

# 2022–2023 CHURCH YEAR CALENDAR—SERIES A



SEASON	DATE	FESTIVAL	FIRST READING	EPISTLE	GOSPEL
<b>ADVENT</b>	Nov. 27	First S. in Advent	Is. 2:1–5	Rom 13:(8–10) 11–14	Matt. 21:1–11 or Matt. 24:36–44
	Dec. 4	Second S. in Advent	Is. 11:1–10	Rom. 15:4–13	Matt. 3:1–12
	Dec. 11	Third S. in Advent	Is. 35:1–10	James 5:7–11	Matt. 11:2–15
	Dec. 18	Fourth S. in Advent	Is. 7:10–17	Rom. 1:1–7	Matt. 1:18–25
<b>CHRISTMAS</b>	Dec. 24	The Nativity of Our Lord	Is. 7:10–14	1 John 4:7–16	Matt. 1:18–25
<b>CIRCUMCISION</b>	Dec. 25	<i>Christmas Eve</i> <i>Christmas Day</i>	Is. 52:7–10	Heb. 1:1–6 (7–12)	John 1:1–14 (15–18)
<b>EPIPHANY</b>	Jan. 1	Circumcision and Name of Jesus	Num. 6:22–27	Gal. 3:23–29	Luke 2:21
<b>EPIPHANY</b>	Jan. 6	Epiphany	Is. 60:1–6	Eph. 3:1–12	Matt. 2:1–12
	Jan. 8	The Baptism of Our Lord	Is. 42:1–9	Rom. 6:1–11	Matt. 3:13–17
	Jan. 15	Second S. a. the Epiphany	Is. 49:1–7	1 Cor. 1:1–9	John 1:29–42a
	Jan. 22	Third S. a. the Epiphany	Is. 9:1–4	1 Cor. 1:10–18	Matt. 4:12–25
	Jan. 29	Fourth S. a. the Epiphany	Mic. 6:1–8	1 Cor. 1:18–31	Matt. 5:1–12
	Feb. 5	Fifth S. a. the Epiphany	Is. 58:3–9a	1 Cor. 2:1–12 (13–16)	Matt. 5:13–20
<b>EPIPHANY</b>	Feb. 12	Sixth S. a. the Epiphany	Deut. 30:15–20	1 Cor. 3:1–9	Matt. 5:21–37
<b>ASH WEDNESDAY</b>	Feb. 19	The Transfiguration of Our Lord	Ex. 24:8–18	2 Pet. 1:16–21	Matt. 17:1–9
<b>LENT</b>	Feb. 22	Ash Wednesday	Joel 2:12–19	2 Cor. 5:20b–6:10	Matt. 6:1–6, 16–21
	Feb. 26	First S. in Lent	Gen. 3:1–21	Rom. 5:12–19	Matt. 4:1–11
	Mar. 5	Second S. in Lent	Gen. 12:1–9	Rom. 4:1–8, 13–17	John 3:1–17
	Mar. 12	Third S. in Lent	Ex. 17:1–7	Rom. 5:1–8	John 4:5–26 (27–30, 39–42)
	Mar. 19	Fourth S. in Lent	Is. 42:14–21	Eph. 5:8–14	John 9:1–41 or John 9:1–7, 13–17, 34–39
<b>PALM SUNDAY</b>	Mar. 26	Fifth S. in Lent	Ezek. 37:1–14	Rom. 8:1–11	John 11:1–45 (46–53) or John 11:17–27, 38–53
	Apr. 2	Palm Sunday <i>Sunday of the Passion</i>	Is. 50:4–9a	Phil. 2:5–11	Matt. 26:1–27:66 or Matt. 27:11–66 or John 12:20–43
<b>HOLY THURSDAY</b>	Apr. 6	Holy (Maundy) Thursday Holy (Maundy) Thursday alt.	Ex. 24:3–11 Ex. 12:1–14	Heb. 9:11–22 1 Cor. 11:23–32	Matt. 26:17–30 John 13:1–17, 31b–35
<b>GOOD FRIDAY</b>	Apr. 7	Good Friday	Is. 52:13–53:12	Heb. 4:14–16; 5:7–9	John 18:1–19:42 or John 19:17–30
<b>EASTER</b>	Apr. 9	The Resurrection of Our Lord <i>Easter Day</i>	Acts 10:34–43 or Jer. 31:1–6	Col. 3:1–4	Matt. 28:1–10
	Apr. 16	Second S. of Easter	Acts 5:29–42	1 Pet. 1:3–9	John 20:19–31
	Apr. 23	Third S. of Easter	Acts 2:14a, 36–41	1 Pet. 1:17–25	Luke 24:13–35
	Apr. 30	Fourth S. of Easter	Acts 2:42–47	1 Pet. 2:19–25	John 10:1–10
	May 7	Fifth S. of Easter	Acts 6:1–9; 7:2a, 51–60	1 Pet. 2:2–10	John 14:1–14
	May 14	Sixth S. of Easter	Acts 17:16–31	1 Pet. 3:13–22	John 14:15–21
	May 18	The Ascension of Our Lord	Acts 1:1–11	Eph. 1:15–23	Luke 24:44–53
	May 21	Seventh S. of Easter	Acts 1:12–26	1 Pet. 4:12–19; 5:6–11	John 17:1–11
<b>PENTECOST</b>	May 28	The Day of Pentecost	Num. 11:24–30	Acts 2:1–21	John 7:37–39
<b>TRINITY</b>	June 4	The Holy Trinity	Gen. 1:1–2:4a	Acts 2:14a, 22–36	Matt. 28:16–20
<b>PENTECOST</b>	June 11 (Proper 5)	Second S. a. Pentecost	Hos. 5:15–6:6	Rom. 4:13–25	Matt. 9:9–13
	June 18 (Proper 6)	Third S. a. Pentecost	Ex. 19:2–8	Rom. 5:6–15	Matt. 9:35–10:8 (9–20)
	June 25 (Proper 7)	Fourth S. a. Pentecost	Jer. 20:7–13	Rom. 6:12–23	Matt. 10:5a, 21–33
	July 2 (Proper 8)	Fifth S. a. Pentecost	Jer. 28:5–9	Rom. 7:1–13	Matt. 10:34–42
	July 9 (Proper 9)	Sixth S. a. Pentecost	Zech. 9:9–12	Rom. 7:14–25a	Matt. 11:25–30
	July 16 (Proper 10)	Seventh S. a. Pentecost	Is. 55:10–13	Rom. 8:12–17	Matt. 13:1–9, 18–23
	July 23 (Proper 11)	Eighth S. a. Pentecost	Is. 44:6–8	Rom. 8:18–27	Matt. 13:24–30, 36–43
	July 30 (Proper 12)	Ninth S. a. Pentecost	Deut. 7:6–9	Rom. 8:28–39	Matt. 13:44–52
	Aug. 6 (Proper 13)	Tenth S. a. Pentecost	Is. 55:1–5	Rom. 9:1–5 (6–13)	Matt. 14:13–21
	Aug. 13 (Proper 14)	Eleventh S. a. Pentecost	Job 38:4–18	Rom. 10:5–17	Matt. 14:22–33
	Aug. 20 (Proper 15)	Twelfth S. a. Pentecost	Is. 56:1, 6–8	Rom. 11:1–2a, 13–15, 28–32	Matt. 15:21–28
	Aug. 27 (Proper 16)	Thirteenth S. a. Pentecost	Is. 51:1–6	Rom. 11:33–12:8	Matt. 16:13–20
	Sep. 3 (Proper 17)	Fourteenth S. a. Pentecost	Jer. 15:15–21	Rom. 12:9–21	Matt. 16:21–28
	Sep. 10 (Proper 18)	Fifteenth S. a. Pentecost	Ezek. 33:7–9	Rom. 13:1–10	Matt. 18:1–20
	Sep. 17 (Proper 19)	Sixteenth S. a. Pentecost	Gen. 50:15–21	Rom. 14:1–12	Matt. 18:21–35
	Sep. 24 (Proper 20)	Seventeenth S. a. Pentecost	Is. 55:6–9	Phil. 1:12–14, 19–30	Matt. 20:1–16
	Oct. 1 (Proper 21)	Eighteenth S. a. Pentecost	Ezek. 18:1–4, 25–32	Phil. 2:1–4 (5–13) 14–18	Matt. 21:23–27 (28–32)
	Oct. 8 (Proper 22)	Nineteenth S. a. Pentecost	Is. 5:1–7	Phil. 3:4b–14	Matt. 21:33–46
	Oct. 15 (Proper 23)	Twentieth S. a. Pentecost	Is. 25:6–9	Phil. 4:4–13	Matt. 22:1–14
	Oct. 22 (Proper 24)	Twenty-First S. a. Pentecost	Is. 45:1–7	1 Thess. 1:1–10	Matt. 22:15–22
<b>REFORMATION</b>	Oct. 29*	Reformation Day	Rev. 14:6–7	Rom. 3:19–28	John 8:31–36 or Matt. 11:12–19
<b>ALL SAINTS' DAY</b>	Nov. 5*	All Saints' Day	Rev. 7:(2–8) 9–17	1 John 3:1–3	Matt. 5:1–12
<b>PENTECOST</b>	Nov. 12 (Proper 27)	Twenty-Fourth S. a. Pentecost	Amos 5:18–24	1 Thess. 4:13–18	Matt. 25:1–13
<b>THANKSGIVING</b>	Nov. 19 (Proper 28)	Twenty-Fifth S. a. Pentecost	Zeph. 1:7–16	1 Thess. 5:1–11	Matt. 25:14–30
	Nov. 23	Thanksgiving Day	Deut. 8:1–10	Phil. 4:6–20 or 1 Tim. 2:1–4	Luke 17:11–19
<b>PENTECOST</b>	Nov. 26 (Proper 29)	Last S. of the Church Year	Ezek. 34:11–16, 20–24	1 Cor. 15:20–28	Matt. 25:31–46