

# YEAR C 2025 CHURCH YEAR CALENDAR



SUNDAYS AND PRINCIPAL FESTIVALS	FIRST READING	PSALM	SECOND READING	GOSPEL	HYMN OF THE DAY		
Dec 1, '24 Dec 8 Dec 15 Dec 22	1 Advent 2 Advent 3 Advent 4 Advent	Jer 33:14-16 Mal 3:1-4 or Bar 5:1-9 Zeph 3:14-20 Micah 5:2-5a	Ps 25:1-10 Luke 1:68-79 Isa 12:2-6 Luke 1:46b-55 or Ps 80:1-7	1 Thess 3:9-13 Phil 1:8-11 Phil 4:4-7 Heb 10:5-10	Luke 21:25-36 Luke 3:1-6 Luke 3:7-18 Luke 1:39-45 [46-55]	Wake, awake, for night is flying There's a voice in the wilderness Rejoice, rejoice, believers Unexpected and mysterious	436 255 244 258
Dec 24	<i>Christmas Eve</i>	<i>Isa 9:2-7</i>	<i>Ps 96</i>	<i>Titus 2:11-14</i>	<i>Luke 2:1-14 [15-20]</i>	<i>Lo, how a rose e'er blooming</i>	272
Dec 25	<i>Christmas Day II</i>	<i>Isa 62:6-12</i>	<i>Ps 97</i>	<i>Titus 3:4-7</i>	<i>Luke 2:17-8-20</i>	<i>From heaven above</i>	268
	<i>Christmas Day III</i>	<i>Isa 52:7-10</i>	<i>Ps 98</i>	<i>Heb 1:1-4 [5-12]</i>	<i>John 1:1-14</i>	<i>Let our gladness have no end</i>	291
Dec 29	1 Christmas	1 Sam 2:18-20, 26	Ps 148	Col 3:12-17	Luke 2:41-52	In a lowly manger born	718
Jan 5, '25	2 Christmas	Jer 31:7-14 or Sir 24:1-12	Ps 147:12-20 or Wis 10:15-21	Eph 1:3-14	John 1:[1-9] 10-18	Of the Father's love begotten	295
Jan 6	<i>Epiphany of Our Lord</i>	<i>Isa 60:1-6</i>	<i>Ps 72:1-7, 10-14</i>	<i>Eph 3:1-12</i>	<i>Matt 2:1-12</i>	<i>O Morning Star, how fair and bright!</i>	308
Jan 12	<i>Baptism of Our Lord</i>	<i>Isa 43:1-7</i>	<i>Ps 29</i>	<i>Acts 8:14-17</i>	<i>Luke 3:15-17, 21-22</i>	Christ, when for us you were baptized	304
Jan 19	2 Epiphany	<i>Isa 62:1-5</i>	<i>Ps 36:5-10</i>	<i>1 Cor 12:1-11</i>	<i>John 2:1-11</i>	Songs of thankfulness and praise	310
Jan 26	3 Epiphany	<i>Neh 8:1-3, 5-6, 8-10</i>	<i>Ps 19</i>	<i>1 Cor 12:12-31a</i>	<i>Luke 4:14-21</i>	Let streams of living justice	710
Feb 2	Presentation of Our Lord	<i>Mal 3:1-4</i>	<i>Ps 84 or Ps 24:9-10</i>	<i>Heb 2:14-18</i>	<i>Luke 2:22-40</i>	O Lord, now let your servant	333
	or 4 Epiphany	<i>Jer 1:4-10</i>	<i>Ps 71:1-6</i>	<i>1 Cor 13:1-13</i>	<i>Luke 4:23-30</i>	He comes to us as one unknown	737
Feb 9	5 Epiphany	<i>Isa 63:8 [9-13]</i>	<i>Ps 138</i>	<i>1 Cor 15:1-11</i>	<i>Luke 5:1-11</i>	Here I Am, Lord	574
Feb 16	6 Epiphany	<i>Jer 17:5-10</i>	<i>Ps 1</i>	<i>1 Cor 15:12-20</i>	<i>Luke 6:17-26</i>	When the poor ones	725
Feb 23	7 Epiphany	<i>Gen 45:3-11, 15</i>	<i>Ps 37:1-11, 39-40</i>	<i>1 Cor 15:35-38, 42-50</i>	<i>Luke 6:27-38</i>	In all our grief	615
Mar 2	Transfiguration of Our Lord	<i>Exod 34:29-35</i>	<i>Ps 99</i>	<i>2 Cor 3:12-4:2</i>	<i>Luke 9:28-36 [37-43a]</i>	Dazzling presence on the mountain	917
Mar 5	Ash Wednesday	<i>Joel 2:1-2, 12-17</i> or <i>Isa 58:1-12</i>	<i>Ps 51:1-17</i>	<i>2 Cor 5:20b-6:10</i>	<i>Matt 6:1-6, 16-21</i>	<i>Be thou my vision</i>	793
Mar 9	1 Lent	<i>Deut 26:1-11</i>	<i>Ps 91:1-2, 9-16</i>	<i>Rom 10:8b-13</i>	<i>Luke 4:1-13</i>	Eternal Lord of love, behold your church	321
Mar 16	2 Lent	<i>Gen 15:1-12, 17-18</i>	<i>Ps 27</i>	<i>Phil 3:17-4:1</i>	<i>Luke 13:31-35</i>	When twilight comes	566
Mar 23	3 Lent	<i>Isa 53:1-9</i>	<i>Ps 63:1-8</i>	<i>1 Cor 10:1-13</i>	<i>Luke 13:1-9</i>	As rain from the clouds	508
Mar 30	4 Lent	<i>Josh 5:9-12</i>	<i>Ps 32</i>	<i>2 Cor 5:16-21</i>	<i>Luke 15:1-3, 11b-32</i>	Softly and tenderly Jesus is calling	608
Apr 6	5 Lent	<i>Isa 43:16-21</i>	<i>Ps 126</i>	<i>Phil 3:4b-14</i>	<i>John 12:1-8</i>	Take my life, that I may be	583
Apr 13	Passion/Palm Sunday	<i>Isa 50:4-9a</i>	<i>Ps 21:9-16</i>	<i>Phil 2:5-11</i>	<i>Luke 22:34-23:56</i> or <i>Luke 23:1-49</i>	A lamb goes uncomplaining forth	340
Apr 17	Mourning Thursday	<i>Exod 12:1-4 [5-10] 11-14</i>	<i>Ps 116:1-2, 12-19</i>	<i>1 Cor 11:23-26</i>	<i>John 13:1-17, 31b-35</i>	<i>Lord, who the night you were betrayed</i>	463
Apr 18	Good Friday	<i>Isa 52:13-53:12</i>	<i>Ps 22</i>	<i>Heb 10:16-25</i> or <i>Heb 4:14-16; 5:7-9</i>	<i>John 18:1-19:42</i>	<i>Ah, holy Jesus</i>	349
Apr 19	Easter Vigil*			<i>Rom 6:3-11</i>	<i>John 20:1-18</i>	We know that Christ is raised	449
Apr 20	Easter Day	<i>Acts 10:34-43</i> or <i>Isa 65:17-25</i>	<i>Ps 118:1-2, 14-24</i>	<i>1 Cor 15:19-26</i> or <i>Acts 10:34-43</i>	<i>Luke 24:1-12</i> or <i>John 20:1-18</i>	Signs and wonders	672
Apr 27	2 Easter	<i>Acts 5:27-32</i>	<i>Ps 118:14-29 or Ps 150</i>	<i>Rev 1:4-8</i>	<i>John 20:19-31</i>	We walk by faith	635
May 4	3 Easter	<i>Acts 9:1-6 [7-20]</i>	<i>Ps 30</i>	<i>Rev 5:11-14</i>	<i>John 21:1-19</i>	We who once were dead	495
May 11	4 Easter	<i>Acts 9:26-43</i>	<i>Ps 23</i>	<i>Rev 7:9-17</i>	<i>John 10:22-30</i>	Savior, like a shepherd lead us	789
May 18	5 Easter	<i>Acts 11:1-18</i>	<i>Ps 148</i>	<i>Rev 21:3-6</i>	<i>John 13:31-35</i>	Where charity and love prevail	359

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