

# 2017 Revised Common Lectionary for Sundays and Festivals

## **[Year A]**

### **First Sunday after Christmas Day—January 1, 2017**

Isaiah 63:7–9

Psalm 148

Hebrews 2:10–18

Matthew 2:13–23

### **Epiphany of the Lord—January 6**

Isaiah 60:1–6

Psalm 72:1–7, 10–14

Ephesians 3:1–12

Matthew 2:1–12

### **Baptism of the Lord—January 8**

Isaiah 42:1–9

Psalm 29

Acts 10:34–43

Matthew 3:13–17

### **Second Sunday after the Epiphany—January 15**

Isaiah 49:1–7

Psalm 40:1–11

1 Corinthians 1:1–9

John 1:29–42

### **Third Sunday after the Epiphany—January 22**

Isaiah 9:1–4

Psalm 27:1, 4–9

1 Corinthians 1:10–18

Matthew 4:12–23

### **Fourth Sunday after the Epiphany—January 29**

Micah 6:1–8

Psalm 15

1 Corinthians 1:18–31

Matthew 5:1–12

### **Fifth Sunday after the Epiphany—February 5**

Isaiah 58:1–9a [9b–12]

Psalm 112:1–9 [10]

1 Corinthians 2:1–12 [13–16]

Matthew 5:13–20

**Sixth Sunday after the Epiphany—February 12**

Deuteronomy 30:15–20 *or* Sirach 15:15–20

Psalm 119:1–8

1 Corinthians 3:1–9

Matthew 5:21–37

**Seventh Sunday after the Epiphany—February 19**

Leviticus 19:1–2, 9–18

Psalm 119:33–40

1 Corinthians 3:10–11, 16–23

Matthew 5:38–48

**Transfiguration of the Lord—February 26**

Exodus 24:12–18

Psalm 2 *or* Psalm 99

2 Peter 1:16–21

Matthew 17:1–9

**Ash Wednesday—March 1**

Joel 2:1–2, 12–17 *or* Isaiah 58:1–12

Psalm 51:1–17

2 Corinthians 5:20b—6:10

Matthew 6:1–6, 16–21

**First Sunday in Lent—March 5**

Genesis 2:15–17; 3:1–7

Psalm 32

Romans 5:12–19

Matthew 4:1–11

**Second Sunday in Lent—March 12**

Genesis 12:1–4a

Psalm 121

Romans 4:1–5, 13–17

John 3:1–17 *or* Matthew 17:1–9

**Third Sunday in Lent—March 19**

Exodus 17:1–7

Psalm 95

Romans 5:1–11

John 4:5–42

**Fourth Sunday in Lent—March 26**

1 Samuel 16:1–13

Psalm 23

Ephesians 5:8–14

John 9:1–41

**Fifth Sunday in Lent—April 2**

Ezekiel 37:1–14

Psalm 130

Romans 8:6–11

John 11:1–45

**Palm/Passion Sunday—April 9**

**Sixth Sunday in Lent**

*Liturgy of the Palms*

Matthew 21:1–11

Psalm 118:1–2, 19–29

*Liturgy of the Passion*

Isaiah 50:4–9a

Psalm 31:9–16

Philippians 2:5–11

Matthew 26:14—27:66 or Matthew 27:11–54

**Monday of Holy Week—April 10**

Isaiah 42:1–9

Psalm 36:5–11

Hebrews 9:11–15

John 12:1–11

**Tuesday of Holy Week—April 11**

Isaiah 49:1–7

Psalm 71:1–14

1 Corinthians 1:18–31

John 12:20–36

**Wednesday of Holy Week—April 12**

Isaiah 50:4–9a

Psalm 70

Hebrews 12:1–3

John 13:21–32

**Maundy Thursday—April 13**

Exodus 12:1–4 [5–10] 11–14

Psalm 116:1–2, 12–19

1 Corinthians 11:23–26

John 13:1–17, 31b–35

**Good Friday—April 14**

Isaiah 52:13—53:12

Psalm 22

Hebrews 10:16–25 or Hebrews 4:14–16; 5:7–9

John 18:1—19:42

**Easter Vigil—April 15**

*A minimum of three Old Testament readings should be chosen.*

*The reading from Exodus 14 should always be used.*

Genesis 1:1—2:4a

Psalm 136:1–9, 23–26

Genesis 7:1–5, 11–18; 8:6–18; 9:8–13

Psalm 46

Genesis 22:1–18

Psalm 16

Exodus 14:10–31; 15:20–21

Exodus 15:1b–13, 17–18

Isaiah 55:1–11

Isaiah 12:2–6

Baruch 3:9–15, 32—4:4 *or* Proverbs 8:1–8, 19–21; 9:4b–6

Psalm 19

Ezekiel 36:24–28

Psalm 42 and 43

Ezekiel 37:1–14

Psalm 143

Zephaniah 3:14–20

Psalm 98

Romans 6:3–11

Psalm 114

Matthew 28:1–10

**Resurrection of the Lord—April 16****Easter Sunday**

Acts 10:34–43 *or* Jeremiah 31:1–6

Psalm 118:1–2, 14–24

Colossians 3:1–4 *or* Acts 10:34–43

John 20:1–18 *or* Matthew 28:1–10

*Easter Evening*

Isaiah 25:6–9

Psalm 114

1 Corinthians 5:6b–8

Luke 24:13–49

**Second Sunday of Easter—April 23**

Acts 2:14a, 22–32

Psalm 16

1 Peter 1:3–9

John 20:19–31

**Third Sunday of Easter—April 30**

Acts 2:14a, 36–41

Psalm 116:1–4, 12–19

1 Peter 1:17–23

Luke 24:13–35

**Fourth Sunday of Easter—May 7**

Acts 2:42–47  
Psalm 23  
1 Peter 2:19–25  
John 10:1–10

**Fifth Sunday of Easter—May 14**

Acts 7:55–60  
Psalm 31:1–5, 15–16  
1 Peter 2:2–10  
John 14:1–14

**Sixth Sunday of Easter—May 21**

Acts 17:22–31  
Psalm 66:8–20  
1 Peter 3:13–22  
John 14:15–21

**Ascension of the Lord—May 25**

Acts 1:1–11  
Psalm 47 *or* Psalm 93  
Ephesians 1:15–23  
Luke 24:44–53

**Seventh Sunday of Easter—May 28**

Acts 1:6–14  
Psalm 68:1–10, 32–35  
1 Peter 4:12–14; 5:6–11  
John 17:1–11

**Day of Pentecost—June 4**

Acts 2:1–21 *or* Numbers 11:24–30  
Psalm 104:24–34, 35b  
1 Corinthians 12:3b–13 *or* Acts 2:1–21  
John 20:19–23 *or* John 7:37–39

**Trinity Sunday—June 11**

Genesis 1:1–2:4a  
Psalm 8  
2 Corinthians 13:11–13  
Matthew 28:16–20

**Second Sunday after Pentecost (Proper 6)—June 18**

<i>Semicontinuous</i>	<i>Complementary</i>
Genesis 18:1–15 (21:1–7)	Exodus 19:2–8a
Psalm 116:1–2, 12–19	Psalm 100
Romans 5:1–8	Romans 5:1–8
Matthew 9:35—10:8 (9–23)	Matthew 9:35—10:8 (9–23)

**Third Sunday after Pentecost (Proper 7)—June 25**

*Semicontinuous*

Genesis 21:8–21

Psalm 86:1–10, 16–17

Romans 6:1b–11

Matthew 10:24–39

*Complementary*

Jeremiah 20:7–13

Psalm 69:7–10 [11–15] 16–18

Romans 6:1b–11

Matthew 10:24–39

**Fourth Sunday after Pentecost (Proper 8)—July 2**

*Semicontinuous*

Genesis 22:1–14

Psalm 13

Romans 6:12–23

Matthew 10:40–42

*Complementary*

Jeremiah 28:5–9

Psalm 89:1–4, 15–18

Romans 6:12–23

Matthew 10:40–42

**Fifth Sunday after Pentecost (Proper 9)—July 9**

*Semicontinuous*

Genesis 24:34–38, 42–49, 58–67

Psalm 45:10–17

or Song of Solomon 2:8–13

Romans 7:15–25a

Matthew 11:16–19, 25–30

*Complementary*

Zechariah 9:9–12

Psalm 145:8–14

Romans 7:15–25a

Matthew 11:16–19, 25–30

**Sixth Sunday after Pentecost (Proper 10)—July 16**

*Semicontinuous*

Genesis 25:19–34

Psalm 119:105–112

Romans 8:1–11

Matthew 13:1–9, 18–23

*Complementary*

Isaiah 55:10–13

Psalm 65:[1–8] 9–13

Romans 8:1–11

Matthew 13:1–9, 18–23

**Seventh Sunday after Pentecost (Proper 11)—July 23**

*Semicontinuous*

Genesis 28:10–19a

Psalm 139:1–12, 23–24

Romans 8:12–25

Matthew 13:24–30, 36–43

*Complementary*

Wisdom of Solomon 12:13, 16–19

or Isaiah 44:6–8

Psalm 86:11–17

Romans 8:12–25

Matthew 13:24–30, 36–43

**Eighth Sunday after Pentecost (Proper 12)—July 30**

*Semicontinuous*

Genesis 29:15–28

Psalm 105:1–11, 45b or Psalm 128

Romans 8:26–39

Matthew 13:31–33, 44–52

*Complementary*

1 Kings 3:5–12

Psalm 119:129–136

Romans 8:26–39

Matthew 13:31–33, 44–52

**Ninth Sunday after Pentecost (Proper 13)—August 6**

*Semicontinuous*

Genesis 32:22–31

Psalm 17:1–7, 15

Romans 9:1–5

Matthew 14:13–21

*Complementary*

Isaiah 55:1–5

Psalm 145:8–9, 14–21

Romans 9:1–5

Matthew 14:13–21

**Tenth Sunday after Pentecost (Proper 14)—August 13**

*Semicontinuous*

Genesis 37:1–4, 12–28

Psalm 105:1–6, 16–22, 45b

Romans 10:5–15

Matthew 14:22–33

*Complementary*

1 Kings 19:9–18

Psalm 85:8–13

Romans 10:5–15

Matthew 14:22–33

**Eleventh Sunday after Pentecost (Proper 15)—August 20**

*Semicontinuous*

Genesis 45:1–15

Psalm 133

Romans 11:1–2a, 29–32

Matthew 15:[10–20] 21–28

*Complementary*

Isaiah 56:1, 6–8

Psalm 67

Romans 11:1–2a, 29–32

Matthew 15:[10–20] 21–28

**Twelfth Sunday after Pentecost (Proper 16)—August 27**

*Semicontinuous*

Exodus 1:8—2:10

Psalm 124

Romans 12:1–8

Matthew 16:13–20

*Complementary*

Isaiah 51:1–6

Psalm 138

Romans 12:1–8

Matthew 16:13–20

**Thirteenth Sunday after Pentecost (Proper 17)—September 3**

*Semicontinuous*

Exodus 3:1–15

Psalm 105:1–6, 23–26, 45b

Romans 12:9–21

Matthew 16:21–28

*Complementary*

Jeremiah 15:15–21

Psalm 26:1–8

Romans 12:9–21

Matthew 16:21–28

**Fourteenth Sunday after Pentecost (Proper 18)—September 10**

*Semicontinuous*

Exodus 12:1–14

Psalm 149

Romans 13:8–14

Matthew 18:15–20

*Complementary*

Ezekiel 33:7–11

Psalm 119:33–40

Romans 13:8–14

Matthew 18:15–20

**Fifteenth Sunday after Pentecost (Proper 19)—September 17**

*Semicontinuous*

Exodus 14:19–31

Psalm 114 or Exodus 15:1b–11, 20–21

Romans 14:1–12

Matthew 18:21–35

*Complementary*

Genesis 50:15–21

Psalm 103:[1–7] 8–13

Romans 14:1–12

Matthew 18:21–35

**Sixteenth Sunday after Pentecost (Proper 20)—September 24**

*Semicontinuous*

Exodus 16:2–15

Psalm 105:1–6, 37–45

Philippians 1:21–30

Matthew 20:1–16

*Complementary*

Jonah 3:10—4:11

Psalm 145:1–8

Philippians 1:21–30

Matthew 20:1–16

**Seventeenth Sunday after Pentecost (Proper 21)—October 1**

*Semicontinuous*

Exodus 17:1–7

Psalm 78:1–4, 12–16

Philippians 2:1–13

Matthew 21:23–32

*Complementary*

Ezekiel 18:1–4, 25–32

Psalm 25:1–9

Philippians 2:1–13

Matthew 21:23–32

**Eighteenth Sunday after Pentecost (Proper 22)—October 8**

*Semicontinuous*

Exodus 20:1–4, 7–9, 12–20

Psalm 19

Philippians 3:4b–14

Matthew 21:33–46

*Complementary*

Isaiah 5:1–7

Psalm 80:7–15

Philippians 3:4b–14

Matthew 21:33–46

**Nineteenth Sunday after Pentecost (Proper 23)—October 15**

*Semicontinuous*

Exodus 32:1–14

Psalm 106:1–6, 19–23

Philippians 4:1–9

Matthew 22:1–14

*Complementary*

Isaiah 25:1–9

Psalm 23

Philippians 4:1–9

Matthew 22:1–14

**Twentieth Sunday after Pentecost (Proper 24)—October 22**

*Semicontinuous*

Exodus 33:12–23

Psalm 99

1 Thessalonians 1:1–10

Matthew 22:15–22

*Complementary*

Isaiah 45:1–7

Psalm 96:1–9 [10–13]

1 Thessalonians 1:1–10

Matthew 22:15–22

**Twenty-first Sunday after Pentecost (Proper 25)—October 29**

*Semicontinuous*

Deuteronomy 34:1–12

Psalm 90:1–6, 13–17

1 Thessalonians 2:1–8

Matthew 22:34–46

*Complementary*

Leviticus 19:1–2, 15–18

Psalm 1

1 Thessalonians 2:1–8

Matthew 22:34–46

**All Saints' Day—November 1**

Revelation 7:9–17

Psalm 34:1–10, 22

1 John 3:1–3

Matthew 5:1–12

**Twenty-second Sunday after Pentecost (Proper 26)—November 5**

*Semicontinuous*

Joshua 3:7–17

Psalm 107:1–7, 33–37

1 Thessalonians 2:9–13

Matthew 23:1–12

*Complementary*

Micah 3:5–12

Psalm 43

1 Thessalonians 2:9–13

Matthew 23:1–12



**Twenty-third Sunday after Pentecost (Proper 27)—November 12**

*Semicontinuous*

Joshua 24:1–3a, 14–25

Psalm 78:1–7

1 Thessalonians 4:13–18

Matthew 25:1–13

*Complementary*

Wisdom of Solomon 6:12–16 or Amos 5:18–24

Wisdom of Solomon 6:17–20 or Psalm 70

1 Thessalonians 4:13–18

Matthew 25:1–13

**Twenty-fourth Sunday after Pentecost (Proper 28)—November 19**

*Semicontinuous*

Judges 4:1–7

Psalm 123

1 Thessalonians 5:1–11

Matthew 25:14–30

*Complementary*

Zephaniah 1:7, 12–18

Psalm 90:1–8 [9–11] 12

1 Thessalonians 5:1–11

Matthew 25:14–30

**Reign of Christ / Christ the King—November 26**

Ezekiel 34:11–16, 20–24

Psalm 100 or Psalm 95:1–7a

Ephesians 1:15–23

Matthew 25:31–46

**[Begin Year B]**

**First Sunday of Advent—December 3**

Isaiah 64:1–9

Psalm 80:1–7, 17–19

1 Corinthians 1:3–9

Mark 13:24–37

**Second Sunday of Advent—December 10**

Isaiah 40:1–11

Psalm 85:1–2, 8–13

2 Peter 3:8–15a

Mark 1:1–8

**Third Sunday of Advent—December 17**

Isaiah 61:1–4, 8–11

Psalm 126 or Luke 1:46b–55

1 Thessalonians 5:16–24

John 1:6–8, 19–28

**Fourth Sunday of Advent—December 24**

2 Samuel 7:1–11, 16

Luke 1:46b–55 or Psalm 89:1–4, 19–26

Romans 16:25–27

Luke 1:26–38

**Nativity of the Lord—December 24**  
**Christmas Eve**

Isaiah 9:2–7  
    Psalm 96  
Titus 2:11–14  
Luke 2:1–14 [15–20]

**Nativity of the Lord—December 25**

*Christmas Dawn*  
Isaiah 62:6–12  
    Psalm 97  
Titus 3:4–7  
Luke 2:[1–7] 8–20

*Christmas Day*

Isaiah 52:7–10  
    Psalm 98  
Hebrews 1:1–4 [5–12]  
John 1:1–14

**First Sunday after Christmas Day—December 31**

Isaiah 61:10—62:3  
    Psalm 148  
Galatians 4:4–7  
Luke 2:22–40