



PASTORAL LITURGICAL GUIDE ARCHDIOCESE OF HYDERABAD

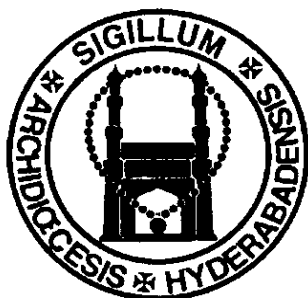


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2024-2025
LITURGICAL YEAR



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2025

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FOREWORD

I am glad that Ordo (pastoral liturgical guide) is prepared for the year 2024-25 with utmost care and hard work to provide an extensive, accurate & relevant information for orderly, effective & meaningful liturgical celebration & worship in the Churches & Chapels of Archdiocese of Hyderabad. The significance, sense of 'Sacredness' & 'Awe' are to be promoted more & more through the liturgical celebrations in the Chapels & Churches. The purpose of the liturgical year is to understand and celebrate meaningfully the entire mystery of Jesus Christ from Birth, Public life, Suffering, Death, Burial, Resurrection, Ascension, Pentecost and until His Second Coming. For the Catholics, Sunday Liturgy needs to be made as the source and summit of the Catholic Faith, for which the Community needs to participate in singing at-least for major part. The choir is also there to lead & give correct intonation. It is not a substitute for community singing.

In liturgical matters & celebrations, we have to be faithful to the Church & to the spirit of Liturgy and the liturgical texts, specially to the Eucharistic Prayers & Prefaces. Liturgical Readings are given as per the new Lectionary published by CCBI. Any innovation or creativity are to be within the framework of the provisions mentioned in the General Instructions [GIRM] given by Holy Mother the Church.

For clarity & easiness, the Birthdays, Ordination Anniversaries, the Death-anniversaries of the deceased Archbishops & Priests, are given after the day-reading for your reference. Please pray for them.

We pray that the Sacred Liturgical Celebrations will help us to live & celebrate the Paschal Mystery joyfully in the spirit of our Catholic faith, to grow in it further & further, to share it with others and ultimately to bear witness to Jesus Christ, the Risen Lord & reach one day our heavenly Home.

15th November, 2024
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Archbishop of Hyderabad

INTRODUCTION

The image of the Catholic Church is well depicted in believing, proclaiming, celebrating and serving the Lord. All these four aspects are very well merged in the solemn Liturgy of the Church. We believe in Jesus Christ and so we gather together to worship, to praise and to offer thanks. To Him who sits upon the throne and to the Lamb be blessing and honor and glory and might for ever and ever (Rev 5:13). Thus, we celebrate and serve our Lord and Redeemer.

Liturgy is an official public worship of the Church, which celebrates the mystery of Christ. *Sacrosanctum Concilium* calls the liturgy "the outstanding means where by the faithful may express in their lives and manifest to others the mystery of Christ and the real nature of the true Church." (Sc-2)

The Liturgy of the Church is a means of Sanctification. It is a celebration of the Church's faith and a means of transmitting the faith. Together with Sacred scriptures and the teachings of the Fathers of the Church, it is a living source of authentic and sound spirituality. Through the Liturgy the faithful enter into Communion with the Most Holy Trinity and experience their sharing in the divine nature as a gift of grace. In this way the liturgy becomes a foretaste of final blessedness and a sharing in the glory of the heaven. "In the earthly liturgy we take part in a foretaste of that heavenly liturgy which is celebrated in its Holy City of Jerusalem towards which we Journey as pilgrims, until Christ will appear and we too will appear with Him in glory " (S.S.C.8) Vat II

The liturgical year dawns with the ADVENT of Jesus - the Emmanuel - 'God with us' evoking a feeling of oneness with Jesus Christ. This sacred liturgy provides the occasion to destroy sin and power of Satan in our lives.

We effectively reciprocate the love of God during the LENT. The intense love of God is shown through the Sacrifice of his own son who shed his blood to forgive all our sins and thus sanctify our lives. Thus the Lent renders an opportunity of self-introspection and closer communion with our Creator. During Lent the celebration of Sacrament of reconciliation and transformation enables us to say in the words of St. Paul, "I no longer live, but Christ lives in me".

The celebration of the resurrected Christ is so rich in meaning and in grace that it enjoins us to extend the period of celebration. Thus providing an opportunity of hope and reunion with our heavenly Father. Thus if the entire body of Christ exalts the Lord incessantly and intercedes continuously for the entire world, in faith, it is definite that we will receive from the Father who cares for us.

The liturgy of the hours, presumes regular gatherings of the Christian people in house holds, monasteries, and local Churches morning and evening for public praise, thanksgiving, lament and intercession in Christ's name and in communion with him. Thus fostering the spirit of unity, harmony and peace.

May we experience that magnanimous grandeur of God and tread of his path of nobility. What we need is not more Christianity, but more Christians who practice it.

We hope and pray that the Faithful may actively

and fruitfully participate in all liturgical celebrations. *Pastors should take care that in the liturgy not only are the laws governing valid and lawful celebration observed, but also that the faithful take part with full awareness, and in active and fruitful participation (SC, 11).*

Since the celebration of the Eucharist, like the entire liturgy, proceeds by means of tangible signs that foster, strengthen, and give expression to faith, the utmost care must be taken to choose and to arrange those forms and elements provided by the Church which in the given circumstances of persons and places will best foster active and full participation and best meet the spiritual needs of the faithful (IM, 20).

ORDER OF PRECEDENCE WITH REGARD TO LITURGICAL DAYS (LY 59)

I

1. The Easter Triduum of the Passion, Death and Resurrection of Our Lord.
2. Christmas, Epiphany, Ascension and Pentecost. Sundays of Advent, Lent and the Easter Season. Ash Wednesday. Weekdays of Holy Week from Monday to Thursday inclusive. Days within the Octave of Easter.
3. Solemnities of the Lord, of the Blessed Virgin Mary, and of the Saints listed in the General Calendar of the Church. The Commemoration of all the faithful departed (All Souls Day)
4. Proper Solemnities:

- a) Of the principal patron of a place, that is, town or city.
- b) Of the Dedication of a particular Church and the anniversary day thereof.
- c) Titular Solemnity of a particular Church (patron of one's own Church).
- d) Titular Solemnity or solemnity of the founder, or of the principal patron of a religious order or congregation. The Title Founder or principal patron of Order or Congregation.

II

- 5. Feasts of the Lord inscribed in the General Calendar of the Church.
- 6. Sundays of the Christmas Season and Sundays in Ordinary Time.
- 7. Feasts of Blessed Virgin Mary and of the Saints in the General Calendar.
- 8. Proper feasts, namely:
 - a) Feast of the Principal patron of the Archdiocese.
 - b) Feast of the Anniversary of the Dedication of the Cathedral Church.
 - c) Feast of the Principal patron of a region or province, or a nation or of a broader unit of territory
 - d) The titular feast, or the feast of the founder, or the principal patron of a religious order or congregation and of a religious province, without prejudice to the prescriptions of n.4 d;
 - e) Other Feasts proper to an individual Church.

- f) Other Feasts inscribed in the Calendar of a diocese or of a religious order or Congregation.
- 9. Weekdays of Advent from the 17th to 24th December inclusive. Days within the Octave of Christmas. Weekdays of Lent.

III

- 10. Obligatory memorials in the General Calendar of the Church.
- 11. Particular obligatory memorials, namely:
 - a) The memorial of the secondary patron of the place, Archdiocese, region or of a religious province
 - b) Other obligatory memorials inscribed in the Calendar of a diocese, or of a religious Order or Congregation.
- 12. Optional Memorials
- 13. Weekdays of Advent up to December 16 inclusive. Weekdays of Christmas season from 2 January until the Saturday after Epiphany. Weekdays of Easter season from Monday after the Octave of Easter until the Saturday before Pentecost, inclusive. Weekdays of Ordinary Time.

In case of accidental occurrence of several celebrations the one that hold the highest rank according to the preceding Table of Liturgical days is observed. But a solemnity, impeded by a liturgical day of higher rank, is transferred to the nearest day which is not among those mentioned under 1-8 of the table of precedence. Other celebrations so impeded are omitted.

When the vespers of a liturgical day concur with the first Vespers of the following liturgical day, the Vespers of the celebration which is of a higher rank, according to the table of precedence are to be preferred. When both the celebrations are of the same rank, the Vespers of the current day are to be preferred.

GENERAL NORMS FOR THE LITURGICAL YEAR AND THE CALENDAR

The Liturgical Day

1. The liturgical day runs from midnight to midnight. However, the celebration of Sunday and of solemnities begins on the evening of the day before (LY. 3).
2. Sunday is to be regarded as the primordial feast (LY 4). Because of its special importance, the celebration of Sunday gives way only to solemnities or to feasts of the Lord, except that the Sundays of the Advent, Lent, and Easter seasons take precedence over all feasts of the Lord and over all solemnities. Solemnities occurring on these Sundays are observed to another day.
3. Solemnities are regarded as being the most important days in the calendar and their celebration begins with first vespers on the evening of the day before. Some solemnities also have their own Vigil Mass for use when Mass is celebrated in the evening the day before (LY 11).
4. Feasts are celebrated within the limits of the natural

day and accordingly do not have first vespers. Exceptions are feasts of the Lord inscribed in the general calendar, that fall on a Sunday of Ordinary Time or of the Christmas season and which replace the Sunday Liturgy (LY 13).

5. Memorials are either obligatory or optional. Their observance is integrated into the celebration of the weekday in accord with the norms set forth in the General Instructions of the Roman Missal and of the Liturgy of the Hours. Obligatory memorials occurring on Lenten weekdays may only be celebrated as optional memorials. Should more than one optional memorial fall on the same day, only one may be celebrated; the others are omitted (LY 14).
6. On Saturdays in Ordinary Time when no obligatory memorial occurs, an optional memorial of the Blessed Virgin Mary is permitted (LY 15).
7. The days of the week that follow Sunday are referred to as weekdays. They are celebrated in different ways according to their particular importance (LY 16).

Rogation Days and Ember Days

8. On Rogation Days and Ember Days the Church is accustomed to entreat the Lord for the various needs of humanity, especially for the fruits of the earth and for human labour, and to give thanks to God publicly. In order that the Rogation Days and Ember Days may be adapted to the needs of people and places, the Bishops' Conference should arrange the time and manner in which they are held. Consequently,

concerning their duration, or whether they be repeated during the year, norms are to be established by the competent authority according to local needs. (LY 4-47).

When several celebrations coincide

9. If several celebrations fall on the same day, the one that holds the highest rank according to the preceding Table of Liturgical Days is observed (LY 60).
10. If a solemnity is impeded in any given year, it is transferred to the nearest day following designated in nn. 1-8 of the Tables given above (LY 60). If, however, a solemnity is impeded by a Sunday of the Advent, Lent or Easter seasons, the solemnity is transferred to the Monday following, or to the nearest free day, as laid down by the General Norms. However, if a solemnity is impeded by Palm Sunday or by Easter Sunday, it is transferred to the first free day after the Second Sunday of Easter (decision of the Congregation for Divine Worship, dated 22 April 1990, in *Notitiae* 26 (1990) 160). Any other celebrations that are impeded are omitted for that year.
11. If, however, the same day were to call for celebration of vespers of that day's office and first vespers of the following day, the vespers of the day with the higher rank in the Table of Liturgical Days takes precedence; in cases of equal rank, vespers of the actual day take precedence (LY 61).

“Outward celebration”

12. For the pastoral good of the faithful, it is permissible to observe on the Sundays of Ordinary Time those celebrations that fall during the week and have special appeal for the devotion of the faithful, provided those celebrations take precedence over the Sundays of Ordinary Time in the Table of Liturgical Days. The Mass for such celebrations may be used at all the Masses at which the people assemble (LY 58).

THE DIFFERENT FORMS OF CELEBRATION

When the Archbishop presides

1. In the local Church prime place should be given to the Mass at which the bishop presides surrounded by his presbyterium, deacons and lay ministers and in which the people take full and active part. For this Mass is the principal manifestation of the nature of the Church (IM 112)

Parish Mass

2. Great importance should also be attached to a Mass celebrated with any community, and in particular the parish community, in so far as it represents the Universal Church gathered at a given time and place, above all in the celebration of Sunday (IM 113)

Community Mass

3. As regards Masses celebrated by certain communities, a special place goes to the conventional Mass; which is part of the daily Office, or to the community Mass. Although such Masses are not marked by any special

form of celebration, it is most proper that they be celebrated with singing, with the full participation of all community members, whether religious or canons. In these Masses, therefore, individuals should exercise their proper role according to the order or ministry they have received.

It is hence appropriate that all priests who are not bound to celebrate individually for the pastoral benefit of the faithful should in so far as possible concelebrate at the conventional or Community Mass. Further, all priests belonging to the community who are obliged to celebrate individually for the pastoral benefit of the faithful may also on the same day concelebrate at the conventional or community Mass (IM 114)

Concelebrated Masses

4. Concelebration of the Eucharist aptly expresses the unity of the sacrifice and of the priesthood and whenever the faithful take an active part; the unity of the people of God stands out in a particular fashion, especially if the bishop presides.

Concelebration also symbolizes and strengthens the fraternal bond between priests, because by virtue of the ordination to the priesthood and the priestly mission that they have in common, all priests are linked together in a close bond of brotherhood.

For this reason, unless the needs of the faithful (which always must be considered with great pastoral concern) prevent it, and without prejudice to the faculty of every priest to celebrate Mass individually,

it is highly appropriate that priests celebrate Mass in this excellent manner either in communities of priests, in groups meeting at regular intervals, or in other similar circumstances. Those who live in community or minister at the same church should gladly welcome visiting priests to concelebrate with them. Superiors should therefore facilitate this and indeed encourage concelebration whenever pastoral needs or another reasonable cause do not demand otherwise (Instruction Eucharisticum Mysterium n.47)

FEW INSTRUCTIONS

The Gloria is said

- 1) On Sundays outside of Advent and Lent
- 2) On Solemnities and Feasts.
- 3) On days of special celebrations of a more solemn nature.

It is not said:

- 1) On ferial days, not even of Christmas time or Paschal time.
- 2) On Memorials of Saints.

The Collects

Always only one (therefore, no commemorations of any kind). The Collect ends with the long conclusion; the Prayer over the Gifts and the Post Communion with the short conclusion.

Usually with the Collects proper to the Masses are to be said. However, in Masses of Memorials, the Collect can be

the proper one or from the Common. But the Prayer over the Gifts and the Post Communion, if they are not proper, can be either from the Common or from the Feria.

On ferias 'per annum', the prayer can be either of the preceding Sunday, or of any Sunday 'per annum', or one of the prayers for diverse needs, which are found in the Missal.

READINGS FROM THE SACRED SCRIPTURE

1. On Sundays: There are three readings: one from the OT, one from the Letters of the Apostles, and the third from the Gospels. It is highly desirable that the three should be read. Only two readings may be had for pastoral reasons and if the Bishops' Conference so decides.
2. On Week days: The ferial lectionary should be followed, except on Solemnities and Feast days. If, however, the serial readings of the Lectionary are interrupted because of some feast or for some special reason, the celebrant may combine the omitted readings or some of their parts with the readings of the current weekday.
3. At Masses for special groups, a reading which is suitable to the occasion may be chosen, provided it is from the approved texts of the lectionary.
4. **Chants between the readings**
 1. When there are three readings of Sacred Scripture:
 - a. After the 1st reading, the responsorial psalm is sung or recited.

- b. After the 2nd reading, either the Alleluia or another acclamation as required by the Liturgical season is sung then the verse before the Gospel is sung or recited. Alleluia or another acclamation may be repeated.
2. When there are two Readings:
- a. During Liturgical Seasons when 'Alleluia' has to be said: either the Alleluia psalm; or the psalm with its response is followed by Alleluia with its verse sung or recited.
 - b. During Liturgical Seasons when Alleluia is not said: either the psalm with its response and the verse before the Gospel with the acclamation is recited or sung. As to the psalm which occurs between the Readings, it can be either sung or recited, whereas the Alleluia or the verse before the Gospel may be omitted, if it is not sung. The sequences are obligatory only on Easter and Pentecost days. On other days, they are optional.

The Creed

Is said on 1) Sundays; 2) Solemnities; May be said on days of special celebrations of a more solemn nature.

ANTICIPATED CELEBRATION OF FESTIVE MASS ON THE PREVIOUS EVENING

6. The obligation of assisting at the Sunday or feast day Mass may be satisfied by participating at Mass on the Feast itself or at evening Mass on the previous day (CCL canon 1248, 1).

An evening Mass celebrated with the aim of satisfying

the obligation of the Sunday or feast day following will be arranged with all the elements of a Sunday or Feast day Mass, whether obligatory (homily, prayer of the faithful) or recommended (ampler participation of the people through singing etc. IM 115-116).

CHOICE OF MASS TEXTS

(IM, 352-355, 363)

7. On solemnities the priest chooses the Mass formularies in accordance with the calendar of the church where he is celebrating.
8. On Sundays, on weekdays of the Advent, Christmas, Lent and Easter seasons, on feasts, and on obligatory memorials:
 - a. If Mass is celebrated with the people, the priest should follow the calendar of the church where he is celebrating;
 - b. If Mass is celebrated without a congregation, the priest may choose either the calendar of the church or his own calendar.
9. On optional memorials:
 - a. On the weekdays of Advent from 17 December to 24 December, during the octave of Christmas, and on the weekdays of Lent other than on Ash Wednesday and in Holy Week, the priest celebrates the Mass of the weekday. However, he may take the opening prayer from a memorial inscribed in the General Roman Calendar for that day, except on Ash Wednesday and during Holy Week.

- b. On the weekdays of Advent before 17 December, or on the weekdays of the Christmas season from 2 January onwards, and on the weekdays of the Easter season, the priest may choose the weekday Mass, the Mass of the saint or of one of the saints whose memorial falls that day, or the Mass of a saint inscribed in the Martyrology for that day.
10. On the weekdays in Ordinary Time, the prayers may be taken either:
- a. from anyone of the 34 Sundays in Ordinary Time, with the faculty to take some of the prayers from still another Sunday of Ordinary Time or from among the prayers for various needs and occasions (IM 363);
 - b. From the Mass of a saint inscribed in the calendar as an optional memorial, or of a saint inscribed in the Martyrology for that day;
 - c. From a Mass for various needs and occasions, or from a votive Mass;
 - d. From any Mass for the Dead, though the formulas of the daily Mass for the Dead may only be used if the Mass is actually said for the dead. If he celebrates with a congregation, the priest should first consider the spiritual good of the faithful and beware of imposing his own personal preferences. In particular, he should not omit the readings assigned for each day in the weekday lectionary too frequently or without a sufficient reason, since the Church desires that

a richer portion of God's Word be laid before the people.

For the same reason he should use Masses for the Dead sparingly, for every Mass is offered for both the living and the dead and there is remembrance of the dead in each Eucharistic Prayer. Where the faithful are attached to the optional memorials of the Blessed Virgin Mary or of the saints, at least one Mass of the memorial should be celebrated to satisfy their legitimate devotion (IM 353).

MASSES AND PRAYERS FOR VARIOUS NEEDS AND OCCASIONS AND VOTIVE MASSES

(IM. 368-378)

11. Given the wide faculties granted for the choice of readings and prayers, it is appropriate that Masses for various needs and occasions be used in moderation, that is to say when circumstances demand it.
12. In these Masses, unless specific indication is given to the contrary, it is best to take the weekday readings and the accompanying intervening chants if they are suitable for the celebration.
13. Ritual Masses, or those which are combined with the celebration of one or other sacrament or sacramental, are not permitted on the Sundays of the Advent, Lent and Easter seasons, on solemnities, on the days within the Easter Octave, on All Souls, on Ash Wednesday, or within Holy Week, in accordance with the norms set out in the ritual books or printed with the Masses themselves.

14. As regards Masses for various needs and occasions and votive Masses, it should be noted that:
- a. A Mass may be celebrated for any serious need or pastoral advantage by order or with the permission of the local Ordinary on any day except on the Sundays of Advent, Lent and the Easter season, on solemnities, on the days within the Easter Octave, on All Souls, on Ash Wednesday, or within Holy Week.
 - b. A Mass may be celebrated for any real need or pastoral advantage with the people according to the discretion of the rector of the church or the celebrating priest himself, even on days on which there falls an obligatory memorial or a weekday of Advent before 17 December, a weekday of the Christmas season from 2 January onwards, or a weekday of the Easter season outside the Easter Octave, all of which are days when votive Masses are not permitted.
 - c. Masses and prayers for various needs and occasions and votive Masses which are provided for the benefit of the people's devotion may be used only on weekdays in Ordinary Time when no obligatory memorial occurs. Moreover it is possible to use only the prayers of such Masses, retaining the readings and other elements assigned to that particular weekday (IM 363,377, 358).

NUPTIAL MASSES

15. Whenever marriage is celebrated within Mass, the Mass for Spouses is used, along with white vestments. If, however, the celebration coincides with

Solemnities that are holydays of obligation, Sundays of Advent, Lent and the Easter Season, Holy Thursday, Easter Triduum, Solemnities other than holidays of obligation and All Souls day, the Mass of the day is used with its own proper readings, plus the nuptial blessing and if appropriate the final blessing of the wedding Mass.

If however, in the Christmas season, or in Ordinary Time, the sacrament of marriage is celebrated within a Mass at which the parish community participates, the Sunday Mass is used.

Since, however, the Liturgy of the Word is of great moment in the celebration of marriage for a catechesis regarding the sacrament and the duties conferred upon the spouses, in cases where the Mass for Spouses is not used, one of the readings may be taken from among those provided for the celebration of marriage (OM 34).

16. If marriage is celebrated on a day of penitential character, especially within Lent, the parish priest should advise that account be taken of that character. The celebration of marriage on Good Friday and on the day following, Holy Saturday, is absolutely forbidden (OM 32).

THE ANNIVERSARIES OF THE POPE, THE BISHOP, AND OF THE CELEBRANT'S OWN PRIESTLY ORDINATION

17. On weekdays in Ordinary Time it is permissible to use the Mass for the anniversary of the Pope or of the Bishop or of the celebrant's own priestly

ordination, or to use simply the prayers, or indeed just the collect. Moreover, if pastoral advantage so suggests, the Mass for these occasions may even be used on other days, in conformity with what was said above regarding Masses and prayers Masses for various needs and occasions and votive Masses (cf. n. 14 b). It is in any event fitting that special mention be made of such anniversaries in the Prayer of the Faithful.

MASSES FOR THE DEAD

(IM, 379-385)

18. First place among Masses for the Dead is held by the Funeral Mass, which may be celebrated on any day except on holidays of obligation, on Maundy Thursday, during the Paschal Triduum, or on the Sundays of the Advent, Lent and Easter seasons.
19. If the funeral Mass is combined directly with the funeral rite, once the prayer after communion has been said, omitting the concluding rites of Mass, the rite of final commendation and farewell is enacted. This is not to be done unless the body is actually present. It is appropriate that the paschal candle be placed lit near the bier.
20. On reception of news of a death, on the occasion of a final burial, or on the first anniversary, a Mass for the Dead may be used even on days within the Christmas Octave, and on an obligatory memorial, or on other weekdays, other than on Ash Wednesday or within Holy Week.
21. Daily Masses of the Dead, unless some real need of

the faithful dictates otherwise, are permitted only on weekdays in Ordinary Time, and on optional memorials or days when the weekday Office is used, provided too that the Mass is actually said for the dead.

22. In Masses for the Dead purple vestments should be preferred. The playing of the organ and other musical instruments is allowed only for the purposes of supporting the singing (CB 252).

REGARDING STIPEND FOR MASSES TO BE RECEIVED BY THE PRIEST

23. “Separate Masses must be applied for the intentions of those for whom an individual offering, even if small, has been made and accepted” (C. 948). Therefore, the priest who accepts a stipend for the celebration of the Mass for a particular intention, is bound in justice to fulfill that obligation either by himself or by committing it to another priest, observing at the same time the conditions laid down by the Canon Law (CC. 948-949, 954-955).

Priests can celebrate the Mass which is called collective, provided the many offerers are explicitly informed beforehand that their stipend, together with the offering of stipends of others, will be put together for one Mass. He has also to give them the reason for this arrangement and obtain their free and willing consent. It is also the priest's duty to publish the place and the time of celebrating this Mass, at most twice in a week. The celebrant in this case can retain only the stipend fixed in the diocese. The amount

remaining over and above this stipend, is to be remitted to the Ordinary, who has to spend it for the purpose determined by the law (CC. 496, 950-951).

REGARDING VARIOUS PARTS OF THE CELEBRATION

24. The Gloria (Glory to God in the highest) is used on Sundays outside Advent and Lent, on solemnities and feasts, on the days within the Octaves of Christmas and Easter, and at special solemn celebrations (IM 53)
25. Only one Collect or opening presidential prayer of the day is said, and this applies also to the prayer over the gifts and that after communion. Prayers for any particular need or the remembrance of any anniversary are to be made in the Prayer of the Faithful.
26. In the weekday lectionary, there are readings laid down for every day in all the weeks of the whole year. These readings should be used for the day to which they are assigned unless there occurs a solemnity, a feast or else a memorial that has its own proper readings (treating of the particular mystery or the particular saint). In Masses for special groups it is permissible for the priest to choose readings more appropriate to the group, provided that the readings are taken from among those of the approved lectionary (IM 358).
27. The Creed is to be said on Sundays and on solemnities and may also be said on more solemn special occasions.

28. The norms regarding the recitation of each of the Eucharistic Prayers are included with the prayer itself. In Masses which have a proper Preface, it is not possible to use an Eucharistic Prayer which incorporates its own fixed preface, that is to say a preface which forms one whole with the rest of the Eucharistic Prayer. This is the case with the Fourth Eucharistic Prayer and may also occur with texts approved for local Churches.
29. The faithful receive Holy Communion after the communion of the priest. It is highly appropriate that the faithful receive the Body of the Lord by means of hosts consecrated at that same Mass and that on the occasions laid down they also communicate from the chalice, so that through such signs Holy Communion may more clearly be seen to be a sharing in the sacrifice being celebrated (IM 85, 282-283).
- The faithful who have already received the Blessed Eucharist once, may also receive it again on the same day, (that is to say for no more than a second time only on that same day), in the Course of a further Eucharistic celebration in which they take part (cf. CCL, canon 917 and the authoritative interpretation of the same promulgated on 26 June 1984).
30. Communion under both kinds is permitted, in addition to the cases set out in the ritual books also:
- a. To priests who are unable to celebrate or concelebrate Mass;
 - b. to the deacon and others who fulfill some particular office at the Mass;

- c. Community members at Conventional Masses or “Community” mass, seminarians, retreatants, anyone taking part in a spiritual or pastoral gathering.

The Diocesan Bishop has the faculty to permit Communion under both kinds whenever it may seem appropriate to the priest to whom a given community is entrusted as its own pastor, provided that the faithful are well instructed, that there is no danger of the Sacrament being profaned and that the rite is not difficult to carry out on account of the great number of participants or some other reason.

DAYS OF PENANCE

(CCL nn. 1250-1253)

1. The days and times of penance for all the Latin Church are each Friday of the whole year and the season of Lent.
2. Abstinence from meat, or from some other food as determined by the Episcopal Conference, is to be observed on all Fridays, except when a solemnity falls on a Friday. Abstinence and fasting are to be observed on Ash Wednesday and Good Friday.
3. All are bound by the law of abstinence who have reached the age of fourteen. The law of fasting applies to all who have reached the age of fourteen until after their fifty-ninth birthday. Pastors of souls and parents should ensure that even those who are still too young to be bound by the laws of fasting and abstinence are trained to have a true appreciation of penance.

4. The Episcopal Conference can lay down more particular norms regarding the practice of fasting and abstinence. It may also substitute, either in whole or in part, other forms of penance, above all works of charity and devotional exercises, in place of abstinence or fasting. The following is Suggested by Episcopal Conference:

1. Attending Mass
2. Making at least a 15 minute visit to the Blessed Sacrament
3. Reading the Bible for 15 minutes
4. Meditation on the passion of our Lord for 15 minutes.
5. Making the Way of the Cross
6. Missing breakfast or anyone meal
7. Taking strictly vegetarian meals (avoiding Fish and Egg as well)
8. Giving 10% of one's daily earnings in charity

THE LITURGY OF THE HOURS

Obligation of the Liturgical Hours

1. Bishops, Priests and Deacons who aspired to the priesthood, have received a mandate from the Church to celebrate the Liturgy of the Hours and should complete all the Hours each day, and in so far as possible at the proper times of the day.

Due importance should be given especially to those

Hours which are so to speak the hinge of the Divine Office, namely Lauds and Vespers, the morning and evening Hours. These should not be omitted without a serious reason.

Likewise, the Office of Readings which is above all a liturgical celebration of the Word of God, should be especially faithfully completed, so in a special way they may fulfil their own sacred function, receiving themselves the Word of God, by which they may become more perfect disciples of the Lord and may know more deeply the unfathomable riches of Christ.

In this way they should better sanctify the whole day, having at heart also the recitation of the Middle Hours and also Compline, by which before going to bed they should complete the whole Divine Office and commend themselves to God. (IH. 29)

2. Cathedral and collegiate chapters should celebrate in choir those parts of the Liturgy of the Hours stipulated for them by general and local law.

The individual member of such chapters is bound to recite privately in addition to the Hours laid down for all sacred ministers, also those Hours that are incumbent upon his chapter. (IH. 31a)

3. Religious communities bound to the recitation of the Liturgy of the Hours and each individual religious, should celebrate the Hours according to their particular law, without prejudice to what pertains to sacred orders for those who have received them. (IH. 31b)

SUNDAY MASS TIMINGS IN CITY PARISHES

1. **Gunfoundry**

St. Joseph's Cathedral	06.30 a.m	English
	08.00 a.m.	English
(Children's Mass)	09.00 a.m.	English
	09.15 a.m.	Telugu
	11.30 a.m.	English
	06.00 p.m.	English

2. **Adibatla**

Maria Rani Church	08.00 a.m.	Telugu
Substation-Gowrenkota	10.30 a.m.	Telugu

3. **Aliabad** (*Feast on 2nd Sunday of November*)

Shrine of Our Lady of Grace	08.30 a.m.	Telugu
	10.30 a.m.	English

4. **Ammuguda**

St. Bernard's Church	07.30 a.m.	Tamil
	09.15 a.m.	English

5. **Arul Colony**

St. John the Baptist Church	06.15 a.m.	English
	07.30 a.m.	Telugu
	09.15 a.m.	English
	06.00 p.m.	English

6. **Balaiah Nagar**

St. Francis Xavier Church	07.00 a.m.	Telugu
	08.00 a.m.	English
	05.30 p.m.	Telugu & English

7. Balaji Nagar

Velankanni Matha Church 08.00 a.m. English/
Telugu

8. Bandlaguda Jagir (Kismatpur)

Don Bosco Shrine 07.00 a.m. Telugu
09.00 a.m. English
(Children's Mass) 09.00 a.m. English
06.30 p.m. English
Khanapur (Sub-station) 11.00 a.m. Telugu

9. Band Lines

Our Lady of Lourdes' Church 06.30 a.m. English
08.15 a.m. English

10. Banjara Hills

St. Alphonsus' Church 07.30 a.m. Telugu
09.00 a.m. English
06.00 p.m. English

11. Bazar Ghat

St. Anthony's Church 07.30 a.m. Telugu
09.30 a.m. English
Tuesdays 06.30 a.m. English
12.30 p.m. English
06.00 p.m. English

12. Begumpet

Holy Trinity Church 07.00 a.m. Telugu
08.30 a.m. English
(Children's Mass) 08.30 a.m. English
06.00 p.m. English

13. Bhoiguda

St. John Maria Vianney	06.00 a.m.	English
Church	07.30 a.m.	Telugu
	09.00 a.m.	English
	11.30 a.m.	English
	06.00 p.m.	English

14. B.H.E.L

St. Alphonsa's Church	07.15 a.m.	Telugu
	09.15 a.m.	English

15. Boduppall

Our Lady of Fathima Church	07.00 a.m.	English
	08.00 a.m.	Telugu
	10.00 a.m.	Hindi

16. Bolarum

St. Joseph's Church	08.00 a.m.	English
(Children's Mass)	08.00 a.m.	English
	09.30 a.m.	Telugu
	05.30 p.m.	English

17. Borabanda

St. Francis Xavier's Church	07.00 a.m.	Telugu
Rehmathnagar (Sub-station)	09.00 a.m.	English
Kondapur (Sub-station)	07.00 a.m.	Telugu
	09.00 a.m.	English

18. Bowenpally

Mount Carmel Church	07.30 a.m.	Telugu
	09.00 a.m.	English
(Children's Mass)	09.45 a.m.	English
	06.00 p.m.	English

- 19. Cherlapally**
St. Joseph's Church 08.30 a.m. Telugu
- 20. Church Colony**
Holy Spirit Church 06.30 a.m. English
08.30 a.m. Telugu
11.00 a.m. Telugu
- 21. Dammaiguda**
Our Lady of Fatima Church 06.30 a.m. English
08.00 a.m. Telugu
09.30 a.m. English
05.00 p.m. English
(Bandlaguda Sub-station) 05.00 a.m. Telugu
- 22. Dayanandnagar**
St. Cecilia's Church 07.00 a.m. English
08.30 a.m. Telugu
10.15 a.m. English
06.00 p.m. English
- 23. Emjala**
Infant Jesus Shrine 06.30 a.m. Telugu
07.30 a.m. Telugu
(Followed by Healing Service)
10.00 a.m. English
(Followed by Healing Service & Procession)
- 24. Gaddiannaram**
St. Stanislaus Church 07.15 a.m. English
09.15 a.m. Telugu

32. **Khairatabad**

Our Lady of Health Shrine	06.00 a.m.	English
	07.15 a.m.	Telugu
	08.30 a.m.	Tamil
	09.15 a.m.	English
(Children's Mass)		
	09.45 a.m.	English
	12.00 n.n.	English
	06.00 p.m.	English
	06.00 a.m.	English
First Saturday	07.00 a.m.	English

(On First Saturday 10.00 a.m. to 04.00 p.m. Praise & Worship, Healing Service and Special Mass at 06.00 p.m. followed by Procession & Benediction)

33. **Kukatpally**

Immaculate Conception	06.30 a.m.	English
	08.00 a.m.	Telugu
(Children's Mass)	08.00 a.m.	English
	06.00 p.m.	English

34. **Lallaguda**

Sacred Heart Church	06.30 a.m.	English
	08.00 a.m.	Telugu
	10.00 a.m.	English
(Children's Mass)	09.45 a.m.	English
	06.00 p.m.	English

35. **L.B.Nagar**

Maria Rosa Mystica Church	07.00 a.m.	English
	08.15 a.m.	Telugu

- 36. Madinaguda**
Divine Mercy Church 07.30 a.m. Telugu
09.30 a.m. English
- 37. Mahendra Hills**
Auxilium Church 07.00 a.m. Telugu
08.30 a.m. English
- 38. Mallapur**
St. Ann's Church 07.00 a.m. English
08.30 a.m. Telugu
10.00 a.m. English / Hindi
- 39. Manikonda Mission**
St. Mother Theresa Church 08.00 a.m. Telugu
09.30 a.m. English
- 40. Medipally**
Our Lady of Compassion 07.30 a.m. English
09.30 a.m. Telugu
- 41. Mettuguda**
St. Anthony's Church 06.30 a.m. English
08.15 a.m. Tamil
Children's Mass 09.30 a.m. English
10.00 a.m. Telugu
11.30 a.m. English
06.00 p.m. English
- Tuesday**
06.00 a.m. English
07.00 a.m. Telugu
10.00 a.m. Adoration
11.30 a.m. Telugu

06.00 p.m. Tamil
07.00 p.m. Adoration

42. Moulali

St. Joseph's Church

06.30 a.m. English
08.00 a.m. Telugu
09.30 a.m. English
06.00 p.m. English

43. Mudfort

St. Anthony's Church

(Children's Mass)

06.30 a.m. Tamil
07.45 a.m. Telugu
09.00 a.m. English
09.00 a.m. English
06.00 p.m. English

Karkana - St. Anthony's Chapel
(First Friday of the Month)

11.00 a.m. English
06.30 a.m. English
06.00 p.m. English

44. Nacharam

St. Pius X Church

07.30 a.m. English
09.15 a.m. Telugu
06.00 p.m. English

45. Ramanthapur

Christ the King Church

(Amberpet)

07.30 a.m. English
09.15 a.m. Telugu
06.00 p.m. English
07.30 a.m. Telugu

46. Ramnagar

St. Francis of Assisi Church
(Children's Mass)

07.00 a.m. Telugu
08.45 a.m. English

	09.00 a.m.	English
	06.00 p.m.	English
47. Sainikpuri		
	07.30 a.m.	Telugu
	09.00 a.m.	English
	05.30 p.m.	English
48. Sanathnagar		
St. Theresa's Church	06.45 a.m.	Telugu
	08.45 a.m.	English
(Children's Mass)	08.45 a.m.	English
	06.15 p.m.	English
49. Santhoshnagar		
	07.30 a.m.	Telugu
	09.30 a.m.	English
Last Sunday of the Month	08.00 a.m.	Holy Mass
(Community Mass)		
(Alternatively Mass in Telugu & English)		
Third Sunday of the Month	10.30 a.m.	Malayalam
50. Sappers Lines		
St. Anthony's Church	08.30 a.m.	English
Tuesday	06.30 a.m.	English
	06.30 p.m.	English
51. Secunderabad		
St. Mary's Basilica	06.00 a.m.	Tamil
	07.00 a.m.	English
	08.15 a.m.	Telugu
	09.30 a.m.	English
(Children's Mass)	09.15 a.m.	English
	11.30 a.m.	English
	05.00 p.m.	English
	06.00 p.m.	English

(Every Friday)	12.00 n.n.	English
(Every 1 st Saturday)	12.00 n.n.	English
52. Shapurnagar		
St. Agnes' Church	07.45 a.m.	Telugu
(Subash Nagar)	10.00 a.m.	English
	06.30 p.m.	Telugu
(Tue) St. Anthony's Shrine, Markandeya Nagar	06.30 p.m.	Telugu
53. Shamshabad		
Shrine of Our Lady	07.30 a.m.	Telugu
of Vailankanni	09.15 a.m.	English
54. Shantinagar		
St. Francis de Sales Church	07.00 a.m.	English
	08.45 a.m.	Telugu
	11.00 a.m.	English
	06.00 p.m.	English
55. Seethaphalmandi		
Our Lady of Perpetual	06.30 a.m.	Telugu
Help Church	08.15 a.m.	English
(Children's Mass)	09.00 a.m.	English
	06.00 p.m.	English
56. Sultan Bazar		
St. Thomas' Church	08.15 a.m.	English
57. Suraram		
Karunagiri Shrine	07.00 a.m.	English
	09.00 a.m.	Telugu
(Children's Mass)	09.30 a.m.	English
	06.00 p.m.	Telugu

58. Trimulgherry

Holy Family Church

06.15 a.m.	Tamil
07.30 a.m.	English
08.45 a.m.	Telugu
10.00 a.m.	English
11.15 a.m.	English
06.00 p.m.	English
11.00 a.m.	Telugu
08.00 a.m.	Telugu
06.00 p.m.	English
06.00 p.m.	English
06.00 p.m.	Tamil

Second Sunday

First Sunday (Gunrock)

1st Fridays Mass & Adoration1st Saturdays Mass & Rosary

Every Thursday

59. Vanasthalipuram

Holy Cross Church

07.00 a.m.	Telugu
09.15 a.m.	Telugu
05.30 p.m.	English

60. Venkatapuram

St. Anthony's Church

06.00 a.m.	Tamil
07.30 a.m.	Telugu
09.00 a.m.	English
06.00 p.m.	English
09.00 a.m.	English
09.00 a.m.	English
06.30 p.m.	Tamil

1st Sunday Children's Mass3rd Sunday Youth Mass

Tuesday's

61. Yapral

St. Francis Xavier's Church

08.30 a.m.	English
06.00 p.m.	English
07.00 a.m.	Telugu

Tulasi Gardens

FEAST DAYS OF RELIGIOUS CONGREGATIONS

January	03	: Carmelites (CMI)
January	22	: Pallotines (SAC)
January	24	: Fransalians (MSFS)
January	27	: Dina Sevana Sabha Sisters (DSS)
January	31	: Salesian Sisters (FMA) Salesian Fathers (SDB)
February	07	: Poor Clare Colettines (PCC)
February	11	: Friends of Birds of the Air (FBA)
March	24	: Navajeevan Vikas Secular Institute (NJV)
March	31	: Little Sisters of the Poor (PSDP) : St. Joseph's Mill Hill Missionaries (MHM) : Sisters of St. Joseph of Annecy (SJA) : Sisters of the Destitute (SD)
April	01	: Ancillae Sisters (ASI)
April	28	: Brothers of St. Gabriel (SG)
May	01	: Heralds of Good News (HGN) Sisters of Good News (SGN)
May	11	: Holy Spirit Fathers (ALCP/OSS) Holy Spirit Sisters (ALCS/OSS)
May	13	: Sisters of Our Lady of Fatima (FSF)
May	20	: Society of the Holy Spirit (SHS) Missionary Sisters Servants of the H.Spirit (SSpS)
June	01	: Daughters of Divine Zeal (FDZ)
June	04	: Sisters of Adoration of Bl. Sacrament (SABS)
June	15	: Bethlehemite Sisters (BETHL) Daughters of the Sacred Heart (DSH)

June	16	: Crusader Missionaries of the Church (MCI)
June	21	: St.Aloysius Gonzaga Sisters (FSAG) Sisters of St. Aloysius (OSL)
June	27	: Missionaries of Compassion (MoC)
June	28	: Sacred Heart Congregation (SHC)
June	29	: Missionaries of Faith (MF)
June	30	: Daughters of St. Paul (FSP)
July	14	: Camillian Fathers (MI)
July	16	: Carmelite Fathers (OCD)
July	26	: Catechist Sisters of St. Ann (CSA) St. Ann's Guntur (CSSA). St. Ann's Chennai (SSAM) St. Ann's of Providence (SAP) St. Ann's Sisters of Luzern (SAL) St. Anne's Sisters of Bangalore (SAB)
July	31	: Society of Jesus (SJ)
August	01	: Congregation of Most Holy Redeemer (CSSR)
August	15	: Sisters of St. Joseph of Tarbes (SJT)
August	22	: Missionaries of Charity (MC)
August	26	: Sisters Adorers (AASC)
August	28	: Order of St. Augustine (OSA)
Sept.	08	: Society of the Divine Word (SVD) Missionaries of Mary Mediatrix (MMM)
Sept.	14	: Sisters of the Cross of Chavanod (SCC)
Sept.	27	: Sisters of Charity of St. Vincent de Paul (SCV)
October	04	: Capuchins (OFM) Cap

- Franciscans (OFM)
 Franciscan Clarist Sisters (FCC)
 Franciscan Missionaries of Mary (FMM)
 October 05 : Franciscan OFM Conventuals (OFM Conv.)
 October 22 : Daughters of Our Lady of Mercy (DM)
 October 24 : Claretians (CMF)
 November 21 : Daughters of the Presentation of Mary in
 the Temple (DPMT)
 Sisters of Charity (SCCG)
 December 01 : Little Sisters of Christ (LSC)
 December 08 : Franciscan Sisters of the Immaculate Heart
 of Mary (Pondicherry - FIHM)
 Nirmala Sisters (MSI)
 Sisters of Nirmala Dhasikal (SNDS)
 December 28 : Society of Jesus, Mary & Joseph (JMJ)

DAYS OF OBLIGATION

All Sundays of the year

Christmas Day (Dec 25)

The Assumption of the B.V.M (Aug 15)

Mass for the People (Missa pro Populo)

Once he has taken possession of his Parish, a Parish Priest is bound on each Sunday and on holydays of obligation to celebrate the Mass for the people entrusted to him. If he is lawfully impeded in this, he should have someone else celebrate Mass for the people on these days or else celebrate it himself on other days.

SPECIAL DAYS OF OBSERVANCE AND SPECIAL COLLECTIONS DURING THE YEAR IN THE ARCHDIOCESE OF HYDERABAD

S. No.	Day of Observance	Date of celebration
1	Communio India Sunday	01-12-2024
2	Jyothirmai Sunday	26-01-2025
3	Bible Sunday	26-01-2025
4	Day of Consecrated Life	02-02-2025
5	Holy Childhood Sunday	09-02-2025
6	World Day of Sick	11-02-2025
7	Women's Day	08-03-2025
8	Divine Mercy Sunday	27-04-2025
9	Vocation Sunday	11-05-2025
10	World Communications Day	01-06-2025
11	St. Peter's Pence	29-06-2025
12	World day for Grand Parents and the Elderly	27-07-2025
13.	St John Mary Vianney,	03-08-2025
13	Black Day	10-08-2025
14	Youth Sunday	10-08-2025
15	Justice Sunday	17-08-2025
16	Girl Child Day	08-09-2025
17	Mission Sunday	19-10-2025
18	World Day of the Poor	16-11-2025
19	Communio India Sunday	30-11-2025

NB: Every Month Second Sunday Collection

PRINCIPAL CELEBRATIONS OF THE LITURGICAL YEAR 2024-2025

First Sunday of Advent	December 1, 2024
Ash Wednesday	March 5, 2025
Easter Sunday	April 20, 2025
The Ascension of the Lord	June 1, 2025
Pentecost Sunday	June 8, 2025
The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ	June 15, 2025
First Sunday of Advent	November 30, 2025

CYCLES —LECTIONARY FOR MASS

Sunday Cycle	CYCLE C	December 1, 2024 to November 29, 2025
Weekday Cycle	YEAR I	January 13, 2025 to March 4, 2025 June 9, 2025 to November 22, 2025
Sunday CYCLE	Cycle A	November 30, 2025 to November 21, 2026

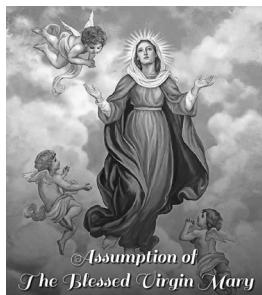
The cycles given above have been used in the preparation of this calendar. The readings from the Proper of Time and Proper of Saints have been used for all Solemnities and all Feasts since they must take the place of the weekday readings for those respective days. The readings from the weekday cycle generally are to be used even on days on which a Memorial or Optional Memorial of a Saint occurs. The exceptions to this rule are the Memorials or Optional Memorials which have “proper readings” (usually only the Gospel) assigned to them in the Lectionary for Ms and which must be used on those days. Substitutions from the Commons or Proper of Saints may be made for the other readings suggested for those Memorials or Optional Memorials. The Priest Celebrant, however, should not omit “too often or without sufficient cause the readings assigned for each day in the weekday Lectionary” (Introduction to the Lectionary for Ms, no. 83). In this calendar, Optional Memorials are designated by the use of italics within brackets.

The Scripture citations and Lectionary numbers for all readings are from the Lectionary for Ms for Use in the Dioceses of the United States of America, second typical edition (1998/2001), and the Lectionary for Ms Supplement (2017), which is based on the *Ordo Lectionum Missæ, editio typica altera* (1981). The spellings of the names of Saints and Blesseds are from the Roman Missal, Third Edition (2011), based on the *Missale Romanum, editio typica tertia emendata* (2008).

MISCELLANEOUS NOTES

1. Scripture citations are based on the English Standard Version (ESVCE) and may differ slightly from the citations given in the *Ordo Lectionum Missæ* (1981) due to difference in versification.
2. In the preparation of diocesan and provincial Calendars and *ordines*, the dedication of diocesan cathedrals, the dedication of parish churches, and special days of prayer (cf. General Instruction of the Roman Missal [GIRM], no. 373) should be added, along with other commemorations of Saints and Blessed which are included in those particular Calendars. More information is available in the Universal Norms on the Liturgical Year and the Calendar, particularly Chapter II.
3. “On Saturdays in Ordinary Time when no Obligatory Memorial occurs, an Optional Memorial of the Blessed Virgin Mary may be celebrated” (Universal Norms on the Liturgical Year and the Calendar, no. 15). This is indicated in the calendar by “BVM.” The readings and prayers may be selected from the Common of the Blessed Virgin Mary or Votive Masses of the Blessed Virgin Mary in the Roman Missal, or the Collection of Masses of the Blessed Virgin Mary.

4. This liturgical calendar has entries for Independence Day and Republic Day, since they are inscribed in the Proper Calendar for the Dioceses of India, but it does not include other civic holidays commonly celebrated in this country (for example, Diwali, Onam, Pongal, etc.). Respecting the liturgical norms (cf. GIRM, nos. 368-378), the Roman Missal offers appropriate Masses, but this calendar makes no suggestions for those holy days.
5. Whenever a celebration like Independence Day, etc., occurs on a Sunday, Independence Day or any other occasion may be appropriately acknowledged in the Homily, Universal Prayer, and hymns during the Sunday liturgy.
6. It is permissible to take the Readings from the Proper of Saints on the Memorials of the Indian Saints mentioned in the Liturgical Calendar. Alternative readings are indicated for these memorials.



SIGNS AND ABBREVIATIONS

H	Day of Obligation
†	Mass for the people
A.	Abbot
Adv	Advent
Ant	Antiphon
Ap/ App.	Apostle/- s
Bl	Blessed
Bp	Bishop
Ben	Benedictus at Lauds
Comm	Common
Communic	Communicantes at Mass
Cpl.	Compline
Cr	Creed
Dn	Deacon
D/Dr	Doctor
Ev	Evangelist
Gl	Gloria
Mtr/M/Mm/Mtrs	Martyr/Martyrs
Mem	Memoria
Ms	Mass
Nat.....	Nativity
Off.	Office
Opt	Optional
Pass	Passion
Pp.	Pope

p.....	Priest
Pf..	Preface at Mass
Pr	Proper
Prec.	Preceding
Pass.	Passion
Ps./ Pss.....	Psalms
Psalt.....	Psalter in the Breviary
R/RR.....	Reading/s
R/Res.....	Responsory /- ies
Scr.....	Scripture
Seq	Sequence
S	Saint
Ss	Saints
Vg/Vgn..	Virgin
Ves/Vesp.....	Vespers
V.....	Verse
Ç.....	Vot. Mass of the S. Heart of Jesus, permitted
M.....	Vot. Mass of the Immaculate Heart of Mary, permitted
1 R:.....	1 Reading
2 R:.....	2 Reading
Gos :.....	Gospel

COLOUR OF VESTMENTS

G	Green
R	Red
V	Violet
W	White

ABBREVIATIONS OF THE BOOKS OF THE BIBLE

OLD TESTAMENT

Amos	Am	1 Kings	1 Kgs
Baruch	Bar	2 Kings	2 Kgs
1 Chronicles	1 Chr	Lamentations	Lam
2 Chronicles	2 Chr	Leviticus	Lv
Daniel	Dn	1 Maccabees	1 Mc
Deuteronomy	Dt	2 Maccabees	2 Mc
Ecclesiastes	Eccl	Malachi	Mal
Esther	Est	Micah	Mi
Exodus	Ex	Nahum	Na
Ezra	Ezr	Nehemiah	Neh
Ezekiel	Ez	Numbers	Nm
Genesis	Gn	Obadiah	Ob
Habakkuk	Hb	Proverbs	Prv
Haggai	Hg	Psalms(s)	Ps(s)
Hosea	Hos	Ruth	Ru
Isaiah	Is	1 Samuel	1 Sam
Jeremiah	Jer	2 Samuel	2 Sam
Job	Jb	Sirach	Sir
Joel	Jl	Song of Songs	Sg
Jonah	Jon	Tobit	Tb
Joshua	Jos	Wisdom	Wis
Judges	Jgs	Zechariah	Zec
Judith	Jdt	Zephaniah	Zep

ABBREVIATIONS OF THE BOOKS OF THE BIBLE

NEW TESTAMENT

Acts of the Apostles	Acts
Mark	Mk
Colossians	Col
Matthew	Mt
1 Corinthians	1 Cor
1 Peter	1 Pt
2 Corinthians	2 Cor
2 Peter	2 Pt
Ephesians	Eph
Philemon	Phlm
Galatians	Gal
Philippians	Phil
Hebrews	Heb
Revelation	Rv
James	Jas
Romans	Rom
John	Jn
1 Thessalonians	1 Thes
1 John	1 Jn
2 Thessalonians	2 Thes
2 John	2 Jn
1 Timothy	1 Tm
3 John	3 Jn
2 Timothy	2 Tm
Jude	Jd
Titus	Ti
Luke	Lk

National Calendar for India
Approved Feasts and Memories, by CDWDS
(Prot. No. 255/14 on 2nd March 2015)

January 14	St Devasahayam, Martyr
January 16	St Joseph Vas (Feast for Mangalore.)
January 26	Republic Day
January 27	Sts Timothy & Titus, Bishops & Martyrs
February 4	St John de Britto, Priest & Martyr, Memorial
February 7	St Gonsalo Garcia, Martyr, Memorial
February 18	St Kuriakose Elias Chavara, Priest
June 8	St Mariam Theresia, Virgin
July 3	St Thomas Apostle of India, Solemnity
July 28	St Alphonsa Muttathupadathu, Virgin, Memorial
August 15	Assumption of our Lady, Patroness of India (Independence Day), Solemnity
August 30	St Euphrasia, Virgin
Sept. 5	St Teresa of Kolkatta, Virgin
October 1	St Therese of the Child Jesus, Virgin and Doctor of the Church, Feast
October 16	Blessed Augustine Thevaraparambil, Priest
December 3	St Francis Xavier, Priest, Patron of India, Feast

DAYS OBSERVED AT NATIONAL AND INTERNATIONAL LEVEL

January

- New Year Day - January 1
- National Youth Day (India) - January 12
- National Voters' Day (India) - January 25
- Indian Republic Day - January 26
- World Leprosy Eradication Day - January 30
- Street Children's Day - January 31

February

- World Cancer Day - February 4
- World Day of the Sick - February 11
- Valentine's Day - February 14
- National Science Day (India) - February 28

March

- International Women's Day - March 8
- International Day for the Elimination of Racial Discrimination - March 21
- World Forestry Day - March 21
- World Water Day - March 22
- World Tuberculosis Day - March 24

April

- World Health Day - April 7
- Mother Earth Day - April 22

May

- International Mother's Day - Second Sunday of May
- International Workers' Day - May 1

- Greenery Day - May 4
- World Red Cross Day - May 8
- International Nurses Day - May 12
- International Day of Families - May 15
- World No Tobacco Day - May 31

June

- World Environment Day - June 5
- World Blood Donor Day - June 14
- Father's Day - June 18 (Third Sunday of June)

July

- Doctor's Day - July 1
- World Population Day - July 11
- World Hepatitis Day [WHO] - July 28

August

- International Friendship Day - August 1st Sunday
- World Senior Citizen's Day - August 8
- International Youth Day - August 12
- Indian Independence Day - August 15
- National Sports Day - August 29

September

- Teachers' Day (India) - September 5
- Girl Child Day. World Literacy Day (UNESCO) - September 8
- Engineer's Day (India) - September 15
- Day for Peace & Non-violence (UN)-September 21
- Day of the Deaf - September 26

October

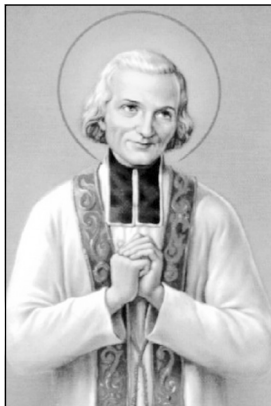
- World Vegetarian Day - October 1
- Gandhi Jayanthi, International Day of Non-Violence - October 2
- World Animal Day - October 4
- National Post Day, World Mental Health Day - October 10
- Pregnancy and Infant Loss Remembrance Day - October 15
- Global Handwashing Day - October 15
- World Food Day - October 16
- World Sight Day- October 2nd Thursday. UN Day - October-24

November

- Children's Day (India) - November 14
- World Diabetes Day - November 14
- National Epilepsy Day - November 17

December

- World AIDS Day - December 1
- United Nations' International Day of Persons with Disabilities - December 3
- Indian Navy Day - December 4
- Human Rights Day - December 10
- Minorities Rights Day (India) - December 18
- Kisan Divas (Farmer's Day) (India)- December 23



Prayer to St. John Maria Vianney

Dear St. John Maria Vianney, Cure of Ars, we revere in you the great model of sacerdotal life. We recall with admiration your detachment from the things of the world; your deep humility and acceptance of humiliations; your extraordinary spirit of mortification and penance; your fortitude in trials and against the assaults of the devil; your purity, union with God and love of the Eucharist; your unrelenting zeal and untiring service of souls by day and by night, at the confessional and in the pulpit; your compassion for all those in want - the sick, the poor and the sinners; your rare power to draw people to God. True priest of the Most High, help our priests in the Archdiocese of Hyderabad ever to keep striving towards the acquisition of these virtues, so that they can become shepherds after God's own heart. Amen.

PASTORAL LITURGICAL YEAR 2024 – 2025

From 1st DECEMBER, 2024 to 30th NOVEMBER, 2025

Kindly Note:

- 1). To have a proper and meaningful Liturgical celebration, kindly go through some of the important Universal norms on the Liturgical Year and the General Roman Calendar of the Roman Missal given in our Ordo on pages from 2-30.
- 2). For Sundays and Solemnities, three readings are assigned: that is, from a Prophet, an Apostle, and a Gospel. By these the Christian people are brought to know the continuity of the work of salvation according to God's wonderful plan. These readings should be followed strictly. During the Easter Season, according to the tradition of the Church, instead of the reading from the Old Testament, the reading is taken from the Acts of the Apostles. For feasts, on the other hand, two readings are assigned. If, however, according to the norms a feast is raised to the rank of a solemnity, a third reading is added, taken from the Common.

For memorials of Saints, unless strictly proper readings are given, the readings assigned for the week day are customarily used. In certain cases, readings are provided that highlight some particular aspect of the spiritual life or activity of the Saint. The use of such readings is not to be insisted upon, unless a pastoral reason suggests it.

In the Lectionary for weekdays, readings are provided for each day of every week throughout the entire year; as a result, these readings are for the most part to be used on the days to which they are assigned, unless there occurs a solemnity,

feast, or memorial that has its own proper New Testament readings, that is to say, readings in which mention is made of the Saint being celebrated.

If, however, the continuous reading during the week is interrupted by the occurrence of some solemnity or feast, or some particular celebration, then the priest, taking into consideration the entire week's scheme of readings, is allowed either to combine parts omitted with other readings or to decide which readings are to be preferred over others. In Masses with special groups, the priest is allowed to choose texts more suited to the particular celebration, provided they are taken from the texts of an approved lectionary.

- 3). **Liturgical Readings are given as per the new Lectionary published by CCBI in 2020.**
- 4). **Those who would like to have the readings proper of the memory of the same for that day, kindly refer to new Lectionary.**
- 5). Because of the importance of the memories given below, the readings-proper are given for the 26th January, 04th Feb, 18th Feb, 06th June, 22nd July, 28th July, 29th July, 22nd Aug., 29th Aug, 05th Sept, 15th Sept.
- 6). **In new Roman Missal, St. Kuriakose Elias Chavara (Optional Memory) is given on 3 Jan, and Sts. Timothy & Titus (Memory) is given on 26th Jan. But kindly note as per latest CCBI Liturgy Commission, for Latin Rite, St. Kuriakose Elias Chavara is on 18 Feb and Sts. Timothy and Titus is on 27th Jan.**
- 7). Ordo 2024 Year Liturgical Readings are from 1st December, 2024 to 30th November, 2025.

THE LITURGICAL YEAR 2024-2025

SUNDAY : CYCLE C – WEEKDAYS: YEAR I

DECEMBER 2024

THE LITURGICAL YEAR 2024-2025

SUNDAY : CYCLE C – WEEKDAYS: YEAR I

SEASON OF ADVENT

HOLY FATHER'S GENERAL INTENTION

For Pilgrims of Hope: We pray that this Jubilee Year strengthen our faith, helping us to recognize the Risen Christ in our daily lives, and that it may transform us into pilgrims of Christian hope.

1 Sunday First Sunday of Advent

(Psalter week I)

Communio Sunday (Spl.Col.).

LH of Sunday.

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Mass of Sunday, Creed,

Advent Preface I

Lectionary for Sundays and Feasts:

Year C

1 R : Jer 33:14-16

Resp : Ps 24:4-5, 8-10, 14

2 R : I Th 3:12-4:2

Gos : Lk 21:25-28, 34-36

Other celebrations are not permitted,
not even funeral Masses.
Second Vespers of Sunday.
Compline of Sunday.

- 2 Monday** 1st Week of Advent.
Purple (*Psalter week I*) LH of the weekday.
Mass of the weekday, Advent. Pr.I
1 R : Is 2:1-5
Resp : Ps 121:1-9
Gos : Mt 8:5-11
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- 3 Tuesday** **St Francis Xavier**, Priest, *solemnity*
White LH of the solemnity. At Middle Hour proper
✠ antiphons and supplemenatry psalms.
Mass of the solemnity, *Gloria*, Creed,
Preface of the solemnity.
1 R : Jer 1:4-9
Resp : Ps 71:1-2, 5-6, 8-9, 14-15
2 R : 2 Cor4:7-15 or Eph 3:2-12
Gos : Lk 10:1-16
Other celebrations are not permitted
with the exception of funeral Masses.
Second Vespers of the Solemnity.
Compline of Sunday.
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- 4 Wednesday** 1st Week of Advent
Purple Or: **St John Damascene**, Priest & Doctor
White. LH of the weekday or of the
memorial. Mass of the weekday or

of the memorial. Advent. Preface I.

1 R : Is 25:6-10

Resp : Ps 22:1-6

Gos : Mt 15:29-37

5 Thursday 1st Week of Advent.
Purple (*Psalter week I*) LH of the weekday.

Mass of the weekday

Advent. Preface I

1 R : Is 26:1-6

Resp : Ps 117:1, 8-9, 19-21, 25-27

Gos : Mt 7:21, 24-27

6 Friday 1st Week of Advent
Purple (*Psalter week I*)

Or: *White*.

St Nicholas, Bishop

LH of the weekday or of the memorial Mass of the weekday or of the memorial, Advent Preface I.

1 R : Is 29:17-24

Resp : Ps 26:1, 4, 13-14

Gos : Mt 9:27-31

7 Saturday, **St Ambrose**, Bishop & Doctor,
White *memorial*.

1st Week of Advent. (*Psalter week I*)

LH of the memorial Mass of the memorial. Advent Preface I

1 R : Is 30:19-21, 23-26

Resp : Ps 146:1-6

Gos : Mt 9:35–10:1, 5-8

First Vespers of Sunday. Compline as after First Vespers of Sunday.

Since the solemnity of Immaculate Conception of the Blessed Virgin Mary is impeded on its usual day, it is transferred this year to 9th December.

8 *Purple*

Second Sunday of Advent

(Psalter week II) LH of Sunday.

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Mass of Sunday, Creed,

Advent Preface I

1 R : Bar 5:1-9

Resp : Ps 125:1-6

2 R : Phil 1:4-6, 8-11

Gos : Lk 3:1-6

N.B. Second Sunday Collection

(Maintenance of Diocesan Priests
Elderly Priests & Support of
Different Commissions like
Catechetical, Youth & Laity)

9 **Monday**

White

IMMACULATE CONCEPTION OF

THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY,

solemnity.

LH of the solemnity. At Middle Hour
proper antiphons and supplementary
psalms.

X Mass of the solemnity, *Gloria*, Creed,
Preface of the solemnity.

From the Lectionary of Saints:

1 R : Gen 3:9-15, 20

Resp : Ps 97:1-4

2 R : Eph 1:3-6, 11-12

Gos : Lk 1:26-38

Other celebrations are not permitted with the exception of funeral Masses. Second Vespers of the Solemnity. Compline of Sunday.

10 Tuesday 2nd Week of Advent

Purple (*Psalter week II*)

Or: *White.* **Our Lady of Loretto**

LH of the weekday or of the memorial.

Mass of the weekday or of the memorial.

Advent Preface I.

1 R : Is 40:1-11

Resp : Ps 96:1-3, 11-13

Gos : Mt 18:12-14

11 Wednesday 2nd Week of Advent

Purple (*Psalter week II*)

Or: *White.* **St Damasus I, Pope**

LH of the weekday or of the memorial, Mass of the weekday or of the memorial.

Advent Preface I.

1 R : Is 40:25-31

Resp : Ps 103:1-4, 8, 10

Gos : Mt 11:28-30

12 Thursday 2nd. Week of Advent

Purple (*Psalter week II*)

Or: *White*.

Our Lady of Guadalupe

LH of the weekday or of the memorial, Mass of the weekday or of the memorial.

Advent Preface I

1 R : Is 41:13-20

Resp : Ps 145:1, 9-13

Gos : Mt 11:11-15

13 Friday **St Lucy, Virgin and Martyr,**
Red *memorial*

2nd Week of Advent (*Psalter week II*)

LH of the memorial. Mass of the memorial.

Advent Preface I or of the Saints

1 R : Is 48:17-19

Resp : Ps 1:1-4, 6

Gos : Mt 11:16-19

14 Saturday **St John of the Cross, Priest & Doctor,**
White *memorial*.

2nd Week of Advent (*Psalter week II*)

LH of the memorial. Mass of the memorial, Advent Preface I or of the Saints

1 R : Sir 48:1-4, 9-11**Resp** : Ps 80:2-3, 15-16, 18-19**Gos** : Mt 17:9-13**15 Sunday***Purple**or Rose***Third Sunday of Advent***(Psalter week III)***Gaudete Sunday**, LH of Sunday.Mass of Sunday, Creed,
Advent Preface I**1 R** : Zeph 3:14-18**Resp** : Is 12:2-6**2 R** : Phil 4:4-7**Gos** : Lk 3:10-18Other celebrations are not permitted,
not even funeral Masses.

Second Vespers of Sunday.

Compline of Sunday.

16 Monday*Purple***3rd Week of Advent***(Psalter week III)*LH of the weekday. Mass of the
weekday, Advent Preface II**1 R** : Num 24:2-7, 15-17**Resp** : Ps 24:4-9**Gos** : Mt 21:23-27**Advent from 17 to 24 December**

1. The weekdays of Advent from 17 to 24 December take precedence over the memorials of Saints, which may therefore be celebrated only in the particular form laid down by the liturgical books
2. Only when some genuine need or pastoral advantage

requires it may an appropriate Mass for various needs and occasions be celebrated (IM, 374).

Votive Masses and daily Masses for the Dead are prohibited (IM, 381).

17 Tuesday 3rd Week of Advent
Purple (*Psalter week III*) LH of the weekday.
 Mass of the weekday,
 Advent Preface II.
1 R : Gen 49:2, 8-10
Resp : Ps 71:1-4, 7-8, 17
Gos : Mt 1:1-17

18 Wednesday 3rd Week of Advent
Purple (*Psalter week III*)
 LH of the weekday. Mass of the
 weekday, Advent Preface II
1 R : Jer 23:5-8
Resp : Ps 72:1-2, 12-13, 18-19
Gos : Mt 1:18-25

19 Thursday 3rd Week of Advent
Purple (*Psalter week III*)
 LH of the weekday. Mass of the
 weekday, Advent Preface II
1 R : Jgs 13:2-7, 24-25
Resp : Ps 71:3-6, 16-17
Gos : Lk 1:5-25

20 Friday 3rd Week of Advent
Purple (*Psalter week III*)
 LH of the weekday. Mass of the
 weekday, Advent Preface II

1 R : Is 7:10-14
Resp : Ps 24:1-6
Gos : Lk 1:26-38

21 Saturday
Purple
3rd Week of Advent
(*Psalter week III*) LH of the weekday.
Mass of the weekday,
Advent Preface II
1 R : Sg 2:8-14 or Zep 3:14-18
Resp : Ps 33:2-3, 11-12, 20-21
Gos : Lk 1:39-45
First Vespers of Sunday. Compline
as after First Vespers of Sunday.

22 Sunday
Purple
Fourth Sunday of Advent
(*Psalter week IV*)
LH of Sunday.
✠ Mass of Sunday, Creed,
Advent Preface II
1 R : Mic 5:1-4
Resp : Ps 79:2-3, 15-16, 18-19
2 R : Hebr 10:5-10
Gos : Lk 1:39-45
Other celebrations are not permitted,
not even funeral Masses.
Second Vespers of Sunday. Compline
of Sunday.

23 Monday
Purple
4th Week of Advent
(*Psalter week IV*)
LH of the weekday.
Mass of the weekday.

Advent Preface II

1 R : Mal 3:1-4, 23-24

Resp : Ps 24:4-5, 8-10, 14

Gos : Lk 1:57-66

24 Tuesday
Purple

4th Week of Advent

(*Psalter week IV*). LH of the weekday.

Morning Mass of the weekday,

Advent Preface II

Morning:

1 R : 2 Sam 7:1-5, 8-12, 14, 16

Resp : Ps 88:2-5, 27, 29

Gos : Lk 1:67-79

OPENING OF THE HOLY DOOR OF ST. PETER'S BASILICA

CHRISTMAS TIME

After the annual celebration of the Paschal mystery, there is no more ancient feast day for the Church than the recalling of the memory of the Nativity of the Lord and of the mysteries of his first appearing. This is the object of the Christmas season (LY 32).

NATIVITY OF THE LORD or
CHRISTMAS *solemnity with octave.*

24 Tuesday
White

Tuesday evening. On the Vigil:

Mass Proper of the Vigil,

Gloria, Creed, with proper Preface and inserts of Christmas for the Eucharistic Prayer I.

1 R : Is 62:1-5

Resp : Ps 88:4-5, 16-17, 27, 29

2 R : Acts 13:16-17, 22-25

Gos : Mt 1:1-25 (*or* Mt 1:18-25)

At Masses on the Vigil and of Christmas Day, at the words of the Creed and by the Holy Spirit was incarnate... all kneel briefly (IM, 137).

First Vespers of the Solemnity of Christmas. Compline as after First Vespers of Sunday.

Compline is not recited by those who would be present at the Vigil (IH, 215).

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- 25 Wednesday Christmas Day:** Office proper, LH of the solemnity.
White
✠ **Mass of Christmas Day,**
Gloria, Creed, with proper Preface and inserts of Christmas for the Eucharistic Prayer I.

Night Mass

1 R : Is 9:1-6

Resp : Ps 95:1-3, 11-13

2 R : Tit 2:11-14

Gos : Lk 2:1-14

Dawn Mass

1 R : Is 62:11-12

Resp : Ps 96:1, 6, 11-12

2 R : Tit 3:4-7

Gos : Lk 2:15-20

Day's Mass

1 R : Is 52:7-10**Resp** : Ps 97:1-6**2 R** : Heb 1:1-6**Gos** : Jn 1:1-18 (*or* 1-5, 9-14)

All priests may celebrate or concelebrate three Masses, provided these are celebrated at their proper times (RM, 25 Dec).

Whoever celebrates only one Mass, should choose the one corresponding to the time of day.

Other celebrations are not permitted, not even funeral Masses.

Second Vespers of Christmas Day.

Sunday Compline.

26 Thursday St Stephen, Protomartyr, *feast**Red*

LH of the feast. At Mid Day Hour antiphons of the season, and pss of Thursday, week IV.

Mass of the feast, *Gloria*, with proper Preface and inserts of Christmas for the Eucharistic Prayer I.

1 R : Acts 6:8-10; 7:54-59**Resp** : Ps 31:3-4, 6, 8, 16, 17**Gos** : Mt 10:17-22

27 Friday
White

St. John, Apostle & Evangelist,
feast

LH of the feast. At Mid Day Hour
antiphons of the season, and pss of
Friday, week IV.

Mass of the feast, *Gloria*, with proper
Preface and inserts of Christmas for
the Eucharistic Prayer I.

1 R : 1 Jn 1:1-4

Resp : Ps 96:1-2, 5-6, 11-12

Gos : Jn 20:2-8

28 Saturday
Red

Holy Innocents, Martyrs, feast

LH of the feast. At Mid Day Hour
antiphons of the season, and pss of
Saturday, week IV.

Mass of the feast, *Gloria*, with proper
Preface and inserts of Christmas for
the Eucharistic Prayer I.

1 R : 1 Jn 1:5 – 2:2

Resp : Ps 123:2-5, 7-8

Gos : Mt 2:13-18

First Vespers of the feast of the Holy
Family. Compline as after First
Vespers of Sunday.

29 Sunday **The Holy Family of Jesus, Mary And**
White **Joseph, feast.**

LH of the feast - At Mid Day Hour
 antiphons of the season, and pss of
 Sunday, week I.

✠ Mass of the feast, *Gloria*, Creed, with
 proper Preface and inserts of
 Christmas for the Eucharistic
 Prayer I.

1 R : 1 Sam 1:20-22, 24-28 or
 Sir 3:2-6, 12-14

Resp : Ps 84:2-6, 9-10

2 R : 1 Jn 3:1-2, 21-24 *or*
 Col 3:12-21

Gos : Lk 2:41-52

Masses of the dead are not permitted,
 with the exception of funeral Masses
 (IM, 381). Second Vespers of the feast.
 Compline of Sunday.

30 Monday **Sixth Day within Octave of**
White **Christmas, office proper.**

LH of the day within octave. Lauds as
 on Christmas Day, except for the
 proper texts given for this day, from
 the short reading of the day onwards.

At Mid Day Hours, antiphons of the season and pss of Monday, week I.

Mass proper, *Gloria*, with proper Preface and inserts of Christmas for the Eucharistic Prayer I.

1 R : 1 Jn 2:12-17

Resp : Ps 95:7-10

Gos : Lk 2:36-40

31 Tuesday
White

Seventh Day within Octave of Christmas, office proper.

LH of the day within octave. - Lauds as on Christmas Day, except for the proper texts given for this day, from the short reading of the day onwards.
- At Mid Day Hour antiphons of the season, and pss of Tuesday, week I.

Mass proper, *Gloria*, with proper Preface and inserts of Christmas for the Eucharistic Prayer I.

1 R : 1 Jn 2:18-21

Resp : Ps 95:1-2, 11-13

Gos : Jn 1:1-18

First Vespers of Solemnity of Mary, The Holy Mother of God. Compline of Solemnity.

JANUARY 2025

- 1 Wednesday**, Octave Day of Nativity of the Lord.
White **MARY, THE HOLY MOTHER OF GOD**, *solemnity*.

LH of the solemnity. Office proper. At Mid Day Hour proper antiphons and supplementary pss.

- ✠ Mass of the solemnity, *Gloria*, Creed, with Preface of BVM I and inserts of Christmas for the Eucharistic Prayer 1.

1 R : Num 6:22-27

Resp : Ps 66:2-3, 5-6, 8

2 R : Gal 4:4-7

Gos : Lk 2:16-21

Other celebrations are not permitted, with the exception of funeral Masses.

Second Vespers of Solemnity.
 Compline of Sunday.

- 2 Thursday**, **SS. Basil the Great & Gregory Nazianzen**, Bishops & Doctors, *memorial*.

White Weekday of Christmas Time
(Psalter week I)

LH of the memorial. Mass of the memorial, Christmas Preface.

1 R : 1 Jn 2:22-28

Resp : Ps 98:1-4
Gos : Jn 1:19-28

3 Friday

Weekday of Christmas Time
(*Psalter week I*)

White

Or: The Most Holy Name of Jesus
LH of the weekday or of the Memorial
Christmas Preface.

1 R : 1 Jn 2:29 — 3:6

Resp : Ps 97:1, 3–6

Gos : Jn 1:29–34

For the Mass of the Most Holy Name
of Jesus : From the Lectionary of the
Saints.

1 R : Phil 2:1-11

Resp : Ps 9:4-9

Gos : Lk 2:21-24

4 Saturday

Weekday of Christmas Time
(*Psalter week I*)

White

LH of the weekday. Mass of the
weekday.

Christmas Preface.

1 R : 1 Jn 3:7-10

Resp : Ps 97:1, 7-9

Gos : Jn 1:35-42

Vespers of Epiphany. Compline as
after First Vespers of Sunday.

- 5 Sunday THE EPIPHANY OF THE LORD,**
solemnity.
White Office proper. LH of the the
 solemnity.
 ✠ Mass of the Day Proper, *Gloria*, Creed,
 with proper Preface and inserts of the
 Epiphany for the Eucharistic Prayer I.
1 R : Is 60:1-6
Resp : Ps 72:1-2, 7-8, 10-13
2 R : Eph 3:2-3, 5-6
Gos : Mt 2:1-12
 Other celebrations are not permitted,
 not even funeral Masses.
 Second Vespers of the Epiphany.
 Compline of Sunday.
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- 6 Monday Monday after the Epiphany,**
White (*Psalter week II*)
 LH of the weekday. Mass of the
 weekday.
 Christmas Preface.
1 R : 1 Jn 3:22 -- 4:6
Resp : Ps 2:7-8, 10-12
Gos : Mt 4:12-17, 23-25
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- 7 Tuesday Tuesday after the Epiphany**
White (*Psalter week II*)
 Or: **St Raymond of Penyafort**, priest.

LH of the weekday or of the memorial.
Mass of the day or of the memorial.
Christmas Preface.

1 R : 1 Jn 4:7-10

Resp : Ps 72:1-4, 7-8

Gos : Mk 6:34-44

8 Wednesday Wednesday after the Epiphany

White (Psalter week II)

LH of the weekday. Mass of the weekday.

Christmas Preface.

1 R : 1 Jn 4:11-18

Resp : Ps 72:1-2, 10, 12-13

Gos : Mk 6:45-52

9 Thursday Thursday after the Epiphany

White (Psalter week II)

LH of the weekday. Mass of the weekday.

Christmas Preface.

1 R : 1 Jn 4:19-5:4

Resp : Ps 72:1-2, 14, 15, 17

Gos : Lk 4:14-33

10 Friday Friday after the Epiphany

White (Psalter week II)

LH of the weekday. Mass of the weekday.

Christmas Preface.

1 R : 1 Jn 5:5-13

Resp : Ps 147:12-15, 19-20

Gos : Lk 5:12-16

11 Saturday
White

Saturday after the Epiphany

(*Psalter week I*) LH of the weekday

Mass of the weekday, Christmas Preface.

1 R : 1 Jn 5:14-21

Resp : Ps 149:1-6, 9

Gos : Jn 3:22-30

First Vespers of Epiphany. Compline as after First Vespers of Sunday.

12 Sunday
White

The Baptism of The Lord, *feast.*

LH of the feast. At Mid Day Hour proper antiphons and pss of Sunday, week III.



Mass of the feast, *Gloria*, Creed, with proper Preface the feast.

1 R : Is 40:1-5, 9-11

Resp : Ps 104:1-4, 24-25, 27-30

2 R : Ti 2:11-14; 3:4-7

Gos : Lk 3:15-16, 21-22

N.B. Second Sunday Collection

(Maintenance of Diocesan Priests Elderly Priests & Support of Different Commissions like Catechetical, Youth & Laity)

ORDINARY TIME

Before Lent

The weeks of Ordinary Time celebrate no particular aspect of the mystery of Christ. Instead, especially on the last Sundays, celebration is made of the mystery of Christ in all its fullness (cf. LY. 43).

The weekday Lectionary for Mass is taken from Year I (A).

In votive Masses, and in Saturday Masses of Our Lady, vestments may be of the customary proper colour, or of the colour of the day or of the season (IM, 347).

13 Monday 1st Week, Ordinary Time
Green (*Psalter week I*)

Or: *White.* **St Hilary, Bishop & Doctor**

Or: *White.* **Saturday Mass of Our Lady**

LH of the weekday or one of the memorials,

Mass of the weekday or one of the memorials.

1 R : Heb 1:1-6

Resp : Ps 97:1,2, 6-7, 9

Gos : Mk 1:14-20

14 Tuesday 1st Week, Ordinary Time
Green (*Psalter week I*)

Or: *Red.* **St Devasahayam, Martyr.**

LH of the weekday or of the memorial,
Mass of the weekday or of the
memorial.

1 R : Heb 2:5-12

Resp : Ps 8:2, 5-9

Gos : Mk 1:21-28

15 Wednesday 1st Week, Ordinary Time
Green (*Psalter week I*)

LH of the weekday. Mass of the day.

1 R : Heb 2:14-18

Resp : Ps 105:1-2-4, 6-9

Gos : Mk 1:29-39

16 Thursday **St Joseph Vaz, Priest, feast.**
White 1st Week, Ordinary Time (*Psalter week I*)

LH of the feast day.

Mass of the feast, *Gloria*, Preface of the
pastors.

1 R : Is 52:7-10 or 1 Cor 1:18-25

Resp : Ps 117:1, 2

Alleluia: Mk 1:17

Gos : Mk 1:14-20

17 Friday **St Anthony, Abbot, memorial.**
White 1st Week, Ordinary Time (*Psalter week I*)
LH of the memorial. Mass of the
memorial.

1 R : Heb 4:1-5, 11

Resp : Ps 78:3-4, 6-8

Gos : Mk 2:1-12

From 18 to 25 January is held the week of prayer for Christian unity.

18 Saturday 1st Week, Ordinary Time

Green (*Psalter week I*)

Or: *White*.

Saturday Mass of Our Lady.

LH of the weekday or of the memorial.

Mass of the weekday or of the memorial.

1 R : Heb 4:12-16

Resp : Ps 19:8-10, 15

Gos : Mk 2:13-17

First Vespers of Sunday. Compline as after First Vespers of Sunday.

19 Sunday **Second Sunday of Ordinary Time**
Green (*Psalter week II*)

N.B.: Kindly announce next sunday

•Jyothirmayi Sunday •Bible Sunday
(Special Collection)

1 R : Is 62:1-5

Resp : Ps 96:1-3, 7-10

2 R : 1 Cor 12:4-11

Gos : Jn 2:1-11

Masses of the Dead are not permitted, with the exception of funeral Masses.

Second Vespers of Sunday. Compline of Sunday.

20 Monday
Green

2nd Week, Ordinary Time
(*Psalter week II*)

Or: *Red*.

St Fabian, Pope & Martyr.

Or: *Red*.

St Sebastian, Martyr.

LH of the weekday or of one of the memorials.

Mass of the week day or one of the memorials.

1 R : Heb 5:1-10

Resp : Ps 110:1-4

Gos : Mk 2:18-22

21 Tuesday
Red

St Agnes, Virgin & Martyr, *memorial*
2nd Week, Ordinary Time
(*Psalter week II*)

LH of the memorial. Mass of the memorial.

1 R : Hebr 6:10-20

Resp : Ps 111:1-2, 4-5, 9-10

Gos : Mk 2:23-28

22 Wednesday 2nd Week, Ordinary Time
Green (*Psalter week II*)

LH of the weekday. Mass of the day.

1 R : Heb 7:1-3, 15-17

Resp : Ps 110:1-4

Gos : Mk 3:1-6

- 23 Thursday** 2nd Week, Ordinary Time
Green (*Psalter week II*)
 LH of the weekday. Mass of the day.
1 R : Heb 7:25 — 8:6
Resp : Ps 40:7-10, 17
Gos : Mk 3:7-12
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- 24 Friday** **St Francis de Sales, Bishop & Doctor,**
White *memorial.*
 2nd Week, Ordinary Time
 (*Psalter week II*)
 LH of the memorial. Mass of the memorial.
1 R : Heb 8:6-13
Resp : Ps 85:8, 10-14
Gos : Mk 3:13-19
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- 25 Saturday** **The Conversion of St Paul the**
White **Apostle, feast.**
 3rd Week, Ordinary Time.
 (*Psalter week II*)
 LH of the feast. At Mid Day Hour proper antiphons, and pss of Saturday, week III. Mass of the feast, *Gloria*, Preface of the Apostles.
1 R : Acts 22:3-16 *or* Acts 9:1-22
Resp : Ps 117:1-2
Gos : Mk 16:15-18
 Masses of the Dead are not permitted,

with the exception of funeral Masses.
Vespers of the Feast.

First Vespers of Sunday. Compline as
after First Vespers of Sunday.

26 Sunday
Green

Third Sunday of Ordinary Time
(*Psalter week III*).

Bible Sunday (Spl. Col.)

Jyothirmai Sunday (Spl. Col.)

(Republic Day) LH of Sunday.

N.B.: Kindly announce next Sunday
Day of Consecrated Life

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Mass of Sunday, *Gloria*, Creed, Preface
of Sundays in Ordinary Time.

1 R : Neh 8:2-6, 8-10

Resp : Ps 19:8-10, 15

2 R : 1 Cor 12:12-30

Gos : Lk 1:1-4, 4:14-21

Masses of the Dead are not permitted,
with the exception of funeral Masses.

27 Monday
White

SS. Timothy & Titus, Bishops, *memorial*.

3rd Week, Ordinary Time

(*Psalter week III*)

Or: *White*.

St Angela Merici, Virgin.

LH of the weekday or of one of the
memorials.

Mass of the week day or one of the
memorials.

1 R : Heb 9:15, 24-28

Resp : Ps 98:1-6

Gos : Mk 3:22-30

*In the Mass of SS. Timothy & Titus:
from the Lectionary of Saints:*

1 R : 2 Tim 1:1-8 or Tit 1:1-5

Resp : Ps 96:1-3, 7-8, 10

Gos : Lk 10:1-9

28 Tuesday
White

St. Thomas Aquinas, Priest & Doctor,
memorial.

3rd Week, Ordinary Time
(*Psalter week III*)

LH of the memorial. Mass of the
memorial.

1 R : Heb 10:1-10

Resp : Ps 40:2, 4, 7-8, 10-11

Gos : Mk 3:31-35

29 Wednesday 3rd Week, Ordinary Time
Green (*Psalter week III*)

LH of the weekday. Mass of the day.

1 R : Heb 10:11-18

Resp : Ps 110:1-4

Gos : Mk 4:1-20

30 Thursday 3rd Week, Ordinary Time
Green (*Psalter week III*)

LH of the weekday. Mass of the day.

1 R : Heb 10:19-25

Resp : Ps 24:1-6

Gos : Mk 4:21-25

31 Friday
White

St John Bosco, Priest, memorial.

3rd Week, Ordinary Time

(*Psalter week III*)

LH of the memorial. Mass of the memorial.

1 R : Hebr 10:32-39

Resp : Ps 37:3-6, 23-24, 39-40

Gos : Mk 4:26-34

FEBRUARY 2025

HOLY FATHER'S GENERAL INTENTION

For vocations to the priesthood and religious life.

Let us pray that the ecclesial community might welcome the desires and doubts of those young people who feel a call to serve Christ's mission in the priesthood and religious life.

1 Saturday 3rd Week, Ordinary Time
Green (*Psalter week III*)

Or: *White.* **Saturday Mass of Our Lady.**

LH of the weekday or of the memorial.

Mass of the weekday or of the memorial.

1 R : Heb 11:1-2, 8-19

Resp : Ps Lk 1:69-75

Gos : Mk 4:35-41

First Vespers of Presentation of the Lord.

Compline of Sunday.

2 Sunday **The Presentation of the Lord, *feast.***
White **Day of the Consecrated Life.**

N.B.: Kindly announce next sunday Holy Childhood Sunday. (Spl.Col.)

The blessing of candles with a Procession (or solemnentry) takes place at the beginning of the Principal Mass, The Procession ends with the *Gloria* and the Opening Prayer (the other elements of the Opening rite are omitted)

1 R : Mal 3:1-4

Resp : Ps 24:7-10

2 R : Hebr 2:14-18

Gos : Lk 2:22-40 (*or* 22-32)

Masses of the Dead are not permitted, with the exception of funeral Masses.

Second Vespers of the feast.

Sunday Compline.

3 Monday 4th Week, Ordinary Time
Green (*Psalter week IV*)

Or: *Red.*

Or: *White.*

St. Blaise, Bishop & Martyr,

St Ansgar, Bishop.

LH of the weekday or of one of the memorials.

Mass of the weekday or of one of the memorials.

1 R : Heb 11:32-40

Resp : Ps 31:20-24

Gos : Mk 5:1-20

4 Tuesday **St John de Britto, Priest & Martyr,**
Red memorial.

(Psalter week IV)

LH of the memorial. Mass of the memorial.

1 R : 1 Cor 9: 19-27 (1 Cor 9: 19-23)

Resp : Ps 68: 29-36
or (71: 1-6, 15-17)

Gos : Jn 12: 20-32
(See Page 76, Konk. Lect.)

5 Wednesday **St Agatha, Virgin & Martyr,**
Red memorial.

4th Week, Ordinary Time
(Psalter week IV)

LH of the memorial. Mass of the memorial.

1 R : Heb 12:4-7, 11-15

Resp : Ps 103:1-2, 13-14, 17-18

Gos : Mk 6:1-6

6 Thursday **SS. Paul Miki and Companions,**
Red Martyrs, memorial.

4th Week, Ordinary Time

(*Psalter week IV*)

LH of the memorial. Mass of the memorial.

1 R : Heb 12:18-19, 21-24

Resp : Ps 48:2-4, 9-11

Gos : Mk 6:7-13

7 Friday
Red

St Gonsalo Garcia, Martyr, *memorial*.

4th Week, Ordinary Time

(*Psalter week IV*)

LH of the memorial. Mass of the memorial.

1 R : 2 Cor 6:4-10

Resp : Ps 30:2, 4-6, 11-13

Gos : Mt 10:17-22

8 Saturday
Green

4th Week, Ordinary Time

(*Psalter week I*).

Or: *White*.

St Jerome Emiliani.

Or: *White*.

St Josephine Bakhita, Virgin.

Or: *White*.

Saturday Mass of Our Lady

LH of the day, or one of the memorials.

Mass of the weekday or of one of the memorials.

1 R : Heb 13:15-17, 20-21

Resp : Ps 23:1-6

Gos : Mk 6:30-34

First Vespers of Sunday. Compline as after First Vespers of Sunday.

9	Sunday <i>Green</i>	Fifth Sunday of Ordinary Time Holy Childhood Sunday (Spl.Col.) (<i>Psalter week I</i>). LH of Sunday.
	✠	Mass of Sunday, <i>Gloria</i> , Creed, Preface of Sundays in Ordinary Time. 1 R : Is 6:1-8 Resp : Ps 138:1-5, 7-8 2 R : 1 Cor 15:1-11 (<i>or</i> 15:3-8, 11) Gos : Lk 5:1-11
		N.B. Second Sunday Collection (Maintenance of Diocesan Priests Elderly Priests & Support of Different Commissions like Catechetical, Youth & Laity)
10	Monday <i>White</i>	St Scholastica, Virgin, memorial. 5 th Week, Ordinary Time (<i>Psalter week I</i>) LH of the memorial. Mass of the memorial. 1 R : Gn 1:1-19 Resp : Ps 104:1-2,5-6,10,12,24, 35 Gos : Mk 6:53-56
		Tomorrow is the World day of Sick
11	Tuesday <i>Green</i>	5 th Week, Ordinary Time (<i>Psalter week I</i>)

Or: *White.* **Our Lady of Lourdes.**
World day of the Sick

LH of the weekday or of the memorial.

Mass of the weekday or of the memorial.

1 R : Gn 1:20-2:4

Resp : Ps 8:4-9

Gos : Mk 7:1-13

Or In the Mass of Our Lady of Lourdes.

*In the Mass of Our Lady of Lourdes:
from the Lectionary of Saints:*

1 R : Is 66:10-14

Resp : Ps Jdt 13:18, 19

Gos : Jn 2:1-11

12 Wednesday 5th Week, Ordinary Time
Green (*Psalter week I*)

LH of the weekday. Mass of the day.

1 R : Gn 2:4-9, 15-17

Resp : Ps 104:1-2, 27-30

Gos : Mk 7:14-23

13 Thursday 5th Week, Ordinary Time
Green (*Psalter week I*)

LH of the weekday. Mass of the day.

1 R : Gn 2:18-25

Resp : Ps 128:1-5

Gos : Mk 7:24-30

- 14 Friday** **SS. Cyril, Monk, & Methodius, Bishop, memorial.**
White 5th Week, Ordinary Time
(Psalter week I)
 LH of the memorial. Mass of the memorial.
1 R : Gn 3:1-8
Resp : Ps 32:1-2, 5-7
Gos : Mk 7:31-37
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- 15 Saturday** 5th Week, Ordinary Time
Green *(Psalter week I)*
 Or: *White.* **Saturday Mass of Our Lady**
 LH of the weekday or of the memorial
 Mass of the weekday or of the memorial.
1 R : Gn 3:9-24
Resp : Ps 90:2-6, 12-13
Gos : Mk 8:1-10
 First Vespers of Sunday. Compline as after First Vespers of Sunday.
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- 16 Sunday** **Sixth Sunday of Ordinary Time**
Green *(Psalter week II)* LH of Sunday.
 ✠ Mass of Sunday, *Gloria*, Creed, Preface of Sundays in Ordinary Time.
1 R : Jer 17:5-8
Resp : Ps 1:1-4, 6
2 R : 1 Cor 15:12, 16-20
Gos : Lk 6:17, 20-26

Masses of the Dead are not permitted, with the exception of funeral Masses. Second Vespers of Sunday. Compline of Sunday.

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- 17 Monday** 6th Week, Ordinary Time
Green (*Psalter week II*)
 Or: *White*. **Seven Holy Founders of the Servite Order.**
 LH of the weekday or of the memorial. Mass of the weekday or of the memorial.
1 R : Gn 4:1-15, 25
Resp : Ps 50:1, 8, 16-17, 20-21
Gos : Mk 8:11-13
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- 18 Tuesday** 6th Week, Ordinary Time
Green (*Psalter week II*).
 or *White* **St Kuriakose Elias Chavara, Priest.**
 LH of the weekday or of the memorial. Mass of the weekday or of the memorial.
1 R : Gn 6:5-8; 7:1-5, 10
Resp : Ps 29:1-4, 9-10
Gos : Mk 8:14-21
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- 19 Wednesday** 6th Week, Ordinary Time
Green (*Psalter week II*)
 LH of the weekday. Mass of the day.

1 R : Gn 8:6-13, 20-22
Resp : Ps 116:12-15, 18-19
Gos : Mk 8:22-26

20 Thursday 6th Week, Ordinary Time
Green (*Psalter week II*)
 LH of the weekday. Mass of the day.
1 R : Gn 9:1-13
Resp : Ps 102:16-23, 29
Gos : Mk 8:27-33

21 Friday 6th Week, Ordinary Time
Green (*Psalter week II*)
 Or: *White*. **St Peter Damian**, Bishop & Doctor.
 LH of the weekday or of the memorial. Mass of the weekday or of the memorial.
1 R : Gn 11:1-9
Resp : Ps 33:10-15
Gos : Mk 8:34 — 9:1

22 Saturday **Chair of Saint Peter, The Apostle,**
feast
White LH of the feast. At Mid Day Hour
 antiphon of the season and pss of
 Saturday, week I.
 Mass of the feast, *Gloria*, Preface of
 the Apostles.
1 R : 1 Pt 5:1-4
Resp : Ps 23:1-6
Gos : Mt 16:13-19

Masses of the Dead are not permitted, with the exception of funeral Masses.

First Vespers of Sunday. Compline as after First Vespers of Sunday.

23 Sunday **Seventh Sunday of Ordinary Time**
Green (*Psalter week III*)

Liturgy of the day. LH of the Sunday.

✠ Mass of the Sunday, *Gloria*, Creed, Preface of Sundays in Ordinary Time.

1 R : 1 Sam 26:2, 7-9, 12-13, 22-23

Resp : Ps 103:1-4, 8, 10, 12-13

2 R : 1 Cor 15:45-49

Gos : Lk 6:27-38

Masses of the Dead are not permitted, with the exception of funeral Masses.

Second Vespers of Sunday. Sunday Compline.

24 Monday 7th Week, Ordinary Time
Green (*Psalter week III*)

LH of the weekday. Mass of the day

1 R : Sir 1:1-10

Resp : Ps 93:1-2, 5

Gos : Mk 9:14-29

25 Tuesday 7th Week, Ordinary Time
Green (*Psalter week III*)

Or: *Red.* **Blessed Rani Maria.** Martyr

LH of the weekday or of the memorial.
Mass of the weekday or of the memorial.

1 R : Sir 2:1-11

Resp : Ps 37:3-4, 18-19, 27-28, 39-40

Gos : Mk 9:30-37

26 Wednesday 7th Week, Ordinary Time

Green (*Psalter week III*)

LH of the weekday. Mass of the day

1 R : Sir 4:11-19

Resp : Ps 119:165, 168, 171-172, 174-175

Gos : Mk 9:38-40

27 Thursday 7th Week, Ordinary Time

Green (*Psalter week III*)

LH of the weekday. Mass of the day

1 R : Sir 5:1-8

Resp : Ps 1:1-4, 6

Gos : Mk 9:41-50

28 Friday 7th Week, Ordinary Time

Green (*Psalter week III*)

LH of the weekday. Mass of the day

1 R : Sir 6:5-17

Resp : Ps 119:12, 16, 18, 27, 34-35

Gos : Mk 10:1-12

MARCH 2025

HOLY FATHER'S GENERAL INTENTION

For families in crisis: Let us pray that broken families might discover the cure for their wounds through forgiveness, rediscovering each other's gifts, even in their differences.

1 Saturday 7th Week, Ordinary Time

Green (*Psalter week III*)

Or: *White.* **Saturday Mass of Our Lady.**

LH of the weekday or of the memorial.

Mass of the weekday or of the memorial.

1 R : Sir 17:1-15

Resp : Ps 103:13-18

Gos : Mk 10:13-16

First Vespers of Sunday. Compline as after First Vespers of Sunday.

2 Sunday **Eighth Sunday of Ordinary Time**

Green (*Psalter week IV*)

Liturgy of the day. LH of the Sunday.

✠ Mass of the Sunday, *Gloria*, Creed, Preface of Sundays in Ordinary Time.

1 R : Sir 27:5-8

Resp : Ps 92:2-3, 13-16

2 R : 1 Cor 15:54-58

Gos : Lk 6:39-45

Masses of the Dead are not permitted, with the exception of funeral Masses.

Second Vespers of Sunday. Sunday Compline.

3 Monday 8th Week, Ordinary Time
Green (*Psalter week IV*)

LH of the weekday. Mass of the day

1 R : Sir 17:24-29

Resp : Ps 32:1-2, 5-7

Gos : Mk 10:17-27

4 Tuesday 8th Week, Ordinary Time
Green (*Psalter week IV*)

LH of the weekday. Mass of the day

1 R : Sir 35:1-12

Resp : Ps 50:5-8, 14, 23

Gos : Mk 10:28-31

LENT

Lent is a time of preparation for the celebration of Easter. The liturgy prepares the Catechumens for the celebration of the paschal mystery by the various stages of Christian initiation: it also prepares the faithful, who recall their baptism and do penance in preparation for Easter (cf. LY 27).

Lent :

1. The weekdays of Lent from Ash Wednesday to the Saturday before Palm Sunday take precedence over the memorials of saints, which therefore may be celebrated only in the particular form laid down by the liturgical books (IH. 237–239; IM, 355a).
2. Only when some genuine need or pastoral advantage requires it, may an appropriate Mass for various needs and occasions be celebrated (IM. 374).

Votive Masses and daily Masses for the Dead are permitted (IM, 381).

3. The *Alleluia* is always omitted, both in the Liturgy of the Hours and in the celebration of the Eucharist.
4. The *Te Deum* and the *Gloria in excelsis* (*Glory to God in the highest*) are said or sung on solemnities, on feasts and in particular celebrations.
5. In the weekday Office, the Invitatory antiphon, the Hymns for the Office of Readings, for Lauds and for Vespers, and the antiphon at the Mid Day Hour are taken from those prescribed for the liturgical time.
6. **It is not permitted to adorn the altar with flowers, and the organ and other instruments may only be played for the purpose of sustaining singing.** An

exception is made for *Laetare* Sunday (Fourth Sunday of Lent), and for solemnities and feasts (CB, 252).

7. For the celebration of marriages, the parish priest should alert spouses to the need to take account of the particular penitential character of this season (OM. 32).

Ash Wednesday is a day of penance for the whole Church of Roman Rite, to be marked by fasting and abstinence from the eating of meat.

5 Wednesday **ASH WEDNESDAY** (*Psalter week IV*)
Purple Mass of the day.

LH of the weekday. At Lauds the pss and canticles from Friday, week III may be used.

Mass of the weekday, Lenten Preface IV.

1 R : Joel 2:12-18

Resp : Ps 51:3-6, 12-14, 17

2 R : 2 Cor 5:20-6:2

Gos : Mt 6:1-6, 16-18

Other celebrations are not permitted, with the exception of funeral Masses.

6 Thursday **Thursday after Ash Wednesday**
Purple (*Psalter week IV*)

LH of the weekday. Mass of the weekday, Lenten Preface.

1 R : Deut 30:15-20
Resp : Ps 1:1-4, 6
Gos : Lk 9:22-25

7 *Purple*

Friday after Ash Wednesday

(Psalter week IV)

LH of the weekday. Mass of the weekday, Lenten Preface.

1 R : Is 58:1-9
Resp : Ps 51:3-6, 18-19
Gos : Mt 9:14-15

8 *Saturday
Purple*

**Saturday after Ash Wednesday
Women's Day**

(Psalter week IV)

LH of the weekday. Mass of the weekday, Lenten Preface.

1 R : Is 58:9-14
Resp : Ps 86:1-6
Gos : Lk 5:27-32

First Vespers of Sunday. Compline as after First Vespers of Sunday.

9 *Sunday
Purple*

First Sunday of Lent *(Psalter week I)*

LH of the Sunday.

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Mass of Sunday, Creed, Preface of First Sunday of Lent.

1 R : Dt 26:4-10
Resp : Ps 91:1-2, 10-15
2 R : Rom 10:8-13
Gos : Lk 4:1-13

N.B. Second Sunday Collection

(Maintenance of Diocesan Priests
Elderly Priests & Support of
Different Commissions like
Catechetical, Youth & Laity)

10 Monday
Purple

1st Week of Lent
(*Psalter week I*)

Liturgy of the day. LH of the
weekday.

Mass of the weekday, Lenten
Preface.

1 R : Lev 19:1-2, 11-18

Resp : Ps 19:8-10, 15

Gos : Mt 25:31-46

11 Tuesday
Purple

1st Week of Lent
(*Psalter week I*)

LH of the weekday. Mass of the
weekday. Lenten Preface.

1 R : Is 55:10-11

Resp : Ps 34:4-7, 16-19

Gos : Mt 6:7-15

12 Wednesday
Purple

1st Week of Lent
(*Psalter week I*)

LH of the weekday. Mass of the
weekday.

Lenten Preface.

1 R : Jona 3:1-10

Resp : Ps 51:3-4, 12-13, 18-19

Gos : Lk 11:29-32

Tomorrow we remember the

anniversary of the election as Supreme Pontiff of Pope Francis (2013).

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- 13 Thursday** 1st Week of Lent
Purple (*Psalter week I*)
 LH of the weekday. Mass of the weekday, Lenten Preface.
1 R : Est 4:12, 14-16, 23-25
Resp : Ps 138:1-3, 7-8
Gos : Mt 7:7-12
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- 14 Friday** 1st Week of Lent (*Psalter week I*)
Purple LH of the weekday. Mass of the weekday, Lenten Preface.
1 R : Ez 18:21-28
Resp : Ps 130:1-8
Gos : Mt 5:20-26
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- 15 Saturday** 1st Week of Lent (*Psalter week I*)
Purple LH of the weekday. Mass of the weekday, Lenten Preface.
1 R : Deut 26:16-19
Resp : Ps 119:1-2, 4-5, 7-8
Gos : Mt 5:43-48
 First Vespers of Sunday. Compline as after First Vespers of Sunday.
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- 16 Sunday** **Second Sunday of Lent**
Purple (*Psalter week II*)
 LH of the Sunday.
 ✠ Mass of the Sunday, Creed, Preface of Second Sunday of Lent.

1 R : Gn 15:5-12. 17-18

Resp : Ps 27:1, 7-9, 13-14

2 R : Phil 3:17 -- 4:1

or 3:20 -- 4:1

Gos : Lk 9:28-36

Other celebrations are not permitted,
not even funeral Masses.

Second Vespers of Sunday. Compline
of Sunday.

17 Monday
Purple

2nd Week of Lent (*Psalter week II*)

LH of the weekday. Mass of the
weekday. Lenten Preface.

1 R : Dan 9:4-10

Resp : Ps 79:8-9, 11, 13

Gos : Lk 6:36-38

18 Tuesday
Purple

2nd Week of Lent (*Psalter week II*)

LH of the weekday. Mass of the
weekday. Lenten Preface.

or White

St Cyril of Jerusalem, Bishop & Doctor.

1 R : Is 1:10, 16-20

Resp : Ps 50:8-9, 16-17, 21-23

Gos : Mt. 23:1-12

First Vespers of the Solemnity of St
Joseph, Spouse of the B.V.M.

19 Wednesday
White

ST JOSEPH, Spouse of the B.V.M.,
solemnity

LH of the solemnity, - At Mid Day
Hour proper antiphons and
supplementary psalms.

Mass of the solemnity, *Gloria*, Creed,
Preface of St Joseph

1 R : 2 Sam 7:4-5, 12-14, 16

Resp : Ps 89:2-5, 27, 29

2 R : Rom 4:13, 16-18, 22

Gos : Mt 1:16, 18-21, 24
or Lk 2:41-51

Other celebrations are not permitted
with the exception of funeral Masses.
Second Vespers of the Solemnity.
Compline as after Second Vespers

20 Thursday
Purple

2nd Week of Lent
(*Psalter week II*)

LH of the weekday. Mass of the
weekday. Lenten Preface.

1 R : Jer 17:5-10

Resp : Ps 1:1-4, 6

Gos : Lk 16:19-31

21 Friday
Purple

2nd Week of Lent (*Psalter week II*)

LH of the weekday. Mass of the
weekday. Lenten Preface.

1 R : Gen 37:3-4, 12-13, 17-28

Resp : Ps 105:16-21

Gos : Mt 21:33-43, 45-46

22 Saturday
Purple

2nd Week of Lent (*Psalter week II*)

LH of the weekday. Mass of the
weekday. Lenten Preface.

1 R : Mic 7:14-15, 18-20

Resp : Ps 103:1-4, 9-12

Gos : Lk 15:1-3, 11-32

First Vespers of Sunday. Compline as after First Vespers of Sunday.

23 Sunday
Purple

Third Sunday of Lent

(*Psalter week III*)

LH of the Sunday.



Mass of Sunday, Creed, Preface of Third Sunday of Lent.

1 R : Ex 3:1-8, 13-15

Resp : Ps 102:1-4, 6-8, 11

2 R : 1 Cor 10:1-6, 10-12

Gos : Lk 13:1-9

The following readings from year A may also be used:

1 R : Ex 17:3-7

Resp : Ps 95:1-2, 6-9

2 R : Rom 5:1-2, 5-8

Gos : Jn 4:5-42

Other celebrations are not permitted with the exception of funeral Masses.

Second Vespers of Sunday. Compline of Sunday.

24 Monday
Purple

3rd Week of Lent

(*Psalter week III*)

LH of the weekday. Mass of the weekday. Lenten Preface.

1 R : 2 Kgs 5:1-15

Resp : Ps 42:2-3; 43:3-4

Gos : Lk 4:24-30

First Vespers of the Solemnity of the
Annunciation of the Lord

25 Tuesday **THE ANNUNCIATION OF THE LORD, *solemnity.***

White LH of the solemnity, At Mid Day Hour
proper antiphons and supplementary
psalms.

Mass of the Solemnity, *Gloria*, Creed,
Preface of the Annunciation.

1 R : Is 7:10-14, 8:10

Resp : Ps 40:7-11

2 R : Heb 10:4-10

Gos : Lk 1:26-38

At the words of the Creed *and by the Holy Spirit was incarnate...* all kneel briefly (IM. 137).

Other celebrations are not permitted,
with the exception of funeral Masses.

Second Vespers of the Solemnity of
the Annunciation of the Lord.
Compline of Solemnity.

26 Wednesday 3rd Week of Lent

Purple (*Psalter week III*)

LH of the weekday. Mass of the
weekday. Lenten Preface.

1 R : Deut 4:1, 5-9

Resp : Ps 147:12-13, 15-16, 19-20

Gos : Mt 5:17-19

27 Thursday
Purple

3rd Week of Lent

(*Psalter week III*)

LH of the weekday. Mass of the weekday. Lenten Preface.

1 R : Jer 7:23-28

Resp : Ps 95:1-2, 6-9

Gos : Lk 11:14-23

28 Friday
Purple

3rd Week of Lent

(*Psalter week III*)

LH of the weekday. Mass of the weekday. Lenten Preface.

1 R : Hos 14:2-10

Resp : Ps 81:6-11, 14, 17

Gos : Mk 12:28-34

29 Saturday
Purple

3rd Week of Lent (*Psalter week III*)

LH of the weekday. Mass of the weekday. Lenten Preface.

1 R : Hos 6:1-6

Resp : Ps 51:3-4, 18-21

Gos : Lk 18:9-14

First Vespers of Sunday. Compline as after First Vespers of Sunday.

30 Sunday
Purple
or Rose



Fourth Sunday of Lent

(Psalter week IV)

Laetare Sunday, LH of the Sunday.

Mass of Sunday, Creed, Preface of Fourth Sunday of Lent.

1 R : Jos 5:9-12

Resp : Ps 34:2-7

2 R : 2 Cor 5:17-21

Gos : Lk 15:1-3.11-32

The following readings from year A may also be used:

1 R : 1 Sam 16:1, 6-7, 10-13

Resp : Ps 23:1-6

2 R : Eph 5:8-14

Gos : Jn 9:1-41

Other celebrations are not permitted, not even funeral Masses.

Second Vespers of Sunday. Compline of Sunday.

31 Monday
Purple

4th Week of Lent *(Psalter week IV)*

LH of the weekday. Mass of the weekday. Lenten Preface.

1 R : Is 65:17-21

Resp : Ps 30:2, 4-6, 11-13

Gos : Jn 4:43-54

APRIL 2025

HOLY FATHER'S GENERAL INTENTION

For the use of the new technologies : Let us pray that the use of the new technologies will not replace human relationships, will respect the dignity of the person, and will help us face the crises of our times.

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| 1 | Tuesday
<i>Purple</i> | <p>4th Week of Lent (<i>Psalter week IV</i>)</p> <p>LH of the weekday. Mass of the weekday. Lenten Preface.</p> <p>1 R : Ez 47:1-9, 12</p> <p>Resp : Ps 46:2-3, 5-6, 8-9</p> <p>Gos : Jn 5:1-16</p> <hr/> |
| 2 | Wednesday
<i>Purple</i> | <p>4th Week of Lent
(<i>Psalter week IV</i>)</p> <p>LH of the weekday. Mass of the weekday. Lenten Preface.</p> <p>1 R : Is. 49:8-15</p> <p>Resp : Ps 145:8-9, 13-14, 17-18</p> <p>Gos : Jn 5:17-30</p> <hr/> |
| 3 | Thursday
<i>Purple</i> | <p>4th Week of Lent
(<i>Psalter week IV</i>)</p> <p>LH of the weekday. Mass of the weekday. Lenten Preface.</p> <p>1 R : Ex 32:7-14</p> <p>Resp : Ps 106:19-23</p> <p>Gos : Jn 5:31-47</p> <hr/> |

- 4 Friday** 4th Week of Lent (*Psalter week IV*)
Purple LH of the weekday. Mass of the weekday. Lenten Preface.
1 R : Wis 2:1, 12-22
Resp : Ps 34:17-21, 23
Gos : Jn 7:1-2, 10, 25-30
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- 5 Saturday** 4th Week of Lent (*Psalter week IV*)
Purple **Vincent Ferrer**, Priest
 Or: *White*. LH of the weekday. Mass of the weekday. Lenten Preface.
1 R : Jer 11:18-20
Resp : Ps 7:2-3, 9-12
Gos : Jn 7:40-53
 First Vespers of Sunday. Compline as after First Vespers of Sunday.
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- 6 Sunday** **Fifth Sunday of Lent** (*Psalter week I*)
Purple LH of Sunday.
 ✠ Mass of Sunday, Creed, Preface of Fifth Sunday of Lent.
1 R : Ez 37:12-14
Resp : Ps 130:1-8
2 R : Rom 8:8-11
Gos : Jn 11:1-45.
 Other celebrations are not permitted, not even funeral Masses.
 Second Vespers of Sunday.
 Compline of Sunday.
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- 7 Monday** 5th Week of Lent (*Psalter week I*)
Purple LH of the weekday. Mass of the weekday. Preface of the Passion I.
1 R : Dan 13:1-9, 15-17, 19-30, 33-62
 (or 13:41-62)
Resp : Ps 23:1-6
Gos : Jn 8:1-11
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- 8 Tuesday** 5th Week of Lent (*Psalter week I*)
Purple LH of the weekday. Mass of the weekday. Preface of the Passion I.
1 R : Num 21:4-9
Resp : Ps 102:2-3, 16-21
Gos : Jn 8:21-30
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- 9 Wednesday** 5th Week of Lent (*Psalter week I*)
Purple LH of the weekday. Mass of the weekday. Preface of the Passion I.
1 R : Dan 3:14-20, 91-92, 95
Resp : Ps Dan 3:52-56
Gos : Jn 8:31-42
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- 10 Thursday** 5th Week of Lent (*Psalter week I*)
Purple LH of the weekday. Mass of the weekday. Preface of the Passion I.
1 R : Gen 17:3-9
Resp : Ps 105:4-9
Gos : Jn 8:51-59
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- 11 Friday** 5th Week of Lent (*Psalter week I*)
Purple LH of the weekday. Mass of the weekday. Preface of the Passion I.

1 R : Jer 20:10-13
Resp : Ps 18:2-7
Gos : Jn 10:31-42

12 Saturday 5th Week of Lent (*Psalter week I*)
Purple LH of the weekday. Mass of the
 weekday. Preface of the Passion I.
1 R : Ez 37:21-28
Resp : Jer 31:10-13
Gos : Jn 11:45-56
 First Vespers of Palm Sunday.
 Compline as after First Vespers of
 Sunday.

HOLY WEEK

In Holy week the Church celebrates the mysteries of salvation accomplished by Christ in the last days of his earthly life, from his messianic entry into Jerusalem until his blessed Passion and glorious Resurrection. Lent continues until Holy Thursday.

Notes:

General: The rite of the blessing of Palms, the Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament on Maundy Thursday, the Good Friday Liturgical Service and the Easter Vigil may be celebrated in all Churches and public or semi-public Oratories. If they cannot be conducted with enough dignity (servers, singing, participating faithful), it is better to have them only in Parish Churches.

For Palm Sunday:

- a) Red vestments for all ceremonies today
- b) Christ's entry into Jerusalem may be recalled as a Procession, a Solemn Entrance or a Simple Entrance. The Solemn Entrance may be repeated but not the Procession.
- c) No Blessing of Palms without Mass, the celebrant must be the same for both.
- d) At the Procession or Solemn Entrance, the Mass begins with the Opening Prayer of the day.
- e) Lay readers may proclaim the Gospel of the Passion; preferably a Priest should take the part of Christ.

13 SUNDAY PALM SUNDAY OF THE PASSION OF THE LORD (*Psalter week II*).

Red

LH of the Sunday.

For the Procession of Palms.

Gos : Lk 19:28-40

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Mass of the Sunday, Creed, Preface of Palm Sunday.

1 R : Is 50:4-7

Resp : Ps 22:8-9, 17-20, 23-24

2 R : Phil 2:6-11

Gos : Lk 22:14 – 23:56

N.B. Second Sunday Collection

(Maintenance of Diocesan Priests
Elderly Priests & Support of
Different Commissions like
Catechetical, Youth & Laity)

14 Monday
*Purple***Monday of Holy Week**
(Psalter week II)

LH of the weekday. Mass of the weekday. Preface of the Passion II.

1 R : Is 42:1-7

Resp : Ps 27:1-3, 13-14

Gos : Jn 12:1-11

Other celebrations are not permitted, with the exception of funeral Masses.

15 Tuesday
*Purple***Tuesday of Holy Week**
(Psalter week II)

LH of the weekday. Mass of the weekday. Preface of the Passion II.

1 R : Is 49:1-6

Resp : Ps 71:1-6, 15, 17

Gos : Jn 13:21-33, 36-38

Other celebrations are not permitted, with the exception of funeral Masses.

16 Wednesday
*Purple***Wednesday of Holy Week**
(Psalter week II)

LH of the weekday. Mass of the weekday. Preface of the Passion II.

1 R : Is 50:4-9

Resp : Ps 69:8-10, 21-22, 31, 33-34

Gos : Mt 26:14-25

Other celebrations are not permitted, with the exception of funeral Masses.

17 Thursday **Holy Thursday** (*Psalter week II*)
Purple LH of the weekday. At the Office of Reading,
 ps.68 may be recited with its antiphons
 (from Friday, week III)

1. Only the Chrism Mass and the Evening Mass of the Lord's Supper may be celebrated today. **Mass may not be celebrated without a congregation, nor may funeral Masses be celebrated.**
2. Holy Communion may only be distributed to the faithful during the Chrism Mass and the Mass of the Lord's Supper. However, those who communicate in the morning may communicate again at the Mass of the Lord's Supper. The sick may receive communion at any hour of the day.

In the Morning:

Chrism Mass, with *Gloria*, Preface proper to this Mass.

White **1 R** : Is 61:1-3, 6, 8-9
 Resp : Ps 89:21-22, 25, 27
 2 R : Rev 1:5-8
 Gos : Lk 4:16-21

THE "PASCHAL TRIDUUM"

Begins with the Evening Mass of the Lord's Supper on Holy Thursday, reaches its high point in the Easter Vigil and concludes with Evening Prayer on Easter Sunday.

Christ redeemed us all and gave perfect glory to God Principally through his paschal mystery: dying he

destroyed our death and rising he restored our life; Therefore, the Easter Triduum of the passion and resurrection of Christ is the culmination of the entire liturgical year, The solemnity of Easter has the kind of Pre-eminence in the year that Sunday has in the week. **[PASSION AND RESURRECTION – WITH “P” AND “R” CAPITALISED,]**

Notes:

- a) Masses without people are not allowed, On Maundy Thursday evening, for pastoral reasons the Ordinary may allow one or two Masses besides the main Mass of the Lord's Supper
- b) On Maundy Thursday Holy Communion may be distributed only during the Mass; on Good Friday only during the Liturgical Service, But Communion may be brought to the sick on both days, On Holy Saturday, Communion may be given only as Viaticum,
- c) On Thursday and Friday, Vespers may be omitted by those who participate in the Liturgical Service of the day, those who participate in the Easter Vigil may omit the Saturday Compline and the Office of Readings of Easter Sunday

17 Thursday Holy Thursday, In the Evening:

White

Mass of The Lord's Supper, with proper formularies, *Gloria*, with proper Preface and proper inserts for the Eucharistic Prayer I.

1 R : Ex 12:1-8, 11-14

Resp : Ps 116:12-13, 15-18

2 R : 1 Cor 11:23-26

Gos : Jn 13:1-15

Good Friday of the Passion of the Lord is a day of **penance** for the whole Church, to be marked by **fasting and abstinence** from Meat.

18 Friday Good Friday of the Passion of the Lord.

Red

The Liturgy of the Hours is celebrated with the special features indicated in the Proper of Time.

It is highly appropriate that the Office of Readings and Lauds be celebrated in solemn fashion with the people (IH, 210).

The Celebration of the Passion of the Lord, as in the Missal.

1 R : Is 52:13 – 53:12

Resp : Ps 31:2, 6, 12-13, 15-17, 25

2 R : Hebr 4:14-16; 5:7-9

Gos : Jn 18:1–19:42

Notes:

The whole liturgy should be conducted according to the prescriptions of the liturgical books. No one should introduce any changes on his own initiative.

- a) The Celebration of the Passion of the Lord must be held at a convenient hour after noontime'

usually around 3.00 pm, for pastoral reasons, however, it may be held at a later hour.

- b) The Priest and the deacon use red vestments, as at Mass, right from the beginning of the Liturgical action.
- c) At the beginning, the Altar must be bare – without cloths, candles or cross.
- d) Holy Communion is to be distributed to the faithful only within the Celebration of the Passion of the Lord it may however, be distributed at any hour of the day to the sick who are unable to participate in the Liturgy.
- e) After the celebration of the Passion of the Lord, the Blessed Sacrament is to be taken back in a simple form to the place of reservation, there it is to be reserved as is the custom with a lamp lit, Privately, The Altar is bare, Now, however, the Cross and the candles may be left on it.
- f) Today after the unveiling of the Cross and tomorrow until the Easter Vigil begins, we bow/ genuflect; to the Cross.
- g) Collection taken is for the Sacred Places in the Holy Land.

Vespers are not recited by those who take part in the celebration of the Lord's Passion.

Compline as after Second Vespers of Sunday.

19 Holy Saturday

Note: The Liturgy of the Hours is celebrated with the special features indicated in the Proper of Time, Holy Communion may not be distributed today before the Easter Vigil, except as Viaticum,

THE EASTER SEASON :

The Easter Season begins with celebration of the Easter Vigil on Easter Sunday and concludes 50 days later with Pentecost Sunday, the fifty days from Easter Sunday to Pentecost are celebrated in joyful exultation as one feast day, or better as one 'Great Sunday' These are above all others the days for the singing of the Alleluia,

Notes for the Season

- a) The Easter Candle is kept near the altar or the lectern, it is lit at all Masses during the Octave and on all Sunday Masses of the Easter Season.
- b) On weekdays, during the Masses of the Season, Votive Masses and daily Masses for the dead are not allowed except for pastoral reasons. But the Mass of the Saint whose Memorial occurs on that day may be said.

Notes for the Easter Vigil

- a) The entire Liturgical Service is celebrated at night
- b) There is no 'service followed by Mass,' but the Liturgy of the Eucharist is part of the entire Vigil

Service, The faithful must clearly be instructed on this point.

- c) The celebration of Mass without the Easter Vigil Service is not allowed.
- d) For the entire Liturgical action, the Sacred Ministers dress in White vestments.
- e) In case of necessity, the Easter Proclamation (*Exsultet*) may be sung by a cantor who is not a deacon, in this case the blessing of the deacon is omitted.
- f) Priests who celebrate or concelebrate at the Vigil Service may celebrate or concelebrate again on Easter Sunday, the faithful may similarly receive Communion again.

EASTER VIGIL SERVICE

1 R : Gen 1:1 – 2:2 (*or* 1:1, 26-31)

Resp : Ps 104:1-2, 5-6, 10, 12-14, 24, 35

Or Resp : 33:4-7, 12-13, 20, 22

2 R : Gen 22:1-18 (*or* 22:1-2, 9, 10-13, 15-18)

Resp : Ps 16:5, 8-11

3 R : Ex 14:15 – 15:1

Resp : Ps Ex 15:1-6, 17-18

4 R : Is 54:5-14

Resp : Ps 30:2, 4-6, 11-13

5 R : Is 55:1-11

Resp : Ps Is 12:2-6

6 R : Bar 3:9-15, 32 – 4:4

Resp : Ps 19:8-11

7 R : Ez 36:16-28

Resp : Ps 42:3, 5; 43:3-4

Or: Is 12:2-6 *or* Ps 51:12-15, 18-19

Or: when there is a Baptism, Is 12 as above
(cf. after reading 5).

8 R : Rom 6:3-11

Resp : Ps 118:1-2, 16-17, 22-23

Gos. : Lk 24:1-12

White **At the Easter Vigil:** Mass Proper, with proper Preface and proper inserts of Easter for the Eucharistic Prayer I.

20 SUNDAY EASTER SUNDAY,

White *solemnity with octave:*

N.B.: Kindly announce next sunday
Divine Mercy Sunday (Spl. Col.)

LH proper of the solemnity. – The Office of Readings is omitted by those who take part in the Easter Vigil.

✠ **Mass Proper of Easter Day, Gloria,**
sequence, Creed, with proper Preface
and proper inserts of Easter for the
Eucharistic Prayer I.

1 R : Acts 10:34, 37-43

Resp : Ps 118:1-2, 16-17, 22-23

2 R : Col 3:1-4 *or* 1 Cor 5:6-8

Gos : Jn 20:1-9 *or* Lk 24:1-12

At an evening Mass the Gospel may be
Lk 24:13-35

Other celebrations are not permitted,
not even funeral Masses.

Instead of the *Angelus* prayer *The Angel of the Lord...*, for the whole Easter season the antiphon *Queen of Heaven rejoice, alleluia.....* is recited.

21 Monday **Monday within Octave of Easter.**
White LH of the weekday within Easter
 octave.

Mass proper, *Gloria*, optional sequence,
no Creed, with proper Preface and
proper inserts of Easter for the
Eucharistic Prayer I.

1 R : Acts 2:14, 22-33

Resp : Ps 16:1-2, 5, 7-11

Gos : Mt 28:8-15

Other celebrations are not permitted,
with the exception of funeral Masses.

22 Tuesday **Tuesday within Octave of Easter.**
White LH of the weekday within Easter
 octave.

Mass proper, *Gloria*, optional sequence,
no Creed, with proper Preface and
proper inserts of Easter for the
Eucharistic Prayer I.

1 R : Acts 2:36-41

Resp : Ps 33:4-5, 18-20, 22

Gos : Jn 20:11-18

Other celebrations are not permitted,
with the exception of funeral Masses.

23 Wednesday Wednesday within Octave of Easter.

White

LH of the weekday within Easter octave.

Mass proper, *Gloria*, optional sequence, no Creed, with proper Preface and proper inserts of Easter for the Eucharistic Prayer I.

1 R : Acts 3:1-10

Resp : Ps 105:1-4, 6-9

Gos : Lk 24:13-35

Other celebrations are not permitted,
with the exception of funeral Masses.

24 Thursday Thursday within Octave of Easter.

White

LH of the weekday within Easter octave.

Mass proper, *Gloria*, optional sequence, no Creed, with proper Preface and proper inserts of Easter for the Eucharistic Prayer I.

1 R : Acts 3:11-26

Resp : Ps 8:2, 5-9

Gos : Lk 24:35-48

Other celebrations are not permitted,
with the exception of funeral Masses.

25 Friday
White

Friday within Octave of Easter.

LH of the weekday within Easter octave.

Mass proper, *Gloria*, optional sequence, no Creed, with proper Preface and proper inserts of Easter for the Eucharistic Prayer I.

1 R : Acts 4:1-12

Resp : Ps 118:1-2, 4, 22-27

Gos : Jn 21:1-14

Other celebrations are not permitted, with the exception of funeral Masses.

26 Saturday
White

Saturday within Octave of Easter

LH of the weekday within Easter octave.

Mass proper, *Gloria*, optional sequence, no Creed, with proper Preface and proper inserts of Easter for the Eucharistic Prayer I.

1 R : Acts 4:13-21

Resp : Ps 118:1, 14-21

Gos : Mk 16:9-15

Other celebrations are not permitted, with the exception of funeral Masses.

First Vespers of Sunday. Compline as after First Vespers of Sunday.

27 Sunday **Octave Day of Easter, Second Sunday of Easter (or Sunday of Divine Mercy).**

White LH of this Sunday.

✠ Mass of Sunday, *Gloria*, optional sequence, Creed, with proper Preface and proper inserts of Easter for the Eucharistic Prayer I.

1 R : Acts 5:12-16

Resp : Ps 118:2-4, 13-15, 22-24

2 R : Rv 1:9-13, 17-19

Gos : Jn 20:19-31

Other celebrations are not permitted, not even funeral Masses.

Second Vespers of Sunday. Compline of Sunday.

28 Monday 2nd Week of Easter

White (*Psalter week II*)

Or: *Red*. **St Peter Chanel**, Priest & Martyr.

Or: *White*. **St Louis Montfort**, Priest.

LH of the weekday or of one of the memorials.

Mass of the Easter weekday or one of the memorials, Easter Preface.

1 R : Acts 4:23-31

Resp : Ps 2:1-9

Gos : Jn 3:1-8

- 29 Tuesday** **St Catharine of Siena, Virgin & Doctor, memorial**
White 2nd Week of Easter (*Psalter week II*)
 LH of the memorial.
 Mass of the memorial, Easter Preface.
1 R : Acts 4:32-37
Resp : Ps 93:1-2, 5
Gos : Jn 3:7-15
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- 30 Wednesday** 2nd Week of Easter
White (*Psalter week II*)
 LH of the weekday. Mass of the weekday. Easter Preface.
1 R : Acts 5:17-26
Resp : Ps 34:2-9
Gos : Jn 3:16-21
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MAY 2025

HOLY FATHER'S GENERAL INTENTION

For working conditions: Let us pray that through work, each person might find fulfilment, families might be sustained in dignity, and that society might be humanized. That the world might grow in compassion.

- 1 Thursday** 2nd Week of Easter
White (*Psalter week II*) **Labour day**
 Or: *White.* **St Joseph the Worker**

LH of the weekday or of the memorial.
 Mass of the Easter weekday or of the memorial, Easter Preface.

1 R : Acts 5:27-33

Resp : Ps 34:2, 9, 17-20

Gos : Jn 3:31-36

*In the Mass of St Joseph the Worker:
 from the Lectionary of Saints:*

1 R : Gen 1:26 — 2:3 *or*
 Col 3:14-15, 17, 23-24

Resp : Ps 89:2-4, 12-14, 16

Gos : Mt 13:54-58

2 Friday **St Athanasius, Bishop & Doctor,**
memorial

White 2nd Week of Easter (*Psalter week II*)

LH of the memorial.

Mass of the memorial, Easter Preface.

1 R : Acts 5:34-42

Resp : Ps 27:1, 4, 13-14

Gos : Jn 6:1-15

3 Saturday **Ss. Philip and James, Apostles, feast**
Red 2nd Week of Easter (*Psalter week II*)

LH of the feast. At Mid Day Hour
 antiphons of the season and pss of
 Saturday, week II.

Mass of the feast, *Gloria*, Preface of the
 Apostles.

1 R : 1 Cor 15:1-8

Resp : Ps 19:2-5

Gos : Jn 14:6-14

Masses of the Dead are not permitted, with the exception of funeral Masses.

First Vespers of Sunday. Compline as after First Vespers of Sunday.

4 Sunday

White

Third Sunday of Easter

(*Psalter week III*) LH of the Sunday.

N.B.: Kindly announce next Sunday Vocation Sunday (Spl. Col.)

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Mass of Sunday, *Gloria*, Creed, Easter Preface.

1 R : Acts 5:27-32, 40-41

Resp : Ps 30:2, 4-6, 11-13

2 R : Rv 5:11-14

Gos : Jn 21:1-19

Other celebrations are not permitted, not even funeral Masses.

Second Vespers of Sunday. Compline of Sunday.

5 Monday

White

3rd Week of Easter

(*Psalter week III*)

LH of the weekday. Mass of the weekday. Easter Preface.

R 1 : Acts 6:8-15

Resp : Ps 119:23-24, 26-27, 29-30

Gos : Jn 6:22-29

- 6 Tuesday** 3rd Week of Easter
White (*Psalter week III*)
 LH of the weekday. Mass of the Easter weekday. Easter Preface.
1 R : Acts 7:51-8:1
Resp : Ps 31:3-4, 6-8, 17, 21
Gos : Jn 6:30-35
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- 7 Wednesday** 3rd Week of Easter
White (*Psalter week III*)
 LH of the weekday. Mass of the weekday. Easter Preface.
1 R : Acts 8:1-8
Resp : Ps 66:1-7
Gos : Jn 6:35-40
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- 8 Thursday** 3rd Week of Easter (*Psalter week III*)
White LH of the weekday. Mass of the weekday. Easter Preface.
1 R : Acts 8:26-40
Resp : Ps 66:8-9, 16-17, 20
Gos : Jn 6:44-51
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- 9 Friday** 3rd Week of Easter (*Psalter week III*)
White LH of the weekday. Mass of the weekday. Easter Preface.
1 R : Acts 9:1-20
Resp : Ps 117:1-2
Gos : Jn 6:52-59

10	Saturday <i>White</i>	3rd Week of Easter (<i>Psalter week III</i>) LH of the weekday. Mass of the weekday. Easter Prepace. 1 R : Acts 9:31-42 Resp : Ps 116:12-17 Gos : Jn 6:60-69 First Vespers of Sunday. Compline as after First Vespers of Sunday.
11	Sunday <i>White</i>	Fourth Sunday of Easter (<i>Psalter week IV</i>) Vocation Sunday (Spl. Col.) LH of the Sunday. ✠ Mass of the Sunday, <i>Gloria</i>, Creed, Easter Preface. 1 R : Acts 13:14, 43-52 Resp : Ps 100:1-3, 5 2 R : Rv 7:9, 14-17 Gos : Jn 10:27-30 On this Sunday special prayers are offered for priestly and religious vocations. This intention should be explained to the faithful in the homily and be the object of intercessions in the Prayer of the Faithful. N.B. Second Sunday Collection (Maintenance of Diocesan Priests Elderly Priests & Support of Different Commissions like Catechetical, Youth & Laity)

- 12 Monday** 4th Week of Easter
White (*Psalter week IV*)
 Or: *Red.* **SS. Nereus & Achilleus**, Martyrs.
 Or: *Red.* **St Pancras**, Martyr.
 LH of the weekday or of one of the memorials.
 Mass of the Easter weekday or of one of the memorials, Easter Preface.
1 R : Acts 11:1-18
Resp : Ps 42:2-3; 43:3-4
Gos : Jn 10:1-10
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- 13 Tuesday** 4th Week of Easter
White (*Psalter week IV*)
 LH of the weekday. Mass of the Easter weekday. Easter Preface.
 Or: *White* **Our Lady of Fatima.**
1 R : Acts 11:19-26
Resp : Ps 87:1-7
Gos : Jn 10:22-30
*In the Mass of Our Lady of Fatima:
 from the Lectionary of Saints:*
1 R : Is 61:9-11
Resp : Ps 45:11-17
Gos : Lk 11:27-28
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14 Wednesday St Mathias, Apostle, feast.**Red**4th Week of Easter (*Psalter week IV*)

LH of the feast. - At Mid Day Hour
antiphons of season and pss of
Wednesday, Week IV.

Mass proper, *Gloria*, Preface of the
Apostles.

From the Lectionary of Saints:

1 R : Acts 1:15-17, 20-26

Resp : Ps 113:1-8

Gos : Jn 15:9-17

15 Thursday 4th Week of Easter**White**(*Psalter week IV*)

LH of the weekday, Mass of the
Easter weekday.

1 R : Acts 13:13-25

Resp : Ps 89:2-3, 21-22, 25 and 27

Gos : Jn 13:16-20

16 Friday 4th Week of Easter**White**(*Psalter week IV*)

LH of the weekday, Mass of the
Easter weekday.

1 R : Acts 13:26-33

Resp : Ps 2:6-11

Gos : Jn 14:1-6

- 17 Saturday** 4th Week of Easter (*Psalter week IV*)
White LH of the weekday, Mass of the Easter weekday.
1 R : Acts 13:44-52
Resp : Ps 98:1-4
Gos : Jn 14:7-14
 First Vespers of Sunday. Compline as after First Vespers of Sunday.
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- 18 Sunday** **Fifth Sunday of Easter**
White (*Psalter week I*)
 LH of the Sunday.
 ✠ Mass of the Sunday, *Gloria*, Creed, Easter Preface.
1 R : Acts 14:21-27
Resp : Ps 145:8-13
2 R : Rv 21:1-5
Gos : Jn 13:31-35
 Other celebrations are not permitted, not even funeral Masses.
 Second Vespers of Sunday. Compline of Sunday.
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- 19 Monday** 5th Week of Easter (*Psalter week I*)
White LH of the weekday. Mass of the Easter weekday, Easter Preface.
1 R : Acts 14:5-18
Resp : Ps 115:1-4, 15-16
Gos : Jn 14:21-26
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20	Tuesday <i>White</i>	5 th Week of Easter (<i>Psalter week I</i>) LH of the weekday. Mass of the Easter weekday, Easter Preface. 1 R : Acts 14:19-28 Resp : Ps 145:10-13, 21 Gos : Jn 14:27-31
21	Wednesday <i>White</i>	5 th Week of Easter (<i>Psalter week I</i>) LH of the weekday. Mass of the Easter weekday, Easter Preface. 1 R : Acts 15:1-6 Resp : Ps 122:1-5 Gos : Jn 15:1-8
22	Thursday <i>Green</i> <i>Or White,</i>	5 th Week, Ordinary Time (<i>Psalter week I</i>) St. Rita of Cascia, Religious LH of the weekday or of the memorial Mass of the weekday or of the memorial Easter Preface. 1 R : Acts 15:7-21 Resp : Ps 96:1-3, 10 Gos : Jn. 15:9-11
23	Friday <i>White</i>	5 th Week of Easter (<i>Psalter week I</i>) LH of the weekday. Mass of the Easter weekday, Easter Preface. 1 R : Acts 15:22-31 Resp : Ps 57:8-12 Gos : Jn 15:12-17

- 24 Saturday** 5th Week of Easter
White (*Psalter week I*)
 LH of the weekday, Mass of the Easter weekday.
1 R : Acts 16:1-10
Resp : Ps 100:1-3, 5
Gos : Jn 15:18-21
 First Vespers of Sunday. Compline as after First Vespers of Sunday.
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- 25 Sunday** **Sixth Sunday of Easter**
White (*Psalter week II*)
N.B.: Kindly announce next sunday World Communication Day (Spl.Col.)
 LH of the Sunday.
 ✠ Mass of the Sunday, *Gloria*, Creed, Easter Preface.
1 R : Acts 15:1-2, 22-29
Resp : Ps 67:2-3, 5-6, 8
2 R : Rev 21:10-14, 22-23
Gos : Jn 14:23-29
 Other celebrations are not permitted, not even funeral Masses.
 Second Vespers of Sunday. Compline of Sunday.
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- 26 Monday** **St Philip Neri, Priest,**
White *memorial*
 6th Week of Easter (*Psalter week II*)

LH of the memorial. Mass of the memorial, Easter Preface.

1 R : Acts 16:11-15

Resp : Ps 149:1-6, 9

Gos : Jn 15:26-16:4

27 Tuesday
White

Or: *White*.

6th Week of Easter (*Psalter week II*)

St Augustine of Canterbury, Bishop

LH of the weekday or of the memorial
Mass of the weekday or of the memorial

Easter Preface.

1 R : Acts 16:22-34

Resp : Ps 138:1-3, 7-8

Gos : Jn 16:5-11

28 Wednesday
White

6th Week of Easter

(*Psalter week II*)

LH of the weekday. Mass of the Easter weekday, Easter Preface.

1 R : Acts 17:15, 22-18:1

Resp : Ps 148:1-2, 11-14

Gos : Jn 16:12-15

29 Thursday
White

6th Week of Easter

(*Psalter week II*)

LH of the weekday. Mass of the Easter weekday, Easter Preface.

1 R : Acts 18:1-8

Resp : Ps 98:1-4

Gos : Jn 16:16-20

- 30 Friday** 6th Week of Easter (*Psalter week II*)
White LH of the weekday. Mass of the Easter weekday, Easter Preface.
1 R : Acts 18:9-18
Resp : Ps 47:2-7
Gos : Jn 16:20-23
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- 31 Saturday** **Visitation of the Blessed Virgin Mary, feast.**
White LH of the feast. At Mid Day Hour proper antiphons of the season and pss of Saturday, week II.
 Mass of the feast, *Gloria*, Preface of the B.V.M.
1 R : Zeph 3:14-18 or Rom 12:9-16
Resp : Is 12:2-6
Gos : Lk 1:39-56
 Masses of the Dead are not permitted, with the exception of funeral Masses.
THE ASCENSION OF THE LORD, solemnity.
- Saturday evening,** Mass proper to the Vigil, *Gloria*, Creed, with proper Preface and proper inserts of Ascension for the Eucharistic Prayer I.
- White** The Readings are those of the Mass of the Solemnity.
 First Vespers of the Ascension.
 Compline as after First Vespers of Sunday
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JUNE 2025

HOLY FATHER'S GENERAL INTENTION

That the world might grow in compassion. : Let us pray that each one of us might find consolation in a personal relationship with Jesus, and from his Heart, learn to have compassion on the world.

1 Sunday THE ASCENSION OF THE LORD,
solemnity

World Communications Day (Spl.Col.)

White LH of the solemnity

✠ Mass of the solemnity, *Gloria*, Creed, with proper Preface and proper inserts of Ascension for the Eucharistic Prayer I

1 R : Acts 1:1-11

Resp : Ps 47:2-3, 6-9

2 R : Heb 9:24-28; 10:19-23

Gos : Lk 24:46-53

Other celebrations are not permitted, not even funeral Masses

Second Vespers of the Ascension

Compline of Sunday

2 Monday 7th Week of Easter (*Psalter week III*)

White Or: *Red.* **SS. Marcellinus & Peter**, Martyrs.

LH of the weekday or the memorial.

Mass of the weekday or the memorial.

Preface of Easter or Ascension

1 R : Acts 19:1-8

Resp : Ps 68:2-7

Gos : Jn 16:29-33

3 Tuesday SS. Charles Lwanga & Companions,
Martyrs, *memorial*.

Red 7th Week of Easter (*Psalter week III*)

LH of the memorial. Mass of the memorial.

Preface of Easter or Ascension

1 R : Acts 20:17-27

Resp : Ps 68:10-11, 20-21

Gos : Jn 17:1-11

4 Wednesday 7th Week of Easter (*Psalter week III*)

White LH of the weekday.

Mass of the Easter weekday

Preface of Easter or Ascension

1 R : Acts 20:28-38

Resp : Ps 68:29-30, 33-36

Gos : Jn 17:11-19

5 Thursday St Boniface, Bishop & Martyr,
memorial

Red 7th Week of Easter (*Psalter week III*)

LH of the memorial. Mass of the memorial.

Preface of Easter or Ascension

1 R : Acts 22:30; 23:6-11

Resp : Ps 16:1-2, 5, 7-11

Gos : Jn 17:20-26

6 Friday 7th Week of Easter

White (*Psalter week III*)

Or: *White*. **St Norbert**, Bishop

LH of the weekday or of the memorial.

Mass of the weekday or of the memorial.

Preface of Easter or Ascension

1 R : Acts 25:13-21

Resp : Ps 103:1-2, 11-12, 19-20

Gos : Jn 21:15-19

7 Saturday 7th Week of Easter

White (*Psalter week III*)

LH of the weekday. Mass of the Easter weekday. Easter or Ascension Preface.

1 R : Acts 28:16-20, 30-31

Resp : Ps 11:4-7

Gos : Jn 21:20-25

Saturday evening, Vigil for Pentecost Sunday : Mass Proper to the Vigil, *Gloria*, Creed, with proper Preface and proper inserts of Pentecost for the Eucharistic Prayer I.

1 R : Gen 11:1-9 *or* Ex 19:3-8, 16-20
or Ez 37:1-14 *or* Joel 3:1-5

Resp : Ps 104:1-2, 24, 27-30, 35

2R : Rom 8:22-27

Gos : Jn 7:37-39

First Vespers of Pentecost Sunday.

Compline as after First Vespers of Sunday.

8 Sunday

PENTECOST SUNDAY

Red

LH of the solemnity.

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Mass Proper of the Day, *Gloria*, Sequence, Creed, with proper Preface and proper inserts of Pentecost for the Eucharistic Prayer I.

1 R : Acts 2:1-11

Resp : Ps 104:1, 24, 29-31, 34

2 R : 1 Cor 12:3-7, 12-13 *or*
 Rom 8: 8-17

Gos : Jn 20:19-23 *or*
 Jn 14:15-16, 23-26

N.B. Second Sunday Collection

(Maintenance of Diocesan Priests
 Elderly Priests & Support of
 Different Commissions like
 Catechetical, Youth & Laity)

The Easter Season Ends

From tomorrow the 'Angelus' is resumed. It is fitting that the Paschal Candle be kept near the Baptismal font so that the candles of those to be baptized may be lit from it.

ORDINARY TIME

After the Easter Time

The weeks of Ordinary Time celebrate no particular aspect of the mystery of Christ. Instead, especially on the last Sundays, the mystery of Christ in all its fullness is celebrated (LY 43).

9 Monday Our Lady, Mother of the Church,
White memorial.

10th Week of Ordinary Time (*Psalter week II*)

LH of the memorial.

Mass of the memorial (The Roman Missal, Votive Mass 10 b).

1 R : Gen 3:9-15, 20 *or* Acts 1:12-14

Resp : Ps 87:1-3, 5-7

Gos : Jn 19:25-34

10 Tuesday 10th Week of Ordinary Time
Green (Psalter week II)

LH of the weekday. Mass of the weekday.

1 R : 2 Cor 1:18-22

Resp : Ps 119:129-133, 135

Gos : Mt 5:13-16

- 11 Wednesday St Barnabas, Apostle, *memorial*.**
Red 10th Week, Ordinary Time
(Psalter week II)
 LH of the memorial.
 Mass of the memorial, proper readings, with Preface of the Apostle II.
1 R : Acts 11:21-26; 13:1-3
Resp : Ps 98:1-6
Gos : Mt 10:7-13
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- 12 Thursday** 10th Week of Ordinary Time
Green *(Psalter week II)*
 LH of the weekday. Mass of the weekday.
1 R : 2 Cor 3:15–4:1,3-6
Resp : Ps 85:9-14
Gos : Mt 5:20-26
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- 13 Friday St Anthony of Padua, Priest & Doctor, *memorial***
White 10th Week, Ordinary Time
(Psalter week II)
 LH of the memorial. Mass of the memorial.
1 R : 2 Cor 4:7-15
Resp : Ps 116:10-11, 15-18
Gos : Mt 5:27-32
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- 14 Saturday** 10th Week, Ordinary Time
Green (*Psalter week II*)
 Or: *White*. **Saturday Mass of Our Lady.**
 LH of the weekday or of the memorial.
 Mass of the weekday or of the memorial.
1 R : 2 Cor 5:14-21
Resp : Ps 103:1-4, 8-12
Gos : Mt 5:33-37
 First Vespers of Sunday. Compline as after First Vespers of Sunday.
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- 15 Sunday** **THE MOST HOLY TRINITY,**
White *or TRINITY SUNDAY, solemnity*
 LH of the solemnity. At Mid Day Hour Proper antiphons, and pss of Sunday, week I.
 ✠ Mass of the solemnity, *Gloria*, Creed, Preface of the solemnity.
1 R : Prov 8:22-31
Resp : Ps 8:4-9
2 R : Rom 5:1-5
Gos : Jn 16:12-15
 Other celebrations are not permitted, not even funeral Masses.
 Second Vespers of Trinity Sunday.
 Compline of Sunday.
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- 16 Monday** 11th Week, Ordinary Time
Green (*Psalter week III*)
 LH of the weekday. Mass of the weekday.
1 R : 2 Cor 6:1-10
Resp : Ps 98:1-4
Gos : Mt 5:38-42
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- 17 Tuesday** 11th Week, Ordinary Time
Green (*Psalter week III*)
 LH of the weekday. Mass of the weekday.
1 R : 2 Cor 8:1-9
Resp : Ps 146:2, 5-9
Gos : Mt 5:43-48
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- 18 Wednesday** 11th Week, Ordinary Time
Green (*Psalter week III*)
 LH of the weekday. Mass of the weekday.
1 R : 2 Cor 9:6-11
Resp : Ps 112:1-4, 9
Gos : Mt 6:1-6, 16-18
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- 19 Thursday** 11th Week, Ordinary Time
Green (*Psalter week III*)
 Or: *White*. **St Romuald**, Abbot
 LH of the weekday or of the memorial.

Mass of the weekday or of the memorial.

1 R : 2 Cor 11:1-11

Resp : Ps 111:1-4, 7-8

Gos : Mt 6:7-15

20 Friday
Green

11th Week, Ordinary Time
(*Psalter week III*)

LH of the weekday. Mass of the weekday.

1 R : 2 Cor 11:18, 21-30

Resp : Ps 34:2-7

Gos : Mt 6:19-23

21 Saturday
White

St Aloysius Gonzaga, Religious,
memorial.

11th Week, Ordinary Time
(*Psalter week III*)

LH of the memorial. Mass of the memorial.

1 R : 2 Cor 12:1-10

Resp : Ps 34:8-13

Gos : Mt 6:24-34

First Vespers of The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ.

Compline as after First Vespers of Sunday.

22 Sunday **THE MOST HOLY BODY AND BLOOD OF CHRIST** (*Corpus Christi*), *solemnity*.

N.B.: Kindly announce next Sunday St. Peter Pence Sunday (Spl. Col.)

White LH of the solemnity. At Mid Day Hour Proper antiphons, and pss of Sunday, week I.

✠ Mass of the solemnity, *Gloria*, Creed, Preface of the solemnity.

1 R : Gn 14:18-20

Resp : Ps 110:1-4

2 R : 1 Cor 11:23-26

Gos : Lk 9:11-17

Other celebrations are not permitted, not even funeral Masses.

Second Vespers of the Solemnity.

Compline of Sunday.

23 Monday 12th Week, Ordinary Time
Green (*Psalter week IV*)

LH of the weekday. Mass of the weekday.

1 R : Gn 12:1-9

Resp : Ps 33:12-13, 18-20, 22

Gos : Mt 7:1-5

THE NATIVITY OF SAINT JOHN THE BAPTIST, *solemnity*.

23 Monday **Monday evening.** At the Vigil: Vigil Mass, *Gloria*, Creed, with Preface of St John the Baptist.

White **1 R** : Jer 1:4-10
Resp : Ps 71:1-6, 15, 17
2 R : 1 Pt 1:8-12
Gos : Lk 1:5-17

First Vespers of the Nativity of St John the Baptist. Compline as after First Vespers of Sunday.

24 Tuesday **THE NATIVITY OF SAINT JOHN THE BAPTIST, *solemnity*.**

White LH of the solemnity. At Mid Day Hour, proper antiphons, and supplementary psalms.

Mass of the Day, *Gloria*, Creed, with Preface of St John the Baptist.

1 R : Is 49:1-6
Resp : Ps 139:1-3, 13-15
2 R : Act 13:22-26
Gos : Lk 1:57-66, 80

Other celebrations are not permitted, with the exception of funeral Masses. Second Vespers of the Solemnity. Compline of Sunday.

25 Wednesday 12th Week, Ordinary Time*Green* (Psalter week IV).

LH of the weekday. Mass of the weekday

1 R : Gn 15:1-12, 17-18**Resp** : Ps 105:1-4, 6-9**Gos** : Mt 7:15-20**26 Thursday** 12th Week, Ordinary Time*Green* (Psalter week IV)

LH of the weekday. Mass of the weekday

1 R : Gn 16:1-12, 15-16**Resp** : Ps 106:1-5**Gos** : Mt 7:21-29

First Vespers of the Sacred Heart

Compline as after First Vespers of Sunday.

27 Friday **THE MOST SACRED HEART OF JESUS, solemnity.***White*

LH of the solemnity. At Mid Day Hour proper antiphons, and suppl. pss.

Mass of the solemnity, *Gloria*, Creed, with Preface of the solemnity.**1 R** : Ez 34:11-16**Resp** : Ps 23:1-6

2 R : Rom 5:5-11

Gos : Lk 15:3-7

Other celebrations are not permitted, with the exception of funeral Masses.

Second Vespers of the Sacred Heart.

Compline as after Second Vespers of Solemnity.

28 Saturday **The Immaculate Heart of the Blessed Virgin Mary, memorial.**

White 12th Week of Ordinary Time (*Psalter week IV*)

LH of the memorial. Mass of the memorial.

Proper readings, with Preface of the B.V.M.

From the Lectionary of Saints:

1 R : Is 61:9-11

Resp : Ps 1 Sam 2:1, 4-8

Gos : Lk 2:41-51

28 Saturday **SS. PETER AND PAUL, APOSTLES, solemnity.**

Saturday evening. On the Vigil: Vigil Mass, *Gloria*, Creed, with Preface of the solemnity.

Red **1 R** : Acts 3:1-10

Resp : Ps 19:2-5

2 R : Gal 1:11-20

Gos : Jn 21:15-19

First Vespers of the solemnity of SS. Peter and Paul, Apostles. Compline of Solemnity.

29 Sunday **SS. Peter and Paul, Apostles, solemnity. (Laity Sunday)**
St. Peter's Pence (Spl. Col.)

Red

LH of the solemnity, At Mid Day Hour proper antiphons and supplementary psalms.

Mass of the solemnity, *Gloria*, Creed, with Preface of the solemnity.

1 R : Act 12:1-11

Resp : Ps 34:2-9

2 R : 2 Tim 4:6-8, 17-18

Gos : Mt 16:13-19

Other celebrations are not permitted with the exception of funeral Masses.

Second Vespers of the solemnity of SS. Peter and Paul, Apostles. - Compline of Sunday.

30 Monday 13th Week, Ordinary Time
Green (*Psalter week I*)

LH of the weekday. Mass of the weekday.

1 R : Gn 18:16-33

Resp : Ps 103:1-4, 8-11

Gos : Mt 8:18-22

JULY 2025

HOLY FATHER'S GENERAL INTENTION

For formation in discernment: Let us pray that we might again learn how to discern, to know how to choose paths of life and reject everything that leads us away from Christ and the Gospel.

1 Tuesday 13th Week, Ordinary Time

Green (*Psalter week I*)

LH of the weekday. Mass of the weekday.

1 R : Gn 19:15-29

Resp : Ps 26:2-3, 9-12

Gos : Mt 8:23-27

2 Wednesday 13th Week, Ordinary Time

Green (*Psalter week I*)

LH of the weekday. Mass of the weekday.

1 R : Gn 21:5, 8-20

Resp : Ps 34:7-8, 10-13

Gos : Mt 8:28-34

3 Thursday **ST THOMAS, APOSTLE OF INDIA, solemnity.**

Red LH of solemnity.

Mass of the solemnity, *Gloria*, Creed with Preface of the Apostles.

1 R : Acts 10:24-35 *or* Jer 1:4-9

Resp : Ps 41:2-5 *or* Ps 117:1-2

2 R : 1 Pt 1:3-9 *or* Eph 2:19-22

Gos : Jn 20:24-29

Masses of the dead are not permitted,
with the exception if funeral Mass.

Second Vespers of the Solemnity.
Compline of Sunday

4 Friday 13th Week, Ordinary Time

Green (*Psalter week I*)

Or: *White.* **St Elizabeth of Portugal.**

LH of the weekday or of the
memorial. Mass of the weekday or of
the memorial.

1 R : Gn 23:1-4, 19

Resp : Ps 24:1-8, 62-67

Gos : Mt 9:9-13

5 Saturday 13th Week, Ordinary Time

Green (*Psalter week I*)

Or: *White.* **St Anthony Mary Zaccaria, Priest**

Or: *White.* **Saturday Mass of Our Lady.**

LH of the weekday or of one of the
memorials. Mass of the weekday or
of one of the memorials.

1 R : Gn 27:1-5, 15-29

Resp : Ps 135:1-6

Gos : Mt 9:14-17

First Vespers of Sunday. Compline as
after First Vespers of Sunday.

6	Sunday <i>Green</i>	14th Sunday of Ordinary Time <i>(Psalter week II)</i> LH of the Sunday. ✠ Mass of Sunday, <i>Gloria</i> , Creed, Preface of Sundays in Ordinary Time. 1 R : Is 66:10-14 Resp : Ps 66:1-7, 16, 20 2 R : Gal 6:14-18 Gos : Lk 10:1-12, 17-20 Masses of the Dead are not permitted, with the exception of funeral Masses. Second Vespers of Sunday. Compline of Sunday.
7	Monday <i>Green</i>	14th Week, Ordinary Time <i>(Psalter week II)</i> LH of the weekday. Mass of the weekday. 1 R : Gn 28:10-22 Resp : Ps 91:1-4, 14-15 Gos : Mt 9:18-26
8	Tuesday <i>Green</i>	14th Week, Ordinary Time <i>(Psalter week II)</i> LH of the weekday. Mass of the weekday. 1 R : Gn 32:23-33 Resp : Ps 17:1-3, 6-8, 15 Gos : Mt 9:32-38

9 Wednesday 14th Week, Ordinary Time

Green (Psalter week II)

Or: *Red.* **SS. Augustine Zhao Rong, Priest and Companions, Martyrs.**

LH of the weekday or of the memorial.
Mass of the weekday or of the memorial.

1 R : Gn 41:55-57; 42:5-7, 17-24

Resp : Ps 33:2-3, 10-11, 18-19

Gos : Mt 10:1-7

10 Thursday 14th Week, Ordinary Time

Green (Psalter week II)

LH of the weekday. Mass of the weekday.

1 R : Gn 44:18-21, 23-29; 45:1-5

Resp : Ps 105:16-21

Gos : Mt 10:7-15

11 Friday **St Benedict, Abbot, memorial.**

White

14th Week, Ordinary Time

(Psalter week II)

LH of the memorial. Mass of the memorial.

1 R : Gn 46:1-7, 28-30

Resp : Ps 37:3-4, 18-19, 27-28, 39-40

Gos : Mt 10:16-23

12	Saturday <i>Green</i> Or: <i>White</i> .	14 th Week, Ordinary Time (<i>Psalter week II</i>) Saturday Mass or Our Lady. LH of the weekday or of the memorial. Mass of the weekday or of the memorial. 1 R : Gn 49:29-32; 50:15-26 Resp : Ps 105:1-4, 6-7 Gos : Mt 10:24-33 First Vespers of Sunday. Compline as after First Vespers of Sunday.
13	Sunday <i>Green</i> ✠	15th Sunday of Ordinary Time (<i>Psalter week III</i>) LH of the Sunday. Mass of Sunday, <i>Gloria</i> , Creed, Preface of Sundays in Ordinary Time. 1 R : Deut 30:10-14 Resp : Ps 69:14, 17, 30-31, 33-34, 36-37 (<i>or</i> Ps 19:8-11) 2 R : Col 1:15-20 Gos : Lk 10:25-37 N.B. Second Sunday Collection (Maintenance of Diocesan Priests Elderly Priests & Support of Different Commissions like Catechetical, Youth & Laity)

- 14 Monday** 15th Week, Ordinary Time
Green (*Psalter week III*)
 Or: *White.* **St Camillus the Lellis**, Priest
 LH of the weekday or of the memorial.
 Mass of the day or of the memorial.
1 R : Ex 1:8-14, 22
Resp : Ps 124:1-8
Gos : Mt 10:34 — 11:1
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- 15 Tuesday** **St Bonaventure**, Bishop & Doctor,
White *memorial.*
 15th Week, Ordinary Time
 (*Psalter week III*)
 LH of the memorial. Mass of the memorial.
1 R : Ex 2:1-15
Resp : Ps 69:3, 14, 30-31, 33-34
Gos : Mt 11:20-24
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- 16 Wednesday** 15th Week, Ordinary Time
Green (*Psalter week III*)
 Or: *White.* **Our Lady of Mount Carmel.**
 LH of the weekday or of the memorial.
 Mass of the weekday or of the memorial.
1 R : Ex 3:1-6, 9-12
Resp : Ps 103:1-4, 6-7

Gos : Mt 11:25-27

*In the Mass of Mount Carmel: from the
Lectionary of Saints:*

1 R : Zec 2:14-17

Resp : Lk 1:46-55

Gos : Mt 12:46-50

17 Thursday 15th Week, Ordinary Time

Green

(Psalter week III)

LH of weekday.

Mass of weekday

1 R : Ex 3:13-20

Resp : Ps 105:1, 5, 8-9, 24-27

Gos : Mt 11:28-30

18 Friday 15th Week, Ordinary Time

Green

(Psalter week III)

LH of weekday. Mass of weekday

1 R : Ex 11:10 —12:14

Resp : Ps 116:12-13, 15-18

Gos : Mt 12:1-8

19 Saturday 15th Week, Ordinary Time

Green

(Psalter week III)

Or: *White.* **Saturday Mass or Our Lady.**

LH of the weekday or of the
memorial.

Mass of the day or of the memorial.

1 R : Ex 12:37-42

Resp : Ps 136:1, 23-24, 10-15

Gos : Mt 12:14-21

First Vespers of Sunday. Compline as after First Vespers of Sunday.

20 Sunday
Green

16th Sunday of Ordinary Time
(*Psalter week IV*).

N.B.: Kindly announce next Sunday World Day for Grand Parents and the Elderly (Spl. Col.)

LH of the Sunday.

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Mass of Sunday, *Gloria*, Creed, Preface of Sundays in Ordinary Time.

1 R : Gen 18:1-10

Resp : Ps 15:2-5

2 R : Col 1:24-28

Gos : Lk 10:38-42

Masses of the Dead are not permitted, with the exception of funeral Masses.

Second Vespers of Sunday. Compline of Sunday.

21 Monday
Green

16th Week, Ordinary Time
(*Psalter week IV*)

Or: *White*.

St Lawrence of Brindisi, Priest & Doctor.

LH of the weekday or of the memorial.

Mass of the weekday or of the memorial.

1 R : Ex 14:5-18

Resp : Ps Ex 15:1-6

Gos : Mt 12:38-42

22 Tuesday

White

St Mary Magdalene, feast.

LH of the feast. At Office of Readings, 1st reading Rom 12:1-21. At Lauds, proper antiphons with pss of Sunday, week I - At Mid Day Hour, antiphons and pss of Tuesday, week IV, short reading and verse from Common of Saints.

Mass of the feast, *Gloria*, Preface Proper

1 R : Song 3:1-4 or 2 Cor 5:14-17

Resp : Ps 63:2-6, 8-9

Gos : Jn 20:1-2, 11-18

Masses of the Dead are not permitted, with the exception of funeral Masses.

Vespers with proper antiphons with pss of the common of saints

23 Wednesday 16th Week, Ordinary Time

Green

(*Psalter week IV*)

Or: *White*.

St Bridget of Sweden, Religious.

LH of the weekday or of the memorial.

Mass of the weekday or of the memorial.

1 R : Ex 16:1-5, 9-15

Resp : Ps 78:18-19, 23-28

Gos : Mt 13:1-9

24 Thursday
Green

16th Week, Ordinary Time
(*Psalter week IV*)

LH of the weekday. Mass of the weekday.

1 R : Ex 19:1-2, 9-11, 16-20

Resp : Ps Dn 3:52-56

Gos : Mt 13:10-17

25 Friday
Red

St. James, Apostle, feast.

LH of the feast. At Mid Day Hour, antiphons and pss of Thursday, week IV.

Mass of the feast, *Gloria*, with Preface of the Apostles.

1 R : 2 Cor 4:7-15

Resp : Ps 126:1-6

Gos : Mt 20:20-28

Masses of the Dead are not permitted, with the exception of funeral Masses.

26 Saturday
White

SS. Joachim and Anne, Parents of the Blessed Virgin Mary, memorial.

16th Week, Ordinary Time (*Psalter week IV*)

LH of the memorial. Mass of the memorial.

1 R : Sir 44:1, 10-15

Resp : Ps 132:11, 13-14, 17-18

Gos : Mt 13:16-17

First Vespers of Sunday. Compline as after First Vespers of Sunday.

27 Sunday
Green

17th Sunday of Ordinary Time
*(Psalter week I) World day for Grand-
parents and the Elderly (Spl. Col.)*

LH of the Sunday.



Mass of Sunday, *Gloria*, Creed, Preface of Sundays in Ordinary Time.

1 R : Gen 18:20-32

Resp : Ps 138:1-8

2 R : Col 2:12-14

Gos : Lk 11:1-13

Masses of the Dead are not permitted, with the exception of funeral Masses.

Second Vespers of Sunday. Compline of Sunday.

28 Monday
White

St Alphonsa Muttathupadathu,
Virgin, memorial.

(Psalter week I)

LH of the memorial. Mass of the memorial.

1 R : Ex 32:15-24, 30-34

Resp : Ps 106:19-23

Gos : Mt 13:31-35

29 Tuesday **Sts Martha, Mary and Lazarus,**
White memorial.

17th Week, Ordinary Time
(*Psalter week I*)

LH of the memorial. Mass of the memorial.

From the Lectionary of Saints:

1 R : 1 Jn 4:7-16

Resp : Ps 33:2-11

Gos : Jn 11:19-27 or Lk 10:38-42

30 Wednesday 17th Week, Ordinary Time
Green (Psalter week I).

Or: *White.* **St Peter Chrysologus, Bishop & Doctor.**

LH of the weekday or of the memorials.

Mass of the weekday or of the memorials.

1 R : Ex 34:29-35

Resp : Ps 99:5-7, 9

Gos : Mt 13:44-46

First Vespers of Sunday. Compline as after First Vespers of Sunday.

31	Thursday	St Ignatius of Loyola, Priest, <i>memorial</i>
	White	17 th Week, Ordinary Time (<i>Psalter week I</i>)
		LH of the memorial. Mass of the memorial.
		1 R : Ex 40:16-21, 34-38
		Resp : Ps 84:3-6, 8, 11
		Gos : Mt 13:47-53

AUGUST 2025

HOLY FATHER'S GENERAL INTENTION

For mutual coexistence: Let us pray that societies where coexistence seems more difficult might not succumb to the temptation of confrontation for ethnic, political, religious or ideological reasons.

1	Friday	St Alphonsus Liguori, Bishop & Doctor, <i>memorial</i>.
	White	17 th Week, Ordinary Time (<i>Psalter week I</i>)
		LH of the memorial. Mass of the memorial.
		1 R : Lev 23:1, 4-11, 15-16, 27, 34-37
		Resp : Ps 81:3-6, 10-11
		Gos : Mt 13:54-58

2	Saturday	17 th Week, Ordinary Time (<i>Psalter week I</i>)
	Green	

Or: *White.* **St Eusebius of Vercelli**, Bishop.

Or: *White.* **St Peter Julian Eymard**, Priest.

Or: *White.* **Saturday Mass or Our Lady.**

LH of the weekday or one of the memorials.

Mass of the weekday or one of the memorials.

1 R : Lev 25:1, 8-17

Resp : Ps 67:2-3, 5, 7-8

Gos : Mt 14:1-12

First Vespers of Sunday. Compline as after First Vespers of Sunday.

3 Sunday 18th Sunday of Ordinary Time

Green (*Psalter week II*). LH of the Sunday.

St John Mary Vianney (Spl. Col.)

N.B.: Kindly announce next sunday

•Youth Sunday (Spl. Col.) •Black Day

✠ Mass of Sunday, *Gloria*, Creed, Preface of Sundays in Ordinary Time.

1 R : Eccl 1:2; 2:21-23

Resp : Ps 90: 3-6, 12-14, 17

2 R : Col 3:1-5, 9-11

Gos : Lk 12:13-21

Masses of the Dead are not permitted, with the exception of funeral Masses.

Second Vespers of Sunday. Compline of Sunday.

- 4 Monday** **St John Mary Vianney, Priest,**
White *memorial.*
18th Week, Ordinary Time
(*Psalter week II*)
LH of the memorial. Mass of the
memorial.
1 R : Num 11:4-15
Resp : Ps 81:12-17
Gos : Mt 14:13-21
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- 5 Tuesday** 18th Week, Ordinary Time
Green (*Psalter week II*)
Or: *White.* **Dedication of the Basilica of St**
Mary Major.
LH of the weekday or of the
memorial.
Mass of the weekday or of the
memorial.
1 R : Num 12:1-13
Resp : Ps 51:3-7, 12-13
Gos : Mt 14:22-36 *or*
Mt 15:1-2, 10-14
In the Mass for Dedication of the
Basilica of St Mary Major:
1 R : Rev. 21:1-5
Resp : Jdt 13:18-19
Gos : Lk 11:27-28
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First Vespers of Transfiguration.
Compline as after First Vespers of
Sunday.

6 Wednesday Transfiguration of the Lord, feast.

White

LH of the feast. At Mid Day Hour
proper antiphons and pss of Tuesday,
week II.

Mass of the feast, *Gloria*, with Preface
of the feast.

1 R : Dn 7:9-10, 13-14 *or*
2 Pt 1:16-19

Resp : Ps 97:1-2, 5-6, 9

Gos : Lk 9:28-36

Masses of the Dead are not permitted,
with the exception of funeral Masses.

Vespers of the feast.

7 Thursday 18th Week, Ordinary Time

Green

(*Psalter week II*)

Or: *Red.*

SS. Xystus II, Pope, and Companions,
Martyrs. Cajetan, Priest

LH of the weekday or of the memorial.
Mass of the weekday or of the
memorial.

1 R : Num 20:1-13

Resp : Ps 95:1-2, 6-9

Gos : Mt 16:13-23

- 8 Friday** **St Dominic**, Priest, *memorial*.
White 18th Week, Ordinary Time
(Psalter week II)
 LH of the memorial. Mass of the memorial.
1 R : Dt 4:32-40
Resp : Ps 77:12-16, 21
Gos : Mt 16:24-28
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- 9 Saturday** 18th Week, Ordinary Time
Green *(Psalter week II)*
 Or: *Red.* **St Teresa Benedicta of the Cross**,
 Virgin & Martyr.
 Or: *White.* **Saturday Mass or Our Lady.**
 LH of the weekday or one of the
 memorials.
 Mass of the weekday or one of the
 memorials.
1 R : Dt 6:4-13
Resp : Ps 18:2-4, 47, 51
Gos : Mt 17:14-20
 First Vespers of Sunday. Compline as
 after First Vespers of Sunday.
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- 10 Sunday** **19th Sunday of Ordinary Time**
Green *(Psalter week III)* **Black Day**
Youth Sunday (Spl. Col.)
N.B.: Kindly announce next sunday
 Justice Sunday (Spl. Col.)
 ✠ Mass of the Sunday, *Gloria*, Creed,
 Preface of Sundays in Ordinary Time.

1 R : Wis 18:6-9

Resp : Ps 33:1, 12, 18-20, 22

2 R : Hebr 11:1-2, 8-19
(or 11:1-2, 8-12)

Gos : Lk 12:32-48

N.B. Second Sunday Collection
(Maintenance of Diocesan Priests
Elderly Priests & Support of
Different Commissions like
Catechetical, Youth & Laity)

11 Monday
White

St Clare, Virgin, *memorial*.

19th Week, Ordinary Time
(*Psalter week III*)

LH of the memorial. Mass of the memorial.

1 R : Dt 10:12-22

Resp : Ps 147:12-15, 19-20

Gos : Mt 17:22-27

12 Tuesday
Green

19th Week, Ordinary Time
(*Psalter week III*)

Or: *White*.

St Jane Frances de Chantal, Religious.

Or: *White*.

St. John Berchman, Religious.

LH of the weekday or one of the memorials.

Mass of the weekday or one of the memorials.

1 R : Dt 31:1-8
Resp : Dt 32:3-4, 7-9, 12
Gos : Mt 18:1-5, 10, 12-14

13 Wednesday 19th Week, Ordinary Time

Green (Psalter week III)

Or: *Red.* **SS. Pontian, Pope, and Hippolytus,**
Priest, Martyrs.

LH of the weekday or of the
memorial.

Mass of the weekday or of the
memorial.

1 R : Dt 34:1-12
Resp : Ps Deut 66:1-3, 5, 8, 16-17
Gos : Mt 18:15-20

14 Thursday **St Maximillian Kolbe,** Priest &
Martyr, *memorial*

Red 19th Week, Ordinary Time
(Psalter week III)

LH of the weekday or of the
memorial.

Mass of the weekday or of the
memorial.

1 R : Jos 3:7-11, 13-17
Resp : Ps 114:1-6
Gos : Mt 18:21—19:1

**THE ASSUMPTION OF THE
BLESSED VIRGIN MARY,**
solemnity.

14 Thursday **Thursday evening**, On the Vigil:
White Vigil Mass, *Gloria*, Creed, with
 Preface of the solemnity.
1 R : 1 Chr 15:3-4, 15-16; 16:1-2
Resp : Ps 132:6-7, 9-10, 13-14
2 R : 1 Cor 15:54-57
Gos : Lk 11:27-28
 First Vespers of the Assumption.
 Compline as after First Vespers of
 Sunday.

15 Friday **THE ASSUMPTION OF THE**
BLESSED VIRGIN MARY,
Patroness of India.
White LH of the solemnity, At Mid Day Hour
 proper antiphons and supplementary
 psalms.
 ✠ Mass of the Day, *Gloria*, Creed, with
 Preface of Assumption.
1 R : Rev 11:19; 12:1-6, 10
Resp : Ps 45:10-12, 16
2 R : 1 Cor 15:20-27
Gos : Lk 1:39-56
 Other celebrations are not permitted,
 not even funeral Masses.
 Second Vespers of the Assumption.
 Compline of Sunday.

- 16 Saturday** 19th Week, Ordinary Time
Green (*Psalter week III*)
 Or: *White.* **St Stephen of Hungary.**
 Or: *White.* **Saturday Mass or Our Lady.**
 LH of the weekday or one of the memorials.
 Mass of the weekday or one of the memorials.
1 R : Josh 24:14-29
Resp : Ps 16:1-2, 5, 7-8, 11
Gos : Mt 19:13-15
 First Vespers of Sunday. Compline as after First Vespers of Sunday.
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- 17 Sunday** 20th Sunday of Ordinary Time
Green (*Psalter week IV*) **Justice Sunday (Spl.Col.)**
 LH of Sunday.
 ✠ Mass of the Sunday, *Gloria*, Creed, Preface of Sundays in Ordinary Time.
1 R : Jer 38:4-6, 8-10
Resp : Ps 40:2-4, 18
2 R : Hebr 12:1-4
Gos : Lk 12:49-53
 Masses of the Dead are not permitted, with the exception of funeral Masses.
 Second Vespers of Sunday. Compline of Sunday.
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- 18 Monday** 20th Week, Ordinary Time
Green (*Psalter week IV*)
 LH of the weekday. Mass of the weekday.
1 R : Jgs 2:11-19
Resp : Ps 106:34-37, 39-40, 43-44
Gos : Mt 19:16-22
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- 19 Tuesday** 20th Week, Ordinary Time
Green (*Psalter week IV*)
 Or: *White*. **St John Eudes**, Priest.
 LH of the weekday or of the memorial.
 Mass of the weekday or of the memorial.
1 R : Jgs 6:11-24
Resp : Ps 85:9, 11-14
Gos : Mt 19:23-30
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- 20 Wednesday** **St Bernard**, Abbot and Doctor,
White *memorial*.
 20th Week, Ordinary Time
 (*Psalter week IV*)
 LH of the memorial. Mass of the memorial.
1 R : Jgs 9:6-15
Resp : Ps 21:2-7
Gos : Mt 20:1-16
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- 21 Thursday** **St Pius X**, Pope, *memorial*.
White 20th Week, Ordinary Time
(Psalter week IV)
LH of the memorial. Mass of the memorial.
1 R : Jgs 11:29-39
Resp : Ps 40:5, 7-10
Gos : Mt 22:1-14
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- 22 Friday** **The Queenship of the B.V. Mary**,
White *memorial*.
20th Week, Ordinary Time
(Psalter week IV)
LH of the memorial. Mass of the memorial
proper readings, with Preface of the B.V.M.
1 R : Is 9:1-6
Resp : Ps 113:1-8
Gos : Lk 1:26-38
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- 23 Saturday** 20th Week, Ordinary Time
Green *(Psalter week IV)*
Or: *White*. **St Rose of Lima**, Virgin.
Or: *White*. **Saturday Mass or Our Lady**.
LH of the weekday or one of the memorials.
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Mass of the weekday or one of the memorials.

1 R : Ru 2:1-3, 8-11; 4:13-17

Resp : Ps 128:1-5

Gos : Mt 23:1-12

First Vespers of Sunday. Compline as after First Vespers of Sunday.

24 Sunday

Green

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21st Sunday of Ordinary Time.

(*Psalter week I*) LH of Sunday.

Mass of Sunday, *Gloria*, Creed, Preface of Sundays in Ordinary Time.

1 R : Is 66:18-21

Resp : Ps 117:1-2

2 R : Hebr 12:5-7, 11-13

Gos : Lk 13:22-30

Masses of the Dead are not permitted, with the exception of funeral Masses.

Second Vespers of Sunday. Compline of Sunday.

25 Monday

Green

Or: *White*

Or: *White*

Monday, 21st Week, Ordinary Time
(*Psalter week I*)

St Louis of France.

St Joseph Calasanz, Priest.

LH of the weekday or one of the memorials.

Mass of the weekday or one of the memorials.

1 R : 1 Thes 1:1-5, 8-10

Resp : Ps 149:1-6, 9

Gos : Mt 23:13-22

26 Tuesday 21st Week, Ordinary Time

Green (*Psalter week I*)

Or: *White.* **St Mary of Jesus Crucified**

LH of the weekday or of the memorial.
Mass of the weekday or of the memorial.

1 R : 1 Thes 2:1-8

Resp : Ps 139:1-6

Gos : Mt 23:23-26

27 Wednesday **St Monica**, *memorial.*

White 21st Week, Ordinary Time
(*Psalter week I*)

LH of the memorial. Mass of the memorial.

1 R : 1 Thes 2:9-13

Resp : Ps 139:7-12

Gos : Mt 23:27-32

28 Thursday **St Augustine**, Bishop & Doctor,
White *memorial.*

21st Week, Ordinary Time
(*Psalter week I*)

LH of the memorial. Mass of the memorial

1 R : 1 Thes 3:7-13

Resp : Ps 90:3-5, 12-14, 17

Gos : Mt 24:42-51

29 Friday
Red

The Passion of St John the Baptist,
memorial.

21st Week, Ordinary Time
(*Psalter week I*)

LH of the memorial. At Lauds, proper antiphons with pss of Friday, week I. Mass of the memorial, proper readings, with Preface of St John the Baptist.

1 R : Jer 1:17-19

Resp : Ps 71:1-6, 15-17

Gos : Mk 6:17-29

Vespers of the memorial

30 Saturday
Green

21st Week, Ordinary Time
(*Psalter week I*)

Or: *White.*

St Euphrasia, Virgin

Or: *White.*

Saturday Mass of Our Lady.

LH of the weekday or one of the memorials.

Mass of the weekday or one of the memorials.

1 R : 1 Thes 4:9-11

Resp : Ps 98:1, 7-9

Gos : Mt 25:14-30

First Vespers of Sunday. Compline as after First Vespers of Sunday.

31 Sunday **22nd Sunday of Ordinary Time .**

Green (*Psalter week II*)

LH of the Sunday.

✠ Mass of Sunday, *Gloria*, Creed, Preface of Sundays in Ordinary Time.

1 R : Sir 3:19-21, 30-31

Resp : Ps 68:4-7, 10-11

2 R : Hebr 12:18-19, 22-24

Gos : Lk 14:1,7-14

Masses of the Dead are not permitted, with the exception of funeral Masses.

Second Vespers of Sunday. Compline of Sunday.

SEPTEMBER 2025

HOLY FATHER'S GENERAL INTENTION

For our relationship with all of creation: Let us pray that, inspired by Saint Francis, we might experience our interdependence with all creatures who are loved by God and worthy of love and respect.

1 Monday 22nd Week, Ordinary Time

Green (*Psalter week II*)

LH of the weekday. Mass of the weekday.

1 R : 1 Thes 4:13-18

Resp : Ps 96:1, 3-5, 11-13

Gos : Lk 4:16-30

2 Tuesday 22nd Week, Ordinary Time

Green (*Psalter week II*)

LH of the weekday. Mass of the weekday.

1 R : 1 Thes 5:1-6, 9-11

Resp : Ps 27:1, 4, 13-14

Gos : Lk 4:31-37

3 Wednesday, St Gregory the Great,

White

Pope & Doctor, *memorial*

22nd Week, Ordinary Time

(*Psalter week II*)

LH of the memorial. Mass of the memorial.

1 R : Col 1:1-8

Resp : Ps 52:10-11

Gos : Lk 4:38-44

4 Thursday 22nd Week, Ordinary Time
Green (*Psalter week II*)

LH of the weekday. Mass of the weekday.

1 R : Col 1:9-14

Resp : Ps 98:2-6

Gos : Lk 5:1-11

5 Friday 22nd Week, Ordinary Time
Green (*Psalter week II*)

Or: *White.* **St Teresa of Kolkotta, Virgin**

LH of the weekday or of the memorial.

Mass of the weekday or of the memorial.

1 R : Col 1:15-20

Resp : Ps 100:1-5

Gos : Lk 5:33-39

In the Mass of St Theresa of Kolkotta.

1 R : Is 58:6-11

Resp : Ps 34:2-11

Gos : Mt 25:31-46 (25:31-40)

- 6 Saturday** 22nd Week, Ordinary Time
Green (*Psalter week II*)
 Or: *White*. **Saturday Mass of Our Lady.**
 LH of the weekday or of the memorial.
 Mass of the weekday or of the memorial.
1 R : Col 1:21-23
Resp : Ps 54:3-4, 6, 8
Gos : Lk 6:1-5
 First Vespers of the Feast. Compline as after First Vespers of Sunday.
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- 7 Sunday** 23rd Sunday of Ordinary Time.
Green (*Psalter week III*) LH of the Sunday.
 ✠ Mass of Sunday, *Gloria*, Creed, Preface of Sundays in Ordinary Time.
1 R : Wis 9:13-18
Resp : Ps 90:3-6, 12-17
2 R : Phlm 9-10, 12-17
Gos : Lk 14:25-33
 Masses of the Dead are not permitted, with the exception of funeral Masses.
 Second Vespers of Sunday. Compline of Sunday.
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8 Monday THE NATIVITY OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY, *feast*

***White* Girl Child Day**

LH of the feast. At Mid Day Hour, antiphons and pss of Monday, week II.

Mass of the feast, *Gloria*, with Preface of the B.V.M.

1 R : Mic 5:1-4 *or* Rom 8:28-30

Resp : Ps 13:5-6

Gos : Mt 1:1-16, 18-23 (*or* 18-23)

Masses of the Dead are not permitted, with the exception of funeral Masses.

Vespers of the Solemnity. Compline of Solemnity.

9 Tuesday St Peter Claver, Priest, *memorial*.

White 23rd Week, Ordinary Time
(*Psalter week III*)

LH of the memorial.

Mass of the memorial.

1 R : Col 2:6-15

Resp : Ps 145:1-2, 8-11

Gos : Lk 6:12-19

10 Wednesday 23rd Week, Ordinary Time
Green (*Psalter week III*)

LH of the weekday. Mass of the weekday.

1 R : Col 3:1-11

Resp : Ps 145:2-3, 10-13

Gos : Lk 6:20-26

11 Thursday 23rd Week, Ordinary Time

Green (*Psalter week III*)

LH of the weekday. Mass of the weekday.

1 R : Col 3:12-17

Resp : Ps 150:1-6

Gos : Lk 6:27-38

12 Friday 23rd Week, Ordinary Time

Green (*Psalter week III*)

Or: *White*. **The Most Holy Name of Mary.**

LH of the weekday or of the memorial.

1 R : 1 Tm 1:1-2, 12-14

Resp : Ps 16:1-2, 5, 7-8, 11

Gos : Lk 6:39-42

In the Mass of the Most Holy Name of Mary: *From the Lectionary of Saints:*

R 1 : Gal 4:4-7 or Eph 1:3-6

Resp : Lk 1:46-55

Gos : Lk 1:39-47

- 13 Saturday** **St John Chrysostom,**
White Bishop & Doctor, *memorial.*
 23rd Week, Ordinary Time
(Psalter week III)
 LH of the memorial. Mass of the memorial.
1 R : 1 Tm 1:15-17
Resp : Ps 113:1-7
Gos : Lk 6:43-49
 First Vespers of the feast of the Exaltation of the Holy Cross. Compline as after First Vespers of Sunday.
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- 14 Sunday** **THE EXALTATION OF THE HOLY CROSS,**
Red *feast.*
(Psalter week IV)
 LH of the feast. At Mid Day Hour, proper antiphons and pss of Sunday, week IV.
 ✠ Mass of the feast, *Gloria*, Preface of the feast.
From the Lectionary of Saints:
1 R : Num 21:4-9
Resp : Ps 78:1-2, 34-38
2 R : Phil 2:6-11
Gos : Jn 3:13-17

N.B. Second Sunday Collection

(Maintenance of Diocesan Priests
Elderly Priests & Support of
Different Commissions like
Catechetical, Youth & Laity)

15 Monday
White

Our Lady of Sorrows, memorial.

24th Week, Ordinary Time

(*Psalter week IV*)

LH of the memorial. At Lauds proper antiphons with pss of Sunday, week IV.

Mass of the memorial, proper readings, optional proper sequence, with Preface of the B.V.M.

1 R : Hebr 5:7-9

Resp : Ps 31:2-6, 15-16, 20

Gos : Jn 19:25-27 or Lk 2:33-35

At Vespers proper antiphons with pss of Common of B.V.M.

16 Tuesday
Red

SS. Cornelius, Pope & Cyprian, Bishop, Martyrs, memorial.

24th Week, Ordinary Time

(*Psalter week IV*)

LH of the memorial. Mass of the memorial.

1 R : 1 Tm 3:1-13

Resp : Ps 101:1-3, 5-6

Gos : Lk 7:11-17

17 Wednesday, 24th Week, Ordinary Time

Green (Psalter week IV)

Or: *White.* **St Robert Bellarmine**, Bishop & Doctor.

Or: *White.* **St Hildegard of Bingen**, Virgin & Doctor.

LH of the weekday or one of the memorials.

Mass of the weekday or one of the memorials.

1 R : 1 Tm 3:14-16

Resp : Ps 111:1-6

Gos : Lk 7:31-35

18 Thursday 24th Week, Ordinary Time

Green (Psalter week IV)

LH of the weekday. Mass of the weekday.

1 R : 1 Tm 4:12-16

Resp : Ps 111:7-10

Gos : Lk 7:36-50

19 Friday 24th Week, Ordinary Time

Green (Psalter week IV)

Or: *Red.* **St Januarius**, Bishop & Martyr.

LH of the weekday or the memorial.

Mass of the weekday or the memorial.

1 R : 1 Tm 6:2-12

Resp : Ps 49:6-10, 17-20

Gos : Lk 8:1-3

20 Saturday **SS. Andrew Kim Tae-gon, Priest, and Paul Chong Ha-sang, and Companions, Martyrs, memorial.**

Red

24th Week, Ordinary Time

(*Psalter week IV*)

LH of the memorial. Mass of the memorial.

1 R : 1 Tm 6:13-16

Resp : Ps 100:1-5

Gos : Lk 8:4-15

First Vespers of Sunday. Compline as after First Vespers of Sunday.

21 Sunday **25th Sunday of Ordinary Time**

Green

(*Psalter week I*) LH of the Sunday.

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Mass of Sunday, *Gloria*, Creed, Preface of Sundays in Ordinary Time.

1 R : Am 8:4-7

Resp : Ps 113:1-2, 4-8

2 R : 1 Tim 2:1-8

Gos : Lk 16:1-13

Masses of the Dead are not permitted, with the exception of funeral Masses.

Second Vespers of Sunday. Compline
of Sunday.

22 Monday 25th Week, Ordinary Time
Green (*Psalter week I*)
LH of the weekday. Mass of the
weekday.
1 R : Ezr 1:1-6
Resp : Ps 126:1-6
Gos : Lk 8:16-18

23 Tuesday **St Pius of Pietrelcina**, Priest,
White *memorial.*
25th Week, Ordinary Time
(*Psalter week I*)
LH of the memorial.
Mass of the memorial.
1 R : Ezr 6:7-8, 12, 14-20
Resp : Ps 122:1-5
Gos : Lk 8:19-21

24 Wednesday 25th Week, Ordinary Time
Green (*Psalter week I*)
LH of the weekday. Mass of the
weekday.
1 R : Ezr 9:5-9
Resp : Tb 13:2-8
Gos : Lk 9:1-6

- 25 Thursday** 25th Week, Ordinary Time
Green (*Psalter week I*)
 LH of the weekday. Mass of the weekday.
1 R : Hg 1:1-8
Resp : Ps 149:1-6, 9
Gos : Lk 9:7-9
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- 26 Friday** 25th Week, Ordinary Time
Green (*Psalter week I*)
 Or: *Red.* **SS. Cosmas and Damian, Martyrs.**
 LH of the weekday or of the memorial.
 Mass of the weekday or of the memorial.
1 R : Hg 2:1-9; Hg 1:15-2:9
Resp : Ps 43:1-4
Gos : Lk 9:18-22
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- 27 Saturday** **St Vincent de Paul, Priest, memorial**
White 25th Week, Ordinary Time
 (*Psalter week I*)
 LH of the memorial. Mass of the memorial.
1 R : Zec 2:5-9, 14-15
Resp : Ps Jer 31:10-13

Gos : Lk 9:43-45

First Vespers of Sunday. Compline as after First Vespers of Sunday.

28 Sunday

Green



26th Sunday of Ordinary Time

(*Psalter week II*) LH of the Sunday.

Mass of Sunday, *Gloria*, Creed, Preface of Sundays in Ordinary Time.

1 R : Am 6:1, 4-7

Resp : Ps 146:7-10

2 R : 1 Tim 6:11-16

Gos : Lk 16:19-31

Masses of the Dead are not permitted, with the exception of funeral Masses.

Second Vespers of Sunday. Compline of Sunday.

29 Monday

White

The Holy Archangels Michael, Gabriel and Raphael, *feast.*

LH of the feast. At Middle Hour proper antiphons and pss of Monday, week I.

Mass of the feast, *Gloria*, with Preface of the Angels.

1 R : Dan 7:9-10, 13-14 *or*
Rev 12:7-12

Resp : Ps 138:1-5

Gos : Jn 1:47-51

Masses of the Dead are not permitted, with the exception of funeral Masses.

30 Tuesday
White

St Jerome, Priest & Doctor, *memorial*
26th Week, Ordinary Time
(*Psalter week II*)

LH of the memorial. Mass of the memorial.

1 R : Zec 8:20-23

Resp : Ps 87:1-7

Gos : Lk 9:51-56

OCTOBER 2025

HOLY FATHER'S GENERAL INTENTION

For collaboration between different religious traditions : Let us pray that believers in different religious traditions might work together to defend and promote peace, justice and human fraternity.

The Rosary should be recommended to the faithful and its nature and importance be explained.

A plenary indulgence may be gained by those reciting five decades of the Rosary in church, as a family at home, as a religious community, or as a pious fraternity, or in general whenever several persons have gathered together for a good purpose, and in other circumstances a partial indulgence. (Enchiridion of Indulgences, 1999 edition, concession 17).

- 1 Wednesday St Therese of the Child Jesus,**
White Virgin & Doctor, & Patroness of the Mission, *feast.*

LH of the feast. Mass of the feast,
Gloria, Preface of Saints.

1 R : Neh 2:1-8

Resp : Ps 137:1-6

Gos : Lk 9:57-62

*In the Mass of St Therese of the
Child Jesus: from the Lectionary of
Saints:*

1 R : Is 66:10-14

Resp : Ps 131:1-3

Gos : Mt 18:1-4

- 2 Thursday The Holy Guardian Angels,**
White *memorial.*

26th Week, Ordinary Time

(Psalter week II)

LH of the memorial. At Lauds, proper
antiphons with pss of Thursday, week
II.

Mass of the memorial, proper
readings, with Preface of the Angels.

From the Lectionary of Saints:

1 R : Ex 23:20-23

Resp : Ps 91:1-6, 10-11

Gos : Mt 18:1-5, 10

At Vespers proper antiphons and psalms.

3 Friday
Green

26th Week, Ordinary Time
(*Psalter week II*)

LH of the weekday. Mass of the weekday.

1 R : Bar 1:15-22

Resp : Ps 79:1-5, 8-9

Gos : Lk 10:13-16

4 Saturday
White

St Francis of Assisi, memorial.

26th Week, Ordinary Time
(*Psalter week II*)

LH of the memorial. Mass of the memorial.

1 R : Bar 4:5-12, 27-29

Resp : Ps 69:33-37

Gos : Lk 10:17-24

First Vespers of Sunday. Compline as after First Vespers of Sunday.

5 Sunday
Green

27th Sunday of Ordinary Time
(*Psalter week III*)

LH of Sunday.



Mass of Sunday, *Gloria*, Creed, Preface of Sundays in Ordinary Time.

1 R : Hab 1:2-3; 2:2-4

Resp : Ps 95:1-2, 6-9

2 R : 2 Tim 1:6-8, 13-14

Gos : Lk 17:5-10

Masses of the Dead are not permitted, with the exception of funeral Masses.

Second Vespers of Sunday. Compline of Sunday.

6 Monday 27th Week, Ordinary Time

Green (*Psalter week III*)

Or: *White*. **St Bruno**, Priest.

LH of the weekday or of the memorial.

Mass of the weekday or of the memorial.

1 R : Jon 1:1 — 2:1-2, 11

Resp : Ps Jon 2:3-5, 8

Gos : Lk 10:25-37

7 Tuesday **Our Lady of the Rosary**, *memorial*

White 27th Week, Ordinary Time
(*Psalter week III*)

LH of the memorial. At Lauds, proper antiphons with pss of Sunday, week I.

Mass of the memorial, proper readings, with Preface of the B.V.M.

1 R : Acts 1:12-14

Resp : Lk 1:46-55

Gos : Lk 1:26-38

At Vespers proper antiphons with pss
of Common of B.V.M.

8 Wednesday 27th Week, Ordinary Time

Green (Psalter week III)

LH of the weekday. Mass of the
weekday.

1 R : Jon 4:1-11

Resp : Ps 86:3-6, 9-10

Gos : Lk 11:1-4

9 Thursday 27th Week, Ordinary Time

Green (Psalter week III)

Or: *Red.* **SS. Denis, Bishop and Companions,**
Martyrs.

Or: *White.* **St John Leonardi, Priest**

LH of the weekday or of one of the
memorials. Mass of the weekday or
of one of the memorials.

1 R : Mal 3:13-20

Resp : Ps 1:1-4, 6

Gos : Lk 11:5-13

10 Friday 27th Week, Ordinary Time

Green (Psalter week III)

LH of the weekday. Mass of the weekday.

1 R : Joel 1:13-15; 2:1-2

Resp : Ps 9:2-3, 6, 8-9, 16

Gos : Lk 11:15-26

11 Saturday 27th Week, Ordinary Time

Green (*Psalter week III*)

Or: *White* **St John XXIII**, Pope.

Or: *White*. **Saturday Mass or Our Lady.**

LH of the weekday or one of the memorials.

Mass of the weekday or one of the memorials.

1 R : Jl 4:12-21

Resp : Ps 97:1-2, 5-6, 11-12

Gos : Lk 11:27-28

First Vespers of Sunday. Compline as after First Vespers of Sunday.

12 Sunday 28th Sunday of Ordinary Time

Green (*Psalter week IV*)

N.B.: Kindly announce next sunday Mission Sunday (Spl. Col.)

LH of the Sunday.

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Mass of Sunday, *Gloria*, Creed, Preface of Sundays in Ordinary Time.

1 R : 2 Kgs 5:14-17

Resp : Ps 98:1-4

2 R : 2 Tim 2:8-13

Gos : Lk 17:11-19

N.B. Second Sunday Collection

(Maintenance of Diocesan Priests
Elderly Priests & Support of
Different Commissions like
Catechetical, Youth & Laity)

13 Monday
Green

28th Week, Ordinary Time
(*Psalter week IV*)

LH of the weekday. Mass of the
weekday.

1 R : Rom 1:1-7

Resp : Ps 98:1-4

Gos : Lk 11:29-32

14 Tuesday
Green

28th Week, Ordinary Time
(*Psalter week IV*)

Or: *Red.*

St Callistus I, Pope & Martyr.

LH of the weekday or of the
memorial. Mass of the weekday or of
the memorial.

1 R : Rom 1:16-25

Resp : Ps 19:2-5

Gos : Lk 11:37-41

15 Wednesday **St Teresa of Avila, Virgin & Doctor,**
White *memorial.*

28th Week, Ordinary Time
(*Psalter week IV*)

LH of the memorial. Mass of the memorial.

1 R : Rom 2:1-1

Resp : Ps 62:2-3, 6-7, 9

Gos : Lk 11:42-46

16 Thursday 28th Week, Ordinary Time
Green (*Psalter week IV*)

Or: *White.* **St Hedwig**, Religious.

Or: *White.* **St Margaret Mary Alacoque**, Virgin.

Or: *White.* **Bl. Augustine Thevara-parambil**, Priest.

LH of the weekday or one of the memorials. Mass of the weekday or one of the memorials.

1 R : Rom 3:21-30

Resp : Ps 130:1-6

Gos : Lk 11:47-54

17 Friday **St Ignatius of Antioch**,
Red Bishop & Martyr, *memorial*.

28th Week, Ordinary Time
(*Psalter week IV*)

LH of the memorial. Mass of the memorial.

1 R : Rom 4:1-8

Resp : Ps 32:1-2, 5, 11

Gos : Lk 12:1-7

- 18 Saturday** **St Luke, Evangelist, feast.**
Red LH of the feast. At Mid Day Hour, antiphons and pss of Saturday, week IV.
 Mass of the feast, *Gloria*, with Preface of the Apostles II.
1 R : 2 Tim 4:10-17
Resp : Ps 145:10-13, 17-18
Gos : Lk 10:1-9
 Masses of the Dead are not permitted, with the exception of funeral Masses. Vespers of the Feast.
 First Vespers of Sunday. Compline as after First Vespers of Sunday.
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- 19 Sunday** **29th Sunday of Ordinary Time**
Green (*Psalter week I*).
MISSION SUNDAY (Spl. Col.)
 LH of Sunday.
 ✠ Mass of Sunday, *Gloria*, Creed, Preface of Sundays in Ordinary Time.
1 R : Ex 17:8-13
Resp : Ps 121:1-8
2 R : 2 Tim 3:14-4:2
Gos : Lk 18:1-8
 Masses of the Dead are not permitted, with the exception of funeral Masses.

On the occasion of the Mission Sunday, Mass may be said 'For the Evangelization of peoples', as indicated in the Roman Missal.

Second Vespers of Sunday. Compline of Sunday.

20 Monday 29th Week, Ordinary Time

Green (*Psalter week I*)

Or: *White.* **Paul of the Cross**, priest

LH of the weekday or of the memorial. Mass of the weekday or of the memorial.

1 R : Rom 4:20-25

Resp : Ps Lk 1:69-75

Gos : Lk 12:13-21

21 Tuesday 29th Week, Ordinary Time

Green (*Psalter week I*)

LH of the weekday. Mass of the weekday.

1 R : Rom 5:12, 15, 17-21

Resp : Ps 40:7-10, 17

Gos : Lk 12:35-38

22 Wednesday 29th Week, Ordinary Time

Green (*Psalter week I*)

Or: *White.* **St John Paul II**, Pope

LH of the weekday or of the memorial.

Mass of the weekday or of the memorial.

1 R : Rom 6:12-18

Resp : Ps 124:1-8

Gos : Lk 12:39-48

23 Thursday 29th Week, Ordinary Time

Green (*Psalter week I*)

Or: *White.* **St John of Capestrano**, Priest.

LH of the weekday or of the memorial.

Mass of the weekday or of the memorial.

1 R : Rom 6:19-23

Resp : Ps 1:1-4, 6

Gos : Lk 12:49-53

24 Friday 29th Week, Ordinary Time

Green (*Psalter week I*).

Or: *White.* **St Anthony Mary Claret**, Bishop.

LH of the weekday or of the memorial.

Mass of the weekday or of the memorial.

1 R : Rom 7:18-25

Resp : Ps 119:66, 68, 76-77, 93-94

Gos : Lk 12:54-59

25 Saturday 29th Week, Ordinary Time
Green (*Psalter week I*)
 Or: *White.* **Saturday Mass of Our Lady.**
 LH of the weekday or of the memorial.
 Mass of the weekday or the memorial.
1 R : Rom 8:1-11
Resp : Ps 24:1-6
Gos : Lk 13:1-9
 First Vespers of Sunday. Compline as after First Vespers of Sunday.

26 Sunday 30st Sunday of Ordinary Time
Green (*Psalter week II*)
Liturgy of the day. LH of Sunday.
 ✠ Mass of Sunday, *Gloria*, Creed, Preface of Sundays in Ordinary Time.
1 R : Sir 35:12-14, 16-18
Resp : Ps 34:2-3, 17-19, 23
2 R : 2 Tim 4:6-8, 16-18
Gos : Lk 18:9-14
 Masses of the Dead are not permitted, with the exception of funeral Masses.
 Second Vespers of Sunday. Compline as after the Second Vespers.

- 27 Monday** 30th Week, Ordinary Time
Green (*Psalter week II*)
 LH of the weekday. Mass of the weekday.
1 R : Rom 8:12-17
Resp : Ps 68:2, 4, 6-7, 20-21
Gos : Lk 13:10-17
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- 28 Tuesday** **SS. Simon and Jude**, Apostles *feast*.
Red LH of the feast. At Mid Day Hour, antiphons and pss of Tuesday, week II. Mass of the feast, *Gloria*, with Preface of the Apostles.
1 R : Eph 2:19-22
Resp : Ps 19:2-5
Gos : Lk 6:12-16
 Masses of the Dead are not permitted, with the exception of funeral Masses. Vespers of the feast.
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- 29 Wednesday** 30th Week, Ordinary Time
Green (*Psalter week II*)
 LH of the weekday. Mass of the weekday.
1 R : Rom 8:26-30
Resp : Ps 13:4-6
Gos : Lk 13:22-30
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- 30 Thursday** 30th Week, Ordinary Time
Green (*Psalter week II*)
LH of the weekday. Mass of the weekday.
1 R : Rom 8:31-39
Resp : Ps 109:21-22, 26-27. 30-31
Gos : Lk 13:31-35
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- 31 Friday** 30th Week, Ordinary Time
Green (*Psalter week II*)
LH of the weekday. Mass of the weekday.
1 R : Rom 9:1-5
Resp : Ps 147:12-15, 19-20
Gos : Lk 14:1-6
First Vespers of All Saints. Compline as after the First Vespers of Sunday.
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NOVEMBER 2025

HOLY FATHER'S GENERAL INTENTION

For the prevention of suicide: Let us pray that those who are tempted to commit suicide might find the support, care and love they need in their community, and be open to the beauty of life.

- 1 Saturday** **ALL SAINTS**, *solemnity*.
White LH of the solemnity. At Mid Day Hour proper antiphons, and supplementary psalms.

Mass of the solemnity, *Gloria*, Creed, with Preface of the solemnity.

1 R : Rev 7:2-4, 9-14

Resp : Ps 24:1-6

2 R : 1 Jn 3:1-3

Gos : Mt 5:1-12

Note:

- a) Anyone praying for the dead in a cemetery can gain an Indulgence applicable to the dead: a Plenary Indulgence from Nov 1 to Nov 8; a Partial Indulgence on other days.
- b) On Nov 2, one Plenary Indulgence applicable to the dead can be gained under the usual conditions (Visit to a Church, Sacraments, Prayer for the Pope's intentions).

2 Sunday The Commemoration of All The Faithful Departed (All Souls' Day).

Purple (Psalter week III)

LH proper of this day.

The following reading may be used from the Lectionary for the dead. The readings of the I Mass may be repeated for other Masses.

✠ Mass of Sunday, *Gloria*, Creed, Preface of Sundays in Ordinary Time.

I Mass

1 R : Job 19:1, 23-27

Resp : Ps 26:1-4, 7-9, 13-14

2 R : Rom 5:5-11**Gos** : John 6:37-40**II Mass****1 R** : Is 25:6-9**Resp** : Ps 24:6-7, 17-18, 20-21**2 R** : Rom 8:14-23**Gos** : Mt 25:31-46**III Mass****1 R** : Wisdom 3:1-9**Resp** : Ps 41:2-3, 5; 42:3-5**2 R** : Rev. 21:1-7**Gos** : Mt 5:1-12

Priests may say three Masses on this day: only with a stipend for one Mass; the other Masses to be offered for All Souls and for the Pope's intentions.

3 Monday 31st Week, Ordinary Time
Green (*Psalter week III*)

Or: *White.* **St Martin de Porres**, Religious.

LH of the weekday or the memorial.

Mass of the weekday or the memorial.

1 R : Rom 11:29-36**Resp** : Ps 69:30-31, 33-34, 36-37**Gos** : Lk 14:12-14

- 4 Tuesday** **St Charles Borromeo,**
White Bishop, *memorial.*
 31st Week, Ordinary Time
(Psalter week III)
 LH of the memorial. Mass of the memorial.
1 R : Rom 12:5-16
Resp : Ps 131:1-3
Gos : Lk 14:15-24
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- 5 Wednesday** 31st Week, Ordinary Time
Green *(Psalter week III)*
 LH of the weekday. Mass of the weekday.
1 R : Rom 13:8-10
Resp : Ps 112:1-2, 4-5 9
Gos : Lk 14:25-33
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- 6 Thursday** 31st Week, Ordinary Time
Green *(Psalter week III)*
 LH of the weekday. Mass of the weekday.
1 R : Rom 14:7-12
Resp : Ps 27:1, 4, 13-14
Gos : Lk 15:1-10
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- 7 Friday** 31st Week, Ordinary Time
Green *(Psalter week III)*
 LH of the weekday. Mass of the weekday.

1 R : Rom 15:14-21
Resp : Ps 98:1-4
Gos : Lk 16:1-8

8 Saturday 31st Week, Ordinary Time
Green (*Psalter week III*)
Or: *White*. **Saturday Mass of Our Lady.**
LH of the weekday or of the memorial.
Mass of the weekday or the memorial.
1 R : Rom 16:3-9, 16, 22-27
Resp : Ps 145:2-5, 10-11
Gos : Lk 16:9-15
First Vespers of Sunday. Compline as after First Vespers of Sunday.

9 Sunday, **The Dedication of the Lateran Basilica, feast.**
White (32nd Sunday of Ordinary Time)
(*Psalter week IV*)
N.B.: Kindly announce next sunday World Day of the Poor (Spl. Col.)
LH of the feast. At Mid Day Hour, antiphons and pss of Sunday, week IV.
Mass of the feast, *Gloria*, with Preface of Dedication.
1 R : Ez 47:1-2, 8-9, 12
Resp : Ps 46:2-3, 5-6, 8-9
2 R : 1 Cor 3:9-11, 16-17

Gos : Jn 2:13-22

N.B. Second Sunday Collection

(Maintenance of Diocesan Priests
Elderly Priests & Support of
Different Commissions like
Catechetical, Youth & Laity)

10 Monday
White

St Leo the Great, Pope & Doctor,
memorial.

32nd Week, Ordinary Time
(*Psalter week IV*)

LH of the memorial. Mass of the
memorial.

1 R : Wis 1:1-7

Resp : Ps 139:1-10

Gos : Lk 17:1-6

11 Tuesday
White

St Martin of Tours, Bishop,
memorial.

32nd Week, Ordinary Time
(*Psalter week IV*)

LH of the memorial. Mass of the
memorial.

1 R : Wis 2:23 — 3:9

Resp : Ps 34:2-3, 16-19

Gos : Lk 17:7-10

At Vespers proper antiphons with
psalms of common of Pastors.

- 12 Wednesday St Josaphat, Bishop & Martyr,**
Red memorial.
32nd Week, Ordinary Time
(*Psalter week IV*)
LH of the memorial. Mass of the memorial.
1 R : Wis 6:1-11
Resp : Ps 82:3-4, 6-7
Gos : Lk 17:11-19
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- 13 Thursday** 32nd Week, Ordinary Time
Green (Psalter week IV)
LH of the weekday. Mass of the weekday.
1 R : Wis 7:22 — 8:1
Resp : Ps 119:89-91,130,135,175
Gos : Lk 17:20-25
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- 14 Friday** 32nd Week, Ordinary Time
Green (Psalter week IV)
LH of the weekday. Mass of the weekday.
1 R : Wis 13:1-9
Resp : Ps 19:2-5
Gos : Lk 17:26-37
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- 15 Saturday** 32nd Week, Ordinary Time
Green (Psalter week IV)

Or: *White.* **St Albert the Great, Bishop & Doctor**
 Or: *White.* **Saturday Mass of Our Lady**

LH of the weekday or one of the memorials.

Mass of the weekday or one of the memorials.

1 R : Wis 18:14-16; 19:6-9

Resp : Ps 105:2-3, 36-37, 42-43

Gos : Lk 18:1-8

First Vespers of Sunday. Compline as after First Vespers of Sunday.

16 Sunday
Green

33rd Sunday of Ordinary Time
(Psalter week I)

World Sunday of the Poor (Spl. Col.)

LH of Sunday.

✠ Mass of Sunday, *Gloria*, Creed, Preface of Sundays in Ordinary Time.

1 R : Mal 3:19-20

Resp : Ps 98:5-9

2 R : 2 Th 3:7-12

Gos : Lk 21:5-19

Masses of the Dead are not permitted, with the exception of funeral Masses.

Second Vespers of Sunday. Compline of Sunday.

- 17 Monday** **St Elizabeth of Hungary**, Religious,
White *memorial.*
33rd Week, Ordinary Time
(*Psalter week I*)
LH of the memorial. Mass of the
memorial.
1 R : 1 Mc 1:10-15,
 41-43, 54-57, 62-63
Resp : Ps 119:53, 61,134,150, 155, 158
Gos : Lk 18:35-43
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- 18 Tuesday** 33rd Week, Ordinary Time
Green (*Psalter week I*)
Or: *White.* **Dedication of the Basilicas of St**
 Peter and St Paul.
LH of the weekday or of the
memorial.
Mass of the weekday or of the
memorial.
1 R : 2 Mc 6:18-31
Resp : Ps 3:2-7
Gos : Lk 19:1-10
In Mass for Dedication of the
Basilicas.
1 R : Acts 28:11-16, 30-31
Resp : Ps 98:1-6
Gos : Mt 14:22-33
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19 Wednesday 33rd Week, Ordinary Time
Green (Psalter week I)

LH of the weekday. Mass of the weekday.

1 R : 2 Mc 7:1, 20-31

Resp : Ps 17:1, 5-6, 8, 15

Gos : Lk 19:11-28

20 Thursday 33rd Week, Ordinary Time
Green (Psalter week I)

LH of the weekday. Mass of the weekday.

1 R : 1 Mc 2:15-29

Resp : Ps 50:1-2, 5-6, 14-15

Gos : Lk 19:41-44

21 Friday **Presentation of the B.V. Mary,**
White *memorial.*

33rd Week, Ordinary Time
 (Psalter week I)

LH of the memorial.

Mass of the memorial, Preface of the Blessed Virgin Mary.

From the Lectionary of Saints:

1 R : Zac 2:14-17

Resp : Lk 1:46-55

Gos : Mt 12:46-50

22 Saturday **St. Cecilia, Virgin & Martyr, memorial.**
Red 33rd Week, Ordinary Time
 (Psalter week I)
 LH of the memorial. Mass of the memorial.
1 R : 1 Mc 6:1-13
Resp : Ps 9:2-4, 6, 16, 19
Gos : Lk 20:27-40
 First Vespers of Sunday. Compline as after First Vespers of Sunday.

23 Sunday **OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST, KING OF THE UNIVERSE, solemnity.**
N.B.: Kindly announce next Sunday Communio India Sunday (Spl. Col.)
White *(Psalter week II)*
 LH of the solemnity. At Mid Day Hour, proper antiphons and pss of Sunday, week II.
 ✠ Mass of the solemnity, *Gloria*, Creed, with Preface of the solemnity.
1 R : 2 Sam 5:1-3
Resp : Ps 122:1-5
2 R : Col 1:12-20
Gos : Lk 23:35-43
 Other celebrations are not permitted, not even funeral Masses.
 Second Vespers of Christ the King. Compline of Sunday.

24 Monday SS. Andrew Dung-Lac, Priest, and Companions, Martyrs, memorial.

Red 34th Week, Ordinary Time

(Psalter week II)

LH of the memorial. Mass of the memorial.

1 R : Dn 1:1-6, 8-20

Resp : Dn 3:52-56

Gos : Lk 21:1-4

25 Tuesday 34th Week, Ordinary Time

Green (Psalter week II)

Or: *Red.* **St Catharine of Alexandria, Virgin & Martyr.**

LH of the weekday or of the memorial.

Mass of the weekday or of the memorial.

1 R : Dn 2:31-45

Resp : Dn 3:57-61

Gos : Lk 21:5-11

26 Wednesday 34th Week, Ordinary Time

Green (Psalter week II)

LH of the weekday. Mass of the weekday.

1 R : Dn 5:1-6,13-14, 16-17,23-28

Resp : Dn 3:62-67

Gos : Lk 21:12-19

- 27 Thursday** 34th Week, Ordinary Time
Green (*Psalter week II*)
LH of the weekday. Mass of the weekday.
1 R : Dn 6:12-28
Resp : Dn 3:68-74
Gos : Lk 21:20-28
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- 28 Friday** 34th Week, Ordinary Time
Green (*Psalter week II*)
LH of the weekday. Mass of the weekday.
1 R : Dn 7:2-14
Resp : Dn 3:75-81
Gos : Lk 21:29-33
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- 29 Saturday** 34th Week, Ordinary Time
Green (*Psalter week II*)
Or: *White*. **Saturday Mass or Our Lady.**
LH of the weekday or of the memorial.
Mass of the weekday or of the memorial.
1 R : Dn 7:15-27
Resp : Dn 3:82-87
Gos : Lk 21:34-36
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ADVENT

NOVEMBER 2025

Sunday Cycle-A; Week days: Year-II

30	Sunday	First Sunday of Advent
		Communio India Sunday (Spl. Col.)
	1 R	: Is 2: 1-5
	Resp	: Ps 122: 1-9
	2 R	: Rom 13: 11-14
	Gos	: Mt 24: 37-44

DECEMBER 2025

HOLY FATHER'S GENERAL INTENTION

For Christians in areas of conflict: Let us pray that Christians living in areas of war or conflict, especially in the Middle East, might be seeds of peace, reconciliation and hope.

1	Monday	Advent Weekday
	1 R	: Is 4: 2-6
	Resp	: Ps 122: 1-4b. 4cd-5. 6-7. 8-9
	2 R	: Col 1:12-20
	Gos	: Mt 8: 5-11
2	Tuesday	Advent Week I
	1 R	: Is 11:1-10
	Resp	: Ps 72:1,7-8, 12-13.17
	2 R	: Lk 10:21-24

- 3 Wednesday St Francis Xavier, Priest, feast**
1 R : Is 25: 6-10a
Resp : Ps 23: 1-3a. 3b-4. 5. 6
Gos : Mt 15: 29-37
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- 4 Thursday Advent Weekday/ John of Damascus, p, r, dr**
1 R : Is 26: 1-6
Resp : Ps 118:1 and 8-9.19-21.25- 27a
Gos : Mt 7: 21. 24-27
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- 5 Friday Advent Weekday**
1 R : Is 29: 17-24
Resp : Ps 27: 1. 4. 13-14
Gos : Mt 9: 27-31
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- 6 Saturday Advent Weekday/ Nicholas, bp**
1 R : Is 30: 19-21. 23-26
Resp : Ps 147: 1-2. 3-4. 5-6
Gos : Mt 9: 35 10: 1. 5a. 6-8
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- 7 Sunday SECOND SUNDAY OF ADVENT**
1 R : Is 11: 1-10
Resp : Ps 72: 1-2. 7-8. 12-13. 17
2 R : Rom 15: 4-9
Gos : Mt 3: 1-12
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- 8 Monday IMMACULATE CONCEPTION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY S. Holy Day of Obligation.**
1 R : Gn 3: 9-15. 20
Resp : Ps 98: 1. 2-3ab. 3cd-4
2 R : Eph 1: 3-6. 11-12
Gos : Lk 1: 26-38
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- 9 Tuesday Advent Weekday/ Juan Diego, h**
1 R : Is 40: 1-11
Resp : Ps 96:1-3 and 10ac. 11-12. 13
Gos : Mt 18: 12-14
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- 10 Wednesday Advent Weekday/ Our Lady of Loreto**
1 R : Is 40: 25-31
Resp : Ps 103: 1-2. 3-4. 8 and 10
Gos : Mt 11: 28-30
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- 11 Thursday Advent Weekday/ Damasus I, pp**
1 R : Is 41: 13-20
Resp : Ps 145: 1 and 9. 10-13ab
Gos : Mt 11: 11-15
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- 12 Friday Our Lady of Guadalupe F**
 Readings from Common of the Blessed Virgin Mary
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- 13 Saturday Lucy, v, mt M**
1 R : Sir 48: 1-4. 9-11
Resp : Ps 80: 2ac and 3b. 15-16. 18-19
Gos : Mt 17: 9a. 10-13
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- 14 Sunday THIRD SUNDAY OF ADVENT**
1 R : Is 35: 1-6a. 10/
Resp : Ps 146: 6-7. 8-9. 9-10
2 R : Jas 5: 7-10
Gos : Mt 11: 2-11
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- 15 Monday Advent Weekday**
1 R : Nm 24: 2-7. 15-17a

Resp : Ps 25: 4-5ab. 6 and 7bc. 8-9

Gos : Mt 21: 23-27

16 Tuesday Advent Weekday

1 R : Zep 3: 1-2. 9-13

Resp : Ps 34: 2-3. 6-7. 17-19 and 23

Gos : Mt 21: 28-32

17 Wednesday Advent Weekday

1 R : Gn 49: 2. 8-10

Resp : Ps 72: 1-2. 3-4ab. 7-8. 17

Gos : Mt 1: 1-17

18 Thursday Advent Weekday

1 R : Jer 23: 5-8

Resp : Ps 72: 1-2. 12-13. 18-19

Gos : Mt 1: 18-25

19 Friday Advent Weekday

1 R : Jgs 13: 2-7. 24-25a

Resp : Ps 71: 3-4a. 5-6ab. 16-17

Gos : Lk 1: 5-25

20 Saturday Advent Weekday

1 R : Is 7: 10-14

Resp : Ps 24: 1-2. 3-4ab. 5-6

Gos : Lk 1: 26-38

21 Sunday FOURTH SUNDAY OF ADVENT

1 R : Is 7: 10-14

Resp : Ps 24: 1-2. 3-4. 5-6 (7c. 10b)

2 R : Rom 1: 1-7

Gos : Mt 1: 18-24

- 22 Monday Advent Weekday**
 1 R : 1 Sm 1: 24-28
 Resp : 1 Sm 2: 1. 4-5. 6-7. 8abcd
 Gos : Lk 1: 46-56
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- 23 Tuesday Advent Weekday**
 1 R : Mal 3: 1-4. 23-24
 Resp : Ps 25: 4-5ab. 8-9. 10 and 14
 Gos : Lk 1: 57-66
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- 24 Wednesday Advent Weekday**
 1 R : 2 Sm 7: 1-5. 8b-12. 14a. 16
 Resp : Ps 89: 2-3. 4-5. 27 and 29
 Gos : Lk 1: 67-79
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- 25 Thursday THE NATIVITY OF THE LORD**
 + *White*
 Vigil: Is 62: 1-5
 Ps 89: 4-5. 16-17. 27. 29 (2a)
 Acts 13: 16-17. 22-25
 Mt 1: 1-25.
- Midnight: Is 9: 1-6
 Ps 96: 1-2. 2-3. 11-12. 13
 Ti 2: 11-14 / Lk 2: 1-14.
- Dawn: Is 62: 11-12/ Ps 97: 1. 6. 11-12
 Ti 3: 4-7/ Lk 2: 15-20.
- Day : Is 52: 7-10/ Ps 98: 1. 2-3. 3-4. 5-6 (3c)
 Heb 1: 1-6/ Jn 1: 1-18
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- 26 Friday Stephen, protomartyr Feast**
 1 R : Acts 6: 8-10; 7: 54-59
 Resp : Ps 31:3cd-4. 6 and 8ab.

16bc and 17
Gos : Mt 10: 17-22

27 Saturday John, ap, ev Feast
1 R : 1 Jn 1:1-4
Resp : Ps 97: 1-2. 5-6. 11-12
Gos : Jn 20: 1a and 2-8

28 Sunday HOLY FAMILY OF JESUS, MARY & JOSEPH, Feast
1 R : Sir 3:2-6. 12-14
Resp : Ps 128:1-2. 3. 4-5
2 R : Col 3:12-21
Gos : Mt 2:13-15. 19-23

**29 Monday Christmas Weekday
Thomas Becket, bp, mt**
1 R : 1 Jn 2:3-11
Resp : Ps 96:1-2a. 2b-3. 5b-6
Gos : Lk 2:22-35

30 Tuesday Christmas Weekday
1 R : 1 Jn 2:12-17
Resp : Ps 96:7-8a. 8b-9. 10
Gos : Lk 2:36-40

**31 Wednesday Christmas Weekday
Sylvester I, pp**
1 R : 1 Jn 2:18-21
Resp : Ps 96:1-2. 11-12. 13
Gos : Jn 1:1-18

JANUARY

BIRTHDAYS

- 01. Fr. Pasala Innaiah
- 01. Fr. Vemparla Vijaya Shekar
- 02. Fr. Reddimasu Anand Rao
- 06. Fr. Pamisetti Praveen Kumar
- 06. Fr. Vedamuthu Kulandai Swamy
- 15. Fr. Pidikirala Prabhudas
- 18. Fr. Madanu Ajith Kumar
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- 28. Fr. Vaddamalla Vinod Kumar

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- 02. Fr. Kata Rajulu
- 02. Fr. Marneni Arogyam
- 13. Fr. M. H. Wilson Davis

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- 11. Fr. George Parathiparambil
- 12. Fr. Francis Perez
- 15. Fr. Marneni Maraiah
- 17. Fr. Allam Marreddy
- 7. Most Rev. Alfred Fernandez

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- 03. Fr. Lancelot Menezes
- 03. Fr. Yelugu Jude Raj
- 08. Fr. Samala Marianna Michael
- 13. Fr. Bandanadam Prem Kumar
- 28. Fr. Dodda Sunder

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- 03. Fr. Kata Joseph
- 10. Fr. Dion Isaac
- 10. Fr. Gopu Sunder Reddy
- 10. Fr. Pentareddy Gnanareddy
- 11. Fr. Madanu Hruday Kumar
- 11. Fr. Thumma Solomon
- 11. Fr. Swarna Bernard
- 12. Fr. Gorantla Dhanraj
- 12. Fr. Bonagiri Albert
- 13. Fr. Kandula Charles
- 13. Fr. Dominic Savio
- 13. Fr. Kommareddy Marreddy
- 14. Fr. Thumma Arla
- 16. Fr. Viji Joseph
- 17. Fr. Udumala J. Chinnappa Reddy
- 20. **Cardinal Poola Anthony**
(Priestly Ordination)
- 20. Fr. Allam Arogya Reddy

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- 07. Fr. Kakumanu Rayanna
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- 13. Archbishop S. Arulappa**
- 28. Archbishop Gopu Mark**
- 28. Fr. Dominic Sylvester

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BIRTHDAYS

- 01. Fr. Chinnabathini Gnanaprakash
- 07. Fr. Viji Joseph
- 11. Fr. Madanu Francis Showry
- 12. Fr. Dodda Bala
- 14. Fr. Madanu Lourdu Vijay Kumar
- 16. Fr. Bandanadam Prashanth
- 17. Fr. Thomas Andrew Raj
- 17. Fr. Yeruva Bala
- 18. Fr. Therukunnel M. Mathew
- 18. Fr. Kata Joseph
- 23. Fr. Thirumalareddy Showreddy
- 23. Fr. Wilson Davis
- 24. Msgr. Yeruva Balashowreddy
- 27. Christopher Joseph Michael

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- 04. Fr. Selva Kumar Aloysius

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13. Fr. Mettu Arogyam
14. Fr. Kandi Marreddy
14. Fr. Madanu Joseph (Jr.)
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18. Fr. Mettu Johannes
18. Fr. Thanugundla Gabriel
19. Fr. Chinnabathini Charles
19. Fr. Chinnabathini Jayaraj
19. Fr. Gangarapu Balaswamy
19. Fr. Madanu Francis Showry
19. Fr. Michael Thaigaraj
21. Fr. Yeruva Joji Reddy
22. Fr. Gade Showreddy
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24. Fr. Lancelot Menezes
25. Fr. Guvvala Anthony
26. Fr. Govindu Arogyaswamy
27. Fr. Michael Selvaraj
27. Fr. Chinnabathini Gnanaprakash
29. Fr. Madanu Chinnaiah
30. Fr. Mettu Arogyam
31. Fr. Thatireddy Jayaraj Reddy

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- 02. Fr. Yeruva Joji Reddy
- 03. Fr. Kurapati Jaya Prathap
- 10. Fr. Mekala Sleeva Reddy
- 10. Fr. Pasala Sleeva Raju
- 17. Fr. Mettu Johannes
- 20. Fr. Yeruva Showreddy
- 27. Fr. Pasala Maria Raju
- 30. Fr. Thumma Solomon

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- 02. Fr. Kommarreddy Lourdu Marreddy
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- 07. Fr. Madanu Prathap
- 07. Fr. Mirapakayala Melchizedek Kennedy
- 07. Fr. Thirumalareddy Showreddy
- 07. Fr. Swarna Balaprabhakar
- 08. Fr. Sunil Kumar Reddy Pallela
- 09. Msgr. Yeruva Balashowreddy
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- 11. Fr. Mallavarapu Sundar Rao
- 11. Fr. Chinnabathani John Paul
- 11. Fr. Madanu Amal Raj
- 11. Fr. Madanu Anthony
- 11. Fr. Gali Matyas Reddy
- 11. Fr. Pasala Jose Paul
- 11. Fr. Yeruva Marreddy

12. Fr. Mekala Sleeva Reddy
12. Fr. Pasala Innaiah
12. Fr. Pasala Joseph (Sr.)
12. Fr. Yeruva Showreddy
12. Fr. Madanu Balashowry
12. Fr. Bandaru Baltharaj
13. Fr. Thirumalareddy Anthony
13. Fr. Christopher Joseph Michael
14. Fr. Kata Sleeva Raju
15. Fr. Bandanadam Prashanth
15. Fr. Madanu Anthony (Sr.)
15. Fr. Madanu John
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15. Fr. Yeruva Amal Kumar Francis
17. Fr. Chatarajupally Balashowry
17. Fr. Chinnabathin Jojappa
17. Fr. Daniel Selvaraj
17. Fr. Gollapudi Praveen Kumar
17. Fr. Mayaluru Jeevan Kumar
17. Fr. Reddimasu Anand Rao
17. Fr. Richard John
17. Fr. Thumma Fatima Reddy
17. Fr. Vijay Kumar
17. Fr. Romald Joseph
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23. Fr. Jerome Emmanule Lewis
23. Fr. Yeruva Bala Sudhir
25. Fr. Thatireddy Julian
26. Fr. Kurapati Jaya Prathap
27. Fr. Gali Samson
27. Fr. Bandanadam Anand
29. Fr. Dodda Sunder
30. Fr. Dasari Gova Showraiah
30. Fr. Madanu Ignatius Maria Shekar
30. Fr. Madanu Isaac
30. Fr. Pasala Maria Raju
30. Fr. Thumma Udaya Bhasker
30. Fr. Udagandla Julian
30. Fr. Vemparla Vijaya Shekar
30. Fr. Vincent Arokiadas

NECROLOGY

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04. Fr. Madanu Pradeep Kumar
05. Fr. Ch. Balashowry (Swamy Balananda)
05. Fr. Ignatius Gnanapragasam
08. Fr. Leonard Vaz
10. Fr. Rosario Cammilus Fonseca
10. Fr. Thumma Rayappa

MAY

BIRTHDAYS

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- 14. Fr. Madanu Joseph (Jr.)
- 14. Fr. Ambati Pranith
- 16. Fr. Yeruva Marreddy
- 16. Fr. Golamari Vinay Kumar
- 20. Fr. Kandula Charles
- 21. Fr. Joseph Murickan
- 21. Fr. Pentareddy Gnanareddy
- 29. Fr. Gopu Sunder Reddy
- 30. Fr. Susai Antony (Tony)
- 31. Fr. Madanu Isaac

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- 03. Fr. Pasala Joseph Kumar
- 03. Fr. Pidikirala Prabhudas
- 03. Fr. Vaddamalla Vinod Kumar
- 06. Fr. Chinnabathini Benjamin
- 06. Fr. Anthony Sagayaraja
- 06. Fr. Tharigopala Victor Emmanuel
- 06. Fr. Therukunnel M. Mathew
- 07. Fr. Thomas Andrew Raj
- 07. Fr. Joseph Murickan
- 11. Fr. Bandanadam Prem Kumar
- 11. Fr. C.M. Micheal D' Souza

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11. Fr. Pamisetty Praveen Kumar
11. Fr. Polisetty Anthony Vinay Kumar
11. Fr. Thonta Prabhu Das
17. Fr. Gunda Balakiran
19. Fr. Narisetty Anthony Paul Raj
23. Fr. Pasala Sleeva Raju
23. Fr. Thatireddy Anil Kumar
31. Fr. Susai Anthony (Tony)

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18. Fr. Mulaguri Dhanraj
21. Fr. Udumala Anthaiah
22. Fr. Golamari Innareddy
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- 30. Archbishop Thumma Bala**
31. Fr. Henry D' Souza

JUNE

BIRTHDAYS

- 01. Fr. Dominic Savio
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- 03. Fr. Madanu Joseph (Sr.)
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- 09. Fr. Yeruva Bala Sudhir
- 13. Fr. Udagandla Julian
- 17. Fr. Gali Samson
- 18. Fr. A. E. Raju Alex
- 18. Fr. Gali Mathyas Reddy
- 19. Fr. Mettu Arogyam
- 23. Fr. Marneni Varaprasad
- 23. Fr. Thumma Fatima Reddy
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- 21. Fr. Chinnabathini Chinnaiah

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- 02. Fr. Selva Kumar Aloysius
- 02. Fr. Tharigopala Victor Emmanuel
- 05. Fr. Romald Joseph
- 06. Fr. Anthony Sagayaraja
- 06. Fr. Swarna Balaprabhakar
- 10. Fr. Chinnabathini Jayaraj
- 11. Fr. Michael Thaigaraj
- 12. Fr. Bandaru Baltharaj
- 15. Fr. Golamari Arogya Reddy
- 18. Fr. Madanu Anthony (Sr.)
- 19. Fr. Marneni Arogyam
- 23. Fr. Prince Xavier Seelam
- 25. Fr. Chinnabathini Charles

NECROLOGY

- 14. Fr. Bandanadam Julian
- 16. Fr. Pancras Fernando
- 26. Fr. Joseph Chanayil
- 26. Fr. Walter Pinto
- 30. Fr. Bandanadam Marianna

AUGUST

BIRTHDAYS

- 03. Fr. Vincent Arokiadas
- 15. Fr. Thonta Prabhudas
- 16. Fr. Dion Issac
- 18. Fr. Chinnabathini Benjamin
- 18. Fr. Richard John
- 19. Fr. Swarna Bernard
- 22. Fr. Mallavarapu Sundar Rao
- 27. Fr. Kommarreddy Lourdu Marreddy
- 28. Fr. Thomas Stephen
- 29. Fr. Thumma Arla
- 31. Fr. Bandanadam Dennis

ORDINATIONS

- 04. Fr. Ambati Pranith
- 04. Fr. Jogu Naveen
- 04. Fr. Prince Xavier Seelam
- 04. Fr. Susai Vincent Raj

NECROLOGY

- 03. Fr. Madanu Ignatius
- 11. Fr. Yeruva Thomas
- 11. Msgr. Francis Xavier Pinto
- 14. Fr. Xavier Roch
- 15. Fr. Udumala Chinnappa
- 27. Archbishop Marampudi Joji**
- 27. Fr. Gade Peter

SEPTEMBER

BIRTHDAYS

- 02. Fr. Govindu Arogyaswamy
- 03. Fr. Gorantla Dhanraj
- 08. Fr. Sunil Kumar Reddy Pallela
- 08. Fr. Jogu Naveen
- 12. Fr. Dasari Gova Showraiah
- 13. Fr. Bandanadam Anand
- 15. Fr. Gade Showreddy
- 16. Fr. Madanu Arogya Swamy
- 17. Fr. Thanugundla Gabriel
- 18. Fr. Pasala Joseph (Jr.)
- 18. Fr. Pasala Jose Paul
- 26. Fr. David Francis
- 28. Fr. Jerome Emmanuel Lewis
- 29. Fr. Narisetty Anthony Paul Raj

NECROLOGY

- 10. Fr. Thumma Francis
- 16. Fr. Bandanadam Joseph
- 18. Most Rev. Domenico Barero, PIME
- 24. Fr. Akkanti Innareddy
- 25. Fr. Batherapally Peter

OCTOBER

BIRTHDAYS

- 02. Fr. Chinnabathini John Paul
- 04. Fr. Thatireddy Julian
- 04. Fr. Susai Vincent Raj
- 06. Fr. Yeruva Amal Kumar Francis
- 08. Fr. Kandi Marreddy
- 08. Fr. Pasala Joseph (Sr.)
- 10. Fr. Valentine J. D'Mello
- 13. Fr. Guvvala Anthony
- 17. Fr. Madanu Amal Raj
- 18. Fr. Thatireddy Anil Kumar
- 30. Fr. Michael Selvaraj
- 30. Fr. Thumma Udaya Bhasker

ORDINATION DAYS

- 19. Fr. Thomas Stephen

NECROLOGY

- 01. Fr. Kolandai Gnanapragasam
- 12. Fr. Madanu Arogyam
- 13. Most Rev. Vismara Dionigi, PIME
- 30. Fr. Joseph Maurice

NOVEMBER

BIRTHDAYS

- 02. Fr. Chintamohan Micheal D'Souza
- 05. Fr. Mirapakayala Melchizedek Kennedy
- 06. Fr. Gollapudi Praveen Kumar
- 15. Cardinal Poola Anthony**
- 16. Fr. Madanu Ignatius Maria Shekar
- 18. Fr. Kommareddy Marreddy
- 20. Fr. Polisetty Anthony Vinay Kumar
- 25. Fr. Thatireddy Jayaraj Reddy

NECROLOGY

- 05. Fr. Joseph D' Souza
- 26. Fr. Thanugundla Solomon

DECEMBER

BIRTHDAYS

- 01. Fr. T. Lourdu
- 05. Fr. Allam Arogya Reddy
- 06. Fr. Bandanadam Showry Prabhakar
- 07. Fr. Golamari Louis Reddy
- 11. Fr. Mayaluru Jeevan Kumar
- 13. Fr. Gangarapu Balaswamy
- 13. Fr. Thirumalareddy Anthony
- 16. Fr. Madanu John

- 16. Fr. Madanu Anthony (Jr.)
- 21. Fr. Madanu Chinnaiah
- 25. Fr. Polisetty Balaswamy
- 26. Fr. Madanu Hruday Kumar
- 26. Fr. Madanu Balashowry
- 31. Fr. Daniel Selvaraj

ORDINATION DAYS

- 09. Fr. Bandanadam Showry Prabhakar
- 15. Fr. Vedamuthu Kulandai Swamy
- 18. Fr. Yeddanapalli M. Joseph
- 19. Fr. T. Lourdu
- 29. Fr. David Francis
- 29. Fr. Golamari Arogya Reddy

NECROLOGY

- 19. Fr. C. Arogyam
- 25. Fr. T. C. Rayappa
- 28. Most Rev. Daniel Murphy**

JUBILEE - 2025 CALENDAR

December 2024

24 December
Opening of the Holy Door of
Saint Peter Basilica

January 2025

24 -26 January
Jubilee of the World
of Communications

February 2025

8 - 9 February
Jubilee of Armed Forces,
Police and Security
Personnel

15 -18 February
Jubilee of Artists

21 -23 February
Jubilee of Deacons

March 2025

8 - 9 March
Jubilee of World of
Volunteering

28 March
24 Hours of the Lord

28 - 30 March
Jubilee of the Missionaries
of Merch

April 2025

5 - 6 April
Jubilee of the Sick and
Health Care Workers

25 - 27 April
Jubilee of Teenagers

28 - 29 April
Jubilee of People with
Disabilities

May 2025

1 - 4 May
Jubilee of Workers

4 - 5 May
Jubilee of Entrepreneurs

10 - 11 May
Jubilee of Marching Bands

12 - 14 May
Jubilee of Eastern Churches

16 - 18 May
Jubilee of Confraternities

30 May -1 June
Jubilee of Families, Children,
Grandparents and the
Elderly

June 2025

7 - 8 June

Jubilee of Ecclesial
Movements,
Associations and
New Communities

9 June

Jubilee of Holy See

14 - 15 June

Jubilee of Sport

20 - 22 June

Jubilee of Governments

23 - 24 June

Jubilee of Seminarians

25 June

Jubilee of Bishops

25-27 June

Jubilee of Priests

July 2025

28 July - 3 August

Jubilee of Youth

September 2025

15 September

Jubilee of Consolation

20 September

Jubilee of Justice

26 - 28 September

Jubilee of Catechists

October 2025

5 October

Jubilee of Migrants

8 -9 October

Jubilee of Consecrated Life

11 -12 October

Jubilee of Marian
Spirituality

18 October

Jubilee of Missions

30 October

Jubilee of World Education

November 2025

16 November

Jubilee of the Poor

22 - 23 November

Jubilee of Choirs

December 2025

14 December

Jubilee of Prisoners

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