Advent

Dec. 3, 2017 through Dec. 24, 2017
Time after Epiphany

Jan. 7, 2018 through Feb. 13, 2018

The Three Days

Mar. 29, 2018 through Mar. 31, 2018

Christmas

Dec. 24, 2017 through Jan. 6, 2018

Lent

Feb. 14, 2018 through Mar. 28, 2018

Easter

Apr. 1, 2018 through May 20, 2018

Time after Pentecost

May 21, 2018 through Nov. 28, 2018

YEAR B 2017/2018 — Time After Pentecost

This **Church Year Calendar, Propers and Daily Lectionary** uses the Revised Common Lectionary as it appears in Evangelical Lutheran Worship (2006).



Two series of readings are provided for the Time after Pentecost. The Complementary series provides Old Testament readings and psalms chosen for their relationship to the gospels.

The Semi-continuous series provides Old Testament readings and psalms that, while not as explicitly connected to the gospels, explore many of the books and stories not covered by the Complementary series.

Scripture references are from the New Revised Standard Version of the Bible. The appointed psalm refrain for Sundays and festivals is from the verse in parentheses.

DAY AND DATE	FIRST READING	SECOND READING	PSALM
Thu — May 24	Isaiah 1:1-4, 16-20	Romans 8:1-8	Psalm 29
Fri — May 25	Isaiah 2:1-5	Romans 8:9-11	Psalm 29
Sat — May 26	Isaiah 5:15-24	John 15:18-20, 26-27	Psalm 29

Sun. May 27 — The Holy Trinity First Sunday after Pentecost

> Readings Isaiah 6:1-8 Psalm 29 Romans 8:12-17 John 3:1-17

Prayer of the Day

Almighty Creator and ever-living God: we worship your glory, eternal Three-in-One, and we praise your power, majestic One-in-Three. Keep us steadfast in this faith, defend us in all adversity, and bring us at last into your presence, where you live in endless joy and love, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

God of heaven and earth, before the foundation of the universe and the beginning of time you are the triune God: Author of creation, eternal Word of salvation, life-giving Spirit of wisdom. Guide us to all truth by your Spirit, that we may proclaim all that Christ has revealed and rejoice in the glory he shares with us.

Glory and praise to you, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, now and forever.

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia. Holy, holy, holy is the | Lord of hosts; God's glory fills | the whole earth. Alleluia. (Isa. 6:3)

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Mon — May 28	Numbers 9:15-23	Revelation 4:1-8	Psalm 20
Tue — May 29	Exodus 25:1-22	1 Corinthians 2:1-10	Psalm 20
Wed — May 30	Numbers 6:22-27	Mark 4:21-25	Psalm 20
Thu — May 31			
Complementary	Exodus 31:12-18	Acts 25:1-12	Psalm 81:1-10
Semi-continuous	1 Samuel 1:1-18		Psalm 139:1-6, 13-
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Or

Thu. May 31 Visit of Mary to Elizabeth

Readings 1 Samuel 2:1-10 Psalm 113 (2) Romans 12:9-16b Luke 1:39-57

Prayer of the Day

Mighty God, by whose grace Elizabeth rejoiced with Mary and greeted her as the mother of the Lord: look with favor on your lowly servants that, with Mary, we may magnify your holy name and rejoice to acclaim her Son as our Savior, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia. My soul magni- | fies the Lord, and my spirit rejoices in | God my Savior. Alleluia. (Luke 1:47)

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Fri — June 1 Complementary	Leviticus 23:1-8	Romans 8:31-39	Psalm 81:1-10
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Semi-continuous	1 Samuel 1:19-27		Psalm 139:1-6, 13-
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Sat — June 2			
Complementary	Leviticus 24"5-9	John 7:19-24	Psalm 81:1-10
Semi-continuous	1 Samuel 6:1-18		Psalm 139:1-6, 13-
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Sun. June 3 - Second Sunday after Pentecost (Lectionary 9)

Readings

Complementary Series
Deuteronomy 5:12-15
Psalm 81:1-10 (1)
2 Corinthians 4:5-12
Mark 2:23—3:6

Semi-continuous Series 1 Samuel 3:1-10 [11-20] Psalm 139:1-6, 13-18 2 Corinthians 4:5-12 Mark 2:23—3:6

Prayer of the Day

All-powerful God, in Jesus Christ you turned death into life and defeat into victory. Increase our faith and trust in him, that we may triumph over all evil in the strength of the same Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia. The ruler of this world will be | driven out. And when I am lifted up from the earth, I will draw all people | to myself. Alleluia. (John 12:31, 32)

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Mon — June 4			
Complementary	Exodus 16:13-16	Romans 9:19-29	Psalm 78:1-4, 52-72
Semi-continuous	1 Samuel 2:11-17		Psalm 99
Tue — June 5			
	Exodus 16:27-36	Acts 15:1-5, 22-35	Psalm 78:1-4, 52-72
Complementary			
Semi-continuous	1 Samuel 2:18-21		Psalm 99
Wed — June 6			
Complementary	1 Samuel 21:1-6	John 5:1-18	Psalm 78:1-4, 52-72
Semi-continuous	1 Samuel 2:22-36		Psalm 99
Thu — June 7			
Complementary	Isaiah 28:9-13	1Peter 4:7-19	Psalm 130
Semi-continuous	1 Samuel 4:1-22		Psalm 138
Fri — June 8			
Complementary	Deuteronomy 1:34-40	2 Corinthians 5:1-15	Psalm 130
Semi-continuous	1 Samuel 5:1-12		Psalm 138
Sat — June 9			
Complementary	Genesis 2:4b-14	Luke 8:4-15	Psalm 130
Semi-continuous	1 Samuel 6:1-18		Psalm 138

Sun. June 10 - Third Sunday after Pentecost (Lectionary 10)

Readings

Complementary Series Genesis 3:8-15 Psalm 130 2 Corinthians 4:13—5:1 Mark 3:20-35

Semi-continuous Series

1 Samuel 8:4-11 [12-15], 16-20 [11:14-15] Psalm 138 2 Corinthians 4:13—5:1 Mark 3:20-35

Prayer of the Day

All-powerful God, in Jesus Christ you turned death into life and defeat into victory. Increase our faith and trust in him, that we may triumph over all evil in the strength of the same Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia. The ruler of this world will be | driven out. And when I am lifted up from the earth, I will draw all people | to myself. Alleluia. (John 12:31, 32)

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Mon — June 11			
Complementary	1 Samuel 16:14-23	Revelation 20:1-6	Psalm 74
Semi-continuous	1 Samuel 7:3-15		Psalm 108

Or

Mon. June 11 Barnabas, Apostle

Readings Isaiah 42:5-12 Psalm 112 (1) Acts 11:19-30; 13:1-3 Matthew 10:7-16

Prayer of the Day

We praise you, O God, for the life of your faithful servant Barnabas, who, seeking not his own renown but the well-being of your church, gave generously of his life and possessions for the relief of the poor and the spread of the gospel. Grant that we may follow his example and by our actions give glory to you, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, now and forever.

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia. This Jesus | God raised up, and of that all of | us are witnesses. Alleluia. (Acts 2:32)

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Tue — June 12	1 Kings 18:17-40	Revelation 20:7-15	Psalm 74
Complementary			
Semi-continuous	1 Samuel 8:1-22		Psalm 108
Wed — June 13			
Complementary	Isaiah 26:16—27:1	Luke 11:14-28	Psalm 74
Semi-continuous	1 Samuel 9:1-14		Psalm 108
Thu — June 14			
Complementary	Genesis 3:14-24	Hebrews 2:5-9	Psalm 92:1-4, 12-15
Semi-continuous	1 Samuel 9:15-27		Psalm 20

Fri — June 15			
Complementary	1 Kings 10:26—11:8	Hebrews 11:4-7	Psalm 92:1-4, 12-15
Semi-continuous	1 Samuel 10:1-8		Psalm 20
Sat — June 16			
Complementary	2 Kings 14:1-14	Mark 4:1-20	Psalm 92:1-4, 12-15
Semi-continuous	1 Samuel 13:1-15a		Psalm 20

Sun. June 17 - Fourth Sunday after Pentecost (Lectionary 11)

Readings

Complementary Series
Ezekiel 17:22-24
Psalm 92:1-4, 12-15 (12)
2 Corinthians 5:6-10 [11-13] 14-17
Mark 4:26-34

Semi-continuous Series 1 Samuel 15:34 — 16:13 Psalm 20 (6) 2 Corinthians 5:6-10 [11-13] 14-1 Mark 4:26-34

Prayer of the Day

O God, you are the tree of life, offering shelter to all the world. Graft us into yourself and nurture our growth, that we may bear your truth and love to those in need, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia. Welcome with meekness the im- | planted word That has the power to | save your souls. Alleluia. (James 1:21)

Mon — June 18			
Complementary	Ezekiel 31:1-12	Galatians 6:11-18	Psalm 52
Semi-continuous	1 Samuel 13:2314:23		Psalm 53
Tue — June 19			
Complementary	Jeremiah 21:11-14	Revelation 21:22—22:5	Psalm 52
Semi-continuous	1 Samuel 15:10-23		Psalm 53
Wed — June 20			
Complementary	Jeremiah 22:1-9	Luke 6:43-45	Psalm 52
Semi-continuous	1 Samuel 15:24-31		Psalm 53
Thu — June 21			
Complementary	Job 29:1-20	Acts 20:1-16	Psalm 107:1-3, 23- 32
Semi-continuous	1 Samuel 16:14-23		Psalm 9:9-20
Fri — June 22			
Complementary	Job 29:21—30:15	Acts 21:1-16	Psalm 107:1-3, 23- 32
Semi-continuous	1 Samuel 17:55—18:5		Psalm 9:9-20
Sat — June 23			
Complementary	Job 37:1-13	Luke 21:25-28	Psalm 107:1-3, 23- 32
Semi-continuous	1 Samuel 18:1-4		Psalm 9:9-20

Sun. June 24 — Fifth Sunday after Pentecost (Lectionary 12)

Readings

Semi-continuous Series
1 Samuel 17:[1a, 4-11, 19-23] 32-49
Psalm 9:9-20 (9) or 1 Samuel 17:57—18:5, 10-16
2 Corinthians 6:1-13
Mark 4:35-41

Prayer of the Day

O God of creation, eternal majesty, you preside over land and sea, sunshine and storm. By your strength pilot us, by your power preserve us, by your wisdom instruct us, and by your hand protect us, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia. Now is the accept- | able time; now is the day | of salvation. Alleluia. (2 Cor. 6:2)

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Or

Sun. June 24 John, the Baptist

Readings

Malachi 3:1-4 Psalm 141 (8) Acts 13:13-26 Luke 1:57-67 [68-80]

Prayer of the Day

Almighty God, by your gracious providence your servant John the Baptist was born to Elizabeth and Zechariah. Grant to your people the wisdom to see your purpose and the openness to hear your will, that the light of Christ may increase in us, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia. Blessed are those who are persecuted for righ- | teousness' sake, for theirs is the king- | dom of heaven. Alleluia. (Matt. 5:10)

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Mon — June 25			
Complementary	Exodus 7:14-24	Acts 27:13-38	Psalm 65
Semi-continuous	1 Samuel 18:6-30		Psalm 119:113-128
Tue — June 26			
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Complementary	Exodus 9:13-35	Acts 27:39-44	Psalm 65

Wed — June 27			
Complementary	Joshua 10:1-14	Mark 6:45-52	Psalm 65
Semi-continuous	1 Samuel 19:8-17		Psalm 119:113-128
Thu — June 28			
Complementary	Lamentations 1:16-22	2 Corinthians 7:2-16	Psalm 30
Semi-continuous	1 Samuel 19:18-24		Psalm 130
Fri — June 29			
Complementary	Lamentations 2:1-12	2 Corinthians 8:1-7	Psalm 30
Semi-continuous	1 Samuel 20:1-25		Psalm 130

Or

Fri. June 29 Peter and Paul, Apostles

Readings

Acts 12:1-11 Psalm 87:1-3, 5-7 (3) 2 Timothy 4:6-8, 17-18 John 21:15-19

Prayer of the Day

Almighty God, we praise you that your blessed apostles Peter and Paul glorified you by their martyrdoms. Grant that your church throughout the world may always be instructed by their teaching and example, be knit together in unity by your Spirit, and ever stand firm upon the one foundation who is Jesus Christ our Lord, for he lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia. This Jesus | God raised up, and of that all of | us are witnesses. Alleluia. (Acts 2:32)

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Sat — June 30			
Complementary	Lamentations 2:18-22	Luke 4:31-37	Psalm 30
Semi-continuous	1 Samuel 20:27-42		Psalm 130

Sun. July 1 — Sixth Sunday after Pentecost (Lectionary 13)

Readings

Complementary Series
Lamentations 3:22-33 or Wisdom 1:13-15; 2:23-24
Psalm 30 (1)
2 Corinthians 8:7-15
Mark 5:21-43

Semi-continuous Series 2 Samuel 1:1, 17-27 Psalm 130 (1) 2 Corinthians 8:7-15 Mark 5:21-43

Prayer of the Day

Almighty and merciful God, we implore you to hear the prayers of your people. Be our strong defense against all harm and danger, that we may live and grow in faith and hope, through Jesus

Christ, our Savior and Lord.

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia. Our Savior Jesus Christ has a-| bolished death

and brought life and immortality to light | through the gospel. Alleluia. (2 Tim. 1:10)

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Mon — July2			
Complementary	Leviticus 21:1-15	2 Corinthians 8:16-24	Psalm 88
Semi-continuous	1 Samuel 23:14-18		Psalm 18:1-6, 43-50
Tue — July 3			
Complementary	Leviticus 15:19-31	2 Corinthians 9:1-5	Psalm 88
Semi-continuous	1 Samuel 31:1-13		Psalm 18:1-6, 43-50

Or

Tue. July 3 Thomas, Apostle

Readings

Judges 6:36-40 Psalm 136:1-4, 23-26 (1) Ephesians 4:11-16 John 14:1-7

Prayer of the Day

Ever-living God, you strengthened your apostle Thomas with firm and certain faith in the resurrection of your Son. Grant that we too may confess our faith in Jesus Christ, our Lord and our God, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia. ou will be my witnesses in Jerusalem, in all Judea | and Samaria,* and to the ends | of the earth. Alleluia. (Acts 1:8)

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Wed — July 4			
Complementary	2 Kings 20:1-11	Mark 9:14-29	Psalm 88
Semi-continuous	1 Chronicles 10:1-14		Psalm 18:1-6, 43-50
Thu — July 5			
Complementary	Jeremiah 7:1-15	1 Corinthians 4:8-13	Psalm 123
Semi-continuous	2 Samuel 2:1-11		Psalm 48
Fri — July 6			
Complementary	Jeremiah 7:16-26	2 Corinthians 10:7-11	Psalm 123
Semi-continuous	2 Samuel 3:1-12		Psalm 48
Sat — July 7			
Complementary	Jeremiah 7:27-34	Matthew 8:18-22	Psalm 123
Semi-continuous	2 Samuel 3:31-38		Psalm 48

Sun. July 8 — Seventh Sunday after Pentecost (Lectionary 14)

Readings
Complementary Series
Ezekiel 2:1-5
Psalm 123 (2)

2 Corinthians 12:2-10 Mark 6:1-13

Semi-continuous Series 2 Samuel 5:1-5, 9-10 Psalm 48 (1) 2 Corinthians 12:2-10 Mark 6:1-13

Prayer of the Day

God of the covenant, in our baptism you call us to proclaim the coming of your kingdom. Give us the courage you gave the apostles, that we may faithfully witness to your love and peace in every circumstance of life, in the name of Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia. I will boast gladly | of my weaknesses, so that the power of Christ may | dwell in me. Alleluia. (2 Cor. 12:9)

Color: Green

Mon — July 9			
Complementary	Ezekiel 2:8—3:11	2 Corinthians 11:16-33	Psalm 119:81-88
Semi-continuous	2 Samuel 5:1-10		Psalm 21
Tue — July 10			
Complementary	Jeremiah 16:1-13	James 5:7-12	Psalm 119:81-88
Semi-continuous	2 Samuel 5:11-16		Psalm 21
Wed — July 11			
Complementary	Jeremiah 16:14-21	John 7:1-9	Psalm 119:81-88
Semi-continuous	2 Samuel 5:17-25		Psalm 21
Thu — July 12			
Complementary	Amos 2:6-16	Colossians 2:1-5	Psalm 85:8-13
Semi-continuous	Exodus 25:10-22		Psalm 24
Fri — July 13			
Complementary	Amos 3:1-12	Colossians 4:2-18	Psalm 85:8-13
Semi-continuous	Exodus 37:1-16		Psalm 24
Sat — July 14			
Complementary	Amos 4:6-13	Luke 1:57-80	Psalm 85:8-13
Semi-continuous	Numbers 10:11-36		Psalm 24

Sun. July 15 — Eighth Sunday after Pentecost (Lectionary 15)

Readings

Complementary Series
Amos 7:7-15
Psalm 85:8-13
Ephesians 1:3-14
Mark 6:14-29

Semi-continuous Series 2 Samuel 6:1-5, 12b-19 Psalm 24 (7) Ephesians 1:3-14

Mark 6:14-29

Prayer of the Day

O God, from you come all holy desires, all good counsels, and all just works. Give to us, your servants, that peace which the world cannot give, that our hearts may be set to obey your commandments; and also that we, being defended from the fear of our enemies, may live in peace and quietness, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia. May the God of our Lord Jesus Christ enlighten the eyes | of our hearts, that we may know the hope to which | God has called us. Alleluia. (Eph. 1:17-18)

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Mon — July 16			
Complementary	Amos 5:1-9	Acts 21:27-39	Psalm 142
Semi-continuous	2 Samuel 6:6-12a		Psalm 68:24-35
Tue — July 17			
Complementary	Amos 9:1-4	Acts 23:12-35	Psalm 142
Semi-continuous	2 Samuel 3:12-16		Psalm 68:24-35
Wed — July 18			
Complementary	Amos 9:11-15	Luke 7:31-35	Psalm 142
Semi-continuous	2 Samuel 6:16-23		Psalm 68:24-35
Thu — July 19			
Complementary	Jeremiah 10:1-16	Colossians 1:15-23	Psalm 23
Semi-continuous	1 Chronicles 11:15-19		Psalm 89:20-37
Fri — July 20			
Complementary	Jeremiah 10:17-25	Acts 17:16-31	Psalm 23
Semi-continuous	1 Chronicles 14:1-2		Psalm 89:20-37
Sat — July 21			
Complementary	Jeremiah 12:1-13	Luke 18:35-43	Psalm 23
Semi-continuous	1 Chronicles 15:1-2,		Psalm 89:20-37
	16:4-13		

Sun. July 22 — Ninth Sunday after Pentecost (Lectionary 16)

Readings

Complementary Series Jeremiah 23:1-6 Psalm 23 (1) Ephesians 2:11-22 Mark 6:30-34, 53-56

Semi-continuous Series 2 Samuel 7:1-14a Psalm 89:20-37 Ephesians 2:11-22 Mark 6:30-34, 53-56

Prayer of the Day

O God, powerful and compassionate, you shepherd your people, faithfully feeding and protecting us. Heal each of us, and make us a whole people, that we may embody the justice and peace of your Son, Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia. My sheep | hear my voice.
I know them, and they | follow me. Alleluia. (John 10:27)

Color: Green

Mon — July 23			
Complementary	Jeremiah 50:1-7	Hebrews 13:17-25	Psalm 100
Semi-continuous	2 Samuel 7:18-29		Psalm 61

Or

Mon. July 23 Mary Magdalene, Apostle (transferred)

Readings

Ruth 1:6-18 or Exodus 2:1-10 Psalm 73:23-28 (28) Acts 13:26-33a John 20:1-2, 11-18

Prayer of the Day

Almighty God, your Son first entrusted the apostle Mary Magdalene with the joyful news of his resurrection. Following the example of her witness, may we proclaim Christ as our living Lord and one day see him in glory, for he lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia. This Jesus | God raised up, and of that all of | us are witnesses. Alleluia. (Acts 2:32)

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Tue — July 24			
Complementary	Zechariah 9:14—10:2	Acts 20:17-38	Psalm 100
Semi-continuous	2 Samuel 8:1-18		Psalm 61
Wed — July 25			
Complementary	2 Samuel 5:1-12	Luke 15:1-7	Psalm 100
Semi-continuous	2 Samuel 9:1-13		Psalm 61

Or

Sat. July 25 James, Apostle

Readings

1 Kings 19:9-18 Psalm 7:1-10 (10) Acts 11:27—12:3a Mark 10:35-45

Prayer of the Day

Gracious God, we remember before you today your servant and apostle James, the first among the twelve to be martyred for the name of Jesus Christ. Pour out on the leaders of your church that spirit of self-denying service which is the true mark of authority among your people, through Jesus Christ our servant, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia. Blessed are those who are persecuted for righ- | teousness' sake, for theirs is the king- | dom of heaven. Alleluia. (Matt. 5:10)

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Thu — July 26				
Complementary	1 Kings 19:19-21	Colossians 1:9-14	Psalm 145:10-18	
Semi-continuous	2 Samuel 10:1-5		Psalm 14	
Fri — July 27				
Complementary	2 Kings 3:4-20	Colossians 3:12-17	Psalm 145:10-18	
Semi-continuous	2 Samuel 10:6-12		Psalm 14	
Sat — July 28				
Complementary	2 Kings 4:38-41	John 4:31-38	Psalm 145:10-18	
Semi-continuous	2 Samuel 10:13-19		Psalm 14	

Sun. July 29 — Tenth Sunday after Pentecost (Lectionary 17)

Readings

Complementary Series 2 Kings 4:42-44 Psalm 145:10-18 (16) Ephesians 3:14-21 John 6:1-21

Semi-continuous Series 2 Samuel 11:1-15 Psalm 14 (5) Ephesians 3:14-21 John 6:1-21

Prayer of the Day

Gracious God, you have placed within the hearts of all your children a longing for your word and a hunger for your truth. Grant that we may know your Son to be the true bread of heaven and share this bread with all the world, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia. A great prophet has ris- | en among us! God has looked favor- | ably on us! Alleluia. (Luke 7:16)

Mon — July 30			
Complementary	Genesis 18:1-15	Philippians 4:10-20	Psalm 111
Semi-continuous	2 Samuel 11:14-21		Psalm 37:12-22
Tue — July 31			
Complementary	Exodus 24:1-11	Romans 15:22-33	Psalm 111
Semi-continuous	2 Samuel 11:22-27		Psalm 37:12-22
Wed — Aug. 1			
Complementary	Isaiah 25:6-10a	Mark 6:35-44	Psalm 111
Semi-continuous	2 Chronicles 9:29-31		Psalm 37:12-22
Thu — Aug. 2			
Complementary	Exodus 12:33-42	1 Corinthians 11:17-22	Psalm 78:23-29
Semi-continuous	Exodus 32:19-26a		Psalm 51:1-12

Fri — Aug. 3			
Complementary	Exodus 12:43—13:2	1 Corinthians 11:27-34	Psalm 78:23-29
Semi-continuous	Joshua 23:1-16		Psalm 51:1-12
Sat — Aug. 4			
Complementary	Exodus 13:3-10	Matthew 16:5-12	Psalm 78:23-29
Semi-continuous	Judges 6:1-10		Psalm 51:1-12

Sun. Aug. 5 — Eleventh Sunday after Pentecost (Lectionary 18)

Readings

Complementary Series Exodus 16:2-4, 9-15 Psalm 78:23-29 (24, 25) Ephesians 4:1-16 John 6:24-35

Semi-continuous Series 2 Samuel 11:26—12:13a Psalm 51:1-12 (1) Ephesians 4:1-16 John 6:24-35

Prayer of the Day

O God, eternal goodness, immeasurable love, you place your gifts before us; we eat and are satisfied. Fill us and this world in all its need with the life that comes only from you, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia. One does not live by | bread alone, by by every word that comes from the | mouth of God. Alleluia (Matt. 4:4)

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Mon — Aug. 6	Numbers 11:16-23, 31-		
Complementary	32	Ephesians 4:17-24	Psalm 107:1-3, 33-
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Semi-continuous	2 Samuel 12:15-25		Psalm 50:16-23
Tue — Aug. 7			
Complementary	Deuteronomy 8:1-20	1 Corinthians 12:27-31	Psalm 107:1-3, 33-
			43
Semi-continuous	2 Samuel 13:1-19		Psalm 50:16-23
Wed — Aug. 8			
Complementary	Isaiah 55:1-9	Mark 8:1-10	Psalm 107:1-3, 33-
			43
Semi-continuous	2 Samuel 13:20-36		Psalm 50:16-23
Thu — Aug. 9			
Complementary	1 Samuel 28:20-25	Romans 15:1-6	Psalm 34:1-8
Semi-continuous	2 Samuel 13:37—14:24		Psalm 130
Fri — Aug. 10			
Complementary	2 Samuel 17:15-29	Galatians 6:1-10	Psalm 34:1-8
Semi-continuous	2 Samuel 14:25-33		Psalm 130
Sat — Aug. 11			
Complementary	1 Kings 2:1-9	Matthew 7:7-11	Psalm 34:1-8
Semi-continuous	2 Samuel 15:1-13		Psalm 130

Sun. Aug. 12 — Twelfth Sunday after Pentecost (Lectionary 19)

Readings

Complementary Series
1 Kings 19:4-8
Psalm 34:1-8 (8)
Ephesians 4:25—5:2
John 6:35, 41-51

Semi-continuous Series 2 Samuel 18:5-9, 15, 31-33 Psalm 130 (1) Ephesians 4:25—5:2 John 6:35, 41-51

Prayer of the Day

Gracious God, your blessed Son came down from heaven to be the true bread that gives life to the world. Give us this bread always, that he may live in us and we in him, and that, strengthened by this food, we may live as his body in the world, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia. I am the living bread that came | down from heaven. Whoever eats this bread will | live forever. Alleluia. (John 6:51)

Color: Green

Mon — Aug. 13					
Complementary	1 Kings 17:1-16	Ephesians 5:1-14	Psalm 81		
Semi-continuous	2 Samuel 15:13-31		Psalm 57		
Tue — Aug. 14					
Complementary	Ruth 2:1-23	2 Peter 3:14-18	Psalm 81		
Semi-continuous	2 Samuel 18:19-33		Psalm 57		
Wed — Aug. 15					
Complementary	Jeremiah 31:1-6	John 6:35-40	Psalm 81		
Semi-continuous	2 Samuel 19:1-18		Psalm 57		

Or

Wed. Aug. 15 Mary, Mother of Our Lord

Readings

Isaiah 61:7-11 Psalm 34:1-9 (3) Galatians 4:4-7 Luke 1:46-55

Prayer of the Day

Almighty God, in choosing the virgin Mary to be the mother of your Son, you made known your gracious regard for the poor, the lowly, and the despised. Grant us grace to receive your word in humility, and so to be made one with your Son, Jesus Christ our Savior and Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia. Greetings, O favored one! The | Lord is with you.

The Holy Spirit will come upon you. Alleluia. (Luke 1:28, 35)				
	Color: W	nite		
Thu — Aug. 16				
Complementary	Job 11:1-20	Acts 6:8-15	Psalm 34:9-14	
Semi-continuous	1 Kings 1:1-30		Psalm 111	
Fri — Aug. 17				
Complementary	Job 12:1-25	Romans 16:17-20	Psalm 34:9-14	
Semi-continuous	1 Kings 1:28-48		Psalm 111	
Sat — Aug. 18				
Complementary	Job 13:1-19	John 4:7-26	Psalm 34:9-14	
Semi-continuous	1 Kings 2:1-11		Psalm 111	

Sun. Aug. 19 — Thirteenth Sunday after Pentecost (Lectionary 20)

Readings

Complementary Series
Proverbs 9:1-6
Psalm 34:9-14 (10)
Ephesians 5:15-20
John 6:51-58

Semi-continuous Series 1 Kings 2:10-12; 3:3-14 Psalm 111 (10) Ephesians 5:15-20 John 6:51-58

Prayer of the Day

Ever-loving God, your Son gives himself as living bread for the life of the world. Fill us with such a knowledge of his presence that we may be strengthened and sustained by his risen life to serve you continually, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia. Those who eat my flesh and drink my blood a- | bide in me,* and I a- | bide in them. Alleluia. (John 6:56)

Mon — Aug. 20			
Complementary	Genesis 43:1-15	Acts 6:1-7	Psalm 36
Semi-continuous	1 Kings 3:16-28		Psalm 101
Tue — Aug. 21			
Complementary	Genesis 45:1-15	Acts 7:9-16	Psalm 36
Semi-continuous	1 Kings 7:1-12		Psalm 101
Wed — Aug. 22			
Complementary	Genesis 47:13-26	Mark 8:14-21	Psalm 36
Semi-continuous	1 Kings 8:1-21		Psalm 101
Thu — Aug. 23			
Complementary	Joshua 22:1-9	1 Thessalonians 5:1-11	Psalm 34:15-22
Semi-continuous	1 Kings 4:20-28		Psalm 84
Fri — Aug. 24			
Complementary	Joshua 22:10-20	Romans 13:11-14	Psalm 34:15-22
Semi-continuous	1 Kings 4:29-34		Psalm 84

Or

Fri. Aug. 24 Bartholomew, Apostle

Readings Exodus 19:1-6 Psalm 12 (6) 1 Corinthians 12:27-31a

John 1:43-51

Prayer of the Day

Almighty and everlasting God, you gave to your apostle Bartholomew grace truly to believe and courageously to preach your word. Grant that your church may proclaim the good news to the ends of the earth, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia. How beautiful upon the mountains are the feet of the messenger who an- | nounces peace, who brings good news, who announc- | es salvation. Alleluia. (Isa. 52:7)

Color: Scarlet/Red

Sat — Aug. 25			
Complementary	Joshua 22:21-34	Luke 11:5-13	Psalm 34:15-22
Semi-continuous	1 Kings 5:1-12		Psalm 84

Sun. Aug. 26 — Fourteenth Sunday after Pentecost (Lectionary 21)

Readings

Complementary Series Joshua 24:1-2a, 14-18 Psalm 34:15-22 (15) Ephesians 6:10-20 John 6:56-69

Semi-continuous Series
1 Kings 8:[1, 6, 10-11] 22-30, 41-43
Psalm 84 (1)
Ephesians 6:10-20
John 6:56-69

Prayer of the Day

Holy God, your word feeds your people with life that is eternal. Direct our choices and preserve us in your truth, that, renouncing what is false and evil, we may live in you, through your Son, Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia. Lord, to whom | shall we go? You have the words of e- | ternal life. Alleluia. (John 6:68)

Mon — Aug. 27			
Complementary	Nehemiah 9:1-15	Ephesians 5:21—6:9	Psalm 119:97-104
Semi-continuous	1 Kings 5:13-18		Psalm 11

Tue — Aug. 28			
Complementary	Nehemiah 9:16-31	Ephesians 6:21-24	Psalm 119:97-104
Semi-continuous	1 Kings 6:1-14		Psalm 11
Wed — Aug. 29			
Complementary	Isaiah 33:10-16	John 15:16-25	Psalm 119:97-104
Semi-continuous	1 Kings 6:15-38		Psalm 11
Thu — Aug. 30			
Complementary	Exodus 32:1-14	James 1:1-8	Psalm 15
Semi-continuous	Song of Solomon 1:1-		Psalm 45:1-2, 6-9
	17		
Fri — Aug. 31			
Complementary	Exodus 32:15-35	James 1:9-16	Psalm 15
Semi-continuous	Song of Solomon 2:1-7		Psalm 45:1-2, 6-9
Sat — Sep. 1			
Complementary	Exodus 34:8-28	John 18:28-32	Psalm 15
Semi-continuous	Hosea 3:1-5		Psalm 45:1-2, 6-9

Sun. Sep. 2 — Fifteenth Sunday after Pentecost (Lectionary 22)

Readings

Complementary Series
Deuteronomy 4:1-2, 6-9
Psalm 15 (1)
James 1:17-27
Mark 7:1-8, 14-15, 21-23

Semi-continuous Series Song of Solomon 2:8-13 Psalm 45:1-2, 6-9 James 1:17-27 Mark 7:1-8, 14-15, 21-23

Prayer of the Day

O God our strength, without you we are weak and wayward creatures. Protect us from all dangers that attack us from the outside, and cleanse us from all evil that arises from within ourselves, that we may be preserved through your Son, Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia. God gave us birth by the | word of truth so that we would become a kind of first fruits | of creation. Alleluia. (James 1:18)

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Mon — Sep. 3 Complementary Semi-continuous	Deuteronomy 4:9-14 Song of Solomon 3:6- 11	1 Timothy 4:6-16	Psalm 106:1-6, 13-23, 47-48 Psalm 144:9-15	
Tue — Sep. 4 Complementary Semi-continuous	Deuteronomy 4:15-20 Song of Solomon 5:2— 6:3	1 Peter 2:19-25	Psalm 106:1-6, 13-23, 47-48 Psalm 144:9-15	
Wed — Sep. 5 Complementary Semi-continuous	Deuteronomy 4:21-40 Song of Solomon 8:5-7	Mark 7:9-23	Psalm 106:1-6, 13-23, 47-48 Psalm 144:9-15	

Thu — Sep. 6			
Complementary	Isaiah 30:27-33	Romans 2:1-11	Psalm 146
Semi-continuous	Proverbs 1:1-19		Psalm 125
Fri — Sep. 7			
Complementary	Isaiah 32:1-8	Romans 2:12-16	Psalm 146
Semi-continuous	Proverbs 4:10-27		Psalm 125
Sat — Sep. 8			
Complementary	Isaiah 33:1-9	Matthew 15:21-31	Psalm 146
Semi-continuous	Proverbs 8:1-31		Psalm 125

Sun. Sep. 9 — Sixteenth Sunday after Pentecost (Lectionary 23)

Readings

Complementary Series Isaiah 35:4-7a Psalm 146 (2) James 2:1-10 [11-13] 14-17 Mark 7:24-37

Semi-continuous Series Proverbs 22:1-2, 8-9, 22-23 Psalm 125 (1) James 2:1-10 [11-13] 14-17 Mark 7:24-37

Prayer of the Day

Gracious God, throughout the ages you transform sickness into health and death into life. Open us to the power of your presence, and make us a people ready to proclaim your promises to the whole world, through Jesus Christ, our healer and Lord.

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia. Rejoice in the | Lord always; again I will | say, Rejoice. Alleluia. (Phil. 4:4)

Mon — Sep. 10			
Complementary	Joshua 6:1-21	Hebrews 11:29—12:2	Isaiah 38:10-20
Semi-continuous	Proverbs 8:32—9:6		Psalm 73:1-20
Tue — Sep. 11			
Complementary	Joshua 8:1-23	Hebrews 12:3-13	Isaiah 38:10-20
Semi-continuous	Proverbs 11:1-31		Psalm 73:1-20
Wed — Sep. 12			
Complementary	Judges 15:9-20	Matthew 17:14-21	Isaiah 38:10-20
Semi-continuous	Proverbs 14:1-9		Psalm 73:1-20
Thu — Sep. 13			
Complementary	Joshua 2:1-14	Hebrews 11:17-22	Psalm 116:1-9
Semi-continuous	Proverbs 15:1-17		Psalm 19
Fri — Sep. 14			
Complementary	Joshua 2:15-24	James 2:17-26	Psalm 116:1-9
Semi-continuous	Proverbs 19:24-29		Psalm 19

Or

Fri. Sep. 14 Holy Cross Day

Readings

Numbers 21:4b-9
Psalm 98:1-4 (1) or Psalm 78:1-2, 34-38 (35)
1 Corinthians 1:18-24
John 3:13-17

Prayer of the Day

Almighty God, your Son Jesus Christ was lifted high upon the cross so that he might draw the whole world to himself. To those who look upon the cross, grant your wisdom, healing, and eternal life, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia. May I never boast of | anything except the cross of our Lord | Jesus Christ. Alleluia. (Gal. 6:14)

Color: Scarlet/Red

Sat — Sep. 15				
Complementary	Joshua 6:22-27	Matthew 21:23-32	Psalm 116:1-9	
Semi-continuous	Proverbs 21:1-17		Psalm 19	

Sun. Sep. 16 — Seventeenth Sunday after Pentecost (Lectionary 24)

Readings

Complementary Series Isaiah 50:4-9a Psalm 116:1-9 (9) James 3:1-12 Mark 8:27-38

Semi-continuous Series
Proverbs 1:20-33
Psalm 19 (7) or Wisdom 7:26 — 8:1 (7:28)
James 3:1-12
Mark 8:27-38

Prayer of the Day

O God, through suffering and rejection you bring forth our salvation, and by the glory of the cross you transform our lives. Grant that for the sake of the gospel we may turn from the lure of evil, take up our cross, and follow your Son, Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia. Christ suffered for sins once for all, the righteous for | the unrighteous, in order to bring | you to God. Alleluia. (1 Peter 3:18)

Mon — Sep. 17			
Complementary	1 Kings 13:1-10	Romans 3:9-20	Psalm 119:169-176
Semi-continuous	Proverbs 22:1-21		Psalm 73:21-28
Tue — Sep. 18			
Complementary	1 Kings 13:11-25	Colossians 3:1-11	Psalm 119:169-176
Semi-continuous	Proverbs 25:1-28		Psalm 73:21-28
Wed — Sep. 19			
Complementary	Isaiah 10:12-20	John 7:25-36	Psalm 119:169-176
Semi-continuous	Proverbs 29:1-27		Psalm 73:21-28
Thu — Sep. 20			
Complementary	Judges 6:1-10	1 Corinthians 2:1-5	Psalm 54
Semi-continuous	Proverbs 30:1-10		Psalm 1
Fri — Sep. 21			
Complementary	1 Kings 22:24-40	Romans 11:25-32	Psalm 54
Semi-continuous	Proverbs 30:18-33		Psalm 1

Or

Fri. Sep. 21 Matthew, Apostle and Evangelist

Readings

Ezekiel 2:8—3:11 Psalm 119:33-40 (33) Ephesians 2:4-10 Matthew 9:9-13

Prayer of the Day

Almighty God, your Son our Savior called a despised tax collector to become one of his apostles. Help us, like Matthew, to respond to the transforming call of Jesus Christ, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia. You will be my witnesses in Jerusalem, in all Judea | and Samaria, and to the ends | of the earth. Alleluia. (Acts 1:8)

Color: Scarlet/Red

Sat — Sep. 22			
Complementary	2 Kings 17:5-18	Matthew 23:29-39	Psalm 54
Semi-continuous	Ecclesiastes 1:1-18		Psalm 1

Sun. Sep. 23 — Eighteenth Sunday after Pentecost (Lectionary 25)

<u>Readings</u>

Complementary Series

Jeremiah 11:18-20 or Wisdom 1:16 — 2:1, 12-22

Psalm 54 (4)

James 3:13 — 4:3, 7-8a

Mark 9:30-37

Semi-continuous Series Proverbs 31:10-31 Psalm 1 (3) James 3:13 — 4:3, 7-8a

Mark 9:30-37

Prayer of the Day

O God, our teacher and guide, you draw us to yourself and welcome us as beloved children. Help us to lay aside all envy and selfish ambition, that we may walk in your ways of wisdom and understanding as servants of your Son, Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia. God has called us through the proclamation of | the good news, that we may obtain the glory of our Lord | Jesus Christ. Alleluia. (2 Thess. 2:14)

Color: Green

Mon — Sep. 24			
Complementary	2 Kings 5:1-14	James 4:8-17	Psalm 139:1-18
Semi-continuous	Proverbs 27:1-27		Psalm 128
Tue — Sep. 25			
Complementary	2 Kings 11:21—12:16	James 5:1-6	Psalm 139:1-18
Semi-continuous	Ecclesiastes 4:9-16		Psalm 128
Wed — Sep. 26			
Complementary	Jeremiah 1:4-10	John 8:21-38	Psalm 139:1-18
Semi-continuous	Ecclesiastes 5:1-20		Psalm 128
Thu — Sep. 27			
Complementary	Exodus 18:13-27	Acts 4:13-31	Psalm 19:7-14
Semi-continuous	Esther 1:1-21		Psalm 124
Fri — Sep. 28			
Complementary	Deuteronomy 1:1-18	Acts 12:20-25	Psalm 19:7-14
Semi-continuous	Esther 2:1-23		Psalm 124
Sat — Sep. 29			
Complementary	Deuteronomy 27:1-10	Matthew 5:13-20	Psalm 19:7-14
Semi-continuous	Esther 3:1-15		Psalm 124

Or

Sat. Sep. 29 Michael and All Angels

Readings

Daniel 10:10-14; 12:1-3 Psalm 103:1-5, 20-22 (20-21) Revelation 12:7-12 Luke 10:17-20

Prayer of the Day

Everlasting God, you have wonderfully established the ministries of angels and mortals. Mercifully grant that as Michael and the angels contend against the cosmic forces of evil, so by your direction they may help and defend us here on earth, through your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God whom we worship and praise with angels and archangels and all the company of heaven, now and forever.

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia. Bless the | Lord, you angels, you mighty ones who | do God's bidding. Alleluia. (Ps. 103:20)

Color: White

Sun. Sep. 30 — Nineteenth Sunday after Pentecost (Lectionary 26)

Readings

Complementary Series
Numbers 11:4-6, 10-16, 24-29
Psalm 19:7-14 (8)
James 5:13-20
Mark 9:38-50

Semi-continuous Series Esther 7:1-6, 9-10; 9:20-22 Psalm 124 (7) James 5:13-20 Mark 9:38-50

Prayer of the Day

Generous God, your Son gave his life that we might come to peace with you. Give us a share of your Spirit, and in all we do empower us to bear the name of Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia. You word, O | Lord, is truth; sanctify us | in the truth. Alleluia. (John 17:7)

Color: Green

Mon — Oct. 1			
Complementary	Zechariah 6:9-15	1 Peter 1:3-9	Psalm 5
Semi-continuous	Esther 4:1-17		Psalm 140
Tue — Oct. 2			
Complementary	Zechariah 8:18-23	1 John 2:18-25	Psalm 5
Semi-continuous	Esther 5:1-14		Psalm 140
Wed — Oct. 3			
Complementary	Zechariah 10:1-12	Matthew 18:6-9	Psalm 5
Semi-continuous	Esther 8:1-17		Psalm 140
Thu — Oct. 4			
Complementary	Genesis 20:1-18	Galatians 3:23-29	Psalm 8
Semi-continuous	Job 2:11—3:26		Psalm 26
Fri — Oct. 5			
Complementary	Genesis 21:22-34	Romans 8:1-11	Psalm 8
Semi-continuous	Job 4:1-21		Psalm 26
Sat — Oct. 6			
Complementary	Genesis 23:1-20	Luke 16:14-18	Psalm 8
Semi-continuous	Job 7:1-21		Psalm 26

Sun. Oct. 7 — Twentieth Sunday after Pentecost (Lectionary 27)

Readings

Complementary Series Genesis 2:18-24 Psalm 8 (5) Hebrews 1:1-4; 2:5-12 Mark 10:2-16

Semi-continuous Series

Job 1:1; 2:1-10 Psalm 26 (3) Hebrews 1:1-4; 2:5-12 Mark 10:2-16

Prayer of the Day

Sovereign God, you have created us to live in loving community with one another. Form us for life that is faithful and steadfast, and teach us to trust like little children, that we may reflect the image of your Son, Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia. If we love one another, God | lives in us and God's love is perfect-| ed in us. Alleluia. (1 John 4:12)

Color: Green

Mon — Oct. 8	Deuteronomy	22:13-		
Complementary	30		1 Corinthians 7:1-9	Psalm 112
Semi-continuous	Job 8:1-22			Psalm 55:1-15

Or

Mon. Oct. 8 Day of Thanksgiving (Canada)

Readings
Joel 2:21-27
Psalm 126 (3)
1 Timothy 2:1-7
Matthew 6:25-33

Prayer of the Day

Almighty God our Father, your generous goodness comes to us new every day. By the work of your Spirit lead us to acknowledge your goodness, give thanks for your benefits, and serve you in willing obedience, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia. God is able to provide you with every blessing | in abundance, so that by always having enough of everything, you may share abundantly in ev- | 'ry good work. Alleluia. (2 Cor. 9:8)

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Tue — Oct. 9					
Complementary	Deuteronomy 24:1-5	1 Corinthians 7:10-16	Psalm 112		
Semi-continuous	Job 11:1-20		Psalm 55:1-15		
Wed — Oct. 10					
Complementary	Jeremiah 3:6-14	Matthew 5:27-36	Psalm 112		
Semi-continuous	Job 15:1-35		Psalm 55:1-15		
Thu — Oct. 11					
Complementary	Deuteronomy 5:1-21	Hebrews 3:7-19	Psalm 90:12-17		
Semi-continuous	Job 17:1-16		Psalm 22:1-15		
Fri — Oct. 12					
Complementary	Deuteronomy 5:22-33	Hebrews 4:1-11	Psalm 90:12-17		
Semi-continuous	Job 18:1-21		Psalm 22:1-15		

 Sat — Oct. 13
 Amos 3:13—4:5
 Matthew 15:1-9
 Psalm 90:12-17

 Semi-continuous
 Job 20:1-29
 Psalm 22:1-15

Sun. Oct. 14 — Twenty-first Sunday after Pentecost (Lectionary 28)

Readings

Complementary Series
Amos 5:6-7, 10-15
Psalm 90:12-17 (12)
Hebrews 4:12-16
Mark 10:17-31

Semi-continuous Series Job 23:1-9, 16-17 Psalm 22:1-15 (1) Hebrews 4:12-16 Mark 10:17-31

Prayer of the Day

Almighty and ever-living God, increase in us your gift of faith, that, forsaking what lies behind and reaching out to what lies ahead, we may follow the way of your commandments and receive the crown of everlasting joy, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia. Blessed are the | poor in spirit, for theirs is the king- | dom of heaven. Alleluia. (Matt. 5:3)

Color: Green

Mon — Oct. 15			
Complementary	Obadiah 1-9	Revelation 7:9-17	Psalm 26
Semi-continuous	Job 26:1-14		Psalm 39
Tue — Oct. 16			
Complementary	Obadiah 10-16	Revelation 8:1-5	Psalm 26
Semi-continuous	Job 28:12—29:10		Psalm 39
Wed — Oct. 17			
Complementary	Obadiah 17-21	Luke 16:19-31	Psalm 26
Semi-continuous	Job 32:1-22		Psalm 39
Thu — Oct. 18			
Complementary	Genesis 14:17-24	Romans 15:7-13	Psalm 91:9-16
Semi-continuous	Job 36:1-16		Psalm 104:1-9,
			24, 35b

Or

Thu. Oct. 18 Luke, Evangelist

Readings

Isaiah 43:8-13 or Isaiah 35:5-8 Psalm 124 (8) 2 Timothy 4:5-11 Luke 1:1-4; 24:44-53

Prayer of the Day

Almighty God, you inspired your servant Luke to reveal in his gospel the love and healing power of your Son. Give your church the same love and power to heal, and to proclaim your salvation among the nations to the glory of your name, through Jesus Christ, your Son, our healer, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia. How beautiful upon the mountains are the feet of the messenger who an- | nounces peace,* who brings good news, who announc- | es salvation. Alleluia. (Isa. 52:7)

Color: Scarlet/Red

Fri — Oct. 19			
Complementary	Isaiah 47:1-9	Revelation 17:1-18	Psalm 91:9-16
Semi-continuous	Job 37:1-24		Psalm 104:
			1-9, 24, 35b
Sat — Oct. 20			
Complementary	Isaiah 47:10-15	Luke 22:24-30	Psalm 91:9-16
Semi-continuous	Job 39:1-30		Psalm 104:1-9, 24,
			35b

Sun. Oct. 21 — Twenty-second Sunday after Pentecost (Lectionary 29)

Readings

Complementary Series Isaiah 53:4-12 Psalm 91:9-16 (9) Hebrews 5:1-10 Mark 10:35-45

Semi-continuous Series Job 38:1-7 [34-41] Psalm 104:1-9, 24, 35b (24) Hebrews 5:1-10 Mark 10:35-45

Prayer of the Day

Sovereign God, you turn your greatness into goodness for all the peoples on earth. Shape us into willing servants of your kingdom, and make us desire always and only your will, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia. The Son of Man came not to be served | but to serve, and to give his life as a ran- | som for many. Alleluia. (Mark 10:45)

Mon — Oct. 22			
Complementary	1 Samuel 8:1-18	Hebrews 6:1-12	Psalm 37:23-40
Semi-continuous	Job 40:1-24		Psalm 75
Tue — Oct. 23			
Complementary	1 Samuel 10:17-25	Hebrews 6:13-20	Psalm 37:23-40
Semi-continuous	Job 41:1-11		Psalm 75

Wed — Oct. 24			
Complementary	1 Samuel 12:1-25	John 13:1-17	Psalm 37:23-40
Semi-continuous	Job 41:12-34		Psalm 75
Thu — Oct. 25			
Complementary	Jeremiah 23:9-15	Hebrews 7:1-10	Psalm 126
Semi-continuous	2 Kings 20:12-19		Psalm 34:1-8 [19-
	-		22]
Fri — Oct. 26			
Complementary	Jeremiah 26:12-24	Hebrews 7:11-22	Psalm 126
Semi-continuous	Nehemiah 1:1-11		Psalm 34:1-8 [19-
			22]
Sat — Oct. 27			
Complementary	Jeremiah 29:24-32	Mark 8:22-26	Psalm 126
Semi-continuous	Job 42:7-9		Psalm 34:1-8 [19-
			22]

Sun. Oct. 28 — Twenty-third Sunday after Pentecost (Lectionary 30)

Or Reformation Sunday may be observed (see Oct. 31).

Readings

Complementary Series
Jeremiah 31:7-9
Psalm 126 (5)
Hebrews 7:23-28
Mark 10:46-52

Semi-continuous Series Job 42:1-6, 10-17 Psalm 34:1-8 [19-22] Hebrews 7:23-28 Mark 10:46-52

Prayer of the Day

Eternal light, shine in our hearts. Eternal wisdom, scatter the darkness of our ignorance. Eternal compassion, have mercy on us. Turn us to seek your face, and enable us to reflect your goodness, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia. The Lord will rescue me from every e- | vil attack and save me for the heav- | enly kingdom. Alleluia. (2 Tim. 4:18)

Color: Green

Mon — Oct. 29			
Complementary	Exodus 4:1-17	1 Peter 2:1-10	Psalm 119:17-24
Semi-continuous	Isaiah 59:9-19		Psalm 28

Or

Mon. Oct. 29
Simon and Jude, Apostles (transferred)

Readings
Jeremiah 26:[1-6] 7-16
Psalm 11 (1)
1 John 4:1-6

John 14:21-27

Prayer of the Day

O God, we thank you for the glorious company of the apostles, and especially on this day for Simon and Jude. We pray that, as they were faithful and zealous in your mission, so we may with ardent devotion make known the love and mercy of our Savior Jesus Christ, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia. You will be my witnesses in Jerusalem, in all Judea | and Samaria, and to the ends | of the earth. Alleluia. (Acts 1:8)

Color: Scarlet/Red

Tue — Oct. 30			
Complementary	2 Kings 6:8-23	Acts 9:32-35	Psalm 119:17-24
Semi-continuous	Ezekiel 18:1-32		Psalm 28
Wed — Oct. 31			
Complementary	Jeremiah 33:1-11	Matthew 20:29-34	Psalm 119:17-24
Semi-continuous	Ezekiel 14:12-23		Psalm 28

Or

Wed. Oct. 31 Reformation Day

May be transferred to Sunday, Oct. 28

Readings

Jeremiah 31:31-34 Psalm 46 (7) Romans 3:19-28 John 8:31-36

Prayer of the Day

Almighty God, gracious Lord, we thank you that your Holy Spirit renews the church in every age. Pour out your Holy Spirit on your faithful people. Keep them steadfast in your word, protect and comfort them in times of trial, defend them against all enemies of the gospel, and bestow on the church your saving peace, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

or

Gracious Father, we pray for your holy catholic church. Fill it with all truth and peace. Where it is corrupt, purify it; where it is in error, direct it; where in anything it is amiss, reform it; where it is right, strengthen it; where it is in need, provide for it; where it is divided, reunite it; for the sake of your Son, Jesus Christ, our Savior, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia. If you continue in my word, you are truly | my disciples, and you will know the truth, and the truth will | make you free. Alleluia. (John 8:31-32)

Color: Red

Thu — Nov. 1			
Complementary	Exodus 22:1-15	Hebrews 9:1-12	Psalm 119:1-8
Semi-continuous	Ruth 1:18-22		Psalm 146

Or

Thu. Nov. 1 All Saints Day

May be transferred to Sunday, Nov. 4

Readings Isaiah 25:6-9 Psalm 24 (5) Revelation 21:1-6a John 11:32-44

Prayer of the Day

Almighty God, you have knit your people together in one communion in the mystical body of your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord. Grant us grace to follow your blessed saints in lives of faith and commitment, and to know the inexpressible joys you have prepared for those who love you, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia. They are before the | throne of God, and the one who is seated on the throne will | shelter them. Alleluia. (Rev. 7:15)

Color: White

Fri — Nov. 2 Complementary Semi-continuous	Leviticus 19:32-37 Ruth 2:1-9	Romans 3:21-31	Psalm 119:1-8 Psalm 146
Sat — Nov. 3	N	1 1 10 05 07	D 1 110 1 0
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Sat — Nov. 3 Complementary Semi-continuous	Numbers 9:9-14 Ruth 2:10-14	Luke 10:25-37	Psalm 119:1-8 Psalm 146

Sun. Nov. 4 — Twenty-fourth Sunday after Pentecost (Lectionary 31)

Or All Saints Day may be observed. (see above)

Readings

Complementary Series
Deuteronomy 6:1-9
Psalm 119:1-8 (2)
Hebrews 9:11-14
Mark 12:28-34

Semi-continuous Series

Ruth 1:1-18 Psalm 146 (8) Hebrews 9:11-14 Mark 12:28-34

Prayer of the Day

Almighty God, you have taught us in your Son that love fulfills the law. Inspire us to love you with all our

heart, our soul, our mind, and our strength, and teach us how to love our neighbor as ourselves, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia. Beloved, since God loved | us so much, we also ought to love | one another. Alleluia. (1 John 4:11)

Color: Green

Mon — Nov. 5			
Complementary	Deuteronomy 6:10-25	Romans 12:17-21;	Psalm 51
Semi-continuous	Ruth 2:15-23	13:8-10	Psalm 18:20-30
Tue — Nov. 6	Deuteronomy 28:58—		
Complementary	29:1	Acts 7:17-29	Psalm 51
Semi-continuous	Ruth 3:1-7		Psalm 18:20-30
Wed — Nov. 7			
Complementary	Micah 6:1-8	John 13:31-35	Psalm 51
Semi-continuous	Ruth 3:8-18		Psalm 18:20-30
Thu — Nov. 8			
Complementary	Numbers 36:1-13	Romans 5:6-11	Psalm 146
Semi-continuous	Ruth 4:1-10		Psalm 127
Fri — Nov. 9			
Complementary	Deuteronomy 15:1-11	Hebrews 9:15-24	Psalm 146
Semi-continuous	Ruth 4:11-17		Psalm 127
Sat — Nov. 10	Deuteronomy 24:17-		
Complementary	22	Mark 11:12-14, 20-24	Psalm 146
Semi-continuous	Ruth 4:18-22		Psalm 127

Sun. Nov. 11 — Twenty-fifth Sunday after Pentecost (Lectionary 32)

Readings

Complementary Series 1 Kings 17:8-16 Psalm 146 (8) Hebrews 9:24-28 Mark 12:38-44

Semi-continuous Series Ruth 3:1-5; 4:13-17

Psalm 127 (3) Hebrews 9:24-28 Mark 12:38-44

Prayer of the Day

O God, you show forth your almighty power chiefly by reaching out to us in mercy. Grant us the fullness of your grace, strengthen our trust in your promises, and bring all the world to share in the treasures that come through your Son, Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia. The LORD raises up the poor | from the dust, to make them inherit a | seat of honor. Alleluia. (1 Sam. 2:8)

Mon — Nov. 12			
Complementary	Ruth 1:1-22	1 Timothy 5:1-8	Psalm 94
Semi-continuous	Genesis 24:1-10		Psalm 113
Tue — Nov. 13			
Complementary	Ruth 3:14—4:6	1 Timothy 5:9-16	Psalm 94
Semi-continuous	Genesis 24:11-27		Psalm 113
Wed — Nov. 14			
Complementary	Ruth 4:7-22	Luke 4:16-30	Psalm 94
Semi-continuous	Genesis 24:28-42		Psalm 113
Thu — Nov. 15			
Complementary	Daniel 4:4-18	1 Timothy 6:11-21	Psalm 16
Semi-continuous	1 Samuel 1:21-28		1 Samuel 2:1-10
Fri — Nov. 16			
Complementary	Daniel 4:19-27	Colossians 2:6-15	Psalm 16
Semi-continuous	1 Samuel 2:18-21		1 Samuel 2:1-10
Sat — Nov. 17			
Complementary	Daniel 4:28-37	Mark 12:1-12	Psalm 16
Semi-continuous	1 Samuel 3:1-18		1 Samuel 2:1-10

Sun. Nov. 18 — Twenty-sixth Sunday after Pentecost (Lectionary 33)

Readings

Complementary Series
Daniel 12:1-3
Psalm 16 (9)
Hebrews 10:11-14 [15-18] 19-25
Mark 13:1-8

Semi-continuous Series 1 Samuel 1:4-20 1 Samuel 2:1-10 (1) Hebrews 10:11-14 [15-18] 19-25 Mark 13:1-8

Prayer of the Day

Almighty God, your sovereign purpose brings salvation to birth. Give us faith to be steadfast amid the tumults of this world, trusting that your kingdom comes and your will is done through your Son, Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia. Be alert | at all times,

praying that you may have the strength to stand before the Son of Man. Alleluia. (Luke 23:36)

Mon — Nov. 19			
Complementary	Daniel 8:1-14	Hebrews 10:26-31	Psalm 13
Semi-continuous	1 Samuel 3:19—4:2		Psalm 3
Tue — Nov. 20			
Complementary	Daniel 8:15-27	Hebrews 10:32-39	Psalm 13
Semi-continuous	Deuteronomy 26:5-10		Psalm 3
Wed — Nov. 21			
Complementary	Zechariah 12:1—13:1	Mark 13:9-23	Psalm 13
Semi-continuous	1 Kings 8:22-30		Psalm 3

Thu — Nov. 22			
Complementary	Ezekiel 28:1-10	Acts 7:54—8:1a	Psalm 93
Semi-continuous	2 Kings 22:1-10		Psalm 132:1-12
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Or

Thu. Nov. 22 Day of Thanksgiving (USA)

Readings
Joel 2:21-27
Psalm 126 (3)
1 Timothy 2:1-7
Matthew 6:25-33

Prayer of the Day

Almighty God our Father, your generous goodness comes to us new every day. By the work of your Spirit lead us to acknowledge your goodness, give thanks for your benefits, and serve you in willing obedience, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia. God is able to provide you with every blessing | in abundance, so that by always having enough of everything, you may share abundantly in ev- | 'ry good work. Alleluia. (2 Cor. 9:8)

Color: Green (the color of the season)

Fri — Nov. 23 Complementary Semi-continuous	Ezekiel 28:20-26 2 Kings 22:11-20	1 Corinthians 15:20-28	Psalm 93 Psalm 132:1-12 [13-18]
Sat — Nov. 24 Complementary Semi-continuous	Daniel 7:1-8, 15-18 2 Kings 23:1-14	John 3:31-36	Psalm 93 Psalm 132:1-12 [13-18]

Sun. Nov. 25 — Christ the King Sunday Last Sunday after Pentecost (Lectionary 34)

<u>Readings</u>

Complementary Series Daniel 7:9-10, 13-14 Psalm 93 (2) Revelation 1:4b-8 John 18:33-37

Semi-continuous Series 2 Samuel 23:1-7 Psalm 132:1-12 [13-18] (9) Revelation 1:4b-8 John 18:33-37

Prayer of the Day

Almighty and ever-living God, you anointed your beloved Son to be priest and sovereign forever. Grant that all the people of the earth, now divided by the power of sin, may be united by the glorious and gentle rule of Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit,

one God, now and forever.

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia. Blessed is the one who comes in the name | of the Lord.

Blessed is the coming kingdom of our an- | cestor David. Alleluia. (Mark 11:9)

Color: White or Green

Mon — Nov. 26			
Complementary	Daniel 7:19-27	Revelation 11:1-14	Psalm 76
Semi-continuous	2 Kings 23:15-25		Psalm 63
Tue — Nov. 27			
Complementary	Ezekiel 29:1-12	Revelation 11:15-19	Psalm 76
Semi-continuous	1 Samuel 17:55—18:5		Psalm 63
Wed — Nov. 28			
Complementary	Ezekiel 30:20-26	John 16:25-33	Psalm 76
Semi-continuous	2 Samuel 2:1-7		Psalm 63