalm	Epistle	Gospel
ADVENT 2026	Nov. 29, ***2026***	First S. in Advent (Ad Te Levavi)	Jer. 23:5–8	Psalm 24	Rom. 13:(8–10) 11–14	Matt. 21:1–9
	Dec. 6	Second S. in Advent (Populus Zion)	Mal. 4:1–6	Psalm 50:1–15	Rom. 15:4–13	Luke 21:25–36
	Dec. 13	Third S. in Advent (Gaudete)	Isaiah 40:1–8 (9–11)	Psalm 85	1 Cor. 4:1–5	Matt. 11:2–10 (11)
	Dec. 20	Fourth S. in Advent (Rorate Coeli)	Deut. 18:15–19	Psalm 111	Phil. 4:4–7	John 1:19–28 *or* Luke 1:39–56
	Dec. 24	The Nativity of Our Lord *(Christmas Eve)*	Isaiah 7:10–14	Psalm 110:1–4	1 John 4:7–16	Matt. 1:18–25
CHRISTMAS 2026	Dec. 25	The Nativity of Our Lord *(Midnight)*	Isaiah 9:2–7	Psalm 96	Titus 2:11–14	Luke 2:1–14 (15–20)
		The Nativity of Our Lord *(Dawn)*	Micah 5:2–5a	Psalm 80:1–7	Titus 3:4–7	Luke 2:(1–14) 15–20
		The Nativity of Our Lord *(Day)*	Ex. 40:17–21, 34–38	Psalm 2	Titus 3:4–7	John 1:1–14 (15–18)
	Dec. 27	First S. after Christmas	Isaiah 11:1–5 *or* 2 Sam. 7:1–16	Psalm 89:1–8	Gal. 4:1–7	Luke 2:(22–32) 33–40
	or	St. John	Rev. 1:1–6	Psalm 11	1 John 1:1–2:2	John 21:20–25
	Dec. 31	Eve of the Circ. and Name of Jesus *(New Year's Eve)*	Isaiah 30:(8–14) 15–17	Psalm 90:1–12	Rom. 8:31b–39	Luke 12:35–40
A.D. 2027	Jan. 1	Circumcision and Name of Jesus *(New Year's Day)*	Num. 6:22–27	Psalm 8	Gal. 3:23–29	Luke 2:21
	Jan. 3	Second S. after Christmas	Gen. 46:1–7	Psalm 77:11–20	1 Peter 4:12–19	Matt. 2:13–23
EPIPHANY	Jan. 6	The Epiphany of Our Lord	Isaiah 60:1–6	Psalm 24	Eph. 3:1–12 *or* Col. 1:23–27	Matt. 2:1–12
	Jan. 10	First S. after the Epiphany	1 Kings 8:6–13	Psalm 50:1–15	Rom. 12:1–5	Luke 2:41–52
	or	The Baptism of Our Lord	Josh. 3:1–3, 7–8, 13–17 *or* Isaiah 42:1–7	Psalm 85	1 Cor. 1:26–31	Matt. 3:13–17
	Jan. 17	The Transfiguration of Our Lord	Ex. 34:29–35 *or* Ex. 3:1–14	Psalm 2	2 Peter 1:16–21	Matt. 17:1–9
PRE-LENT	Jan. 24	Septuagesima	Ex. 17:1–7	Psalm 95:1–9	1 Cor. 9:24–10:5	Matt. 20:1–16
	Jan. 31	Sexagesima	Isaiah 55:10–13	Psalm 84	2 Cor. 11:19–12:9 *or* Heb. 4:9–13	Luke 8:4–15
	Feb. 7	Quinquagesima	1 Sam. 16:1–13 *or* Isaiah 35:3–7	Psalm 89:18–29 *or* Psalm 146	1 Cor. 13:1–13	Luke 18:31–43
ASH WEDNESDAY	Feb. 10	Ash Wednesday	Joel 2:12–19 *or* Jonah 3:1–10	Psalm 51:1–13 (14–19)	2 Peter 1:2–11	Matt. 6:(1–6) 16–21

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	Feb. 21	Second S. in Lent (Reminiscere)	Gen. 32:22–32	Psalm 121	1 Thess. 4:1–7 *or* Rom. 5:1–5	Matt. 15:21–28
	Feb. 28	Third S. in Lent (Oculi)	Ex. 8:16–24 *or* Jer. 26:1–15	Psalm 136:1–16 *or* Psalm 4	Eph. 5:1–9	Luke 11:14–28
	March 7	Fourth S. in Lent (Laetare)	Ex. 16:2–21 *or* Isaiah 49:8–13	Psalm 132:8–18	Gal. 4:21–31 *or* Acts 2:41–47	John 6:1–15
	March 14	Fifth S. in Lent (Judica)	Gen. 22:1–14	Psalm 43	Heb. 9:11–15	John 8:(42–45) 46–59
HOLY WEEK	March 21	Palm Sunday *(Palmarum)*	Zech. 9:9–12	Psalm 118:19–29 *or* Psalm 31:9–16	Phil. 2:5–11	*Matt. 21:1–9 or John 12:12–19 (Procession)* ---------- Matt. (26:1–27:10) 27:11–54 (55–60)
	March 25	Holy (Maundy) Thursday	Ex. 12:1–14 *or* Ex. 24:3–11	Psalm 116:12–19	1 Cor. 11:23–32	John 13:1–15 (34–35)
	March 26	Good Friday	Isaiah 52:13–53:12	Psalm 22 *or* Psalm 31	2 Cor. 5:14–21	John 18:1–19:42
EASTER	March 28	The Resurrection of Our Lord (*Sunrise*)	Isaiah 25:6–9 *or* Ex. 14:10–15:1	Psalm 16 *or* The Song of Moses and Israel	1 Cor. 15:1–11 *or* 1 Cor. 15:12–25	John 20:1–18
		The Resurrection of Our Lord (*Day*)	Job 19:23–27	Psalm 118:15–29	1 Cor. 5:6–8 *or* 1 Cor. 15:51–57	Mark 16:1–8
	April 4	Second S. of Easter (Quasimodo Geniti)	Ezek. 37:1–14	Psalm 33	1 John 5:4–10	John 20:19–31
	April 11	Third S. of Easter (Misericordias Domini)	Ezek. 34:11–16	Psalm 23	1 Peter 2:21–25	John 10:11–16
	April 18	Fourth S. of Easter (Jubilate)	Isaiah 40:25–31 *or* Lam. 3:22–33	Psalm 147:1–11	1 Peter 2:11–20 *or* 1 John 3:1–3	John 16:16–22
	April 25	St. Mark	Isaiah 52:7–10	Psalm 146	2 Tim. 4:5–18	Mark 16:14–20
	or	Fifth S. of Easter (Cantate)	Isaiah 12:1–6	Psalm 66:1–8	James 1:16–21	John 16:5–15
	May 2	Sixth S. of Easter (Rogate)	Num. 21:4–9	Psalm 107:1–9	James 1:22–27 *or* 1 Tim. 2:1–6	John 16:23–30 (31–33)
	May 6	The Ascension of Our Lord	2 Kings 2:5–15	Psalm 110	Acts 1:1–11	Mark 16:14–20 *or* Luke 24:44–53
	May 9	Seventh S. of Easter (Exaudi)	Ezek. 36:22–28	Psalm 51:1–12	1 Peter 4:7–11 (12–14)	John 15:26–16:4
PENTECOST	May 16	The Day of Pentecost	Gen. 11:1–9	Psalm 143	Acts 2:1–21	John 14:23–31
TRINITY	May 23	The Holy Trinity	Isaiah 6:1–7	Psalm 29	Rom. 11:33–36	John 3:1–15 (16–17)
	May 30	First Sunday after Trinity	Gen. 15:1–6	Psalm 33:12–22	1 John 4:16–21	Luke 16:19–31

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	June 6	Second Sunday after Trinity	Prov. 9:1–10	Psalm 34:12–22	1 John 3:13–18 *or* Eph. 2:13–22	Luke 14:15–24
	June 13	Third Sunday after Trinity	Micah 7:18–20	Psalm 103:1–13	1 Peter 5:6–11 *or* 1 Tim. 1:12–17	Luke 15:1–10 *or* Luke 15:11–32
	June 20	Fourth Sunday after Trinity	Gen. 50:15–21	Psalm 138	Rom. 8:18–23 *or* Rom. 12:14–21	Luke 6:36–42
	June 27	Fifth Sunday after Trinity	1 Kings 19:11–21	Psalm 16	1 Peter 3:8–15 *or* 1 Cor. 1:18–25	Luke 5:1–11
	July 4	Sixth Sunday after Trinity	Ex. 20:1–17	Psalm 19	Rom. 6:(1–2) 3–11	Matt. 5:(17–19) 20–26
	July 11	Seventh Sunday after Trinity	Gen. 2:7–17	Psalm 33:1–11	Rom. 6:19–23	Mark 8:1–9
	July 18	Eighth Sunday after Trinity	Jer. 23:16–29	Psalm 26	Rom. 8:12–17 *or* Acts 20:27–38	Matt. 7:15–23
	July 25	St. James the Elder	Acts 11:27–12:5	Psalm 56	Rom. 8:28–39	Mark 10:35–45
	or	Ninth Sunday after Trinity	2 Sam. 22:26–34	Psalm 51:1–12	1 Cor. 10:6–13	Luke 16:1–9 (10–13)
	Aug. 1	Tenth Sunday after Trinity	Jer. 7:1–11 *or* Jer. 8:4–12	Psalm 92	1 Cor. 12:1–11 *or* Rom. 9:30–10:4	Luke 19:41–48
	Aug. 8	Eleventh Sunday after Trinity	Gen. 4:1–15	Psalm 50:7–23	1 Cor. 15:1–10 *or* Eph. 2:1–10	Luke 18:9–14
	Aug. 15	St. Mary, Mother of Our Lord	Isaiah 61:7–11	Psalm 45:10–17	Gal. 4:4–7	Luke 1:(39–45) 46–55
	or	Twelfth Sunday after Trinity	Isaiah 29:17–24	Psalm 146	2 Cor. 3:4–11 *or* Rom. 10:9–17	Mark 7:31–37
	Aug. 22	Thirteenth S. after Trinity	2 Chron. 28:8–15	Psalm 32	Gal. 3:15–22	Luke 10:23–37
	Aug. 29	The Martyrdom of St. John the Baptist	Rev. 6:9–11	Psalm 71:1–8	Rom. 6:1–5	Mark 6:14–29
	or	Fourteenth S. after Trinity	Prov. 4:10–23	Psalm 119:9–16	Gal. 5:16–24	Luke 17:11–19
	Sept. 5	Fifteenth S. after Trinity	1 Kings 17:8–16	Psalm 146	Gal. 5:25–6:10	Matt. 6:24–34
	Sept. 12	Sixteenth S. after Trinity	1 Kings 17:17–24	Psalm 30	Eph. 3:13–21	Luke 7:11–17
	Sept. 19	Seventeenth S. after Trinity	Prov. 25:6–14	Psalm 2	Eph. 4:1–6	Luke 14:1–11
	Sept. 26	Eighteenth S. after Trinity	Deut. 10:12–21	Psalm 34:8–22	1 Cor. 1:(1–3) 4–9	Matt. 22:34–46
	Sept. 29	St. Michael and All Angels	Dan. 10:10–14; 12:1–3	Psalm 91	Rev. 12:7–12	Matt. 18:1–11 *or* Luke 10:17–20
	Oct. 3	Nineteenth S. after Trinity	Gen. 28:10–17	Psalm 84	Eph. 4:22–28	Matt. 9:1–8
	Oct. 10	Twentieth S. after Trinity	Isaiah 55:1–9	Psalm 27:1–9	Eph. 5:15–21	Matt. 22:1–14 *or* Matt. 21:33–44
	Oct. 17	Twenty-first S. after Trinity	Gen. 1:1–2:3	Psalm 8	Eph. 6:10–17	John 4:46–54

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REFORMATION	Oct. 31	Reformation Day	Rev. 14:6–7	Psalm 46	Rom. 3:19–28	Matt. 11:12–19 *or* John 8:31–36
ALL SAINTS' DAY	Nov. 7 (observed)	All Saints' Day (Nov. 1)	Rev. 7:(2–8) 9–17	Psalm 149	1 John 3:1–3	Matt. 5:1–12
	or	Twenty-fourth S. after Trinity	Isaiah 51:9–16	Psalm 126	Col. 1:9–14	Matt. 9:18–26
	Nov. 14	Twenty-fifth S. after Trinity	Ex. 32:1–20 *or* Job 14:1–6	Psalm 14 *or* Psalm 102:1–13	1 Thess. 4:13–18	Matt. 24:15–28 *or* Luke 17:20–30
	Nov. 21	Last S. of the Church Year	Isaiah 65:17–25	Psalm 149	1 Thess. 5:1–11	Matt. 25:1–13
THANKSGIVING	Nov. 25	Thanksgiving Day	Deut. 8:1–10	Psalm 67	Phil. 4:6–20 *or* 1 Tim. 2:1–4	Luke 17:11–19
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	Dec. 26	St. Stephen	2 Chron. 24:17–22	Psalm 119:137–144	Acts 6:8–7:2a, 51–60	Matt. 23:34–39
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